

Addition

When we work out answers in our head we often do them in a different way than on paper.

E.g.

$$239 + 421$$



I find it easier starting with the bigger number, add the hundreds, then the tens then the units...

$$421 + 200 = 621 \quad 621 + 30 = 651$$

$$651 + 9 = 660 \quad \text{easy eh!}$$

Try to work all these out in your head. Only put the answer down on paper - do not do any working out on paper.

1. $265 + 274$

2. $286 + 245$

3. $263 + 157$

4. $249 + 171$

5. $270 + 161$

6. $267 + 137$

7. $234 + 180$

8. $285 + 149$

9. $266 + 168$

10. $287 + 137$

11. $269 + 165$

12. $250 + 164$

13. $242 + 183$

14. $270 + 201$

15. $249 + 130$

16. $298 + 147$

17. $250 + 162$

18. $299 + 134$

19. $271 + 140$

20. $282 + 177$

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Answers

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1. 539 2. 531 3. 420 4. 420 5. 431 6. 404 7. 414 8. 434 9. 434 10. 424

**11. 434 12. 414 13. 425 14. 471 15. 379 16. 445 17. 412 18. 433 19. 411 20.
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