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| 4 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |

More thinking about math: Reading, understanding, using mathematical ideas

Definition of subtraction:

If
$$A - B = C$$
. then $A = B + C$

Definition of division:

If
$$A/B = C$$
. then $A = B \times C$

To use the tables at left:

To multiply 3 x 3, find 3 on left column, 3 on top row, follow across and down and find answer 4.

Determine which of the following are true or false (be careful of the table used and the definitions above)

1.
$$2 + 3 = 0$$
 2. $4 - 1 = 3$

$$3.1-4=3$$
 4. $3 \times 2=0$

5.
$$3/2 = 1$$
 6. $2/3 = 4$

Using the tables and definitions, find N:

7.
$$N + 3 = 4$$
 8. $N - 3 = 4$

9.
$$N/2 = 1$$
 10. $2/N = 4$

11.
$$3 \times N + 1 = 4$$

12.
$$2 \times (N + 1) = 0$$

13.
$$(N + 1)/2 = 1$$
 14. $N \times N = 3$