## Mental or written addition?

| $246+50=296$ | $348+201$ | $=549$ |
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| $738+199=937$ | $62+38$ | $=100$ |
| $345+273$ | $=918$ |  |
| $378+56=434$ |  |  |

1 Draw a circle around the additions you would choose to work out using a mental method.

2 Draw a square around the additions you would choose to work out using a written column method.
3 Choose three mental additions and work each one out.

> Answers should be any of those given for the additions circled above.


There's a clue in this title!

Choose pairs of numbers and work out the exact answer each time.

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\begin{array}{lllllll}
234 & 289 & 365 & 127 & 316 & 184 & 478
\end{array}
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4 Choose two numbers with a total between 300 and 400.
$234+\mathrm{I} 27=361$ or $\mathrm{I} 27+\mathrm{I} 84=311$

5 Choose two numbers with a total between 400 and 500 .
$234+184=418$ or $289+127=416$ or $289+184=473$ or $365+127=492$ or $127+316=443$
6 Choose two numbers with a total between 500 and 600.
$234+289=523$ or $234+365=599$ or $365+184=549$ or $234+316=550$ $\square$
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## Addition challenge!

7 Write a pair of your own 3-digit numbers with a total of exactly 1000.

Answers will vary.
8 Write a pair of your own 3-digit numbers with a total over 1000.

Answers will vary.

I found this:
$\because$ Easy $\because \because$ Challenging $\because$ I needed help

