

Check Out

It's always a good idea to do a mental check to make sure you are being charged to correct amount at the check out.

Look at the following calculations and use estimation to check whether you are being charged the correct amount.

If not, what mistakes have occurred?

Customer	Costs of items	Total cost at check out
Robin	45p 45p £3.99	£93.99
Tina	£2.50 £1.30 £1.09	£5.70
Len	£10.40 £6.13 29p	£16.82
Sue	$5 \times 79\text{p}$	£4.45
Harry	$10 \times 67\text{p}$ $5 \times 24\text{p}$	£5.75
Doris	$2 \times £1.37$ $4 \times 99\text{p}$	£6.70

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Answers

Robin	Incorrect 45p has been entered as £45
Tina	Incorrect £1.09 has been entered as £1.90
Len	Correct
Sue	Incorrect 79p has been entered as 89p
Harry	Incorrect 10 × 24p and 5 × 67p have been entered.
Doris	Correct