

Multiplying with Arrays

You will need

grid paper

Multiply two-digit numbers using arrays.

A crossword puzzle has 15 rows and 15 columns.

How many small squares are in the crossword puzzle?

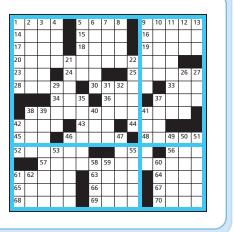


Brandon's Strategy

I decided to organize the puzzle into four parts, as I would with base ten blocks.

GOAL

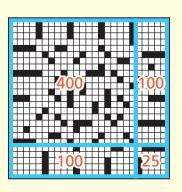
I'll write the number of rows and columns to calculate the number of small squares in each part.



- A. How many rows and columns of squares are in each part of the puzzle?
- B. How many small squares are in each part of the puzzle?
- C. How many squares are in the whole puzzle?

Reflecting

D. Brandon used the same strategy for a 25-by-25 puzzle. Why do you think he organized the puzzle like this to calculate the number of squares in the puzzle?



Checking

1. Another puzzle has 36 rows of 36 squares. Use Brandon's strategy to calculate the number of squares.

Practising

- To finish a *rushnyk* (a Ukrainian towel), Mia used 18 spools of thread. Each spool held 25 m of thread. How much thread did she use?
- 3. Sketch an array to show that 57 \times 57 is not equal to 50 \times 50 + 7 \times 7.
- 4. Calculate.

a) 62 × 28	c) 86 × 26
b) 51 × 47	d) 93 × 52

- 5. How does the model at the left show that both of the following equations are true? $42 \times 53 = (40 + 2) \times (50 + 3)$
 - $42 \times 53 = (40 \times 50) + (40 \times 3) + (2 \times 50) + (2 \times 3)$
- 6. Think about Brandon's strategy for multiplying two-digit numbers. Why do you need to know how to multiply numbers by tens to multiply two-digit numbers? Use the example 24×36 to explain.



