

# Adding Money Amounts

You can add money amounts in columns. Make sure the decimal points are aligned.

Add. Then put the decimal point in the answer in the same place.

You carry the same way as you would if there was no decimal point.

Align the decimal points!

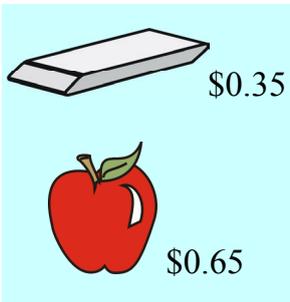
$$\begin{array}{r} \downarrow \\ \$1.70 \\ + 2.20 \\ \hline \$3.90 \\ \uparrow \end{array}$$

Add a decimal point to the answer

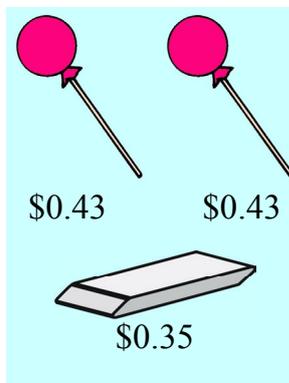
Align the decimal points!

$$\begin{array}{r} \phantom{1} \\ \$0.55 \\ + 2.25 \\ \hline \$2.80 \\ \phantom{1} \end{array}$$

Add a decimal point to the answer



$$\begin{array}{r} \phantom{1} \phantom{1} \\ \$0.35 \\ + 0.65 \\ \hline \$1.00 \\ \text{Total cost } \$1.00. \end{array}$$



$$\begin{array}{r} \phantom{1} \phantom{1} \\ \$0.43 \\ \phantom{0} 0.43 \\ + 0.35 \\ \hline \$1.21 \\ \text{The total rounded} \\ \text{cost is } \$1.20. \end{array}$$

1. Add in columns.

a.  $\$0.25 + \$0.55$

$$\begin{array}{r} \$ \phantom{.} \\ + \phantom{.} \\ \hline \$ \phantom{.} \end{array}$$

b.  $\$1.45 + \$0.07$

$$\begin{array}{r} \$ \phantom{.} \\ + \phantom{.} \\ \hline \$ \phantom{.} \end{array}$$

c.  $\$0.75 + \$2.38 + \$1.83$

$$\begin{array}{r} \$ \phantom{.} \\ \phantom{.} \\ + \phantom{.} \\ \hline \$ \phantom{.} \end{array}$$

2. Find the total cost of the items listed, then round the answer to the nearest ten cents.

	<p><b>a.</b> a pair of scissors and a pen</p>	<p><b>b.</b> two rubber erasers and a pen</p>
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### Cafeteria Menu



\$0.85



\$4.57



\$5.20



\$4.72



\$2.04



\$0.96

3. Find the total cost in each case, then round the answer to the nearest ten cents.

**a.** Mark bought a sandwich, an apple, and a bottle of water.

**b.** Judy bought coffee and a slice of pizza.

**c.** Edward bought a bowl of soup, a sandwich, and coffee.

**d.** Alaina bought three apples and a bottle of water.

**e.** Mum bought two bowls of soup and two slices of pizza.

**f.** Jack bought four cups of coffee.