

MULTIPLYING WHEN SUM OF ONES' DIGITS IS TEN
AND TENS DIGITS ARE EQUAL

Problem: $85 \times 85 = ?$

- Method:
1. Multiply the ones' digits to get the tens' and ones' digits in the answer.
 2. Add one to one tens' digit and multiply by the other. Write product down to the left of #1 answer.

- Solve:
1. $5 \times 5 = 25$
 2. $8 + 1 = 9$ and $8 \times 9 = 72$
Write 72 to the left of 25.

7225 Answer

Or: $43 \times 47 = ?$

1. $3 \times 7 = 21$ Write down.
2. $4 + 1 = 5$ and $5 \times 4 = 20$
Write 20 to left of #1 results:

2021 Answer

TRY THESE:

1. $75 \times 75 =$
2. $35 \times 35 =$
3. $72 \times 78 =$
4. $41 \times 49 =$
5. $83 \times 87 =$
6. $64 \times 66 =$

MULTIPLYING FACTORS EQUAL DISTANCE FROM NUMBER

Problem:

$$38 \times 42 = ?$$

Method: 1. Square the difference each factor is from the midway number.

2. Square the midway number.

3. Subtract the product in #1 from the square of the midway number in #2.

Solve: 1. Square 2, the distance 38 and 42 are from 40, the midway number.

2. Square the midway number, 40 to get 1600.

3. Subtract square in #1 and #2.
 $1600 - 4 = \underline{1596}$ Answer

TRY THESE:

1. $53 \times 47 =$

2. $62 \times 58 =$

3. $21 \times 19 =$

4. $84 \times 76 =$

5. $69 \times 71 =$

6. $79 \times 81 =$

7. $89 \times 91 =$

8. $5.9 \times 6.1 =$

9. $52 \times 58 =$

10. $34 \times 36 =$