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Subtraction Strategies Menu

Finding Friendly Numbers

$50 - 28$

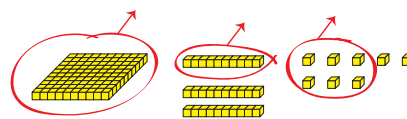
$50 - 30 = 20$
20 is a reasonable estimate.



Irma

Using Base-Ten Pieces

$138 - 116$



$20 + 2 = 22$

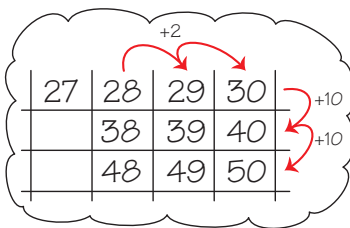


Ana

Counting Up

$50 - 28$

$2 + 20 = 22$



Jacob

Using Expanded Form

Subtract 39 from 62

$62 = 60 + 2 = 50 + 12$

$39 = 30 + 9 = 30 + 9$

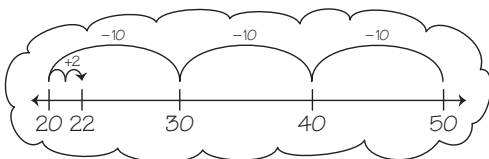
$20 + 3 = 23$



John

Counting Back

$50 - 28 = 22$



Michael

Using the Compact Method

$$\begin{array}{r} 7 \ 13 \\ \cancel{8} \ \cancel{3} \\ - 2 \ 7 \\ \hline 5 \ 6 \end{array}$$



Keenya