

RATIO AND PROPORTION

Instructions

- Each question has four options (A, B, C, D). Choose the correct answer.

Questions

1. The ratio of incomes of A and B is 3:5, and the ratio of their expenditures is 2:3. If A saves 20% of his income, what percentage of his income does B save?

- A) 28%
- B) 30%
- C) 33.33%
- D) 40%

2. A mixture contains milk and water in the ratio 4:1. If 10 liters of water is added, the ratio becomes 2:1. How much milk is in the mixture?

- A) 20 liters
- B) 25 liters
- C) 30 liters
- D) 40 liters

3. The ratio of the number of boys to girls in a class is 5:3. If 4 boys leave and 2 girls join, the ratio becomes 3:2. How many students were initially in the class?

- A) 124
- B) 132
- C) 140
- D) 112

4. A sum of money is divided among A, B, and C in the ratio 2:3:5. If C's share is Rs. 1500 more than A's share, what is the total sum?

- A) Rs. 3000
- B) Rs. 4500
- C) Rs. 5000

D) Rs. 7500

5. Two alloys contain copper and zinc in the ratios 3:2 and 4:1, respectively. In what ratio should they be mixed to obtain an alloy with a copper-to-zinc ratio of 7:3?

A) 2:3

B) 1:1

C) 4:1

D) 1:4

6. The ratio of speeds of two trains is 5:4. If the faster train covers 360 km in 3 hours, how much time will the slower train take to cover 320 km?

A) 3.33 hours

B) 3.6 hours

C) 4 hours

D) 4.5 hours

7. A, B, and C have amounts in the ratio 4:5:6. If A gives Rs. 200 to B and B gives Rs. 300 to C, the new ratio becomes 3:4:5. What is the initial amount with A?

A) Rs. 2000

B) Rs. 1000

C) Rs. 1200

D) Rs. 1600

Ratio And Proportion :-

1.

Ratio of incomes of A and B = 3:5

Ratio of expenditures of A and B = 2:3

A saves 20% of his income

Let A's income = ₹ 3x

B's income = ₹ 5x

$$A = 20\% \text{ of } 3x = ₹ 0.6x$$

$$\text{Income} - \text{Savings} = ₹ 3x - ₹ 0.6x = ₹ 2.4x$$

$$A:B = 2:3$$

$$B's \text{ expenditure} = \frac{3}{2} \times 2.4x = 3.6x$$

$$B's \text{ saving} = ₹ 5x - ₹ 3.6x = ₹ 1.4x$$

28% B's income saved.

2.

Let milk = $4x$ and water = $x = x$

Total = 5x liters.

now, 10 liters of water is added, so new water = $x+10$

$$\frac{4x}{x+10} = \frac{2}{1}$$

$$\frac{4x}{x+10} = 2 \Rightarrow 4x = 2(x+10)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x = 2x + 20$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 20$$

$$x = 10$$

$$\text{Milk} = 4x = 4 \times 10 = \underline{40 \text{ liters}}$$

3. Let Boys = $5x$
Girls = $3x$

After the change,

Boys = $5x - 4$

Girls = $3x + 2$

$$\frac{5x - 4}{3x + 2} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(5x - 4) = 3(3x + 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 10x - 8 = 9x + 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 10x - 9 = 6 + 8$$

$$x = 14$$

Boys = $5x = 70$

girls = $3x = 42$

Total = $70 + 42 = \boxed{112}$

4.

A's share = $2x$

B's share = $3x$

C's share = $5x$

$$5x - 2x = 1500$$

$$3x = 1500$$

$$x = 500$$

$$\text{Total} = 2x + 3x + 5x = 10x$$

$$10 \times 500$$

$$= \underline{5000}$$

5.

alloy 1 (copper) = $\frac{3}{5} = 0.6$

alloy 2 (copper) = $\frac{4}{5} = 0.8$

Mixture required = $\frac{7}{10} = 0.7$

$$\text{Alloy 1: } (0.8 - 0.7) = 0.1$$

$$\text{Alloy 2: } (0.7 - 0.6) = 0.1$$

$$\text{Alloy 1: Alloy 2} = \underline{1:1}$$

$$6. \quad \text{Time} = \frac{\text{distance}}{\text{Speed}}$$

$$\text{Time} = \frac{320}{26}$$

$$= \frac{10}{3} = \underline{3.33 \text{ hrs}}$$

7.

Let

$$A = 4x$$

$$B = 5x$$

$$C = 6x$$

$$A \text{ gives } 200 \rightarrow A's \text{ new amount} = 4x - 200$$

$$B \text{ receives } 200 \text{ from } A, \text{ gives } 300 \text{ to } C = 5x + 200 - 300 \\ = 5x - 100$$

$$C \text{ receives } 300 = 6x + 300$$

$$(4x - 200) : (5x - 100) : (6x + 300) = 3:4:5$$

$$\frac{4x - 200}{5x - 100} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$4(4x - 200) = 3(5x - 100)$$

$$16x - 800 = 15x - 300$$

$$x = 500$$

$$A = 1800$$

$$B = 2400$$

$$C = 3300$$

$$= 3:4:5$$

$$= \underline{2060}$$