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Cooking Subtraction

Solve the following word problems.

1 John has 5.25 gallons of milk. He uses 2.75 gallons to make cheese. How much milk does he have left?

2 Emily baked a cake that weighs 3.15 pounds. After eating a piece, the cake now weighs 2.05 pounds. How much did the piece of cake weigh?

3 Jacob has 7.5 pints of cream. He uses 3.25 pints for a recipe. How much cream does he have left?

4 Sarah has 4.6 pounds of sugar. She uses 1.75 pounds for baking cookies. How much sugar does she have left?

5 A recipe requires 6.25 cups of flour. If you have 8 cups, how much will you have left after making the recipe?

6 A pot of soup is 9.75 quarts. After serving some soup, there are only 7.5 quarts left. How much soup was served?

7 A jar contains 5.5 ounces of honey. If you use 3.25 ounces for a recipe, how much honey is left in the jar?

8 A recipe calls for 3.5 ounces of cheese. You only have 2.75 ounces. How much more cheese do you need?

