

# Computation

## Question Bank

1. **Without** using a calculator, find the value of :

(a)  $2 \times 7 + 10 \div 2 - 1$  (b)  $-3 (-44 - -16) + 20$  (c)  $36 \div 0.3^2$  (d)  $-3(14 - 7)^2 - 21$

2. **Without** using a calculator , simplify the following:

(a)  $\frac{1}{3} \div 1\frac{1}{4}$  (b)  $3\frac{5}{9} + (\frac{1}{6} - \frac{3}{4} \div 4\frac{1}{2})$  (c)  $\frac{3\frac{1}{7} - \frac{2}{3}}{2\frac{6}{7}}$  (d)  $\frac{\frac{2}{3} + 1\frac{2}{7}}{3 - 2\frac{2}{7}}$

3. **Without** using a calculator, calculate:

(a)(i)  $2.55 \times 6.3 - \frac{7.5}{1.25}$  exactly (ii) give answer to 2 d.p.

(b) (i)  $\frac{26.32 + 38.8}{13.16 - 11.56}$  exactly (ii) write your answer in standard form

(c)  $\frac{10.02 \times 0.14}{0.7 \times 50.1}$  exactly (ii) write your answer in standard form

(d)(i)  $0.05181 \div 3.14$  exactly (ii) to 2 d.p., to 3 sig fig, in standard form

4. Write the following fraction in order of increasing size:  $\frac{9}{11}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{13}{22}, \frac{27}{44}$

5. Complete a table by writing the Fraction, Decimal and Percentage equivalent of the following numbers:  $\frac{7}{25}, \frac{5}{11}, 0.47, 1.16, 78\%, 250\%$

6. Express the following pairs of quantities as a ratio in its simplest form:

(i) 7 hours, 1 day (ii) 7m, 250cm (iii) 1.6g, 8mg (iv)  $15\text{km}^2, 300\text{m}^2$  (v)  $2400\text{cm}^3, 0.0048\text{m}^3$

7. Last year Danya's monthly allowance was \$15,000. This year her father has increased it by  $22\frac{1}{2}\%$ . What is her new monthly allowance?

8. Just before announcing a sale the store owner increased the price of shoes by 20 % and then gave a 20% discount (decreased the price by 20%). What is the sales price of a shoe that has a marked price of \$3200?

9. A sum of money is divided into three parts between Antonio, Bob and Christopher in the ratio 2:3:5. The largest share amounts to \$4500. Calculate

(i) the total sum of money to be shared (ii) Bob's share (ii) Antonio's amount expressed as a percentage of the total

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## Question Bank- CONVERTING UNITS & RATIO QUESTION BANK

**Note:**

$t = \text{tonne}$  ( $1t = 1000\text{kg}$ )  
 $\text{cc} = \text{cm}^3$  ( $1000\text{cm}^3 = 1\text{litre}$ )  
 $\text{m.p.h} = \text{miles per hour}$  ( $1\text{km} = 5/8 \text{ mile}$ )

### Exercise 1

Convert the following to the same units and use a ratio to compare them (remember to simplify the ratio):

- 1 m 10 cm; 57 cm
  - 100 mm; 1 cm
  - 1.3 cm; 18 mm
  - 5; three dozen
  - 1.2 kg; 311 g
  - 5 min; 49 s
  - 350 ml; 1.1 litres
  - 5 cm; 1 km
- 1 hour; 13 min
  - 1 week; 4 days
  - 0.8 cm; 15 mm
  - 903 kg; 1 t
  - 1.4 t; 977 kg
  - 40 cents; \$4.20
  - 500 cc; 3 litres
  - 36,000mm<sup>3</sup>; 1.2l
- 350; 210
  - 91; 18.2
  - $\frac{1}{4}$ ;  $\frac{3}{4}$
  - $2\frac{3}{4}$ ;  $1\frac{5}{8}$
  - 10cm<sup>2</sup>; 0.5m<sup>2</sup>
  - 12m<sup>2</sup>; 1800 mm<sup>2</sup>
  - 2200 cm<sup>3</sup>; 4m<sup>3</sup>
  - 0.003 m<sup>3</sup>; 6900 mm<sup>3</sup>
- 160 km/h; 350 m.p.h
  - 30 metres/sec; 60 km/hr
  - 75 m.p.h; 80 km/h
  - 180 km/hr; 60 metres/sec

### Exercise 2

- A. Divide each of the following in the given ratio.
- \$ 250, 2 : 3
  - 15 m, 7 : 3
  - 5 litres, 2 : 2 : 1
  - 30 kg, 1 : 1.5 : 2.5
- B. In each of the following, change the amount in the given ratio.
- \$ 3224, 5 : 8
  - 12 h, 4 : 3
  - 4 litres, 3 : 2
  - 900 cm, 2 : 5
- C.
- Cement, sand and gravel are mixed to make concrete. The ratio used is cement : sand : gravel = 2 : 3 : 1.
    - Find the mass of each material in 33 kg of cement. The ratio of the mixture is changed. The sand is decreased in the ratio 2 : 3, and the gravel is increased in the ratio 3 : 2.
    - Find the ratio of the materials in the new mixture.
  - The profits of a business are divided so that J's share : K's share = 5 : 3.
    - J received \$ 2000, find K's share.
    - Find the total amount of the profits. K's share was changed in the ratio 10 : 9. Calculate
    - the new ratio of J's share : K's share
    - the amount each receives if the profits do not change.

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## Exercise 3

- An estate valued at \$75 000 is divided among three daughters, Natasha, Natalie and Nadia in the ratio 5:8:2 respectively. Calculate the amount each receives.
- A sum of money was to be shared among three friends, Albert, Michael and Moses, in the ratio 3:5:6. If Michael received \$196 more than Albert, find the sum of money shared.
- An estate valued at \$45 000 is divided among three daughters, Anu, Betty and Chandra in the ratio 7:10:13 respectively. Calculate the amount each received.
- A piece of string of length 85 cm, is divided into three pieces in the ratio 2:3:5. Calculate the length of the
  - shortest piece
  - longest piece.
- An alloy consists of steel, gold and brass in the ratio 5:3:7. Determine the amount of each metal in 150 g of the alloy.
- A sum of money was to be shared among three friends, Ann, Beryl and Candy, in the ratio 2:5:8. If Beryl received \$225 more than Ann, evaluate the sum of money shared.
- An estate valued at \$60 000 is divided among three sons, Albert, Brian and Charles in the ratio 1:2:3 respectively. Calculate the amount each receives.
- A sum of money is divided among three girls, Anna, Barbara and Christy in the ratio 5:3:2. If Barbara received \$400 less than Anna, calculate the amount of money each girl received.
- Share the contents of a box containing 60 chocolates amongst Ann, Marie and James in the ratio 3:4:5. How many chocolates will each get?
- A sum of money is to be divided among A, B and C in the ratio 2:3:5. The smallest share amounts to \$600.  
Calculate:
  - the total sum of money to be shared
  - C's share
  - the percentage of the total amount that B receives.
- A piece of ribbon of length 84 cm is divided into three pieces in the ratio 1:4:7. Calculate the length of the longest piece.
- The sum of \$4 500 is divided among Anesha, Sian and Joanne. Sian received half, Anesha received \$1 050 and Joanne received the remainder.  
Calculate:
  - Sian's share
  - Joanne's share
  - the ratio in which the \$4 500 was divided among the three persons
  - the percentage of the total amount that Anesha received.
- A sum of money is to be divided among three brothers A, B and C in the ratio 2:3:5. The largest share amounts to \$1 500.  
Calculate:
  - the total sum of money to be shared
  - B's share
  - the percentage of the total amount that A receives.
- The sum of money of \$3 500 is divided among Adrian, Sean and James. Sean received half, Adrian received \$850 and James received the remainder.  
Calculate:
  - Sean's share
  - James' share
  - the ratio in which the \$3 500 was divided among the three persons
  - the percentage of the total amount that Adrian received.
- A sum of money is to be divided among Albert, Brian and Chrissy in the ratio 3:5:7. Chrissy's share amounts to \$3 500.  
Calculate:
  - the total sum of money to be shared
  - Brian's share
  - the percentage of the total amount that Albert receives.
- A sum of money was to be shared among three persons A, B and C in the ratio 3:2:5. If C received \$420 more than B, determine the sum of money shared.
- An alloy consists of steel, silver and copper in the ratio 6:5:9. If the smallest mass is 160 g, calculate the mass of the copper in the alloy.