

Word Problem of Subtraction

⇒ **Example:**

An orchard has mango trees and papaya trees. Out of the total 4842 trees, there are 1986 mango trees. How many papaya trees are there?

Solution:

Total number of trees

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Number of mango trees

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Number of papaya trees

=

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3	17	13	12
4	8	4	2
1	9	8	6
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2	8	5	6

Hence, the number of papaya trees is 2856.