Adding Money Amounts

You can add money amounts in columns.

Make sure the decimal commas are aligned.

Add the comma to the answer in the same place.

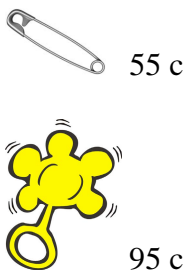Carrying happens the same way as if there was no decimal comma.

Align the decimal commas!

$$\begin{array}{r} R\,1,7\,5 \\ +\ \ 2,2\,0 \\ \hline R\,3,9\,5 \end{array}$$

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$$\begin{array}{r} \overset{1}{R}\,0,5\,5 \\ +\ \ 2,2\,5 \\ \hline R\,2,8\,0 \end{array}$$

↑ Add a decimal comma to the answer

55 c

$$\begin{array}{r} \overset{1\ \ 1}{R}\,0,5\,5 \\ +\ \ 0,9\,5 \\ \hline R\,1,5\,0 \end{array}$$

Total cost R1,50.

95 c

45 c   45 c

35 c
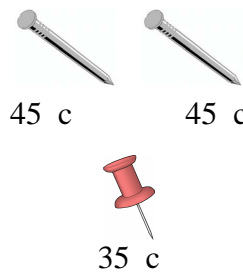
$$\begin{array}{r} \overset{1\ \ 1}{R}\,0,4\,5 \\ 0,4\,5 \\ +\ \ \ ,3\,5 \\ \hline R\,1,2\,5 \end{array}$$

Total cost R1,25.

1. Add in columns.

a. R0,35 + R0,55

b. R1,40 + R0,05

c. R0,75 + R2,25 + R1,80

2. Find the total cost of buying the things listed.

scissors — 15,65 c	**a.** scissors and a pen	**b.** two rubbers and a pen
rubber — 2,15 c		
pen — 2,50 c		