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Key Concept and Vocabulary

Order of Operations

1. Perform operations in grouping symbols.
2. Evaluate numbers with exponents.
3. Multiply and divide from left to right.
4. Add and subtract from left to right.

Simplify $4^2 \div 2 + 3(9 - 5)$.

$$4^2 \div 2 + 3(9 - 5) = 4^2 \div 2 + 3 \cdot 4$$
$$= 16 \div 2 + 3 \cdot 4$$
$$= 8 + 12$$
$$= 20$$

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Skill Examples

1. $18 \div 2 - 4 = 9 - 4 = 5$

2. $2^2 \cdot (6 - 2) = 2^2 \cdot 4 = 4 \cdot 4 = 16$

3. $24 \div 2^3 - 1 = 24 \div 8 - 1 = 3 - 1 = 2$

4. $20 \div 10 + 21 \cdot 5 = 2 + 105 = 107$

5. $(2 + 3)^2 - 5 = 5^2 - 5 = 25 - 5 = 20$

Application Example

6. At a museum, 4 adults pay $15 each and 6 children pay $8 each. What is the total cost of the tickets?

$$4 \cdot 15 + 6 \cdot 8 = 60 + 48$$
$$= 108$$

⋮ The total cost is $108.

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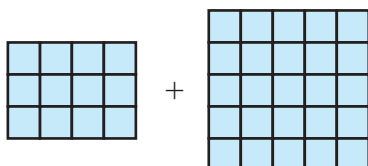
Evaluate the expression.

7. $3^2 + 5(4 - 2) =$ _____

8. $3 + 4 \div 2 =$ _____

9. $10 \div 5 \cdot 3 =$ _____

10. $4(3^3 - 8) \div 2 =$ _____

11. $3 + 6^2 \div 2 =$ _____

12. $12 + 7 \cdot 3 - 24 =$ _____

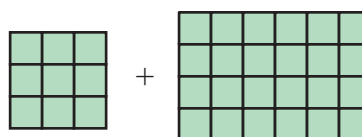**Insert parentheses to make the statement true.**

13. $5^2 - 15 \div 5 = 2$

14. $12 \cdot 2^3 + 4 = 144$

15. $91 - 21 \div 7 = 10$

Write an expression for the total area of the two rectangles. Evaluate your expression.

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17.

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18. ADMISSION At a baseball game, 6 adults pay $20 each and 4 children pay $10 each. What is the total cost of the tickets? _____

19. INSERTING PARENTHESES Insert parentheses in the expression $4 + 2^3 - 5 \cdot 2$ in two ways: (a) so that the value is 10 and (b) so that the value is 14.

(a) _____

(b) _____