

$$(1) \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4} =$$

$$(5) \frac{2}{9} - \frac{1}{8} =$$

$$(2) \frac{4}{5} - \frac{3}{8} =$$

$$(6) \frac{4}{7} - \frac{1}{6} =$$

$$(3) \frac{7}{9} - \frac{3}{4} =$$

$$(7) \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4} =$$

$$(4) \frac{1}{8} - \frac{1}{9} =$$

$$(8) \frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{2} =$$

$$(1) \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{2}{4} - \frac{1}{4}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4}$$

$$(5) \frac{2}{9} - \frac{1}{8} = \frac{16}{72} - \frac{9}{72}$$

$$= \frac{7}{72}$$

$$(2) \frac{4}{5} - \frac{3}{8} = \frac{32}{40} - \frac{15}{40}$$

$$= \frac{17}{40}$$

$$(6) \frac{4}{7} - \frac{1}{6} = \frac{24}{42} - \frac{7}{42}$$

$$= \frac{17}{42}$$

$$(3) \frac{7}{9} - \frac{3}{4} = \frac{28}{36} - \frac{27}{36}$$

$$= \frac{1}{36}$$

$$(7) \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{2}{4} - \frac{1}{4}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4}$$

$$(4) \frac{1}{8} - \frac{1}{9} = \frac{9}{72} - \frac{8}{72}$$

$$= \frac{1}{72}$$

$$(8) \frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{4}{6} - \frac{3}{6}$$

$$= \frac{1}{6}$$