

compensation

Adding one amount to an addend and subtracting an equal amount from another addend to add mentally.

Example: $38 \rightarrow \text{add 2 to make 40} \rightarrow 40$
 $\begin{array}{r} + 56 \\ \hline \end{array} \rightarrow \text{subtract 2 to compensate} \rightarrow \begin{array}{r} + 54 \\ \hline 94 \end{array}$

So, $38 + 56 = 94$