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Percentage profit and loss
1. The length and the breadth of the rectangle are increase by
15% and 20% respectively. What is the percentage increase in the area of rectangle?
a) 38%
b) 42%
c) 46%
d) 50%
answer: a) 38%
2. The length and the breadth of rectangle are increase by 12% and x%
respectively, thereby area of rectangle increase by 40%. What is the value
of x?
a) 25
b) 28
c) 31
d) 34
answer: a) 25
3. A sugar trader declares that he sells sugar at the cost price. However, he
uses a weight of 450g instead of 500g. His percentage profit is:
a) 10%
b) 1
c) 11-%
d) 9

- e) 2
- f) 12-%
- g) 9
- h) 12%

answer: b) 11 \*\*19\frac{1}{9}91%

4. The difference between CP and SP of a table fan is Rs 175 where it gives the profit of 14%. What is SP of that fan (in Rs.)?

1225 b)1450 c)1425 d)1275

answer:c)1425

5. The cost price of 20 articles is the same as the selling price of x articles. If the profit is 25%, then the value of x is:

15 b)16 c)18 d)25

answer: b) 16

6. Marked price of the article is Rs.100. It sold with first discount of 10% and second

discount was half of the previous discount then find the selling price after the two successive discounts.

- a) Rs.87.5
- b) Rs.90
- c) Rs.85.5
- d) Rs.85

answer: Rs.85.5

- 7. An article was sold at a profit of 20%. If both the cost price and selling price decreases by Rs.3000, then the profit would be 25%. Find the original cost price.
- a) Rs. 15000
- b) Rs. 30000
- c) Rs. 45000
- d) Rs. 60000

answer: Rs. 15000

- 8. The loss incurred by selling 16m of a cloth equals the selling price of 4m of that cloth. Find the loss percentage.
- a) 15%
- b) 20%

d) 2	25%
Correc	t answer: 20%
9	A vendor bought toffees at 6 for a rupee. How many for a rupee must he
\$	sell to gain 20%?
a) 3	
b) 4	
c) 5	
Correc	t answer: c) 5

c) 33.33%

d) 6

10.A trader mixes 25% kerosene to his petrol and then he sells the whole mixture at the price of petrol. If the cost price of kerosene be 50% of the cost price of petrol, what is the net profit percent?

1

11-%

9

2

12-%

9

1

9-%

11

20%

Correct final answer:  $14 **27 frac{2}{7}72\%$ 

11.A shopkeeper sells his goods at the same price as what he pays his supplier. But when he buys from his supplier, he takes 10% more than the indicated weight and when he sells to his customers he gives 10% less than the indicated weight. Find his profit

percentage.

2

18-%

11

2

22-%

9

2

20-%

9

Correct answer: b) 22 \*\*29\frac{2}{9}92%