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# Secret Of Mental Math Arithmetic: 70 Secrets To Super Speed Calculation Amazing Math Tricks

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HOW TO DO MATH WITHOUT A CALCULATOR





## **Synopsis**

No matter how simple it may be, solving mathematical equations can be a challenge for quite a number of persons Through his book titled Secret of Mental Math Arithmetic: 70 Secrets to Super Speed Calculation Amazing Math Tricks, Jason Scotts seeks to provide the solution to those mathematical problems. The main challenge has come from the fact that most persons have become used to grabbing a calculator to solve a mathematical problem. As such, the mind has become a bit lazy and it takes a bit of prodding to get it working without having to use a calculator. The text takes everything back to basics and reminds the listener of simple techniques that they were taught in school. This text is a must have in any home as it can help an individual to learn how to conquer those math equations without having the need to reach for a calculator.

## **Book Information**

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#### Customer Reviews

I was interested in reading this book because I come form a math family who have high end degrees in math. I though it might give me interesting clues to conduct mental math to impress my husband. After all it says 70 secrets. I was greatly disjointed. It has limited unconventional ways of exploring math such as using finger, internet and asking others. No graphs or examples were provide and I found the authors theory's and suggestions questionable. The best part of this eBook is that it was provided to me for free so I do not have buys remorse. It certainly raised my hope of further advancing my knowledge and when I sat down to read it my balloon burst with disappointment. I was really hoping to learn something new to impress my family but it didn't

happen. I would not recommend it.

Meh. Some of the "secrets" are well known and not really secrets and some make math more complicated and slower. I suggest just looking up youtube math tricks instead. However, some of the ones here are interesting to read about even if not very useful. I received this product at a large discount or for free in exchange for trying it out and writing an honest review.

Being able to do math calculations in your head has many practical benefits, including calculating a tip in a restaurant, estimating time and distance when taking trips, and it comes in handy in many other situations as well. This book by Jason Scotts is designed to improve your calculating skills. It teaches you how to add, subtract, and multiply from left to right, not right to left as we were taught in school. Performing these calculations in this way seems unnatural at first, but one can see the benefits of left-to-right calculation after working this way. Tricks for squaring two-digit and three-digit numbers and cubing two-digit numbers are revealed, and the author shows you the algebra behind the tricks that demonstrates why they work. Mnemonic procedures are required for the most daunting tasks introduced (squaring five-digit numbers and multiplying three-digit numbers by two-digit numbers). One would need a lot of motivation and a whole lot of practice to become proficient at calculating mentally the harder problems in the book. Testing for divisibility, handling estimation problems, and figuring out the weekday for any date in the Gregorian calendar era are other topics that round out this volume. I was provided this book in exchange for an honest, unbiased review.

This was an interesting book. I actually chose it to read because I have never really \*gotten\* math. So, I certainly do not use a lot of mental math, as I prefer a calculator and thank the stars there is one on every phone now! Anyhow, this book was pretty interesting. It gives you a lot of tips on how to think or rethink math in your brain. I am never going to be a mathematician, but now I have a few more things in my toolbox to help with thinking through problems. I try to give reviews and not give spoilers. This is my take on the book without revealing what the book itself actually says. I think that each reader should go read it and find out for themselves. I am saying that the book does live up to its title and does give you a lot of secrets to help you mentally conquer math. A few I will never be able to actually do, but it is nice to know anyhow!@ {----

I've been out of school for a very long time. I am looking into going back to college. I thought this

might be useful considering I wasn't the greatest at math when I was in school, and I definitely have used much past the basic four since graduation so I have lost most of what I did learn. I was a little sad that it didn't really give many secrets like the title leads you to believe. He talks about technique, estimation, factors involved, guessing an answer, multiplying right to left, multiplying by 5, and psychological skill. I did finish the book, but didn't really have much of a better insight as when I began. Some of the tips we were taught in school so everyone should know them. Other tips are more just common sense especially in the computer/smartphone age. He touches on 10 ways to add, 10 ways to subtract, 10 ways to divide, 10 ways to divide, 10 ways to multiply, 10 ways to estimate multiplying, 10 ways to estimate dividing and ways to check your answers. I was hoping it would go beyond the basic four, but it didn't. For me it really wasn't very helpful, but I still liked reading more so out of curiosity just to see what he had to say. There might be a few items, but not many I could use to refresh my basic math skills. I didn't find any really amazing math tricks though. The title is a little misleading. It might be more useful for someone that has trouble with all or parts of the basic four. I did receive this ebook free in exchange for an honest review. I don't feel like it was a total waste of time. I did read the entire book. Most of it just wasn't for me.

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