Column Addition

The first U.S. astronauts orbited Earth in 1962. How many orbits did these Americans complete in that year?

Orbits by U.S. Astronauts in 1962		
Date	**Astronaut**	**Orbits**
February 20	John Glenn	3
May 24	Scott Carpenter	3
October 3	Wally Schirra	6

We want to find the total number of orbits all the astronauts made in 1962.

We know that Glenn orbited _____ times; Carpenter, _____ times; and Schirra, _____ times.

To find this **total** or **sum**, we add _____, _____, and _____.

We can add only two numbers at a time.

| Add down. | $\begin{array}{r}3\\3\\+6\end{array}$ | _____ | $\begin{array}{r}3\\3\\+6\end{array}$ | _____ | Add up to check. |

American astronauts completed _____ orbits in 1962.

Getting Started

Add down. Add up to check.

1. $\begin{array}{r}1\\3\\+5\end{array}$	2. $\begin{array}{r}2\\6\\+3\end{array}$	3. $\begin{array}{r}3\\4\\+2\end{array}$	4. $\begin{array}{r}6\\3\\+1\end{array}$	5. $\begin{array}{r}7\\1\\+7\end{array}$
6. $\begin{array}{r}6\\3\\2\\+4\end{array}$	7. $\begin{array}{r}3\\2\\4\\+9\end{array}$	8. $\begin{array}{r}5\\4\\5\\+3\end{array}$	9. $\begin{array}{r}7\\2\\3\\5\\+1\end{array}$	10. $\begin{array}{r}8\\1\\6\\2\\+2\end{array}$