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Add and subtract whole numbers: word problems

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To solve this, add up the 2 amounts he bought the houses.

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\begin{align*}
769,000 & \\
+ & 454,560 \\
\hline \\
1,223,560 & 
\end{align*}
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b. Larry played a motor bike game online and scored 952 points in the first round and 648 points in the second round. The game was over after the second round. How many more points did he score in the first round than in the second round?
To solve this, subtract the second round points from the first round's points.

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\begin{align*}
952 & \\
- & 648 \\
\hline \\
304 & 
\end{align*}
\]

c. Peter owns a very big chicken farm. 7,630 chickens have started laying eggs, but the other 557 have not. How many chickens are there on the farm?
To solve this, add the number of chickens laying eggs and the number of chickens not laying.

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\begin{align*}
7,630 & \\
+ & 557 \\
\hline \\
8,187 & 
\end{align*}
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