Adding Mixed Fractions 1

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Add each fraction problem and **reduce to lowest terms** When adding, remember that the denominator must be common among the two fractions. You may also convert them to improper fractions , add them, and convert the answer back to a mixed fraction

$3\frac{3}{8} + 2\frac{2}{8} = 3 + 2 = 5$ and $\frac{3}{8} + \frac{2}{8} = \frac{5}{8}$ so $5 + \frac{5}{8} = 5\frac{5}{8}$

or $\frac{27}{8} + \frac{18}{8} = \frac{45}{8}$ $8\overline{)45}$ -40 5 $5\frac{5}{8}$

$1\frac{1}{4} + 5\frac{5}{4} =$

$4\frac{3}{8} + 7\frac{2}{8} =$

$2\frac{5}{12} + 1\frac{9}{12} =$

$9\frac{3}{5} + 2\frac{3}{5} =$

$5\frac{4}{15} + 6\frac{8}{15} =$

$7\frac{1}{4} + 4\frac{3}{4} =$

$3\frac{7}{16} + 11\frac{3}{16} =$

$1\frac{1}{12} + 8\frac{6}{12} =$