

Practice: Word Problems

Subtracting Integers

Subtract.

1.	FOOTBALL A team gained 5 yards on
	their first play of the game. Then they
	lost 6 yards. Find the total change in
	yardage.

2. CHECKING Your checking account is overdrawn by \$50. You write a check for \$20. What is the balance in your account?

- 3. TEMPERATURE The average temperature in Calgary, Canada, is 22°C in July and -11°C in January. Find the range of the highest and lowest temperatures in Calgary.
- **4. ROLLER COASTER** A roller coaster begins at 90 feet above ground level. Then it descends 105 feet. Find the height of the coaster after the first descent.

- **5. SAVINGS** Sonia has \$235 in her savings account. She withdraws \$45. What is left in her savings account?
- 6. BEACH Wai and Kuri were digging in the sand at the beach. Wai dug a hole that was 15 inches below the surface, and Kuri dug a hole that was 9 inches below the surface. Find the difference in the depths of their holes.