



Percentage Increase/Decrease

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1 Increase 150 by 10%

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$$10\% = 15$$

$$150 + 15 = 165$$

165

(Total for Question 1 is 2 marks)

2 Decrease 4000 by 1%

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$$1\% = 40$$

$$4000 - 40 = 3960$$

3960

(Total for Question 2 is 2 marks)

3 Increase 66 by 50%

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$$50\% = 33$$

$$66 + 33 = 99$$

99

(Total for Question 3 is 2 marks)



4 Decrease 420 by 20%



$$\begin{array}{l}
 \times 2 \quad \downarrow \quad 10\% = 42 \quad \downarrow \quad \times 2 \\
 \quad \quad \quad 20\% = 84
 \end{array}$$

$$420 - 84 = 336$$

336

(Total for Question 4 is 3 marks)

5 Increase 80 by 15%



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$$\begin{array}{r}
 10\% = 8 \\
 5\% = 4 \\
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 15\% = 12
 \end{array}$$

$$80 + 12 = 92$$

92

(Total for Question 5 is 3 marks)

6 Decrease 250 by 30%



$$\begin{array}{l}
 \times 3 \quad \downarrow \quad 10\% = 25 \quad \downarrow \quad \times 3 \\
 \quad \quad \quad 30\% = 75
 \end{array}$$

$$250 - 75 = 175$$

175

(Total for Question 6 is 3 marks)





7 Increase 3650 by 2%

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$$\begin{aligned}100 + 2 &= 102 \\102 \div 100 &= 1.02 \\3650 \times 1.02 &\end{aligned}$$

3723

(Total for Question 7 is 2 marks)

8 Decrease 77 by 12%

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$$\begin{aligned}100 - 12 &= 88 \\88 \div 100 &= 0.88 \\77 \times 0.88 &= 67.76\end{aligned}$$

67.76

(Total for Question 8 is 2 marks)

9 Increase 97150 by 27%

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$$\begin{aligned}100 + 27 &= 127 \\127 \div 100 &= 1.27 \\97150 \times 1.27 &= 123380.5\end{aligned}$$

123380.5

(Total for Question 9 is 2 marks)





- 10 In 2024 the population of a small town is 18200
Between 2024 and 2025 the population increased by 4%

Work out the population of the town in 2025.

$$18200 \times 1.04$$

18928

(Total for Question 10 is 2 marks)

- 11 The normal price of a laptop is £460
The laptop is in a sale for 15% off.

Work out the price of the laptop in the sale.

$$460 \times 0.85$$

391

£

(Total for Question 11 is 2 marks)

- 12 Ricky is paid £12.00 per hour.
He receives a 2.5% pay rise.

Work out Ricky's new hourly pay with the pay rise.

$$12 \times 1.025$$

12.30

£

(Total for Question 12 is 2 marks)



- 13 The bill at a restaurant is £82.00
There is an additional charge of 2% if paying by credit card.

Work out the total bill if paying by credit card.

$$82 \times 1.02$$

$$\text{£ } 83.64$$

(Total for Question 13 is 2 marks)

- 14 A regular box of cereal contains 120 grams.
A large box of cereal contains 30% extra.

Kelly buys 3 large boxes of cereal and 2 regular boxes.
Work out the total mass of all the boxes of cereal that Kelly buys.

$$120 \times 1.3 = 156$$

$$3 \times 156 = 468$$

$$2 \times 120 = 240$$

$$468 + 240 = 708$$

$$708$$

..... grams

(Total for Question 14 is 4 marks)





15 The prices for tickets to a theme park are shown below.

Adult ticket: £40

Child ticket: £25

Mr Woods buys 2 adult ticket and 3 child tickets.

He has a voucher that gives him 25% off.

Work out the total cost of the tickets when using the voucher.

$$\begin{aligned}40 \times 2 &= 80 \\25 \times 3 &= 75 \\80 + 75 &= 155\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}155 \times 0.75 \\&= 116.25\end{aligned}$$

£ 116.25

(Total for Question 15 is 4 marks)

16 Luke receives 25% extra time for his exams.

One of Luke's exams lasts for 2 hours without the extra time.

Work out how long this exam is with the extra time.

Give your answer in hours and minutes.

$$\begin{aligned}2 \times 60 &= 120 \text{ minutes} \\120 \times 1.25 &= 150 \text{ minutes}\end{aligned}$$

2 hours 30 minutes

(Total for Question 16 is 3 marks)



- 17 On Monday the daytime temperature was 15.0°C
On Tuesday the daytime temperature was 2% higher than on Monday.

Rayna works out the daytime temperature on Tuesday with the following method

$$15 \times 1.2 = 18^{\circ}\text{C}$$

Explain the mistake that Rayna has made.

1.2 increases by 20% rather than 2%. It should be $\times 1.02$

(Total for Question 17 is 1 mark)

- 18 Jessie and James both train for long jump.

Compare to last year

Jessie increased her personal best jump by 12%

James increased his personal best jump by 10%

Who increased their personal best jump by a greater distance?

Tick **one** box

☐

Jessie

☐

James

☒

Not possible to tell

Give a reason for your answer.

We do not know their original personal bests.

(Total for Question 18 is 2 marks)

