



# Brackets

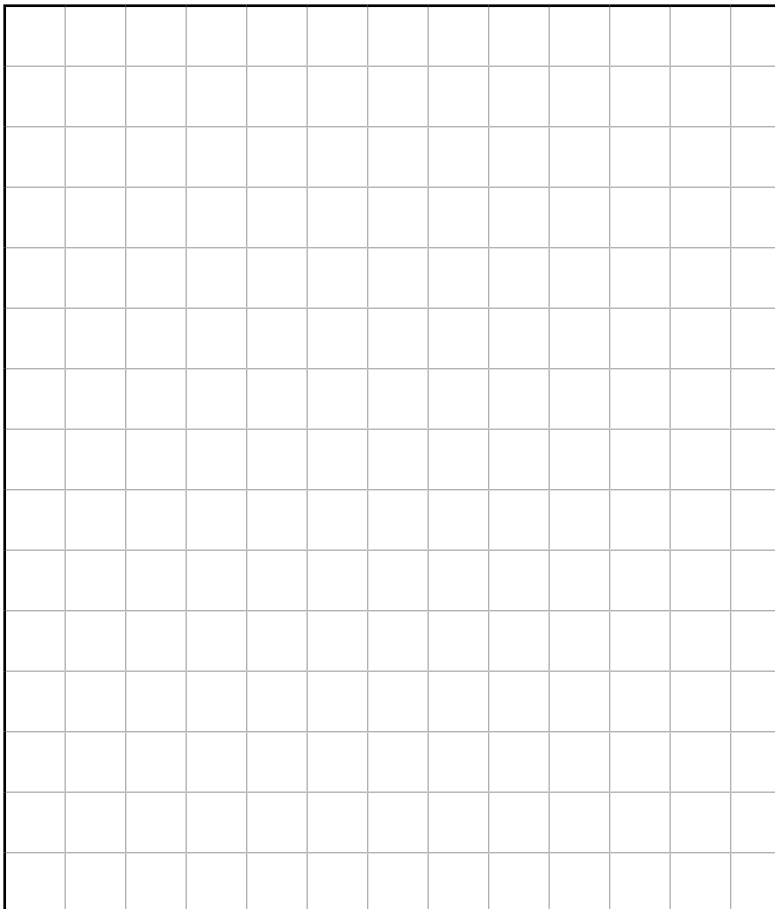
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Complete these calculations using your knowledge of BODMAS.

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Use this space for your working out jottings:



Don't forget  
your BODMAS order:  
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Order (exponents)  
Division and Multiplication  
Addition and Subtraction





# Brackets Answers

Question	Answer
Complete these calculations using your knowledge of BODMAS.	
1	$256 - 163 + 492 = 585$
2	$315 \div 9 \times 10 = 350$
3	$592 + 396 + 1943 + 29\,894 - 4287 = 28\,538$
4	$1959 - 2100 \div 6 = 1609$
5	$159 \times 3 - (693 - 284) = 68$
6	$24\,000 \div 60 - 254 = 146$
7	$693 \div 3 \times 2 \times 4 = 1848$
8	$5935 - 3145 - (583 + 392) = 1815$



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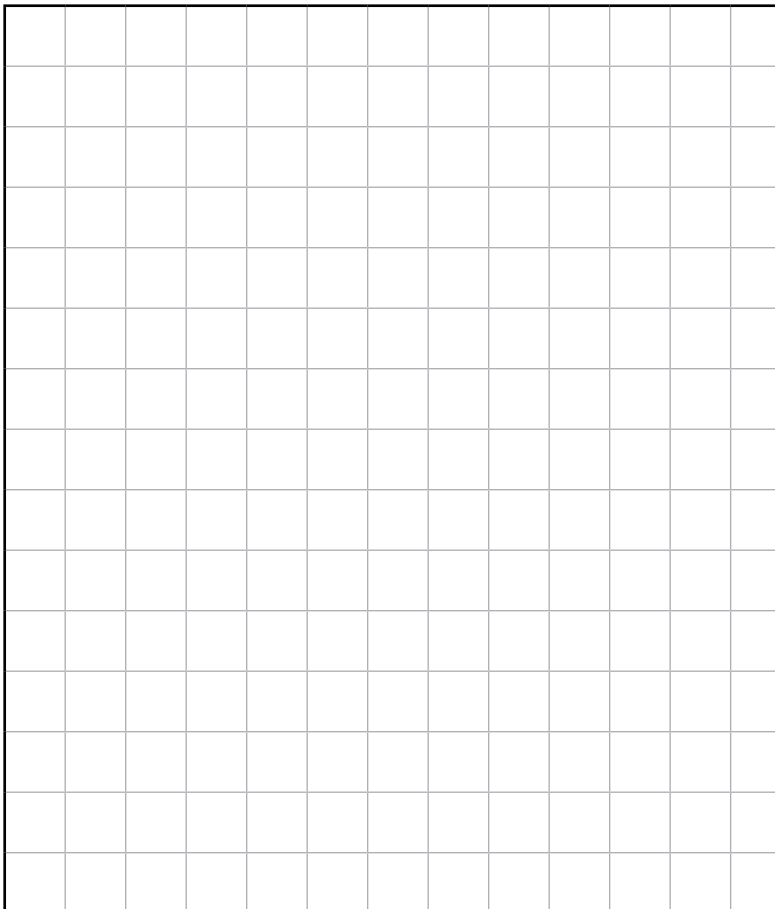
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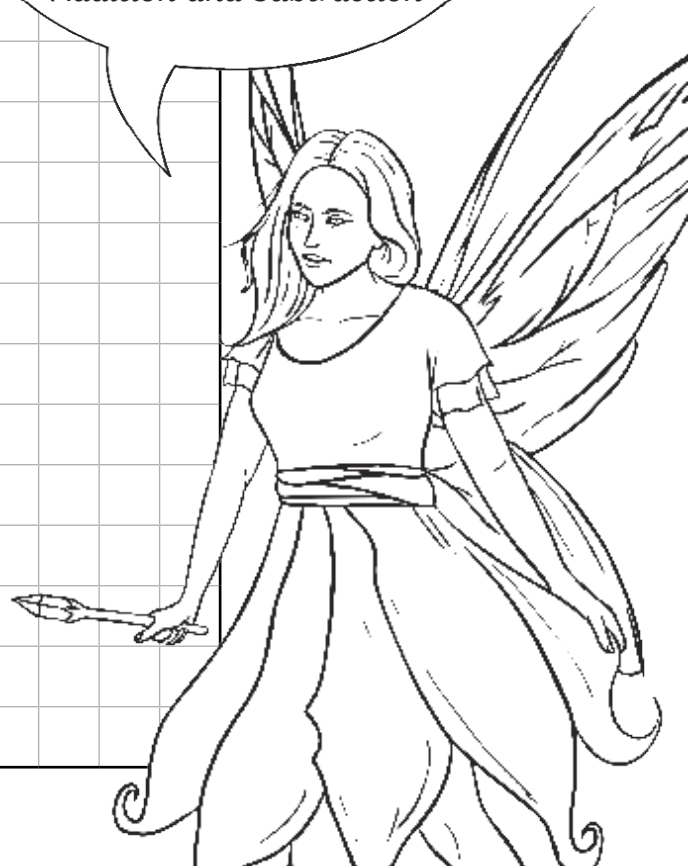
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- 1)  $9048 - 2294 + 5329 =$
- 2)  $456 \div 19 \times 10 =$
- 3)  $2945 + 3926 + 10\ 443 + 392\ 894 - 224\ 487 =$
- 4)  $1959 - 1440 \div 18 =$
- 5)  $245 \times 4 - 1039 - 593 =$
- 6)  $29\ 400 \div 70 - 319 =$
- 7)  $1524 \div 6 \times 2 \times 2.5 =$
- 8)  $12\ 867 - 8767 - 1274 + 976 =$

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1	$9048 - 2294 + 5329 = 12\ 083$
2	$456 \div 19 \times 10 = 240$
3	$2945 + 3926 + 10\ 443 + 392\ 894 - 224\ 487 = 185\ 721$
4	$1959 - 1440 \div 18 = 1879$
5	$245 \times 4 - (1039 - 593) = 534$
6	$29\ 400 \div 70 - 319 = 101$
7	$1524 \div 6 \times 2 \times 2.5 = 1270$
8	$12\ 867 - 8767 - (1274 + 976) = 1850$



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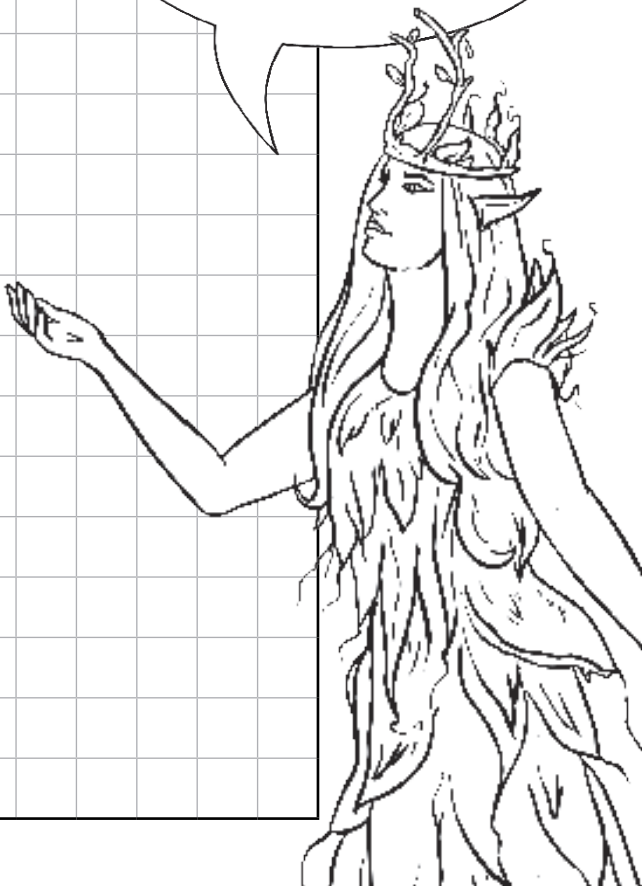
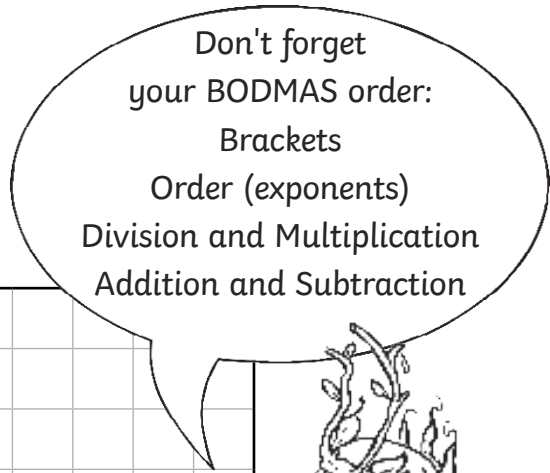
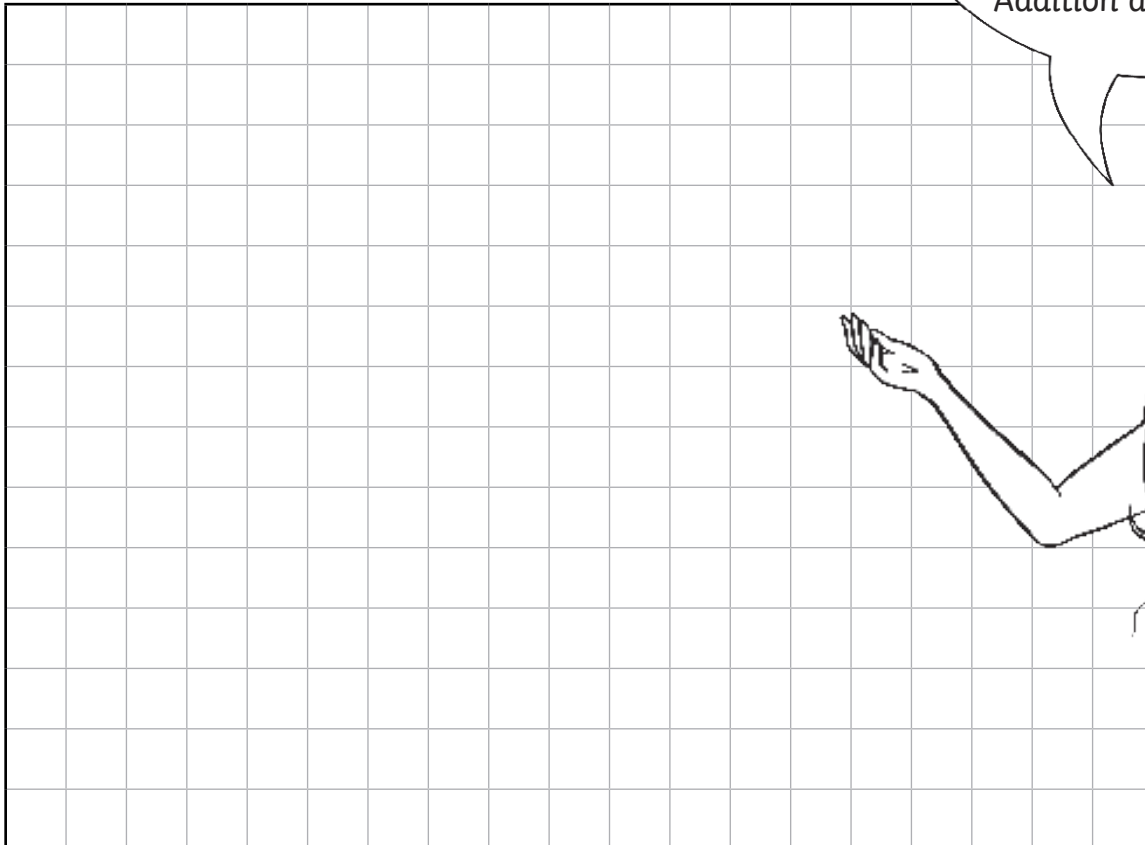
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- 1)  $1524 \div 6 \times 2 \times 2.5 = 1270$
- 2)  $29\,400 \div 70 - 319 = 101$
- 3)  $245 \times 4 - 1039 - 593 = 534$
- 4)  $1959 - 1440 \div 18 = 1879$

Complete these calculations using your knowledge of BODMAS.

- 1)  $583 \times 13 \div (2.5 \times 4) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
- 2)  $9294 \div 12 - (241.5 + 468.6) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
- 3)  $6943 + 73 \times 19 + 1800 \div 30 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
- 4)  $19\,495 - 19 \times 20 - 392 \times 12 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

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2	$29\,400 \div 70 - 319 = 101$
3	$245 \times 4 - (1039 - 593) = 534$
4	$1959 - 1440 \div 18 = 1879$
	Charley is incorrect. Calculation 3 needs brackets around $1039 - 593$ (as shown above). Without them, the answer would be a negative number as you would be subtracting 1039 and 593 from 980.
Complete these calculations using your knowledge of BODMAS.	
1	$583 \times 13 \div (2.5 \times 4) = 757.9$
2	$9294 \div 12 - (241.5 + 468.6) = 64.4$
3	$6943 + 73 \times 19 + 1800 \div 30 = 8390$
4	$19\,495 - 19 \times 20 - 392 \times 12 = 14\,411$