## Basic

| Percentage | Number of parts per 100. | $31 \% \text { means } \frac{31}{100}$ |
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| Finding 10\% | To find 10\%, divide by $\mathbf{1 0}$ | $10 \%$ of $£ 36=36 \div 10=£ 3.60$ |
| Finding 1\% | To find 1\%, divide by 100 | $1 \%$ of $£ 8=8 \div 100=£ 0.08$ |
| Percentage Change | $\frac{\text { Difference }}{\text { Original }} \times 100 \%$ | A games console is bought for $£ 200$ and sold for $£ 250$. <br> $\%$ change $=\frac{50}{200} \times 100=25 \%$ |
| Fractions to Decimals | Divide the numerator by the denominator using the bus stop method. | $\frac{3}{8}=3 \div 8=0.375$ |
| Decimals to Fractions | Write as a fraction over 10, 100 or 1000 and simplify. | $0.36=\frac{36}{100}=\frac{9}{25}$ |
| Percentages to Decimals | Divide by 100 | $8 \%=8 \div 100=0.08$ |
| Decimals to Percentages | Multiply by 100 | $0.4=0.4 \times 100 \%=40 \%$ |
| Fractions to Percentages | Percentage is just a fraction out of 100 . Make the denominator 100 using equivalent fractions. <br> When the denominator doesn't go in to 100 , use a calculator and multiply the fraction by 100. | $\begin{aligned} & \frac{3}{25}=\frac{12}{100}=12 \% \\ & \frac{9}{17} \times 100=52.9 \% \end{aligned}$ |
| Percentages to Fractions | Percentage is just a fraction out of 100. <br> Write the percentage over 100 and simplify. | $14 \%=\frac{14}{100}=\frac{7}{50}$ |

## Calculating with Percentages

| Increase or Decrease by a Percentage | Non-calculator: Find the percentage and add or subtract it from the original amount. <br> Calculator: Find the percentage multiplier and multiply. | $\begin{aligned} & \frac{\text { Increase } 500 \text { by } 20 \% \text { (Non Calc): }}{10 \% \text { of } 500=50} \\ & \text { so } 20 \% \text { of } 500=100 \\ & 500+100=600 \end{aligned}$ <br> Decrease 800 by $17 \%$ (Calc): <br> 100\%-17\%=83\% <br> $83 \% \div 100=0.83$ $0.83 \times 800=664$ |
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| Percentage Multiplier | The number you multiply a quantity by to increase or decrease it by a percentage. | The multiplier for increasing by $12 \%$ is 1.12 The multiplier for decreasing by $12 \%$ is 0.88 <br> The multiplier for increasing by $100 \%$ is 2 . |
| Reverse Percentage | Find the correct percentage given in the question, then work backwards to find 100\% <br> Look out for words like 'before' or 'original' | A jumper was priced at $£ 48.60$ after a $10 \%$ reduction. Find its original price. $\begin{aligned} & 100 \%-10 \%=90 \% \\ & 90 \%=£ 48.60 \\ & 1 \%=£ 0.54 \\ & 100 \%=£ 54 \end{aligned}$ |

