

A Bit Stuck? Decimal additions

What to do:

1. Complete the answers for these additions:

$$13.4 + 5.6$$

$$16 + 7.6$$

$$24.3 + 7.8$$

$$5.25 + 14.7$$

$$13.6 + 2.75$$

2. Now lay out and solve these additions for yourself:

$$15.8 + 6.5$$

$$2.7 + 1.25$$

$$16.4 + 5.8$$

S-t-r-e-t-c-h:

Without solving them, can you say which of these additions will have an answer closer to 5?

$$3.4 + 2.8 \text{ or } 1.7 + 3.5$$