## **Scientific Notation**

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Simplify and express in scientific notation:

## Example 1

$$(6.2 \times 10^{-2}) + (5.2 \times 10^{-4})$$

= 
$$(6.2 \times 10^{-4}) \times 10^2 + (5.2 \times 10^{-4})$$

$$= (620 \times 10^{-4}) + (5.2 \times 10^{-4})$$

- $= 625.2 \times 10^{-4}$
- $= 6.252 \times 10^{-2}$

## Example 2

$$(8.45 \times 10^5) - (3.6 \times 10^3)$$

= 
$$(8.45 \times 10^3) \times 10^2 - (3.6 \times 10^3)$$

$$= (845 \times 10^3) - (3.6 \times 10^3)$$

- $= 841.4 \times 10^{3}$
- $= 8.414 \times 10^{5}$

Simplify each problem and express the answer in scientific notation.

1) 
$$(7.18 \times 10^{-7}) +$$

## **PREVIEW**

 $3 \times 10^{2}$ )

3)  $(5.42 \times 10^2) - (2 \text{ collection})$ 

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5)  $(7.14 \times 10^4) + ($ 

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 $(3.2 \times 10^{-7})$ 

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7) 
$$(4.8 \times 10^3) - (1.9 \times 10^{-1})$$

8) 
$$(5.62 \times 10^8) + (6.7 \times 10^5)$$