

## **Problem-Solving Decisions: 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?

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What facts does the problem tell you?

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**PLAN**

Which computation method would you use?  
Explain your choice.

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**SOLVE**

What is the solution?

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**LOOK BACK**

Is your answer reasonable?

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**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.

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