

Adding Decimals — Cheat Sheet

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ADDING DECIMALS

1. Line up the decimal points vertically.
2. Pad empty places with zeros.
3. Add right to left, carrying as usual.
4. Drop the decimal point straight down into the answer.

Examples: $3.45 + 2.3 = 5.75$ · $4.68 + 1.75 = 6.43$