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Complete his working out.

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Round to nearest thousands: $6,000 + 2,000 =$ _____

Round to nearest hundreds: $5,900 +$ _____ $=$ _____

Round to nearest tens: _____ $+$ _____ $=$ _____

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Round to nearest hundreds: $5,900 + \underline{\quad 1,500 \quad} = \underline{\quad 7,400 \quad}$

Round to nearest tens: $\underline{\quad 5,880 \quad} + \underline{\quad 1,550 \quad} = \underline{\quad 7,430 \quad}$

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Examples

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$3,900 + 4,700$

$5,000 + 7,000$

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Possible answers include

$$2,615 + 1,429 = (2,600 + 1,400)$$

$$7,876 - 3,949 = (7,900 - 3,900)$$

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$$5,745 - 3,188 \quad (5,700 - 3,200 = 2,500)$$

$$4,257 - 1,822 \quad (4,300 - 1,800 = 2,500)$$