# CRUSTACEAN WORD PROBLEMS

### MENTAL ADDITION

- 1.) Jim went diving off the coast of Cornwall. He saw 10 crabs and 102 shrimps. How many crustaceans did he see altogether?
- 1.) A fisherman caught **125** brown crabs on Tuesday and **50** on Wednesday. What is the **total** number of brown crabs caught?





#### MULTIPLICATION

- 3.) Squat lobsters have **10** legs. In a pod of **8** lobsters, **how many** legs would there be?
- 4.) **5** pregnant shrimp are carrying **25** eggs each, which will hatch into baby shrimp or 'shrimplets'. **How many** shrimplets will there be?

### MIXED & MULTI-STEP

- 5.) On Christmas Island in Australia, millions of crabs migrate to the shore every year. It usually takes **3** weeks, but because of the wet weather they are **4** days late. How many days have they been migrating **altogether**?
- 6.) Lobsters can live for a long time. In a pod there are **4** lobsters, one is **35** years old, and the other **3** lobsters are all **17** years older. What is the **total** age of all **4** lobsters?





# CRUSTACEAN WORD PROBLEMS - ANSWERS

### MENTAL ADDITION

1.) 10 + 102 = 112

Jim saw 112 crustaceans altogether.

1.) 125 + 50 = 175

The fisherman caught 175 brown crabs in total.





## MULTIPLICATION

3.) 10 x 8 = 80

There would be 80 legs in a pod of 8 squat lobsters.

4.)  $5 \times 25 = 125$ 

There would be 125 shrimplets.

### MIXED & MULTI-STEP

The crabs have been migrating for 25 days altogether.

The total age of all 4 lobsters is 191 years.





