

## Assignment Percents Problem Set 1 due 01/12/2018 at 11:59pm EST

1. (1 point)

Find the absolute value of the following numbers.

a.  $|5| = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$

b.  $|-5| = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$

c.  $-|5| = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$

d.  $-|-5| = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$

2. (1 point)

Change the following percentages into decimals:

$12\% = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$

$57\% = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$

3. (1 point)

In last season's basketball games, Tracei made 80% in free throws. If she attempted a total of 170 free throws, how many free throws did she make?

**Solution:** Tracei made  $\underline{\hspace{1cm}}$  free throws last season.

4. (1 point) Andrew spent \$16 on gasoline last week.

He will spend 25% more on gasoline this week than he did last week.

How much will Andrew spend on gasoline this week?

- A.  
41B.24
- C.  
20D.64

5. (1 point)

A county has 40200 residents. In the last election, 51% turned out to vote. How many residents voted?

**Solution:** In the last election,  $\underline{\hspace{1cm}}$  residents in the county turned out to vote.

6. (1 point)

A painting is on sale with 20% off. Its original price was \$500.00. What is its price on sale?

**Solution:** The painting sells for  $\underline{\hspace{1cm}}$  on sale.

7. (1 point)

Anthony walked  $\frac{1}{4}$  of a mile in the morning, and then walked  $\frac{1}{5}$  of a mile in the afternoon. How far did Anthony walk altogether?

Anthony walked a total of  $\underline{\hspace{1cm}}$  of a mile.

8. (1 point)

A town has 2400 registered residents. Among them, 37% were Democrats, 39% were Republicans. The rest were Independents. How many registered Independents live in this town?

**Solution:** There are  $\underline{\hspace{1cm}}$  registered Independent residents in this town.

9. (1 point)

Change the following percentages into decimals:

$5\% = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$

$0.5\% = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$

$0.05\% = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$

10. (1 point)

Kimball is paying a dinner bill of \$28.00. Kimball plans to pay 17% in tips. How much tip will Kimball pay?

**Solution:** Kimball will pay  $\underline{\hspace{1cm}}$  in tip.

11. (1 point)

Chris is paying a dinner bill of \$33.00. Chris plans to pay 18% in tips. How much in total (including bill and tip) will Chris pay?

**Solution:** Chris will pay  $\underline{\hspace{1cm}}$  in total (including bill and tip).

12. (1 point)

Evaluate these expressions:

a.  $5 + 4 - 5 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$

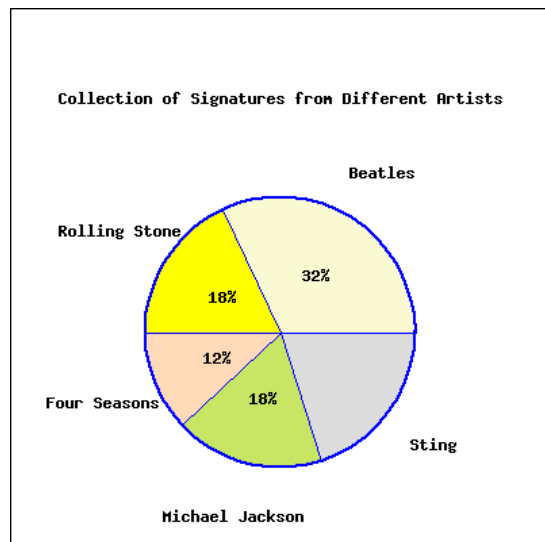
b.  $5 - 4 + 5 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$

13. (1 point)

A watch's wholesale price was \$220.00. The retailer marked up the price by 35%. What's the watch's new price (markup price)?

The watch's markup price is \_\_\_\_.

14. (1 point)



The pie chart represents a collector's collection of signatures from various artists. Answer the following question.

If the collector has a total of 550 signatures, there are \_\_\_\_ signatures by Sting.

15. (1 point)

Dennis invested \$41,600.00 in a mutual fund, and earned 0.58% of interest. How much interest did Dennis earn?

**Solution:** Dennis earned \_\_\_\_ of interest.

16. (1 point)

Evaluate this expression:

$$9 - 3(-3)2 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

17. (1 point)

Evaluate the following expressions which involve the absolute value:

1.  $-|4 - 9| = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

2.  $|-4 - 9| = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

3.  $-4|9 - 4| = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

18. (1 point)

Rita sells cars for a living. Each month, she earns \$1,600.00 of base pay, plus 8.3% of commission from her sales.

One month, Rita made \$48,500.00 in sales. How much income did she earn in total in that month?

**Solution:** Rita earned \_\_\_\_ in total in that month.

19. (1 point) Express each decimal as a percent.

$$0.7 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}0.02 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}0.032 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}3.79 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}7.07 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}0.766 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}0.009 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}9.9 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$$

20. (1 point)

A few years back, a car was purchased for \$20,400. Today it is worth  $\frac{1}{6}$  of its original value. What is the car's current value?

The car's current value is \_\_\_\_.

21. (1 point)

Evaluate this expression:

$$5 - 3[9 - (1 + 4 \cdot 2)] = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$