

## Exercise Set 3 (Calculator)

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What number is 150% of 30?

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If the areas of two circles are in the ratio of 4:9, the circumference of the larger circle is how many times the circumference of the smaller circle?

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What number is 30% less than 70?

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What number is the same percent of 36 as 5 is of 24?

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David's motorcycle uses  $\frac{2}{5}$  of a gallon of gasoline to travel 8 miles. At this rate, how many miles can it travel on 5 gallons of gasoline?

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The retail price of a shirt is \$60, but it is on sale at a 20% discount and you have an additional 20% off coupon. If there is also a 5% sales tax, is the final cost of the shirt?

- A) \$34.20
- B) \$36.48
- C) \$37.80
- D) \$40.32

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If the price of a house increased from \$40,000 to \$120,000, what is the percent increase in price?

- A) 67%
- B) 80%
- C) 200%
- D) 300%

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At a student meeting, the ratio of athletes to non athletes is 3:2, and among the athletes the ratio of males to females is 3:5. What percent of the students at this meeting are female athletes?

- A) 22.5%
- B) 25%
- C) 27.5%
- D) 37.5%

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To make a certain purple dye, red dye and blue dye are mixed in a ratio of 3:4. To make a certain orange dye, red dye and yellow dye are mixed in a ratio of 3:2. If equal amounts of the purple and orange dye are mixed, what fraction of the new mixture is red dye?

- A)  $\frac{9}{20}$
- B)  $\frac{1}{2}$
- C)  $\frac{18}{35}$
- D)  $\frac{27}{40}$

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If the price of a stock declined by 30% in one year and increased by 80% the next year, by what percent did the price increase over the two-year period?

- A) 24%
- B) 26%
- C) 50%
- D) 500

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A farmer has an annual budget of \$1,200 for barley seed, with which he can plant 30 acres of barley. If next year the cost per pound of the seed is projected to decrease by 20%, how many acres will he be able to afford to plant next year on the same budget?

- A) 24  
B) 25  
C) 36  
D) 37.5

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If  $x$  is  $\frac{2}{3}\%$  of 90, what is the value of  $\frac{2}{3} - x$ ?

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If  $n$  is 300% less than  $\frac{5}{2}$ , what is the value of  $|n|$ ?

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The cost of a pack of batteries, after a 5% sales tax, is \$8.40. What was the price before tax, in dollars?

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If the price of a sweater is marked down from \$80 to \$68, what is the percent discount? (Ignore the % symbol when gridding.)

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Three numbers,  $a$ ,  $b$ , and  $c$ , are all positive. If  $b$  is 30% greater than  $a$ , and  $c$  is 40% greater than  $b$ , what is the value of  $\frac{c}{a}$ ?

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If the width of a rectangle decreases by 20%, by what percent must the length increase in order for the total area of the rectangle to double? (Ignore the % symbol when gridding.)

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Two middle school classes take a vote on the destination for a class trip. Class A has 25 students, 56% of whom voted to go to St. Louis. Class B has  $n$  students, 60% of whom voted to go to St. Louis. If 57.5% of the two classes combined voted to go to St. Louis, what is the value of  $n$ ?

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If 12 ounces of a 30% salt solution are mixed with 24 ounces of a 60% salt solution, what is the percent concentration of salt in the mixture?

- A) 45%  
B) 48%  
C) 50%  
D) 54%

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If the length of a rectangle is doubled but its width is decreased by 10%, by what percent does its area increase?

- A) 80%  
B) 90%  
C) 180%  
D) 190%