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$$\begin{array}{r} 100 + .30m = 168.10 \\ -100 \quad -100 \\ \hline .30m = 68.10 \\ \underline{.30} \quad \underline{.30} \end{array}$$

$m = \# \text{ miles travelled}$

$m = 227 \text{ miles}$

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Rusty's =  $100 + .30m$   
Clunker =  $85 + .35m$

$$\begin{array}{r} 100 + .30m = 85 + .35m \\ - .30m \quad - .30m \\ \hline 100 = 85 + .05m \\ -85 \quad -85 \\ \hline 15 = .05m \\ \underline{.05} \quad \underline{.05} \end{array}$$

$m = 300 \text{ mi}$

3. Solve.  $\frac{2}{3}(6m - 21) + 29 = -42$   
 $m = -\frac{57}{4} = -14.25$

$4m = -57$   
 $\frac{4m}{4} = \frac{-57}{4}$

4. Simplify.  $-\frac{5}{6}R \cdot 84$

$= -70R$

5. Simplify.  $\frac{3}{3} \cdot \frac{5}{16} + \frac{9}{12} - \frac{13}{8} \cdot \frac{6}{6}$

$\frac{15}{48} + \frac{36}{48} - \frac{78}{48} = \frac{-27}{48} = -\frac{9}{16}$