



Chapel Hill Math Circle

Beginners' Group

Cryptarithms¹
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Each statement below is called a cryptarithm. Every different letter represents a unique number from 0 to 9. As usual, natural numbers are not written with a leading zero. For instance, the number twenty-seven will be written 27, and not 027. Solve each of the puzzles below and have some fun!

1. $W + O = OF$

2. $P + P + P = I = G + G$

3. $BA = A \times A \times A$

4. $C + CA = ATT$

5.
$$\begin{array}{r} ME \\ +ME \\ \hline BEE \end{array}$$

¹ Based on Camp Logic, by Mark Saul and Sian Zelbo.

6. $HH + HH = OOT$

7.
$$\begin{array}{r} GO \\ + ON \\ \hline ONO \end{array}$$

8. $A + A + A + A + A + A + A + A + A + P = E$

9.
$$\begin{array}{r} AA \\ + A \\ \hline ELK \end{array}$$

10.
$$\begin{array}{r} UKK \\ KK \\ + K \\ \hline AUK \end{array}$$