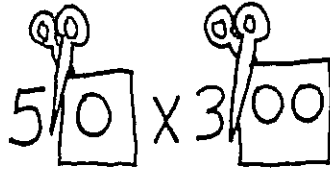




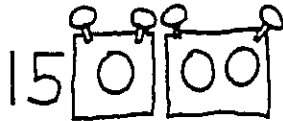
$$50 \times 300$$

You can multiply this quickly in your head.

Just follow these steps:

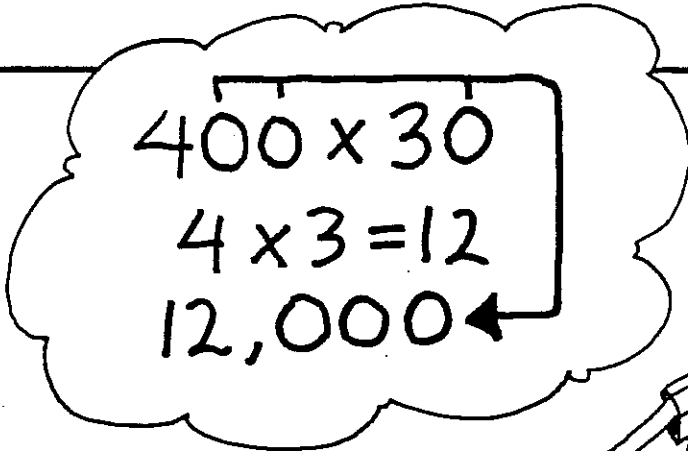


$$5 \times 3 = 15$$



- Cut off the trailing zeros.
- Multiply the remaining numbers.
- Collect ALL the zeros and tack them onto your answer.

Here's how a mental-math pro thinks . . .



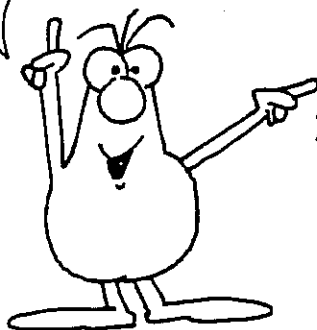
$$400 \times 30$$

$$4 \times 3 = 12$$

$$12,000 \leftarrow$$



TRY THESE IN YOUR HEAD.  
Tack on ALL the trailing zeros.



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|--------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| 1. $20 \times 50$  | 3. $300 \times 300$  | 7. $50 \times 50$   |
| 2. $400 \times 90$ | 4. $80 \times 900$   | 8. $70 \times 3000$ |
|                    | 5. $60 \times 200$   | 9. $60 \times 70$   |
|                    | 6. $7000 \times 500$ | 10. $120 \times 40$ |