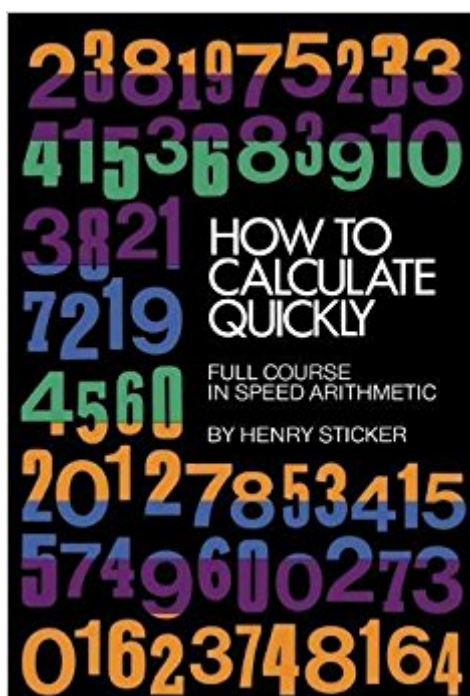


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# How To Calculate Quickly: Full Course In Speed Arithmetic (Dover Books On Mathematics)



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I've often been frustrated when in the course of my education my professors would make jumps in logic and leave me behind for a moment. How did they get to that point from where we started? There are simple tricks to use in estimating and making calculations that one can employ to do the same thing. Rounding up or down, making a quick calculation, then add or subtract your rounded number and come up with the correct answer. Great fun and good mental exercise.

This book is the best of its kind and anyone wanting exercises to help them learn how to calculate should look no further.

Bought this for my grandkids, ages 10,3.5. It arrived in great condition and on time. It's a little too much for the little ones, so we're sticking with simple math now, addition, subtraction. Have hopes for the older one. Takes practice, but it's a project we can do together, make a game of it.

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