Estimating

1. Before the calculation, *estimate* the result, using rounded numbers and mental math. Then find the exact result.

a. 4,182 + 5,029 Estimate: _____ Exact: ____

b. 74,352 – 12,834 Estimate: _____ Exact: _____

c. 19 × 52 Estimate: Exact:

d. 1,298,391 + 387,430 Estimate: _____ Exact: _____

e. 3,427,073 – 1,293,938 + 804,542 Estimate: _____ Exact: ____

- 2. a. 235,492 people in Purpletown;
 187,203 people in Bluetown.

 The two towns have approximately
 _____ people in all; and there are about ____ more people in Purpletown than in Bluetown.
- b. 2,384 live births in Seagull hospital, 1,094 live births in Sunshine hospital.There were about _____ live births

in total; and Seagull hospital had about _____ more births than Sunshine hospital.

c. Jake's yearly earnings are \$47,807.

He earns about _____ monthly.

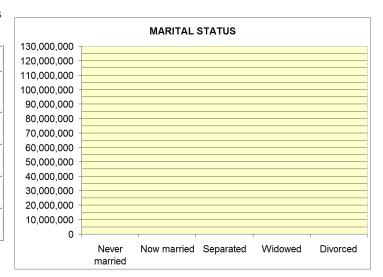
d. Jack's yearly mileage was 58,496 miles.

He drives about _____ each month.

3. **a.** Round the numbers to the nearest million. Use the <u>rounded numbers</u> to make a bar graph.

(The table lists the marital status of United States people 15 years and over; from Census 2000.)

MARITAL STATUS		
Never married	59,913,370	
Now married	120,231,273	
Separated	4,769,220	
Widowed	14,674,500	
Divorced	21,560,308	



Source: From Census 2000 data,

www.census.gov.

- **b.** *Estimate* the number of people who are either separated, widowed, or divorced.
- c. Estimate the number of people who are not married (all the others except 'Now married').