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Multiplication using partitioning

Use partitioning to calculate $\square \times \square$

Challenge 1

1 $9 \times 3 = \square$

2 $3 \times 8 = \square$

3 $6 \times 4 = \square$

$90 \times 3 = \square$

$30 \times 8 = \square$

$60 \times 4 = \square$

Challenge 2

Approximate the answer to each calculation.

Example $63 \times 5 \rightarrow 60 \times 5 = 300$

1 $54 \times 3 \rightarrow$

2 $29 \times 5 \rightarrow$

3 $73 \times 4 \rightarrow$

4 $92 \times 8 \rightarrow$

Challenge 3

Partition each of the calculations above to work out the answer. Check your estimate is close to your answer.

Example

$$\begin{aligned} 63 \times 5 &= (60 \times 5) + (3 \times 5) \\ &= 300 + 15 \\ &= 315 \end{aligned}$$

1 $54 \times 3 =$
 $=$
 $=$

2 $29 \times 5 =$
 $=$
 $=$

3 $73 \times 4 =$
 $=$
 $=$

4 $92 \times 8 =$
 $=$
 $=$



Choose two calculations. Explain to an adult how you worked them out. Give them two calculations to work out using the same method as you. Check their answers are correct.