PERCENTAGE

- 1)Two students appeared at an examination. One of them secured 9 marks more than the other and his marks was 56% of the sum of their marks. The marks obtained by them are:
- A) 39, 30
- B) 41, 32
- C) 42, 33
- D) 43, 34
- 2) A fruit seller had some apples. He sells 40% apples and still has 420 apples. Originally, he had:
- A) 588 apples
- B) 600 apples
- C) 672 apples
- D) 700 apples
- 3) What percentage of numbers from 1 to 70 have 1 or 9 in the unit's digit?
- A) 1
- B) 14
- C) 20
- D) 21

- 4) If A = x% of y and B = y% of x, then which of the following is true?
- A) A is smaller than B.
- B) A is greater than B
- C) Relationship between A and B cannot be determined.
- D) If x is smaller than y, then A is greater than B.
- E) None of these
- 5) If 20% of a = b, then b% of 20 is the same as:
- A) 4% of a
- B) 5% of a
- C) 20% of a
- D) None of these
- 6) In a certain school, 20% of students are below 8 years of age. The number of students above 8 years of age is 2/3 of the number of students of 8 years of age which is 48. What is the total number of students in the school?
- A) 72
- B) 80
- C) 120
- D) 150

- E) 100
- 7) Two numbers A and B are such that the sum of 5% of A and 4% of B is two-third of the sum of 6% of A and 8% of B. Find the ratio of A: B.
- A) 2:3
- B) 1:1
- C) 3 : 4
- D) 4:3
- 8) A student multiplied a number by 3/5 instead of 5/3 What is the percentage error in the calculation?
- A) 34%
- B) 44%
- C) 54%
- D) 64%
- 9) In an election between two candidates, one got 55% of the total valid votes, 20% of the votes were invalid. If the total number of votes was 7500, the number of valid votes that the other candidate got, was:
- A) 2700
- B) 2900
- C) 3000

- D) 3100
- 10) Three candidates contested an election and received 1136, 7636 and 11628 votes respectively. What percentage of the total votes did the winning candidate get?
- A) 57%
- B) 60%
- C) 65%
- D) 90%
- 11) Two tailors X and Y are paid a total of Rs. 550 per week by their employer. If X is paid 120 percent of the sum paid to Y, how much is Y paid per week?
- A) Rs. 200
- B) Rs. 250
- C) Rs. 300
- D) None of these
- 12) Gauri went to the stationers and bought things worth Rs. 25, out of which 30 paise went on sales tax on taxable purchases. If the tax rate was 6%, then what was the cost of the tax free items?
- A) Rs. 15
- B) Rs. 15.70

- C) Rs. 19.70
- D) Rs. 20
- 13) Rajeev buys good worth Rs. 6650. He gets a rebate of 6% on it. After getting the rebate, he pays sales tax @ 10%. Find the amount he will have to pay for the goods.
- A) Rs. 6876.10
- B) Rs. 6999.20
- C) Rs. 6654
- D) Rs. 7000
- 14) The population of a town increased from 1,75,000 to 2,62,500 in a decade. The average percent increase of population per year is:
- A) 4.37%
- B) 5%
- C) 6%
- D) 8.75%