

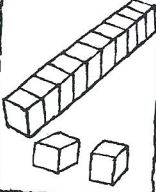

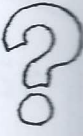


How did you do it?

- Write the answers.
- Tick to show how you worked them out.

	in my head 	using my fingers 	using cubes 	with pencil and paper 	other way 
1. $4 + 7 =$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				
2. $14 - 5 =$					
3. $8 + 6 =$					
4. $9 + 16 =$					
5. $12 + 12 =$					
6. $17 - 6 =$					
7. $14 + 15 =$					
8. $15 - 7 =$					
9. $22 + 7 =$					
10. $25 - 9 =$					



- Write the answers.

$24 + 9 =$

$13 - 7 =$

$22 + 21 =$

$75 - 10 =$

- Which was the easiest to work out? Why?

Teachers' note Encourage the children to discuss the extension activity in pairs or groups. Why do they think one question is easier than another? Is it because they have memorised the fact or can use their fingers quickly, or do they have a useful strategy for answering questions of this type?