

Word problems

(without regrouping)



Example 1:

A farmer has 15 cows and 12 sheep. How many farm animals does the farmer have in total?

Solution:

The number of cows

The number of sheep

The number of farm animals = 27

Therefore,

The farmer has 27 farm animals in total



Example 2:

Lisa has 10 candles. Her brother gave her 18 candles. How many candles does she have now?

Solution:

The number of candles that Lisa has

The number of candles that her brother gave = 18



The number of candles that Lisa has now

Therefore,

Now Lisa has 28 candles



Example 3:

A school has 22 boys in 1st grade and 35 boys in 2nd grade. How many are there in 1st and 2nd grade?

Solution:

The number of boys in grade 1 = 22



The number of boys in grade 2 = 3.5



The number of boys in grade 1 and 2 = 57

Therefore,

There are 57 boys in both grade 1 and grade 2

Example 4:

A gardener plants 41 lilies and 17 daisies in her garden. How many flowers does she plant in total?

Solution:

The number of lily plants = 41



The number of daisy plants = 17



The number of lily and daisy plants = 58

Therefore,

The gardener plants 58 flowers in total





Example 5:

In a shop, there are 55 sandwiches and 34 burgers. How many sandwich and burgers are there in the shop?

Solution:

The number of sandwiches in the shop = 55



The number of burgers in the shop

34

Total number of sandwich and burgers in the shop = 89

Therefore,

There are 89 sandwiches and burgers in the shop

Example 6:

Bala collects 36 shells and Raju collects 63 shells. How many shells does they collect?

Solution:

The number of shells that Bala collects = 3.6



The number of shells that Raju collects = 63



Total number of shells that both of them collect = 99

Therefore,

They collect 99 shells.