## Percentage

## Concept to discuss

- 1. Conversion of percentage to fraction and vice versa
- 2. X % of Y = Y% of X
- 3. Percentage change
- 4. Percentage Increase and decrease concept
- 5. Successive increase and decrease
- 6. Consumption and Expenditure
- 7. Examination , election and population

**Percentage:** Per means divided and cent means 100.

To convert any value on the base of hundred.

**Conversion of percentage to fraction**: To convert percentage to fraction, divide that percent value by 100.

E.G. 
$$50\% = 50/100 = \frac{1}{2}$$
  
 $25\% = 25/100 = \frac{1}{4}$ 

**Conversion of fraction to percentage**: To convert fraction to percentage multiply the fraction by 100.

For e.g. 
$$3/8 = (3/8)*100 = 37.5 \%$$

$\frac{1}{2} = 50\%$			
$\frac{1}{3} = 33  \frac{1}{3} \%$	$\frac{2}{3} = 66  \frac{2}{3} \%$		
$rac{1}{4}=25\%$	$rac{3}{4}=75\%$		
$rac{1}{5}=20\%$	$rac{2}{5}=40\%$	$\frac{3}{5} = 60\%$	$\frac{4}{5} = 80\%$
$\frac{1}{6} = 16  \frac{2}{3} \%$	$\frac{5}{6} = 83\frac{1}{3}\%$		
$rac{1}{7} = 14 rac{2}{7}\%$	$\frac{2}{7} = 28  \frac{4}{7}\%$	$rac{3}{7} = 42 rac{6}{7}\%$	$rac{4}{7} = 57 rac{1}{7}\%$
		$\frac{5}{7} = 71\frac{3}{7}\%$	$\frac{6}{7} = 85  \frac{5}{7} \%$
$\frac{1}{8} = 12\frac{1}{2}\%$	$\frac{3}{8} = 37\frac{1}{2}\%$	$rac{5}{8} = 62  rac{1}{2} \%$	$\frac{7}{8} = 87  \frac{1}{2} \%$
$\frac{1}{9} = 11\frac{1}{9}\%$	$\frac{2}{9} = 22\frac{2}{9}\%$	$\frac{4}{9} = 44  \frac{4}{9} \%$	$\frac{5}{9} = 55  \frac{5}{9} \%$
		$\frac{7}{9} = 77\frac{7}{9}\%$	$\frac{8}{9} = 88 \frac{8}{9}\%$
$\frac{1}{10} = 10\%$	$\frac{3}{10} = 30\%$	$\frac{7}{10} = 70\%$	$\frac{9}{10} = 90\%$
$\frac{1}{11} = 9 \frac{1}{11}\%$	$\frac{2}{11} = 18  \frac{2}{11} \%$	$\frac{3}{11} = 27  \frac{3}{11} \%$	$\frac{4}{11} = 36  \frac{4}{11} \%$
$\frac{1}{12} = 8 \frac{1}{3}\%$			

Question : Find 55.55 % of 45.

Question: Find 45.45 % of 44

$$X \% \text{ of } Y = Y\% \text{ of } X$$

Question : Find 45% of 133.33

Answer: 
$$45\%$$
 of  $133.33 = 133.33 \%$  of  $45$ 

$$= (100+33.33)\% \text{ of } 45$$

$$= (1+1/3)*45$$

$$= 4/3*45$$

$$= 60$$

## **Percentage Change**

- 40 is what percent of 60?
- 60 is how much percent greater than 40?
- 40 is how much percent lesser than 60?

Question: If A's salary is 20 % more than B, then by how much Percent B's salary is less than A.

- (a)20%
- (b)25%
- (c)16.66%
- (d)30%

Question: If A's marks in an exam is 40 % less than B then by how much % B's marks are more than A.

(a)40 %

(b)60 %

(c)66.66 %

(d)20 %

Question: If 16(2/3) % of a number is added to itself the number becomes 700. Find original number.

(a)400

(b)600

(c)800

(d)700

Question: A student multiplied a number by 3/5 instead of 5/3 What is the percentage error in the calculation?

- (a) 44%
- (b) 64%
- (c) 40%
- (d) 60%

Question: The number was being multiplied by 5/6. By mistake it is divided by 5/6. Find percentage error in result.

- (a) 44%
- (b) 64%
- (c) 40%
- (d) 60%

## Successive Increase and Decrease

Net change = a + b + 
$$\frac{ab}{100}$$

For Increase = Take positive sign

For decrease = Take negative sign

Question: Price of petrol first increased by 20% and then it is decreased by 10%. Find the net change in the price.

- (a)8 % increase
- (b) 2 % decrease
- (c) 10 % increase
- (d) 8 % decrease

Question: Demand of a car went down by 25 % in 2016 and 20 % in 2017. What is net % decrease in demand?

- (a) 45 %
- (b) 40 %
- (c) 50 %
- (d) 60 %

Question: If the length of a rectangle is increased by 20 % and width is decreased by 30% then find the resultant change in area.

- (a) 16 %
- (b) 20 %
- (c) 24 %
- (d) 28 %

Question: A number is first increased by 15% and then decreased by 20%. The number so obtained is 64 less than the original number. What is the original number?

- (a) 600
- (b) 750
- (c) 800
- (d) 860

We know , **Expenditure = Price × Consumption** 

Convert given % into fraction (a/n)

• If Increase 
$$\frac{a}{n}$$
 Decrease  $\frac{a}{n+a}$ 

For this case if 1/5 increase ----- 1/6 decrease

• If Decrease 
$$\frac{a}{n}$$
 Increase  $\frac{a}{n-a}$ 

For this case if 2/5 decrease ----- 2/3 Increase

Question :If the price of petrol is raised by 20% then the percentage by which a car owner must reduce his consumption so that there is no change in expenditure.

- (a) 16.66 %
- (b) 18 %
- (c) 15 %
- (d) 25 %

Question: If the price of sugar is decreased by 12.5% then the percentage by which one household must increase his consumption so that there is no change in expenditure.

- (a) 10 %
- (b) 8 %
- (c) 14.28 %
- (d) 12.5 %

Question :If the price of commodity is decreased by 20% and its consumption increased by 20%, what will be the change in expenditure.

- (a) 4 % increase
- (b) 4 % decrease
- (c) 8 % decrease
- (d) 8 % increase

Question: If the price of sugar is increased by 25% then by how much percent consumption should be reduced so that the expenditure will increase by only 5%

- (a) 25%
- (b) 15%
- (c) 16%
- (d) 20%

Question: If the price of sugar is reduced by 20% due to which a person can buy 2kg more sugar for Rs. 200. Find the original price of sugar per kg.

- (a) Rs. 25 per Kg
- (b) Rs. 20 per Kg
- (c) Rs. 22 per Kg
- (d) Rs. 16 per Kg

Question: The price of sugar is increased by 30% due to this a housewife purchase 12 kg less sugar so that her expenditure will increase by 10% only. Find her original consumption.

- (a) 70 kg
- (b) 80 kg
- (c) 75 kg
- (d) 78 kg

Question: A student scored 140 Marks and still failed by 35 marks. If the passing criteria of that exam is 35%. Then find the maximum marks of that exam.

(a) 500

(b) 600

(c) 1000

(d) 700

Question: A student scored 25 % in an examination and still failed by 30 marks while another candidate scored 50% marks and get 20 marks more than the passing marks. Then find the passing percentage.

(a) 30 %

(b) 40 %

(c) 45 %

(d) 50 %

Question: A student scored 30 % in an examination and still failed by 12 marks while another candidate scored 40% marks and got 28 marks more than the passing marks. Then find the maximum marks in the examination.

(a) 300

(b) 400

(c) 500

(d) 700

Question: In an Exam, 52% candidates failed in English, 42% in mathematics and 17% in both. What was the number of percentage of passed students in both subjects?

- (a) 23
- (b) 77
- (c) 6
- (d) 94

Question: In an Exam, 70% candidates passed in English, 65% in mathematics and 27% failed in both. If 248 candidates was pass in both the subjects, then What was the total number of students?

- (a) 300
- (b) 400
- (c) 500
- (d) 600

Question: The population of a town is 50,000. It increases by 10% in the first year and 12% in the second year. What will be the population after 2 years.

- (a) 55000
- (b) 61600
- (c) 72700
- (d) 84600

Question: The current population of a town is 28,000. During the last 2 years the population increased at the rate of 16% and 20% per year. The population 2 years ago was (approximately)

- (a) 24000
- (b) 22000
- (c) 20000
- (d) 18000

Question: Raju invest 65% of his investment in a machine and 20% of his investment on raw material. If he has Rs. 6000 balance. Find the total money he had.

- (a) 30000
- (b) 40000
- (c) 50000
- (d) 60000

Question: Raju spend 40% of his salary on house rent. On the remaining 10% spend on travel. On remaining 16(2/3) % spend on food and remaining is saved. Find the money he spent on food.

- (a) Rs. 450
- (b) Rs. 400
- (c) Rs. 500
- (d) Rs. 600

Question: In a library 20% of the books are in Hindi, 50% of the remaining in English and 30% of the remaining are in French and rest 6300 books are in regional language. Then find the number of books in library.

- (a) 20000
- (b) 22500
- (c) 35000
- (d) 15000

Question: In an Election between two candidates one got 65% of the votes and won by 300 votes. Find total no. of votes.

- (a) 1200
- (b) 1500
- (c) 1800
- (d) 1000

Question: In a election of 2 candidate the candidate who gets 40% of the total votes rejected by 80 votes. Find total number of votes.

(a) 450

(b) 400

(c) 500

(d) 600

Question: In a election of 2 candidate 12 % of the voters did not cast their votes. The winner by getting 45% of the total votes, defeated his rival by 2000 votes. Find the total number of voters.

- (a) 25000
- (b) 50000
- (c) 80000
- (d) 100000

Question: In an Election, 10% persons didn't cast their votes and 10% found to be invalid. The winner got 54% of valid votes and won by 1620 votes. Find total number of votes?

- (a) 12500
- (b) 17500
- (c) 25000
- (d) 35000

Question: In an election two candidates participated. 20% voters did not cast their votes, out of which 600 votes declared invalid and the winner get 75% of valid votes and wins by 1500 votes. Find the number of total votes.

- (a) 3600
- (b) 3000
- (c) 4000
- (d) 4500

