

Practice Book *UNIT 7 Ratio and Proportion*

## Answers

## 7.1 Equivalent Ratios

1. (a) 1 : 3 (b) 1 : 5 (c) 1 : 5 (d) 3 : 1  
 (e) 6 : 1 (f) 6 : 5 (g) 2 : 3 (h) 1 : 4  
 (i) 1 : 5 (j) 4 : 5 (k) 3 : 4 (l) 2 : 7
2. (a) 1 : 2.5 (b) 1 : 0.6 (c) 1 : 3.5 (d) 1 : 8.5  
 (e) 1 : 2.5 (f) 1 : 2.5 (g) 1 : 1.5 (h) 1 : 0.8  
 (i) 1 : 2.4
3. (a) 8 : 1 (b) 0.8 : 1 (c) 0.7 : 1  
 (d) 7.5 : 1 (e) 3.6 : 1 (f) 1.2 : 1
4.  $600 : 900 = 2 : 3$
5. (a) 2 : 5 (b) 1 : 2.5 (c) 0.4 : 1
6. (a) 3 : 8 (b)  $1 : 2.67$  or  $1 : 2\frac{2}{3}$  (c) 0.375 : 1
7. (a) 4 : 85 (b) 1 : 21.25
8. (a) 1 km (b) 4.5 km (c) 15 km
9. 1 cm on map = 2 km. 60 km = 30 cm on map.
10. 1 cm on map = 3 km. Scale = 1 : 300 000

## 7.2 Direct Proportion

1. (a) £48 (b) £72 (c) £160
2. (a) 1000 ml or 1 litre (b) 1400 ml or 1.4 litres
3. (a) £3.28 (b) £9.84 (c) £24.60
4. (a) 1200 grams or 1.2 kg (b) 4200 grams or 4.2 kg  
 (c) 14 400 grams or 14.4 kg
5. (a) 28p (b) 48p (c) £2.00
6. (a) £8.64 (b) 72p per m
7. (a)  $n = 55$  (b) £7.15
8. 48 people
9. 378 people
10. 6570 kg

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## 7.3 Proportional Division

1. (a) £20 : £30 (b) £20 : £80 (c) £44 : £16 (d) 20 kg : 60 kg
2. (a) £30 : £25 : £5 (b) £27 : £36 : £45 (c) 5 kg : 10 kg : 15 kg  
(d) 36 litres : 24 litres : 15 litres
3. £32 : £48
4. 36 ml : 180 ml (acid : water)
5. 15 ml : 25 ml (blue : yellow)
6. £100 : £110 : £90
7. (a) 35 ml : 25 ml : 20 ml (b) 437.5 ml : 312.5 ml : 250 ml
8. (a) 50 ml : 50 ml : 100 ml (b) 75 ml : 75 ml : 50 ml  
(c) 112.5 ml : 50 ml : 37.5 ml
9. £400 : £50 : £350
10. 5 : 15 : 5

## 7.4 Linear Conversion

1. (a) 54 Ff (b) 900 Ff (c) £9 (d) £3.11 (nearest pence)
2. (a) 150 mm (b) 2000 mm (c) 2 inches (d) 40 inches
3. (a) £5 (b) £0.40 (c) 11 shillings (d) 15 shillings
4. (a) 2250 grams (b) 4050 grams (c) 4 lbs (d) 7 lbs (e) 0.6 lb
5. (a) 48 km (b) 33.6 km (c) 50 miles (d) 125 miles
6. (a) £61.35 (b) £153.37 (c) £46.01
7. (a) £5.08 (b) £1.02 (c) £253.81
8. (a) 0.9 lb (b) 0.4 lb (c) 10.7 oz
9. (a) £285.71 (b) £6.38 (c) 3.57 DM
10. (a) 6.8 litres (b) 35.2 pints

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### 7.5 Inverse Proportion

1. (a) 5 hours (b) 6 hours (c) 7.5 hours
2. Time at 50 mph = 8.4 hours (8 hours 24 mins)  
Time at 70 mph = 6 hours (6 hours 0 mins)  
Time saved = 2 hours 24 mins
3. Time at 30 mph = 2 hours (2 hours 0 mins)  
Time at 40 mph = 1.5 hours (1 hour 30 mins)  
Time saved = 30 mins
4. Time on own = 20 mins  
Time with Jennifer = 15 mins  
Time saved = 5 mins
5. (a) 15 mins (b) 10 mins (c) 6 mins
6. (a) 15 mins (b)  $1\frac{1}{2}$  hours (c)  $1\frac{2}{3}$  hours (1 hour 40 mins)
7. Normal speed = 60 mph  
Increased speed = 67.5 mph  
Speed increase = 7.5 mph
8. Speed on Monday = 4 mph. Speed on Tuesday = 3 mph.
9. (a) 0.5 kg (b) 0.1 kg less (0.4 kg each)
10. (a) 4 hours (b)  $13\frac{1}{3}$  hours = 13 hours 20 mins