Close Enough

Estimate the sums by rounding each number to the nearest ten. Show your work.

$$77 \rightarrow 80$$
$$+\ 24 \rightarrow +\ 20$$
$$\overline{\hphantom{+\ 24}\ 100}$$

$$59$$
$$+\ 67$$

$$91$$
$$-\ 26$$

$$98$$
$$-\ 67$$

$$62$$
$$+\ 21$$

$$41$$
$$+\ 27$$

Math Skills

Estimating in number operations

$$88$$
$$+\ 11$$

$$38$$
$$+\ 25$$

$$66$$
$$-\ 11$$

$$73$$
$$-\ 28$$

$$51$$
$$-\ 43$$

$$87$$
$$-\ 39$$

Brain Box

To **estimate** means to make a good guess.

One way to estimate is to use **rounding**.

For example: **87 + 72**

Using rounding, this problem becomes 90 + 70

You can quickly guess that the answer is 160.

Solve the equations by rounding each number to the nearest 100.

876 + 211	859 + 611	729 + 229
558 + 307	285 + 198	727 + 254
651 + 495	504 + 386	437 + 109
828 + 751	939 + 621	727 + 158

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