

# **Problem-Solving Decision: Choose the Operation**

**Jasmine enjoys collecting stuffed animals. She has them displayed on shelves in her room. Suppose Jasmine has 16 teddy bears and 14 other animals.**

1. What is the total number of stuffed animals in Jasmine's collection? Which operation did you use to find the answer? Explain your choice.

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2. If Jasmine has the stuffed animals displayed on 6 shelves, how many stuffed animals are on each shelf? Which operation did you use to find the answer? Explain your choice.

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3. Jasmine wants to make hats for all the animals on one shelf. If she needs 12 inches of material for each hat how much material will she need? Explain which operation you used and why.

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