Numbers

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- 1 A school has 220 boys and 280 girls.
 - (a) Find the ratio of boys to girls, in its simplest form.

Answer(a) [1] (b) The ratio of students to teachers is 10 : 1. Find the number of teachers. Answer(b) [2] (c) There are 21 students on the school's committee. The ratio of boys to girls is 3 : 4. Find the number of girls on the committee. Answer(c) [2] (d) The committee organises a disco and sells tickets. 35% of the school's students each buy a ticket. Each ticket costs \$1.60. Calculate the total amount received from selling the tickets. Answer(d) \$ [3] (e) The cost of running the disco is \$264. This is an increase of 10% on the cost of running last year's disco. Calculate the cost of running last year's disco. WWW. LO Answer(e) \$ [2]

- 1 Alberto and Maria share \$240 in the ratio 3 : 5.
 - (a) Show that Alberto receives \$90 and Maria receives \$150.

Answer(a)

[1]

(b) (i) Alberto invests his \$90 for 2 years at r % per year simple interest. At the end of 2 years the amount of money he has is \$99. Calculate the value of r.

Answer(b)(i) r =[2]

(ii) The \$99 is 60% of the cost of a holiday. Calculate the cost of the holiday.

Answer(b)(ii) \$ [2]

(c) Maria invests her \$150 for 2 years at 4% per year **compound** interest. Calculate the exact amount Maria has at the end of 2 years.

Answer(c) \$ [2]

- (d) Maria continues to invest her money at 4% per year **compound** interest. After 20 years she has \$328.67.
 - (i) Calculate exactly how much more this is than \$150 invested for 20 years at 4% per year simple interest.

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Answer(d)(i) \$ [3]

(ii) Calculate \$328.67 as a percentage of \$150.

Answer(d)(ii) % [2]

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- 1 Daniella is 8 years old and Edward is 12 years old.
 - (a) Their parents give them some money in the ratio of their ages.

	(i)	Write the ratio	Daniella's age : Edward's	age	in its simplest form.	
			Ai	<i>swer(a)</i> (i)	: :	[1]
	(ii)	Daniella receives \$30 Show that Edward rec				
		Answer(a)(ii)				
						[1]
	(iii)	What percentage of th	e total amount of money g	iven by their	parents does Edward recei	ive?
				Answer(a)	(iii) %	[2]
(b)	Cal	iella invests her \$30 at culate the amount Dani e your answer correct t		nterest.		
				Answer(b)	\$	[3]
(c)	He i Afte	er 5 years he has a total	rate of r % per year, simple amount of \$32.25.		m	

Answer(c) r = [2]

4) November 2010 V1

- 1 (a) In 2008 the total number of tickets sold for an athletics meeting was 3136. The ratio child tickets sold : adult tickets sold = 17 : 32.
 - (i) How many child tickets were sold?

(ii) Child tickets cost \$2 each and adult tickets cost \$4.50 each.

Show that the total amount received from the sale of the tickets in 2008 was \$11392.

Answer(a)(ii)

(b) In 2009 the amount received from the sale of tickets for the athletics meeting was \$12748. Calculate the percentage increase in the amount received from 2008 to 2009.

Answer(b) % [3]

Answer(a)(i)

(c) In 2008 the amount of \$11392 was 28% more than the amount received in 2007.

Calculate how much was received in 2007.

Answer(c) \$

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5) November 2010 V2

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- (a) Hansi and Megan go on holiday. The costs of their holidays are in the ratio Hansi : Megan = 7 : 4. Hansi's holiday costs \$756. Find the cost of Megan's holiday.
 - *Answer(a)* \$ [2]
 - (b) In 2008, Hansi earned \$7800.

(i) He earned 15% more in 2009. Calculate how much he earned in 2009.

Answer(b)(i) \$ [2]

(ii) In 2010, he earns 10% more than in 2009.Calculate the percentage increase in his earnings from 2008 to 2010.

Answer(b)(ii) % [3]

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(c) Megan earned \$9720 in 2009. This was 20% more than she earned in 2008. How much did she earn in 2008?

(d) Hansi invested \$500 at a rate of 4% per year **compound** interest. Calculate the final amount he had after three years.

Answer(d) \$ [3]

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Answer(c) \$

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[3]

6) November 2010 V3

1 Thomas, Ursula and Vanessa share \$200 in the ratio

Thomas : Ursula : Vanessa = 3 : 2 : 5.

(a) Show that Thomas receives \$60 and Ursula receives \$40.

Answer(a)

(b) Thomas buys a book for \$21.What percentage of his \$60 does Thomas have left?

Answer(b)

(c) Ursula buys a computer game for \$36.80 in a sale. The sale price is 20% less than the original price. Calculate the original price of the computer game.

Answer(c) \$

(d) Vanessa buys some books and some pencils.
Each book costs \$12 more than each pencil.
The total cost of 5 books and 2 pencils is \$64.20.
Find the cost of one pencil.

Answer(d) \$

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% [2]

[2]

[3]

[3]

- A school has a sponsored swim in summer and a sponsored walk in winter. In 2010, the school raised a total of \$1380. The ratio of the money raised in summer winter = 62:53.
 - (a) (i) Show clearly that \$744 was raised by the swim in summer.

Answer (a)(i)

[1]

(ii) Alesha's swim raised \$54.10. Write this as a percentage of \$744.

Answer(a)(ii) %[1]

(iii) Bryan's swim raised \$31.50.He received 75 cents for each length of the pool which he swam.

Calculate the number of lengths Bryan swam.

Answer(a)(iii) [2]

(c) The total amount, \$1380, raised in 2010 was 8% less than the total amount raised in 2009.Calculate the total amount raised in 2009.

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Answer(c) \$ [3]

1 (a) Work out the following.

(i)
$$\frac{1}{0.2^2}$$

- (ii) $\sqrt{5.1^2 + 4 \times 7.3^2}$ (iii) $25^{\frac{1}{2}} \times 1000^{-\frac{2}{3}}$ Answer(a)(ii) [1] Answer(a)(iii) [2]
- (b) Mia invests \$7500 at 3.5% per year **simple** interest. Calculate the total amount she has after 5 years.

Answer(b) \$ [3]

(c) Written as the product of prime factors $48 = 2^4 \times 3$.

(i) Write 60 as the product of prime factors.

Answer(c)(i) [2]

(ii) Work out the highest common factor (HCF) of 48 and 60.

(iii) Work out the lowest common multiple (LCM) of 48 and 60.

Answer(c)(iii) [2]

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- 1 Lucy works in a clothes shop.
 - (a) In one week she earned \$277.20.
 - (i) She spent $\frac{1}{2}$ of this on food.

Calculate how much she spent on food.

Answer(a)(i) \$ [1]

(ii) She paid 15% of the \$277.20 in taxes. Calculate how much she paid in taxes.

Answer(a)(ii) \$

(iii) The \$277.20 was 5% more than Lucy earned in the previous week. Calculate how much Lucy earned in the previous week.

Answer(a)(iii) \$ [3]

(b) The shop sells clothes for men, women and children.

(i) In one day Lucy sold clothes with a total value of \$2200 in the ratio

men : women : children = 2:5:4.

Calculate the value of the women's clothes she sold.

[2]

(ii) The \$2200 was $\frac{44}{73}$ of the total value of the clothes sold in the shop on this day. Calculate the total value of the clothes sold in the shop on this day.

Answer(b)(ii) \$ [2]

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10) November 2011 V1

- 1 (a) Abdullah and Jasmine bought a car for \$9000.Abdullah paid 45% of the \$9000 and Jasmine paid the rest.
 - (i) How much did Jasmine pay towards the cost of the car?
 - Answer(a)(i) [2]
 - (ii) Write down the ratio of the payments Abdullah: Jasmine in its simplest form.
 - *Answer(a)*(ii) [1]
 - (b) Last year it cost \$2256 to run the car.Abdullah, Jasmine and their son Henri share this cost in the ratio 8:3:1.Calculate the amount each paid to run the car.

	Answer(b) Abdullah \$		
	Jasmine \$		
	Henri \$		3
(c) (i)	A new truck costs \$15000 and loses 23% of its value each y. Calculate the value of the truck after three years.	ear.	

Answer(c)(i) \$ [3]

(ii) Calculate the overall percentage loss of the truck's value after three years.

Answer(c)(ii) %[3]

- 9 (a) $72 = 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3$ written as a product of prime factors.
 - (i) Write the number 126 as a product of prime factors.

 $Answer(a)(i) \ 126 =$ [2]

(ii) Find the value of the highest common factor of 72 and 126.

Answer(a)(ii) [1]

(iii) Find the value of the lowest common multiple of 72 and 126.

Answer(a)(iii) [2]

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(b) John wants to estimate the value of π .

He measures the circumference of a circular pizza as 105 cm and its diameter as 34 cm, both correct to the nearest centimetre.

Calculate the lower bound of his estimate of the value of π . Give your answer correct to 3 decimal places.

Answer(b) [4]

(c) The volume of a cylindrical can is 550 cm^3 , correct to the nearest 10 cm^3 . The height of the can is 12 cm correct to the nearest centimetre.

Calculate the upper bound of the radius of the can. Give your answer correct to 3 decimal places.

Answer(c) cm [5]

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12) November 2011 V2

- 1 Children go to camp on holiday.
 - (a) Fatima buys bananas and apples for the camp.
 - (i) Bananas cost \$0.85 per kilogram.

Fatima buys 20kg of bananas and receives a discount of 14%.

How much does she spend on bananas?

Answer(a)(i) \$ [3]

(ii) Fatima spends \$16.40 on apples after a discount of 18%.

Calculate the original price of the apples.

Answer(a)(ii) \$ [3]

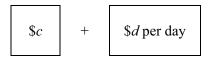
(iii) The ratio number of bananas: number of apples = 4:5.

There are 108 bananas.

Calculate the number of apples.

Answer(a)(iii) [2]

(b) The cost to hire a tent consists of two parts.



The total cost for 4 days is \$27.10 and for 7 days is \$34.30.

Write down two equations in c and d and solve them.

d = [4]

Answer(b) c=

(c) The children travel 270 km to the camp, leaving at 07 43 and arriving at 1513.

Calculate their average speed in km/h.

Answer(c) km/h [3]

(d) Two years ago \$540 was put in a savings account to pay for the holiday.

The account paid **compound** interest at a rate of 6% per year. How much is in the account now?

Answer(d) \$ [2]

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- 1 Anna, Bobby and Carl receive a sum of money. They share it in the ratio 12:7:8. Anna receives \$504.
 - (a) Calculate the **total** amount.

Answer(a) \$ [3]

(b) (i) Anna uses 7% of her \$504 to pay a bill. Calculate how much she has left.

Answer(b)(i) \$ [3]

(ii) She buys a coat in a sale for \$64.68. This was 23% less than the original price. Calculate the original price of the coat.

Answer(b)(ii) \$

 (c) Bobby uses \$250 of his share to open a bank account. This account pays compound interest at a rate of 1.6% per year. Calculate the amount in the bank account after 3 years. Give your answer correct to 2 decimal places.

> MMM. Q8 Maths. comAnswer(c) \$ [3]

(d) Carl buys a computer for \$288 and sells it for \$324. Calculate his percentage profit.

Answer(d) % [3]

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2 (a) In a sale, Jen buys a laptop for \$351.55. This price is 21% less than the price before the sale.

Calculate the price before the sale.

Answer(a) \$ [3]

(b) Alex invests \$4000 at a rate of 8% per year simple interest for 2 years. Bob invests \$4000 at a rate of 7.5% per year compound interest for 2 years.

Who receives more interest and by how much?

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Answer(b) _____ receives \$ _____ more interest. [6]

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(a) In Portugal, Miguel buys a book about planets. The book costs €34.95. In England the same book costs £27.50. The exchange rate is £1 = €1.17.

Calculate the difference in pounds (£) between the cost of the book in Portugal and England.

Answer(a) £ [2]

(b) In the book, the distance between two planets is given as 4.07×10^{12} kilometres. The speed of light is 1.1×10^9 kilometres per hour.

Calculate the time taken for light to travel from one of these planets to the other. Give your answer in days and hours.

Answer(b) days hours [3]

(c) In one of the pictures in the book, a rectangle is drawn. The rectangle has length 9.3 cm and width 5.6 cm, both correct to one decimal place.

(i) What is the lower bound for the length?

Answer(c)(i) cm [1]

(ii) Work out the lower and upper bounds for the area of the rectangle.

Answer(c)(ii) Lower bound = cm^2

Upper bound = cm^2 [2]

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- 1 A train travels from Paris to Milan.
 - (a) The train departs from Paris at 2028 and the journey takes 9 hours 10 minutes.
 - (i) Find the time the train arrives in Milan.

 Answer(a)(i)
 [1]

 (ii) The distance between Paris and Milan is 850 km.
 Calculate the average speed of the train.

 Calculate the average speed of the train.
 Answer(a)(ii)

 (b) The total number of passengers on the train is 640.
 km/h [2]

 (b) The total number of passengers on the train is 640.
 (i) 160 passengers have tickets which cost \$255 each. 330 passengers have tickets which cost \$190 each. 150 passengers have tickets which cost \$180 each.

 Calculate the mean cost of a ticket.

Answer(b)(i) \$ [3]

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(ii) There are men, women and children on the train in the ratio

men: women: children = 4:3:1.

Show that the number of women on the train is 240.

Answer(b)(ii)

(iii) 240 is an increase of 60% on the number of women on the train the previous day.

Calculate the number of women on the train the previous day.

Answer(b)(iii) [3]

(c) The length of the train is 210 m. It passes through a station of length 340 m, at a speed of 180 km/h.

Calculate the number of seconds the train takes to pass completely through the station.

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Answer(c) s [3]

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17) November 2012 V1

9 Distances from the Sun can be measured in astronomical units, AU. Earth is a distance of 1 AU from the Sun. One AU is approximately 1.496×10^8 km.

The table shows distances from the Sun.

	Name	Distance from the Sun in AU	Distance from the Sun in kilometres				
	Earth		1.496×10^{8}				
	Mercury	0.387					
	Jupiter		7.79×10^{8}				
	Pluto		5.91×10^{9}				
(a)	Complete the ta	ble.		[3]			
(b)	Light travels at	approximately 300 000 kilometre	s per second.				
		ng does it take light to travel from the Sun to Earth? our answer in seconds.					
			Answer(b)(i)	s [2]			
		does it take light to travel from the answer in minutes.	e Sun to Pluto?				
			Answer(b)(ii) mi	n [2]			
(c)	One light year i	s the distance that light travels in	one year (365 days).				
		light year in kilometres? ver in standard form.	aths.com				
(d)	How many astro	onomical units (AU) are equal to		n [3]			
			Answer(d) AU	U [2]			

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18) November 2012 V2

- 1 A factory produces bird food made with sunflower seed, millet and maize.
 - (a) The amounts of sunflower seed, millet and maize are in the ratio sunflower seed : millet : maize = 5:3:1.
 - (i) How much millet is there in 15 kg of bird food?

Answer(a)(i) kg [2]

(ii) In a small bag of bird food there is 60 g of sunflower seed.

What is the mass of bird food in a small bag?

Answer(a)(ii) g [2]

(b) Sunflower seeds cost \$204.50 for 30kg from Jon's farm or €96.40 for 20kg from Ann's farm. The exchange rate is \$1 = €0.718.

Which farm has the cheapest price per kilogram? You must show clearly all your working.

Answer(b) [4]

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(c) Bags are filled with bird food at a rate of 420 grams per second.

How many 20kg bags can be **completely** filled in 4 hours?

(d) Brian buys bags of bird food from the factory and sells them in his shop for \$15.30 each.

Answer(c)

How much does Brian pay for each bag of bird food?

He makes 12.5% profit on each bag.

Answer(d) \$ [3]

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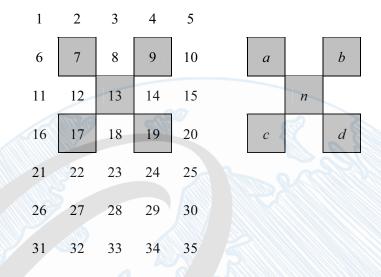
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(e) Brian orders 600 bags of bird food. The probability that a bag is damaged is $\frac{1}{50}$. How many bags would Brian expect to be damaged?

Answer(e) [1]

19) November 2012 V2

- 10 Consecutive integers are set out in rows in a grid.
 - (a) This grid has 5 columns.



The shape drawn encloses five numbers 7, 9, 13, 17 and 19. This is the n = 13 shape. In this shape, a = 7, b = 9, c = 17 and d = 19.

(i) Calculate bc - ad for the n = 13 shape.

Answer(a)(i) [1]

(ii) For the 5 column grid, a = n - 6.

Write down b, c and d in terms of n for this grid.

Answer(a)(ii) b =c =

d = [2]

(iii) Write down bc - ad in terms of *n*. Show clearly that it simplifies to 20.

Answer(a)(iii)

(b) This grid has 6 columns. The shape is drawn for n = 10. b а n d С (i) Calculate the value of bc - ad for n = 10. Answer(b)(i) [1] (ii) Without simplifying, write down bc - ad in terms of *n* for this grid. Answer(b)(ii) [2] (c) This grid has 7 columns. b a n d С 30 31 Show clearly that bc - ad = 28 for n = 17. Answer(c)

[1]

(d) Write down the value of bc - ad when there are t columns in the grid.

Answer(d) [1]

(e) Find the values of c, d and bc - ad for this shape.

2	3	4
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С		d

Answer (e) c =

$$bc - ad =$$
 [2]

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20) November 2012 V3

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- (a) The Martinez family travels by car to Seatown.The distance is 92 km and the journey takes 1 hour 25 minutes.
 - (i) The family leaves home at 07 50. Write down the time they arrive at Seatown.

		Answer(a)(i)		[]	1]
(ii)	Calculate the average speed for the journey.				
(;;;)	During the journey, the family stone for 10 m	Answer(a)(ii)		cm/h [2	
(iii)	During the journey, the family stops for 10 m				
	Calculate 10 minutes as a percentage of 1 hou	r 25 minutes.			
				0/ F [*]	17
		Answer(a)(iii)		. % []	IJ
(iv)	92 km is 15% more than the distance from Se	atown to Deecity	7		
	Calculate the distance from Seatown to Deeci				
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		Answer(a)(iv)		km [3	3]

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(b) The Martinez family spends \$150 in the ratio

fuel: meals: gifts = 11:16:3.

(i) Show that \$15 is spent on gifts.

Answer (b)(i)

(ii) The family buys two gifts. The first gift costs \$8.25.

Find the ratio

cost of first gift : cost of second gift.

Give your answer in its simplest form.

[2]

[2]

21)	June	2013	V1
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- (a) One day, Maria took 27 minutes to walk 1.8 km to school. She left home at 0748.
 - (i) Write down the time Maria arrived at school.

(ii) Show that Maria's average walking speed was 4 km/h.

Answer(a)(ii)

- (b) Another day, Maria cycled the 1.8 km to school at an average speed of 15 km/h.
 - (i) Calculate the percentage increase that 15 km/h is on Maria's walking speed of 4 km/h.

Answer(b)(i) % [3]

(ii) Calculate the percentage **decrease** that Maria's cycling time is on her walking time of 27 minutes.

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Answer(*b*)(ii) % [3]

[2]

(iii) After school, Maria cycled to her friend's home. This took 9 minutes, which was 36% of the time Maria takes to walk to her friend's home.

Calculate the time Maria takes to walk to her friend's home.

Answer(b)(iii) min [2]

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- 1 A tennis club has 560 members.
 - (a) The ratio men : women : children = 5:6:3.
 - (i) Show that the club has 240 women members.

Answer(a)(i)

(ii) How many members are children?

(b) $\frac{5}{8}$ of the 240 women members play in a tournament.

How many women members do **not** play in the tournament?

(c) The annual membership fee in 2013 is \$198 for each adult and \$75 for each child.

(i) Calculate the total amount the 560 members pay in 2013.

(ii) The adult fee of \$198 in 2013 is 5.6% more than the fee in 2012.Calculate the adult fee in 2012.

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[2]

(d) The club buys 36 tennis balls for \$9.50 and sells them to members for \$0.75 each.

Calculate the percentage profit the club makes.

Answer(d) % [3]

(e) A tennis court is a rectangle with length 23.7 m and width 10.9 m, each correct to 1 decimal place.Calculate the upper and lower bounds of the perimeter of the court.

Answer(e) Upper bound m

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(a) Ali and Ben receive a sum of money. They share it in the ratio 5:1. Ali receives \$2345.

Calculate the total amount.

Answer(a) \$ [2]

(b) Ali uses 11% of his \$2345 to buy a television.

Calculate the cost of the television.

- (c) A different television costs \$330.
 - (i) Ben buys one in a sale when this cost is reduced by 15%.
 - How much does Ben pay?

Answer(*c*)(i) \$ [2]

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(ii) \$330 is 12% less than the cost last year.

Calculate the cost last year.

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(d) Ali invests \$1500 of his share in a bank account. The account pays compound interest at a rate of 2.3% per year.

Calculate the total amount in the account at the end of 3 years.

(e) Ali also buys a computer for \$325. He later sells this computer for \$250.

Calculate Ali's percentage loss.

Answer(e) % [3]

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24) November 2013 V1

- **1** David sells fruit at the market.
 - (a) In one week, David sells 120kg of tomatoes and 80kg of grapes.
 - (i) Write 80 kg as a fraction of the total mass of tomatoes and grapes. Give your answer in its lowest terms.

Answer(*a*)(i)[1]

(ii) Write down the ratio mass of tomatoes: mass of grapes. Give your answer in its simplest form.

Answer(a)(ii) [1]

 (b) (i) One day he sells 28 kg of oranges at \$1.56 per kilogram. He also sells 35 kg of apples. The total he receives from selling the oranges and the apples is \$86.38.

Calculate the price of 1 kilogram of apples.

(ii) The price of 1 kilogram of oranges is \$1.56.This is 20% more than the price two weeks ago.

Calculate the price two weeks ago.

Answer(b)(ii) \$ [3]

(c) On another day, David received a total of \$667 from all the fruit he sold. The cost of the fruit was \$314.20. David worked for $10\frac{1}{2}$ hours on this day.

Calculate David's rate of profit in dollars per hour.

Answer(c) dollars/h [2]

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25) November 2013 V2

- Last year Mukthar earned \$18900.
 He did not pay tax on \$5500 of his earnings.
 He paid 24% tax on his remaining earnings.
 - (a) (i) Calculate how much tax Mukthar paid last year.

(ii) Calculate how much Mukthar earned each month after tax had been paid.

(b) This year Mukthar now earns \$19750.50.

Calculate the percentage increase from \$18900.

(c) Mukthar has \$1500 to invest in one of the following ways.

- Account A paying simple interest at a rate of 4.1% per year
- Account **B** paying compound interest at a rate of 3.3% per year

Which account will be worth more after 3 years and by how much?

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- Noma flies from Johannesburg to Hong Kong.
 Her plane leaves Johannesburg at 1845 and arrives in Hong Kong 13 hours and 25 minutes later.
 The local time in Hong Kong is 6 hours ahead of the time in Johannesburg.
 - (a) At what time does Noma arrive in Hong Kong?

(b) Noma sleeps for part of the journey.The time that she spends sleeping is given by the ratio

sleeping: awake = 3:4.

Calculate how long Noma sleeps during the journey. Give your answer in hours and minutes.

Answer(*b*) h min [2]

(c) (i) The distance from Hong Kong to Johannesburg is 10712 km. The time taken for the journey is 13 hours and 25 minutes.

Calculate the average speed of the plane for this journey.

Answer(*c*)(i) km/h [2]

(ii) The plane uses fuel at the rate of 1 litre for every 59 metres travelled.

Calculate the number of litres of fuel used for the journey from Johannesburg to Hong Kong. Give your answer in standard form.

Answer(c)(ii) litres [4]

(d) The cost of Noma's journey is 10148 South African Rand (R). This is an increase of 18% on the cost of the journey one year ago.

Calculate the cost of the same journey one year ago.

27) November 2013 V3

 (a) (i) In a camera magazine, 63 pages are used for adverts. The ratio number of pages of adverts: number of pages of reviews = 7:5.

Calculate the number of pages used for reviews.

(ii) In another copy of the magazine, 56 pages are used for reviews and for photographs. The ratio number of pages of reviews: number of pages of photographs = 9:5.

Calculate the number of pages used for photographs.

(iii) One copy of the magazine costs \$4.90.An annual subscription costs \$48.80 for 13 copies.

Calculate the percentage discount by having an annual subscription.

Answer(a)(iii) % [3]

(b) In a car magazine, 25% of the pages are used for selling second-hand cars, $62\frac{1}{2}\%$ of the **remaining** pages are used for features, and the other 36 pages are used for reviews.

Work out the total number of pages in the magazine.

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28) June	2014	V2

- 1 Jane and Kate share \$240 in the ratio 5:7.
 - (a) Show that Kate receives \$140.

Answer(a)

(b) Jane and Kate each spend \$20.

Find the new ratio Jane's remaining money: Kate's remaining money. Give your answer in its simplest form.

Answer(b) [2]

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(c) Kate invests \$120 for 5 years at 4% per year simple interest.

Calculate the total amount Kate has after 5 years.

Answer(*c*) \$[3]

(d) Jane invests \$80 for 3 years at 4% per year compound interest.

Calculate the total amount Jane has after 3 years. Give your answer correct to the nearest cent.

Answer(*d*) \$[3]

(e) An investment of \$200 for 2 years at 4% per year compound interest is the same as an investment of \$200 for 2 years at r% per year simple interest.

Find the value of *r*.

 $Answer(e) r = \dots [3]$

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29) June 2014 V3

- 1 In July, a supermarket sold 45981 bottles of fruit juice.
 - (a) The cost of a bottle of fruit juice was \$1.35.

Calculate the amount received from the sale of the 45981 bottles. Give your answer correct to the nearest hundred dollars.

(b) The number of bottles sold in July was 17% more than the number sold in January.

Calculate the number of bottles sold in January.

(c) There were 3 different flavours of fruit juice. The number of bottles sold in each flavour was in the ratio apple: orange: cherry = 3:4:2. The total number of bottles sold was 45981.

Calculate the number of bottles of orange juice sold.

(d) One bottle contains 1.5 litres of fruit juice.

Calculate the number of 330 ml glasses that can be filled completely from one bottle.

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(e) $\frac{5}{9}$ of the 45 981 bottles are recycled.

Calculate the number of bottles that are recycled.

Answer(e) [2]

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30) Nov	/emb	er 2	014 V1		
1	(a)	Ac	ompany makes compost by mixing loam, sand and coir in the following ratio.		
	loam:sand: coir = $7 2:3$				
		(i)	How much loam is there in a 72 litre bag of the compost?		
			Answer(a)(i) litres [2]		
		(ii)	In a small bag of the compost there are 13.5 litres of coir.		
			How much compost is in a small bag?		
			Answer(a)(ii) litres [2]		
		(iii)	The price of a large bag of compost is \$8.40.		
		(111)	This is an increase of 12% on the price last year.		
			Calculate the price last year.		
			Answer(a)(iii) \$		
	(b)	Ter	esa builds a raised garden bed in the shape of a hexagonal prism.		
			NOT TO SCALE		
			45 cm		
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			e garden bed has a height of 45 cm. e cross section of the inside of the garden bed is a regular hexagon of side 2 m.		

(i) Show that the area of the cross section of the inside of the garden bed is 10.4 m², correct to 3 significant figures.

Answer(b)(i)

(ii) Calculate the volume of soil needed to fill the garden bed.

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Answer(b)(ii) m³ [2]

(iii) Teresa wants to fill the garden bed with organic top soil. She sees this advertisement in the local garden centre.

ORGANIC TOP SOIL	Number of tonnes purchased			
	1 to 5	6 to 10	Over 10	
Cost per tonne	\$47.00	\$45.50	\$44.00	

Organic top soil is sold in one tonne bags. 1 m^3 of organic top soil has a mass of 1250 kg.

Calculate the cost of the organic top soil needed to fill the garden bed completely. [1 tonne = 1000 kg]

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Answer(*b*)(iii) \$ [4]

31) November 2014 V2

- 1 (a) Alfonso has \$75 to spend on the internet. He spends some of the money on music, films and books.
 - (i) The money he spends on music, films and books is in the ratio

music:films:books = 5:3:7.

He spends \$16.50 on music.

Calculate the total amount he spends on music, films and books.

Answer(*a*)(i) \$[3]

(ii) Find this total amount as a percentage of the \$75.

Answer(a)(ii) % [1]

(b) The download times for the music, films and books are in the ratio

music: films: books = 2:9:1.

The total download time is 3 hours and 33 minutes.

Calculate the download time for the films. Give your answer in hours, minutes and seconds.

Maths.com Answer(b) hours minutes seconds [3]

(c) The cost of 16.50 for the music was a reduction of 12% on the original cost.

Calculate the original cost of the music.

Answer(*c*) \$..... [3]

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32) November 2014 V3

- 2 There are three different areas, A, B and C, for seating in a theatre. The numbers of seats in each area are in the ratio A:B:C = 11:8:7. There are 920 seats in area B.
 - (a) (i) Show that there are 805 seats in area C.

Answer(a)(i)

(ii) Write the number of seats in area B as a percentage of the total number of seats.

Answer(a)(ii) % [2]

[1]

(b) The cost of a ticket for a seat in each area of the theatre is shown in the table.

Area A	\$11.50
Area B	\$15
Area C	\$22.50

For a concert 80% of area B tickets were sold and $\frac{3}{5}$ of area C tickets were sold. The total amount of money taken from ticket sales was \$35834.

Calculate the number of area A tickets that were sold.

(c) The total ticket sales of \$35834 was 5% less than the ticket sales at the previous concert.

Calculate the ticket sales at the previous concert.

Answer(*c*) \$.....[3]

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33) June 2015 V1

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- 12 000 vehicles drive through a road toll on one day. The ratio cars:trucks:motorcycles = 13:8:3.
 - (a) (i) Show that 6500 cars drive through the road toll on that day.

Answer(a)(i)

(ii) Calculate the number of trucks that drive through the road toll on that day.

Answer(a)(ii)[1]

(b) The toll charges in 2014 are shown in the table.

Vehicle	Charge
Cars	\$2
Trucks	\$5
Motorcycles	\$1

Show that the total amount paid in tolls on that day is \$34500.

Answer(b)

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(c) This total amount is a decrease of 8% on the total amount paid on the same day in 2013.Calculate the total amount paid on that day in 2013.

	<i>Answer(c)</i> \$
(d)	2750 of the 6500 car drivers pay their toll using a credit card.
	Write down, in its simplest terms, the fraction of car drivers who pay using a credit card.
	Answer(d)[2]
(e)	To the nearest thousand, 90000 cars drive through the road toll in one week.
	Write down the lower bound for this number of cars.
	Answer(e)[1]

34) June 2015 V2

1 (a) Last year a golf club charged \$1650 for a family membership. This year the cost increased by 12%.

Calculate the cost of a family membership this year.

- (b) The golf club runs a competition. The total prize money is shared in the ratio 1st prize : 2nd prize = 9:5.
 - (i) Calculate the total prize money for the competition.

The 1st prize is \$500 more than the 2nd prize.

Answer(b)(i) \$[2]

(ii) What percentage of the total prize money is given as the 1st prize?

Answer(b)(ii)% [1]

(c) For the members of the golf club the ratio men: children = 11:2. The ratio women: children = 10:3.

(i) Find the ratio men: women.

Answer(c)(i) [2]

(ii) The golf club has 24 members who are children.

Find the total number of members.

Answer(c)(ii)[3]

(d) The club shop sold a box of golf balls for \$20.40. The shop made a profit of 20% on the cost price.

Calculate the cost price of the golf balls.

35) June 2015 V3

2 (a) (i) Eduardo invests \$640 at a rate of 2% per year compound interest.

Show that, at the end of 6 years, Eduardo has \$721, correct to the nearest dollar.

Answer(a)(i)

(ii) Manuela also invests \$640. At the end of 4 years, Manuela has \$721.

Find the yearly compound interest rate.

Answer(a)(ii)% [4]

(b) Carlos buys a motor scooter for \$1200.Each year the value of the scooter decreases by 10% of its value at the beginning of that year.

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Find the value of the scooter after 3 years.

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	(a)	Luc is painting the doors in his house. He uses $\frac{3}{4}$ of a tin of paint for each door.		
		Work out the least number of tins of paint Luc nee	ds to paint 7 doors.	
			Answer(a)	
	(b)	Jan buys tins of paint for \$17.16 each. He sells the paint at a profit of 25%.		
		For how much does Jan sell each tin of paint?		
			Answer(b) \$	
((c)	The cost of \$17.16 for each tin of paint is 4% mor	e than the cost in the previous year.	
		Work out the cost of each tin of paint in the previo		
			Answer(c) \$	
		In America a tin of paint costs \$17.16.		
	(d)	In Italy the same tin of paint costs $\notin 13.32$. The exchange rate is $\$1 = \notin 0.72$.	laths.com	
	(d)	In America a tin of paint costs \$17.16. In Italy the same tin of paint costs $\in 13.32$. The exchange rate is $\$1 = €0.72$. Calculate, in dollars, the difference in the cost of t		
	(d)			
	(d)			

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. ,	nt is sold in cylindrical tins of height 11 cm. ch tin holds 750 ml of paint.
(i)	Write 750 ml in cm ³ .
	Answer(e)(i) cm^3 [1]
(ii)	Calculate the radius of the tin. Give your answer correct to 1 decimal place.
	<i>Answer(e)</i> (ii) cm [3]
(iii)	A mathematically similar tin has a height of 22 cm.
	How many litres of paint does this tin hold?
	Answer(e)(iii) litres [2]
(f) The	e mass of a tin of paint is 890 grams, correct to the nearest 10 grams.
	rk out the upper bound of the total mass of 10 tins of paint.
	Answer(f) g [1]
(g) The	e probability that a tin of paint is dented is 0.07.
	t of 3000 tins of paint, how many would you expect to be dented?
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	WWW. Q8 MatAnswer(g)
(h) Tin	s of paint are filled at the rate of 2 m^3 per minute.
Ноч	w many 750 ml tins of paint can be filled in 1 hour?
	<i>Answer(h)</i> [3]

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37) N	loven	nbe	er 2015 V2		
			Im company uses 512 actors in a film. e actors are in the ratio men : women : children = 7	7 : 11 : 14.	
	((a)	(i) Show that there are 224 children in the film.		
			Answer(a)(i)		
					[2]
			(ii) Find the number of men in the film.		
				Answer(a)(ii)	[1]
	((b)	Every working day, each child is given \$1 to spend Each child works for 45 days.	. <u></u>	
			Calculate the total amount that the film company g Give your answer correct to the nearest \$100.	ives the children to spend.	
				Answer(b) \$	[2]
	((c)	The children have lessons every day in groups of n	o more than 12.	
			Calculate the smallest possible number of groups.		
				Answer(c)	[2]
	((d)	The film costs four million and ninety three thousa	nd dollars to make.	
			(i) Write this number in figures.		
				Answer(d)(i)	[1]
			(ii) Write your answer to part (d)(i) in standard f	form.	
			www. Q8 M	Answer(d)(ii)	[1]
	((e)	A DVD copy of the film costs \$2.75 to make. The selling price is \$8.20.		
			Calculate the percentage profit.		
				Answer(e)	%[3]

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38) November 2015 V3

- 1 (a) Kolyan buys water for \$2.60. He also buys biscuits.
 - (i) The ratio cost of biscuits : cost of water = 3:2.

Find the cost of the biscuits.

Answer(a)(i) \$.....[2]

(ii) Kolyan has \$9 to spend.

Work out the total amount Kolyan spends on water and biscuits as a fraction of the \$9. Give your answer in its lowest terms.

(iii) The \$9 is 62.5% less than the amount Kolyan had to spend last week.

Calculate the amount Kolyan had to spend last week.

Answer(a)(iii) \$.....[3]

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(b) Priya buys a bicycle for \$250.Each year the value of the bicycle decreases by 8% of its value at the beginning of that year.

Calculate the value of Priya's bicycle after 10 years. Give your answer correct to the nearest dollar.

Answer(b) \$.....[3]

39) March 2015 V2

- 1 Jaideep builds a house and sells it for \$450000.
 - (a) He pays a tax of 1.5% of the selling price of the house.

Show that he pays \$6750 in tax.

Answer(a)

(b) \$6750 is 12.5% more than the tax Jaideep paid on the first house he built.

Calculate the tax Jaideep paid on the first house he built.

Answer(b) \$.....[3]

(c) The house is built on a rectangular plot of land, 21 m by 17 m, both correct to the nearest metre.Calculate the upper bound for the area of the plot.

Answer(c) m² [2]

(d) On a plan of the house, the area of the kitchen is 5.6 cm².
 The scale of the plan is 1:200.

Calculate the actual area of the kitchen in square metres.

Answer(d) m^2 [2]

[1]

(e) The house was built using cuboid blocks each measuring 12 cm by 16 cm by 27 cm.

Calculate the volume of one block.

(f) Jaideep changes \$12000 into euros (\in) to buy land in another country. The exchange rate is $\in 1 =$ \$1.33.

Calculate the number of euros Jaideep receives. Give your answer correct to the nearest euro.

www.Q8Maths.com $Answer(f) \in \dots$ [3]

40) March 2016 V2

- 1 Aasha, Biren and Cemal share \$640 in the ratio 8 : 15 : 9.
 - (a) Show that Aasha receives \$160.

(b) Calculate the amount that Biren and Cemal receive.

Biren \$

[1]

- Cemal \$[2]
- (c) Aasha uses her \$160 to buy some books. Each book costs \$15.25.

Find the greatest number of books that she can buy.

(d) Biren spends $\frac{3}{8}$ of his share on clothes and $\frac{1}{3}$ of his share on a computer.

Find the fraction of his share that he has left. Write your fraction in its lowest terms. aths.com

41) March 2016 V2

5 (a) Meena sells her car for \$6000. This is a loss of 4% on the price she paid.

Calculate the price Meena paid for the car.

\$ [3]

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(b) Eisha changes some euros (€) into dollars (\$) when the exchange rate is €1 = \$1.351. She receives \$6000.

Calculate how many euros Eisha changes. Give your answer correct to the nearest euro.

(c) Meena and Eisha both invest their \$6000.
 Meena invests her \$6000 at a rate of 1.5% per year compound interest.
 Eisha invests her \$6000 in a bank that pays simple interest.
 After 8 years, their investments are worth the same amount.

Calculate the rate of simple interest per year that Eisha received.

......%[5]

42) June 2016 V1

1

- (a) Kristian and Stephanie share some money in the ratio 3 : 2. Kristian receives \$72.
 - (i) Work out how much Stephanie receives.
 - (ii) Kristian spends 45% of his \$72 on a computer game.

Calculate the price of the computer game.

\$[1]

\$[2]

(iii) Kristian also buys a meal for \$8.40.

Calculate the fraction of the \$72 Kristian has left after buying the computer game and the meal. Give your answer in its lowest terms.

(iv) Stephanie buys a book in a sale for \$19.20. This sale price is after a reduction of 20%.

Calculate the original price of the book.

\$[3]

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(b) Boris invests \$550 at a rate of 2% per year simple interest.

Calculate the amount Boris has after 10 years.

(c) Marlene invests \$550 at a rate of 1.9% per year compound interest.

Calculate the amount Marlene has after 10 years.

(d) Hans invests \$550 at a rate of x% per year compound interest. At the end of 10 years he has a total amount of \$638.30, correct to the nearest cent.

Find the value of *x*.

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43) June 2016 V2

- 1 Mr Chan flies from London to Los Angeles, a distance of 8800 km. The flight takes 11 hours and 10 minutes.
 - (a) (i) His plane leaves London at 0935 local time. The local time in Los Angeles is 8 hours behind the time in London.

Calculate the local time when the plane arrives in Los Angeles.

(ii) Work out the average speed of the plane in km/h.

- (b) There are three types of tickets, economy, business and first class.The price of these tickets is in the ratio economy : business : first class = 2 : 5 : 9.
 - (i) The price of a business ticket is \$2350.

Calculate the price of a first class ticket.

\$.....[2]

(ii) Work out the price of an economy ticket as a percentage of the price of a first class ticket.

.....%[1]

- (c) The price of a business ticket for the same journey with another airline is \$2240.
 - (i) The price of a first class ticket is 70% more than a business ticket.

Calculate the price of this first class ticket.

\$.....[2]

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(ii) The price of a business ticket is 180% more than an economy ticket.

Calculate the price of this economy ticket.

(d) Mr Chan hires a car in Los Angeles. The charges are shown below.

Car Hire

\$28.00 per day plus \$6.50 per day insurance.

\$1.25 for every kilometre travelled after the first 800 km. The first 800 km are included in the price.

Mr Chan hired the car for 12 days and paid \$826.50.

(i) Find the number of kilometres Mr Chan travelled in this car.

(ii) The car used fuel at an average rate of 1 litre for every 10km travelled. Fuel costs \$1.30 per litre.

Calculate the cost of the fuel used by the car during the 12 days.

\$.....[2]

\$.....[3]

44) June 2016 V3

1

- A football club sells tickets at different prices dependent on age group.
 - (a) (i) At one game, the club sold tickets in the ratio

under 18 : 18 to 60 : over 60 = 2 : 7 : 3.

There were 6100 tickets sold for people aged under 18.

Calculate the total number of tickets sold for the game.

- (ii) Calculate the percentage of tickets sold for people aged under 18.
- (b) The table shows the football ticket prices for the different age groups.

	Age	Price
	Under 18	\$15
	18 to 60	\$35
	Over 60	\$18
-		

At a **different** game there were 42 600 tickets sold.

- 14% were sold to people aged under 18
- $\frac{2}{3}$ of the tickets were sold to people aged 18 to 60
- The remainder were sold to people aged over 60

Calculate the total amount the football club receives from ticket sales for this game.

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\$[5]

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.....% [1]

(c) In a sale, the football club shop reduced the price of the football shirts to \$23.80. An error was made when working out this sale price. The price was reduced by 30% instead of 20%.

Calculate the correct sale price for the football shirt.

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45) June 2017 V1

1 An energy company charged these prices in 2013.

Electricity price	Gas price
23.15 cents per day	24.5 cents per day
plus	plus
13.5 cents for each unit used	5.5 cents for each unit used

(a) (i) In 90 days, the Siddique family used 1885 units of electricity.

Calculate the total cost, in dollars, of the electricity they used.

\$[2]

(ii) In 90 days, the gas used by the Khan family cost \$198.16.

Calculate the number of units of gas used.

(b) In 2013, the price for each unit of electricity was 13.5 cents.Over the next 3 years, this price increased exponentially at a rate of 8% per year.

Calculate the price for each unit of electricity after 3 years.

..... cents [2]

- (c) Over these 3 years, the price for each unit of gas increased from 5.5 cents to 7.7 cents.
 - (i) Calculate the percentage increase from 5.5 cents to 7.7 cents.

(ii) Over the 3 years, the 5.5 cents increased exponentially by the same percentage each year to 7.7 cents.

Calculate the percentage increase each year.

(d) In 2015, the energy company divided its profits in the ratio

shareholders : bonuses : development = 5:2:6.

In 2015, its profits were \$390 million.

Calculate the amount the company gave to shareholders.

(e) The share price of the company in June 2015 was \$258.25. This was an increase of 3.3% on the share price in May 2015.

Calculate the share price in May 2015.

\$[3]

\$ million [2]

46) November 2017 V1

1

(a) A library has a total of 10 494 fiction and non-fiction books. The ratio fiction books : non-fiction books = 13 : 5.

Find the number of non-fiction books the library has.

(b) The library has DVDs on crime, adventure and science fiction.
 The ratio crime : adventure : science fiction = 11 : 6 : 10.
 The library has 384 more science fiction DVDs than adventure DVDs.

Calculate the number of crime DVDs the library has.

- (c) Every Monday, Sima travels by car to the library. The distance is 20km and the journey takes 23 minutes.
 - (i) Calculate the average speed for the journey in kilometres per hour.

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(ii) One Monday, she is delayed and her average speed is reduced to 32 km/h.

Calculate the percentage increase in the journey time.

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.....% [5]

(d) In Spain, the price of a book is 11.99 euros. In the USA, the price of the same book is \$12.99. The exchange rate is \$1 = 0.9276 euros.

Calculate the difference between these prices. Give your answer in dollars, correct to the nearest cent.

\$.....[3]

(e) 7605 books were borrowed from the library in 2016. This was 22% less than in 2015.

Calculate the number of books borrowed in 2015.

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47) June 2018 V1	

- Adele, Barbara and Collette share \$680 in the ratio 9:7:4. 1
 - (a) Show that Adele receives \$306.
 - (b) Calculate the amount that Barbara and Collette each receives.
 - Barbara \$ (c) Adele changes her \$306 into euros (\in) when the exchange rate is $\in 1 = 1.125 . Calculate the number of euros she receives. [2] € (d) Barbara spends a total of \$17.56 on 5 kg of apples and 3 kg of bananas. Apples cost \$2.69 per kilogram. Calculate the cost per kilogram of bananas.

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(e) Collette spends half of her share on clothes and $\frac{1}{5}$ of her share on books. Calculate the amount she has left.

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48) June 2018 V1

3 (a) The price of a house decreased from \$82500 to \$77500.

Calculate the percentage decrease.

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- (b) Roland invests \$12 000 in an account that pays compound interest at a rate of 2.2% per year.

Calculate the value of his investment at the end of 6 years. Give your answer correct to the nearest dollar.

\$[3]

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49) June 2018 V2

1

(a) Here is a list of ingredients to make 20 biscuits.

260g of l	butter
500g of s	sugar
650g of t	flour
425g of 1	rice

- (i) Find the mass of rice as a percentage of the mass of sugar.
- (ii) Find the mass of butter needed to make 35 of these biscuits.

g [2]

[3]

%[1]

(iii) Michel has 2 kg of each ingredient.

Work out the greatest number of these biscuits that he can make.

- (b) A company makes these biscuits at a cost of \$1.35 per packet. These biscuits are sold for \$1.89 per packet.
 - (i) Calculate the percentage profit the company makes on each packet.

(ii) The selling price of \$1.89 has increased by 8% from last year.

Calculate the selling price last year.

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(c) Over a period of 3 years, the company's sales of biscuits increased from 15.6 million packets to 20.8 million packets.

The sales increased exponentially by the same percentage each year.

Calculate the percentage increase each year.

(d) The people who work for the company are in the following age groups.

Group A	Group B	Group C
Under 30 years	30 to 50 years	Over 50 years

The ratio of the number in group A to the number in group B is 7:10. The ratio of the number in group B to the number in group C is 4:3.

(i) Find the ratio of the number in group A to the number in group C. Give your answer in its simplest form.

(ii) There are 45 people in group C.

Find the total number of people who work for the company.

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50) June 2019 V2

1 (a) The price of a newspaper increased from \$0.97 to \$1.13.

Calculate the percentage increase.

- (b) One day, the newspaper had 60 pages of news and advertisements. The ratio number of pages of news : number of pages of advertisements = 5 : 7.
 - (i) Calculate the number of pages of advertisements.

(ii) Write the number of pages of advertisements as a percentage of the number of pages of news.

......% [1]

(c) On holiday Maria paid 2.25 euros for the newspaper when the exchange rate was 1 = 0.9416 euros. At home Maria paid 1.13 for the newspaper.

Calculate the difference in price. Give your answer in dollars, correct to the nearest cent.

\$[3]

(d) The number of newspapers sold decreases exponentially by x% each year. Over a period of 21 years the number of newspapers sold decreases from 1763 000 to 58 000.

Calculate the value of x

- (e) Every page of the newspaper is a rectangle measuring 43cm by 28 cm, both correct to the nearest centimetre.

Calculate the upper bound of the area of a page.

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51) June 2020 V2

1 (a) (i) Divide \$24 in the ratio 7 : 5.

\$ [2]

- (ii) Write \$24.60 as a fraction of \$2870. Give your answer in its lowest terms.
- (iii) Write \$1.92 as a percentage of \$1.60.

-% [1]
- (b) In a sale the original prices are reduced by 15%.
 - (i) Calculate the sale price of a book that has an original price of \$12.

- \$[2]
- (ii) Calculate the original price of a jacket that has a sale price of \$38.25.

\$[2]

(c) (i) Dean invests \$500 for 10 years at a rate of 1.7% per year simple interest.

Calculate the total interest earned during the 10 years.

(ii) Ollie invests \$200 at a rate of 0.0035% per day compound interest.

Calculate the value of Ollie's investment at the end of 1 year. [1 year = 365 days.]

(iii) Edna invests \$500 at a rate of r% per year compound interest. At the end of 6 years, the value of Edna's investment is \$559.78.

Find the value of *r*.

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52) November 2020 V1

2 (a) A plane has 14 First Class seats, 70 Premium seats and 168 Economy seats.

Find the ratio First Class seats : Premium seats : Economy seats. Give your answer in its simplest form.

(b) (i) For a morning flight, the costs of tickets are in the ratio

First Class : Premium : Economy = 14 : 6 : 5.

The cost of a Premium ticket is \$114.

Calculate the cost of a First Class ticket and the cost of an Economy ticket.

53) November 2020 V3

- 3 (a) Beth invests \$2000 at a rate of 2% per year compound interest.
 - (i) Calculate the value of this investment at the end of 5 years.
 - (ii) Calculate the overall percentage increase in the value of Beth's investment at the end of 5 years.
 - (iii) Calculate the minimum number of complete years it takes for the value of Beth's investment to increase from \$2000 to more than \$2500.

- [3]
- (b) The population of a village decreases exponentially at a rate of 4% each year. The population is now 255.

Calculate the population 16 years ago.