

Working Problems with Paper and with a Calculator

Try working these problems with paper and pencil. How long did it take? Now work the same problems with a calculator. How long did it take? Which is the best tool?

$$\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ + 20 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 15 \\ + 34 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 45 \\ + 42 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 72 \\ + 5 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 23 \\ + 34 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 40 \\ + 50 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 40 \\ + 30 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 90 \\ + 20 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 40 \\ - 10 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 50 \\ - 20 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 60 \\ - 40 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 90 \\ - 30 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 25 \\ - 13 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 32 \\ - 11 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 48 \\ - 22 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 54 \\ - 40 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 200 \\ - 100 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 600 \\ - 300 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 800 \\ - 200 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 700 \\ - 300 \\ \hline \end{array}$$