

Problem-Solving Decision: Choose a Method

1. On a business trip, Dom spent \$143.32 on a hotel, \$82.48 on meals, \$295.18 on transportation, and \$11.23 on phone calls. How much did Dom spend on his trip?

UNDERSTAND

What is the question?

What facts does the problem tell you?

PLAN

Which computation method would you use?
Explain your choice.

SOLVE

What is the solution?

LOOK BACK

Is your answer reasonable?

Choose a method. Then solve.

2. On the same business trip, Brigid spent \$410.74. Use the information above to find how much more Dom spent than Brigid.
