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ANSWER KEY

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$$\begin{array}{r} \overset{1}{3}41 \\ + 129 \\ \hline 470 \end{array}$$

Explain the error. The person who solved this problem carried (regrouped) in the hundreds place when they were not supposed to. $4+2+1=7$. They did not need to place a 1 over the hundreds place.