

Estimating Sums and Differences of Decimals

Estimate each sum or difference.

1. $1.45 + 0.6$ _____ 2. $8.91 + 1.16$ _____ 3. $7.09 - 5.11$ _____

4. $6.59 - 3.84$ _____ 5. $8.54 + 9.01$ _____ 6. $6.11 - 0.15$ _____

7.
$$\begin{array}{r} 18.05 \\ + 0.85 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

8.
$$\begin{array}{r} 11.45 \\ - 0.9 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

9.
$$\begin{array}{r} 8.65 \\ - 5.1 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

10.
$$\begin{array}{r} 9.50 \\ + 6.8 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

11. **Reasoning** Cheryl had \$86.51. She bought 6 cases of fruit drink and had \$50.67 left. About how much did Cheryl pay for each case of fruit drink?

12. Jean walked 19.87 mi last week, 17.15 mi the week before, and 18.92 mi this week. About how many miles has Jean walked in the 3 weeks?

13. William drives 14.81 mi to work each day. Kathy drives 2.6 mi to work each day. About how much farther does William drive each day?

14. Which is the best estimate for the sum of $22.36 + 19.6$?

A 41

B 42

C 43

D 44

15. **Writing to Explain** Kayla needs \$15.00 to buy a CD. She has \$8.18 in her wallet, \$3.19 in her pocket, and \$5.42 in her piggy bank. Does Kayla have enough? Explain.
