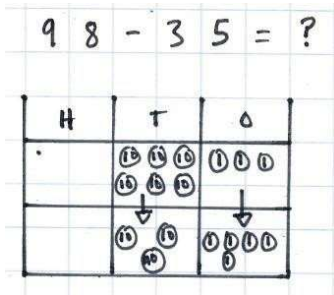


Subtraction

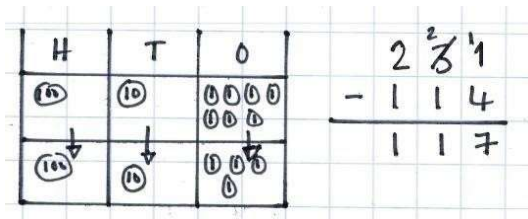
1. Expanded column method (with regrouping and with place value counters or Dienes)



$$\begin{array}{r} 908 \\ - 305 \\ \hline 603 \end{array}$$

The pictorial and concrete representations demonstrate what is being subtracted with the answer left behind. This is then recorded alongside, in a vertical, expanded equation.

2. Formal written method (with regrouping and with place value counters or Dienes)



$$\begin{array}{r} 231 \\ - 114 \\ \hline 117 \end{array}$$

This is the same as the formal written method but does not require expanding. Here, the ones cannot be subtracted and so regrouping takes place: three tens are regrouped into two tens and tenones.

3. Formal written method (without regrouping)

$$\begin{array}{r} 7,329 \\ - 215 \\ \hline 7114 \end{array}$$

This formal written method moves into the thousands, without regrouping.

4. Formal written method (multiple regrouping)

$$\begin{array}{r} 932 \\ - 457 \\ \hline 475 \end{array}$$

This formal written method shows how to regroup more than once.

5. Formal written method (with multiples of 100)

$$\begin{array}{r} \cancel{2} \cancel{0} \cancel{0} 0 \\ - \quad 1.42 \\ \hline 18.58 \end{array}$$

This formal method subtracts from multiples of 100.