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### Mark UP and Mark DOWN HW

1. Sasha went shopping and decided to purchase a set of bracelets for 25% off of the regular price. If Sasha buys the bracelets today, she will receive an additional 5%. Find the sales price of the set of bracelets with both discounts. How much money will Sasha save if she buys the bracelets today?



① 25% off      ② Additional 5% Off

$$\frac{75}{100} = \frac{x}{44}$$

$$x = \$33$$

$$\frac{95}{100} = \frac{x}{33}$$

$$x = \$31.35$$

$$44 - 31.35 = \$12.65 \text{ will be saved}$$

2. A golf store purchases a set of clubs at a wholesale price of \$250. Mr. Edmond learned that the clubs were marked up 200%. Is it possible to have a percent increase greater than 100%? What is the retail price of the clubs? Yes, this is possible.

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$$\frac{300}{100} = \frac{x}{250}$$

$$x = \$750$$

Retail Price  
In Store

3. Is a percent increase of a set of golf clubs from \$250 to \$750 the same as a markup rate of 200%? Explain. Yes, this is the same

$$\frac{500}{250} = \frac{x}{100}$$

$$x = 200\%$$

because 500 is double the original price. ( $2 \times 100\% = 200\%$ )

4. You have a coupon for an additional 25% off the price of any sale item at a store. The store has put a robotics kit on sale for 15% off the original price of \$40. What is the price of the robotics kit after both discounts?

① 15% off

$$\frac{85}{100} \times \frac{x}{40} \quad x = \$34$$

② Additional 25% off

$$\frac{75}{100} \times \frac{x}{34} \quad x = 25.5$$

5. A sign says that the price marked on all music equipment is 30% off the original price. You buy an electric guitar for the sale price of \$315. Final Price: \$25.50

a. What is the original price?

$$\frac{315}{x} \times \frac{70}{100} \quad x = \$450$$

b. How much money did you save off the original price of the guitar?

$$450 - 315 = \$135$$

c. What percent of the original price is the sale price?

$$\frac{\text{is}}{\text{of}} = \frac{\%}{100} \rightarrow \frac{\text{sale}}{\text{original}} = \frac{\%}{100} \rightarrow \frac{315}{450} \times \frac{x}{100} \quad x = 70\%$$

6. The cost of a New York Yankees baseball cap is \$24.00. The local sporting goods store sells it for \$30.00. Find the markup rate. marked up price

$$\frac{30}{24} \times \frac{x}{100} \quad x = 125\% \quad \text{so } 25\% \text{ markup}$$

7. Write an equation to determine the selling price,  $p$ , on an item that is originally priced  $s$  dollars after a markdown of 15%.

$s$  = original price

$p$  = selling price

$$s - 0.15s = p$$

OR

$$0.85s = p$$

8. At the amusement park, Laura paid \$6.00 for a small cotton candy. Her older brother works at the park, and he told her they mark up the cotton candy by 300%. Laura does not think that is mathematically possible. Is it possible, and if so, what is the price of the cotton candy before the markup?

$$\frac{6}{X} = \frac{400}{100}$$

marked up price  
original price

$X = \$1.50$

9. A store advertises that customers can take 25% off the original price and then take an extra 10% off. Is this 35% off? Explain.

No, because the 25% is taken first off the original price to get a new whole. Then, the extra 10% off is multiplied to the new whole. This is not the same as just adding the discounts together.

10. An item that costs \$50 is marked 20% off. Sales tax for the item is 8%. What is the final price, including tax?

- a. Solve the problem with the discount applied before the sales tax.

① 20% off

$$\frac{80}{100} = \frac{X}{50} \quad X = \$40$$

sale price

② 8% tax ↑

$$\frac{108}{100} = \frac{X}{40}$$

$X = \$43.20$

- b. Solve the problem with discount applied after the sales tax.

① 8% Tax

$$\frac{108}{100} = \frac{X}{50} \quad X = \$54$$

② Discount 20% off

$$\frac{80}{100} = \frac{X}{54}$$

$X = \$43.20$

- c. Compare your answers in parts (a) and (b). Explain.

The final prices are both the same. This is because multiplication is commutative.

11. The sale price for a bicycle is \$315 dollars. The original price was first discounted by 50% and then discounted an additional 10%. Find the original price of the bicycle.

① Working Backwards  $315 \div 0.9 = \$350$   $350 \div 0.5 = \$700$   
 50% Paid 90% Paid  
 10% off 50% off

12. A ski shop has a markup rate of 50%. Find the selling price of skis that cost the storeowner \$300.

$$\frac{150}{100} \times \frac{x}{300} \quad x = \$450$$

13. A tennis supply store pays a wholesaler \$90 for a tennis racquet and sells it for \$144. What is the markup rate?

markup price  $\frac{144}{90} = \frac{x}{100}$   $x = 160\%$   
 wholesale  
 markup 60%

14. A shoe store is selling a pair of shoes for \$60 that has been discounted by 25%. What was the original selling price?

discount price  $\frac{60}{x} = \frac{75}{100}$   $x = \$80$   
 original price

15. A shoe store has a markup rate of 75% and is selling a pair of shoes for \$133. Find the price the store paid for the shoes.

markup  $\frac{175}{100} = \frac{133}{x}$   $x = \$76$   
 original

16. If 20% of the 70 faculty members at John F. Kennedy Middle School are male, what is the number of male faculty members?

$$\frac{20}{100} \times \frac{x}{70} \quad x = 14 \text{ men}$$