



MATHEMATICS

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Unit 1

Numeracy

Basic Arithmetic

Whole Numbers

Exercise 1

Round the following numbers correct to the **nearest whole number**.

1) 15.32 **2)** 327.8 **3)** 59.52 **4)** 738.29 **5)** 826.192 **6)** 1234.5
7) 987.65 **8)** 13.84 **9)** 7.532 **10)** 123.45 **11)** 43.34 **12)** 152.4
13) 246.8 **14)** 38.25 **15)** 49.18 **16)** 99.08 **17)** 99.8 **18)** 1.234
19) 0.82 **20)** 3842.7

Round the following numbers to the **nearest ten**.

21) 43 **22)** 53 **23)** 74 **24)** 79 **25)** 86 **26)** 35
27) 48 **28)** 23 **29)** 123 **30)** 342 **31)** 346 **32)** 519
33) 876 **34)** 753 **35)** 835 **36)** 93 **37)** 99 **38)** 222
39) 666 **40)** 185

Round the following numbers to the **nearest hundred**.

41) 326 **42)** 732 **43)** 782 **44)** 150 **45)** 649 **46)** 531
47) 282 **48)** 934 **49)** 981 **50)** 3246 **51)** 7813 **52)** 7884
53) 8591 **54)** 6184 **55)** 8342 **56)** 2345 **57)** 3456 **58)** 23826
59) 72173 **60)** 94382

Round the following numbers to the **nearest thousand**.

61) 8100 **62)** 5820 **63)** 2426 **64)** 3529
65) 23820 **66)** 44400 **67)** 55500 **68)** 66770
69) 12345 **70)** 98765 **71)** 19384 **72)** 23824
73) 61800 **74)** 37342 **75)** 39684 **76)** 53412

Exercise 2 – Problem Solving

245	100	324
39	63	50
177	44	61

- 1) Find the sum of all the odd numbers in the box.
- 2) Find the difference between the largest and smallest number.
- 3) List the even numbers.

- 4) Write down the next 2 numbers in these sequences.
 - a) 1, 2, 3, 4, ,5, ____
 - b) 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, ____
 - c) 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, ____
 - d) 100, 99, 98, 97, 96, ____
 - e) 2, 5, 8, 11, 14, ____

- 5) The owner of a sports shop buys footballs for £6.99 each and he sells them for £10. How much profit does he make when he sells;
 - a) 1 football
 - b) 10 footballs
 - c) 17 footballs

- 6) **ESTIMATE** the answers to the following questions
 - a) $24 + 84$
 - b) $39 + 42$
 - c) $87 - 12$
 - d) $68 - 43$
 - e) $75 + 13$
 - f) $55 - 29$
 - g) $124 + 469$
 - h) $524 - 364$
 - i) $749 + 186$
 - j) $645 + 274$
 - k) $598 - 355$
 - l) $265 + 86$
 - m) $2478 + 3496$
 - n) $1236 + 7416$
 - o) $9421 - 4869$
 - p) $5105 + 8416$
 - q) $8540 + 789$
 - r) $3674 - 1255$

Decimals

Exercise 1

Round the following numbers correct to **1 decimal place**.

1) 8.43 2) 5.76 3) 2.39 4) 5.24 5) 3.18 6) 12.49
7) 11.02 8) 11.05 9) 23.81 10) 72.46 11) 93.55 12) 82.43
13) 7.98 14) 8.329 15) 6.483 16) 9.876 17) 12.345 18) 135.69

Round the following numbers correct to **2 decimal places**.

19) 5.382 20) 2.846 21) 9.305 22) 9.304 23) 7.826
24) 8.537 25) 6.692 26) 6.698 27) 13.492 28) 15.328
29) 43.135 30) 9.876 31) 12.345 32) 23.456 33) 33.333
34) 5.555 35) 3.8028 36) 472.3192

Exercise 2 - Add

1)	1.14	2)	4.03	3)	6.14
	<u>+ 2.30</u>		<u>+ 5.81</u>		<u>+ 2.35</u>
	.		.		.
4)	4.31	5)	2.25	6)	7.36
	<u>+ 4.58</u>		<u>+ 3.46</u>		<u>+ 1.37</u>
	.		.		.
7)	4.72	8)	4.81	9)	6.24
	<u>+ 2.83</u>		<u>+ 3.45</u>		<u>+ 3.88</u>
	.		.		.
10)	3.86	11)	7.99	12)	6.87
	<u>+ 5.79</u>		<u>+ 1.77</u>		<u>+ 2.78</u>
	.		.		.
13)	7.83	14)	8.47	15)	9.86
	<u>+ 5.92</u>		<u>+ 6.54</u>		<u>+ 6.97</u>

Exercise 3 - Add

Work out the answers to each of the following:-

1)	$7.2 + 3.6$	2)	$5.7 + 4.5$	3)	$12.3 + 17.8$
4)	$16.5 + 14.2$	5)	$1.4 + 2.7$	6)	$4.28 + 2.15$
7)	$4.17 + 3.69$	8)	$5.22 + 1.79$	9)	$3.58 + 2.19$
10)	$1.11 + 6.66$	11)	$4 + 3.6$	12)	$12 + 4.2$
13)	$13.8 + 1.7$	14)	$56.1 + 3.46$	15)	$17.1 + 2.83$
16)	$1.7 + 2.57$	17)	$12.6 + 1.47$	18)	$14 + 0.29$
19)	$15 + 3.42$	20)	$13 + 2.53$		

Exercise 4 - Add

1) Add 3.28 and 14.02 **2)** Add 7.9 , 4 and 3.72 **3)** $7.9 + 0.62 + 5$

4) Add 8.6 , 5 and 3.21 **5)** Add 0.68 to 1.7

6) Two tables are placed together to form a larger one.
The first table is 67.4 cm long and the second table is 56.8 cm long.
What is the total length?

7) Three boxes weigh 4.6 kg, 7.9 kg and 18.2 kg. What is the total weight?

8) What length of shelf is needed to hold books with thicknesses of 6.3 cm, 7.4 cm, 1.8 cm, 2.8 cm and 4.9 cm?

9) John weighs 45.2 kg and Allan weighs 40 kg. What is their total weight?

Exercise 5 - Subtract

$$\begin{array}{r} 1) \quad 27.58 \\ - 13.27 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2) \quad 38.69 \\ - 10.18 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3) \quad 42.22 \\ - 1.02 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 4) \quad 29.56 \\ - 3.16 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 5) \quad 75.59 \\ - 23.28 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 6) \quad 68.88 \\ - 2.06 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 7) \quad 82.73 \\ - 0.22 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 8) \quad 55.79 \\ - 23.01 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 9) \quad 82.38 \\ - 0.11 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 10) \quad 99.19 \\ - 18.19 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 11) \quad 75.46 \\ - 12.12 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 12) \quad 38.67 \\ - 18.17 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 13) \quad 38.67 \\ - 5.06 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 14) \quad 28.46 \\ - 12.58 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 15) \quad 99.88 \\ - 7.89 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Exercise 6 - Subtract

Work out the answers to each of the following:

$$1) \quad 6.8 - 4.3$$

$$2) \quad 9.6 - 1.8$$

$$3) \quad 32.7 - 14.2$$

$$4) \quad 15.6 - 14.7$$

$$5) \quad 26.9 - 12.4$$

$$6) \quad 17.28 - 10.43$$

$$7) \quad 56.48 - 25.29$$

$$8) \quad 82.04 - 63.48$$

$$9) \quad 92.16 - 25.31$$

$$10) \quad 83.58 - 36.21$$

$$11) \quad 25.83 - 15.4$$

$$12) \quad 36.42 - 15.9$$

$$13) \quad 83.29 - 16.3$$

$$14) \quad 25.62 - 7.3$$

$$15) \quad 34.26 - 1.09$$

$$16) \quad 26.4 - 15.35$$

$$17) \quad 12.4 - 5.62$$

$$18) \quad 17.4 - 8.99$$

$$19) \quad 34.6 - 2.11$$

$$20) \quad 73.2 - 16.78$$

$$21) \quad 14 - 3.2$$

$$22) \quad 83 - 5.6$$

$$23) \quad 46 - 3.7$$

$$24) \quad 36 - 8.08$$

$$25) \quad 42 - 6.72$$

$$26) \quad \text{Take 19.2 from 76.8}$$

$$27) \quad \text{From 0.67 subtract 0.38}$$

$$28) \quad \text{Subtract 1.9 from 10.2}$$

Exercise 7 - Multiply

1) 16.3×6	2) 29.4×7	3) 38.6×2
4) 29.3×4	5) 51.6×2	6) 29.7×3
7) 23.8×9	8) 14.81×5	9) 29.31×3
10) 93.37×7	11) 18.81×5	12) 38.72×4
13) 29.9×6	14) 17.81×8	15) 14.93×9
16) 83.8×8	17) 56.92×4	18) 73.24×5
19) 9.49×9	20) 92.01×7	21) 15×8
22) 7.42×6	23) 28.39×5	24) 60.02×9

Exercise 8 - Multiply

1) 4.2×10	2) 7.3×10	3) 2.8×10
4) 14.3×10	5) 17.28×10	6) 18.29×10
7) 38.35×10	8) 42.02×10	9) 3.1×100
10) 6.7×100	11) 4.3×100	12) 7.9×100
13) 42.81×100	14) 39.91×100	15) 99.81×100
16) 4.3×1000	17) 6.2×1000	18) 13.3×1000
19) 19.9×1000	20) 19.91×1000	21) 14.03×100
22) 39.73×1000	23) 47.83×1000	24) 57.19×1000
25) 6.7×6	26) 12.5×7	27) 93.4×8
28) 82.5×9	29) 43.8×2	30) 56.7×3
31) 2.47×4	32) 7.38×5	33) 9.42×6
34) 72.8×7	35) 83.2×8	36) 24.67×9
37) 73.24×2	38) 88.56×8	39) 60.02×6

Exercise 9 - Divide

1) $57 \div 10$ 2) $6.2 \div 10$ 3) $13.4 \div 10$

4) $28.6 \div 10$ 5) $38.24 \div 10$ 6) $17.83 \div 10$

7) $210.5 \div 10$ 8) $57.5 \div 100$ 9) $203.2 \div 100$

10) $2432.3 \div 100$ 11) $1325.8 \div 100$ 12) $672.3 \div 100$

13) $5325.6 \div 100$ 14) $1769.73 \div 100$ 15) $2693.64 \div 1000$

16) $1775.6 \div 1000$ 17) $2935.67 \div 1000$ 18) $1956.21 \div 1000$

19) $1234.5 \div 1000$ 20) $7324.6 \div 1000$

Exercise 10 - Divide

1) $5.6 \div 10$ 2) $8.4 \div 10$ 3) $4.3 \div 10$

4) $36.2 \div 10$ 5) $58.5 \div 10$ 6) $43 \div 10$

7) $85 \div 10$ 8) $278 \div 10$ 9) $666 \div 10$

10) $910 \div 10$ 11) $534 \div 100$ 12) $637 \div 100$

13) $735 \div 100$ 14) $821 \div 100$ 15) $999 \div 10$

16) $42 \div 100$ 17) $63 \div 100$ 18) $77 \div 100$

19) $10 \div 100$ 20) $8 \div 100$ 20) $6.8 \div 2$

21) $17.1 \div 3$ 22) $22.4 \div 4$ 23) $87.5 \div 5$

25) $52.2 \div 6$ 24) $33.6 \div 7$ 25) $48.8 \div 8$

26) $12.6 \div 9$ 27) $47.8 \div 2$ 30) $16.47 \div 3$

28) $11.48 \div 4$ 29) $42 \div 5$ 30) $14.82 \div 6$

31) $44.66 \div 7$ 35) $82 \div 8$ 32) $69.93 \div 9$

33) $266.8 \div 4$ 34) $355.6 \div 7$ 35) $6.84 \div 9$

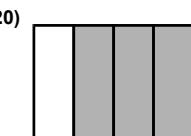
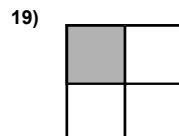
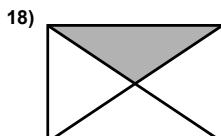
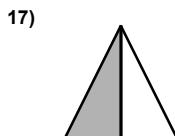
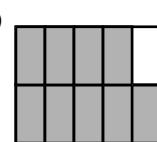
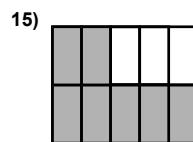
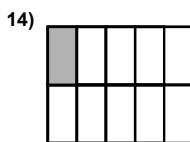
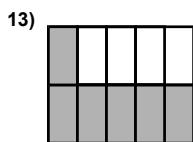
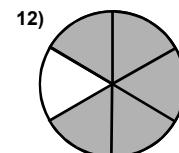
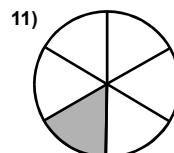
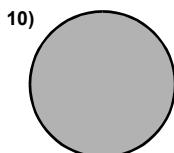
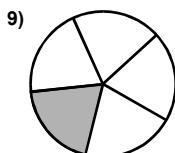
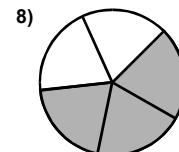
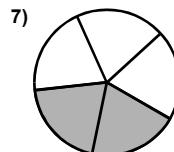
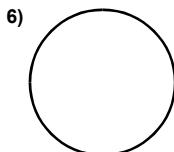
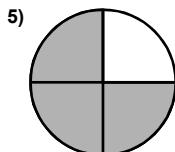
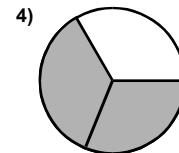
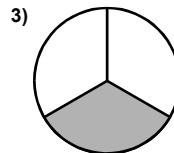
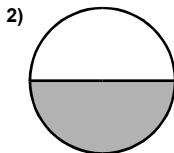
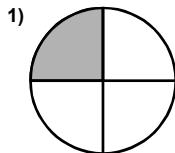
Exercise 11 – Problem Solving

- 1) Two tables are placed together to form a larger one. If the first table is 67.4 cm long and the second table is 56.8 cm long, what is the total length?
- 2) A piece of wood is 37.4 cm long. If 12.7 cm is cut off from one end what length remains?
- 3) A child places 5 toy bricks of length 14.6 cm in a straight line. What is the total length?
- 4) A piece of ribbon 114.8 cm long is shared equally among 7 girls. What length should each girl receive?
- 5) Three boxes weigh 4.6 kg, 7.9 kg and 18.2 kg. What is the total weight?
- 6) A bottle of Coca-Cola holds 2 litres. What volume remains after a glass of 0.35 litres has been removed?
- 7) What length of shelf is needed to hold books with thicknesses of 6.3 cm, 7.4 cm, 1.8 cm, 2.8 cm and 4.9 cm?
- 8) Billy does 10 press ups in 26.8 seconds. How long does he take for each press up?
- 9) Six spoonfuls of medicine each holding 5.1 ml are removed from a bottle containing 50 ml. How much medicine is left in the bottle?
- 10) A car uses 0.12 litres of petrol for every mile it travels. How many litres will be used in travelling 9 miles?

Fractions

Exercise 1

Write down the fraction shaded in each shape.



Exercise 2 - Fraction of a quantity (Single)

1) $\frac{1}{2}$ of 48 2) $\frac{1}{4}$ of 20 3) $\frac{1}{3}$ of 36 4) $\frac{1}{2}$ of 62

5) $\frac{1}{3}$ of 42 6) $\frac{1}{4}$ of 52 7) $\frac{1}{5}$ of 35 8) $\frac{1}{5}$ of 60

9) $\frac{1}{2}$ of 76 10) $\frac{1}{3}$ of 54 11) $\frac{1}{4}$ of 72 12) $\frac{1}{3}$ of 75

13) $\frac{1}{5}$ of 80 14) $\frac{1}{5}$ of 75 15) $\frac{1}{2}$ of 92 16) $\frac{1}{3}$ of 81

17) $\frac{1}{4}$ of 60 18) $\frac{1}{5}$ of 90 19) $\frac{1}{8}$ of 24 20) $\frac{1}{8}$ of 40

21) $\frac{1}{8}$ of 56 22) $\frac{1}{8}$ of 80 23) $\frac{1}{10}$ of 40 24) $\frac{1}{10}$ of 50

25) $\frac{1}{10}$ of 70 26) $\frac{1}{10}$ of 90 27) $\frac{1}{5}$ of 85 28) $\frac{1}{2}$ of 48

29) $\frac{1}{8}$ of 96 30) $\frac{1}{3}$ of 96 31) $\frac{1}{2}$ of 13 32) $\frac{1}{2}$ of 19

Exercise 3 – Fractions of a quantity

1) $\frac{1}{3}$ of 138 2) $\frac{1}{5}$ of 450 3) $\frac{1}{8}$ of 480

4) $\frac{1}{10}$ of 560 5) $\frac{1}{20}$ of 860 6) $\frac{1}{100}$ of 3800

7) $\frac{2}{3}$ of 156 8) $\frac{3}{5}$ of 935 9) $\frac{2}{5}$ of 470

10) $\frac{3}{8}$ of 576 11) $\frac{5}{8}$ of 192 12) $\frac{7}{8}$ of 304

$$13) \frac{3}{10} \text{ of } 370$$

$$14) \frac{5}{8} \text{ of } 128$$

$$15) \frac{7}{10} \text{ of } 790$$

$$16) \frac{9}{10} \text{ of } 450$$

$$17) \frac{3}{20} \text{ of } 660$$

$$18) \frac{3}{8} \text{ of } 776$$

$$19) \frac{7}{20} \text{ of } 780$$

$$20) \frac{9}{20} \text{ of } 540$$

$$21) \frac{7}{20} \text{ of } 540$$

$$22) \frac{4}{5} \text{ of } 145$$

$$23) \frac{3}{10} \text{ of } 650$$

$$24) \frac{3}{8} \text{ of } 424$$

$$25) \frac{7}{8} \text{ of } 360$$

$$26) \frac{3}{5} \text{ of } 480$$

$$27) \frac{3}{10} \text{ of } 120$$

$$28) \frac{4}{5} \text{ of } 290$$

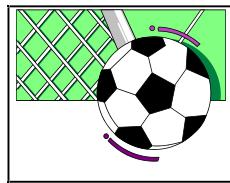
$$29) \frac{7}{10} \text{ of } 240$$

$$30) \frac{7}{8} \text{ of } 496$$

Exercise 4 - Problems

1) a) A football match last 90 minutes. How long is the first half?

b) A rugby match lasts 80 minutes. How many minutes does the first quarter last?



2) Brian has 45p, but he owes $\frac{1}{5}$ of it to Peter.

a) How much does he owe to Peter? b) How much does he have left?

3) $\frac{3}{10}$ of class of 30 pupils are absent.

a) How many are absent? b) How many are present?

4) 42 cars are in the car park. $\frac{1}{3}$ of them are blue.

How many blue cars are there?

5) Calculate these amounts in pence.

a) $\frac{1}{10}$ of £1

b) $\frac{3}{10}$ of £2

c) $\frac{3}{4}$ of £1

d) $\frac{1}{2}$ of £5

e) $\frac{1}{5}$ of £2

f) $\frac{2}{3}$ of £1.50

6) John gets $\frac{2}{3}$ of £72 as a prize. How much money does he get?

7) A tank holds 1600 litres of oil when it is full. If it is $\frac{1}{4}$ full, how many litres have been used?

8) Calculate

a) $\frac{2}{3}$ of 12cm

b) $\frac{3}{4}$ of 20 pupils

c) $\frac{2}{5}$ of 30 grams

d) $\frac{7}{8}$ of 24 days

9) There are 60 minutes in an hour. How many minutes are there in:

a) $\frac{1}{2}$ hour

b) $\frac{1}{4}$ hour

c) $\frac{3}{4}$ hour

d) $\frac{1}{3}$ hour

10) In a test, $\frac{1}{5}$ of the pupils will be given an **A** grade, $\frac{1}{2}$ a **B** grade, $\frac{1}{4}$ a **C** grade and the rest a **D** grade.

Out of a group of 40 pupils, how many will get each grade?

11) Calculate

a) $\frac{3}{4}$ of £100

b) $\frac{1}{10}$ of £120

c) $\frac{3}{8}$ of £40

d) $\frac{2}{5}$ of £35

12) There are 90° in a right angle. How many degrees are in:

a) $\frac{2}{3}$ of a right angle

b) $\frac{3}{4}$ of a right angle

c) $\frac{3}{5}$ of a right angle

13) $\frac{2}{3}$ of a person's weight is water. Jean weighs 63 kg.

How much of this is water?

14) Calculate

a) $\frac{3}{10}$ of 240 m b) $\frac{2}{3}$ of 210 kg c) $\frac{3}{5}$ of 600 pupils d) $\frac{5}{8}$ of 120 cm

15) Calculate the length of video tape needed to record **two** TV

programmes each lasting $\frac{3}{4}$ of an hour.

Percentages

Exercise 1 – Non Calculator

1) Work out:

a) 50% of £84	b) 25% of £1000	c) 20% of £80
d) 10% of £40	e) 20% of £6400	f) $33\frac{1}{3}\%$ of £81
g) 50% of £9	h) 10% of £52	i) 10% of £63
j) 75% of £48	k) 75% of £92	l) $66\frac{2}{3}\%$ of £45
m) $33\frac{1}{3}\%$ of £7.20	n) $66\frac{2}{3}\%$ of £153.60	o) 75% of £61
p) 10% of £15.50	q) 20% of £13.20	r) 10% of 20p

2) A turtle laid 132 eggs. 50% of them were eaten by birds.

How many were eaten by birds?

3) 20% of the pupils in a school are left handed.

If there are 1100 pupils, how many of them are left handed?

4) 25% of the items sold at a car boot sale were CDs.

How many CDs were sold if there were 5400 items?

5) In Glasgow in 2009, it was sunny for 20% of the time.

If there are 365 days in a year, how many days was it sunny for?

Exercise 2 - Calculator

1) Calculate:

a) 7% of £16 b) 9% of £65 c) 41% of £25 d) 89% of £530

e) 17% of £380 f) 22% of £60 g) 46% of £5 h) 22% of £680

i) 7% of £50 j) 19% of £60 k) 35% of £14 l) 11% of £90

m) 44% of £12.50 n) 5% of £17 o) 6% of £90 p) 84% of £68.50

q) 8.5% of £64 r) 7.2% of £620 s) 3.1% of £540 t) 10.7% of £889

u) $4\frac{1}{2}\%$ of £18 v) $12\frac{1}{2}\%$ of £84 w) $3\frac{1}{2}\%$ of £650 x) $2\frac{1}{2}\%$ of £12

Exercise 3 – Problem Solving

1) Heidi is offered 11% of £350 or 45% of £80.
Which offer should Heidi take?

2) Goats' cheese contains 15% fat.
How much fat is there in a pack which contains:

a) 240g b) 460g c) 0.86kg d) 0.38kg

3) Of the 3 cakes below, which one, *per helping*, is better for you in terms of fat content? (assume the cupcake is 1 helping)



500g Chocolate Cake

18% Fat



250g Carrot Cake

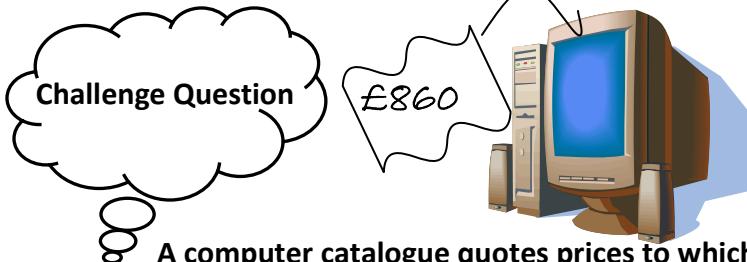
8% Fat



50g Cupcake

12% Fat

4)



A computer catalogue quotes prices to which a tax of 20% (VAT) must be added. What would be the price of the computer above?

3) VAT is short for 'value added tax'. It is a tax on goods and is money paid to the government. The current rate of V.A.T. is 20%.

Work out the VAT on each of the items shown below.

a)



Camera £142

b)



Fridge £285

c)



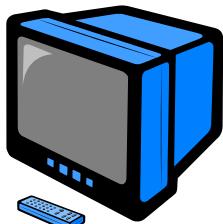
Video HiFi £680

d)



Carpets £1250

e) **Colour T.V.**



Cost = £689

f) **Computer**



Cost = £2650

g) **Car repair Bill**

4 new tyres at £44.75 each	£
Oil	£3.89
Car check	£19.95
New Exhaust	£63.75

Work out the total
then add VAT to get the Bill.

Total = £

VAT = £

Bill = £

h) **Windows**

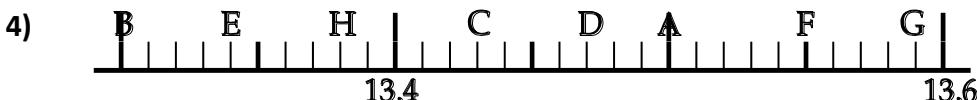
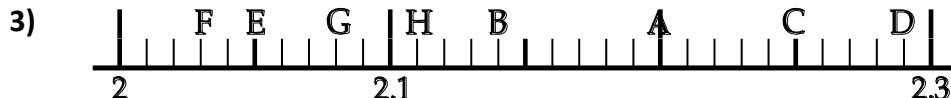


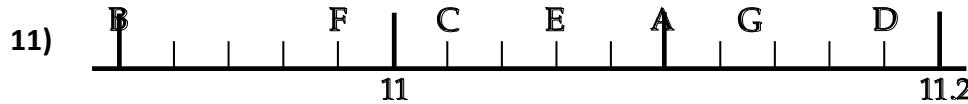
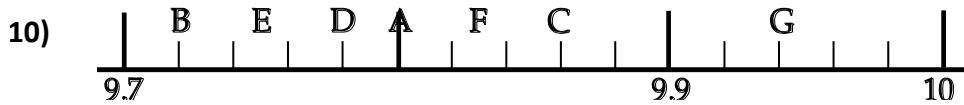
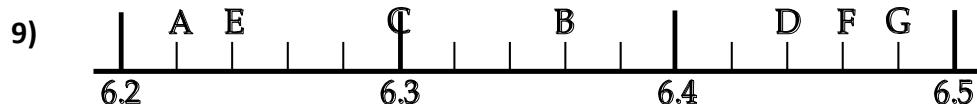
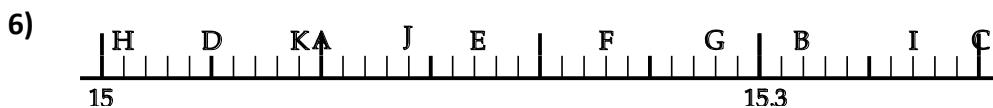
Work out the VAT to be paid
on installing 8 new windows
at £38.55 each.

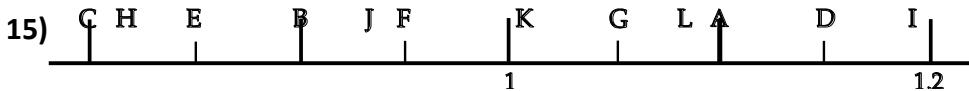
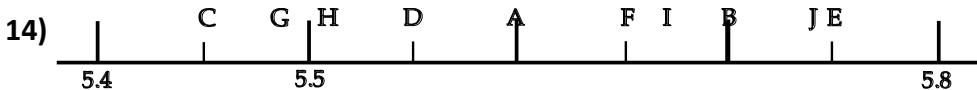
Reading Scales

Exercise 1

In each of the following questions, write down the number marked by each letter (eg A = 4.62)

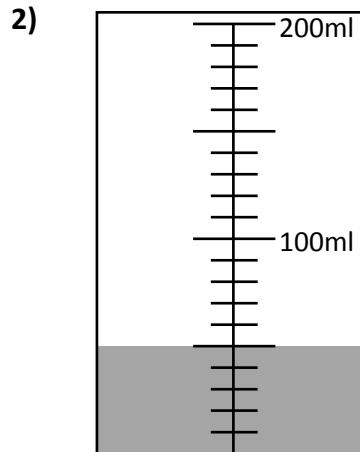
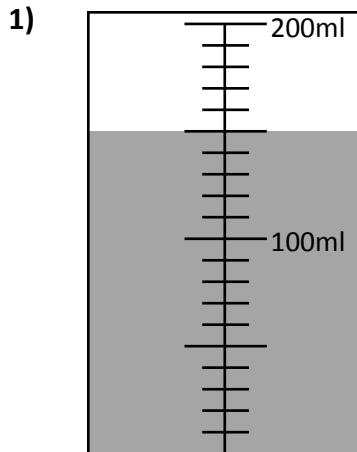




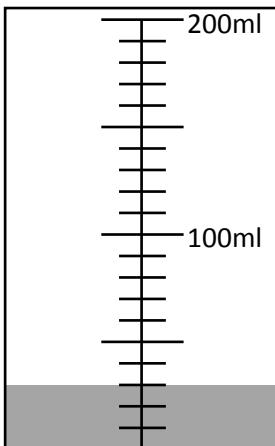


Exercise 2

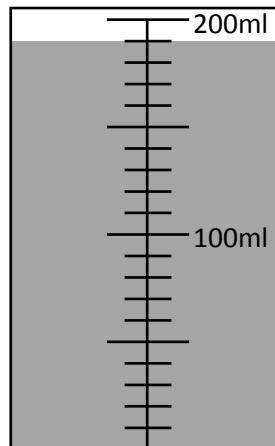
Write down how much water is filled in these containers



3)

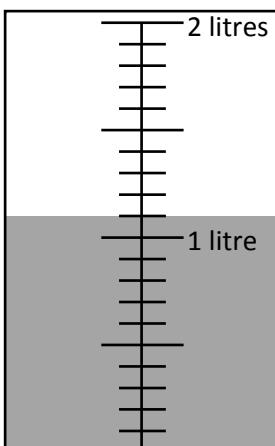


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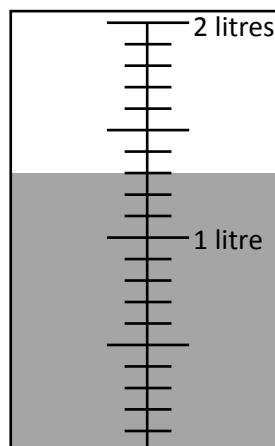


CAREFUL With these two!!

5)

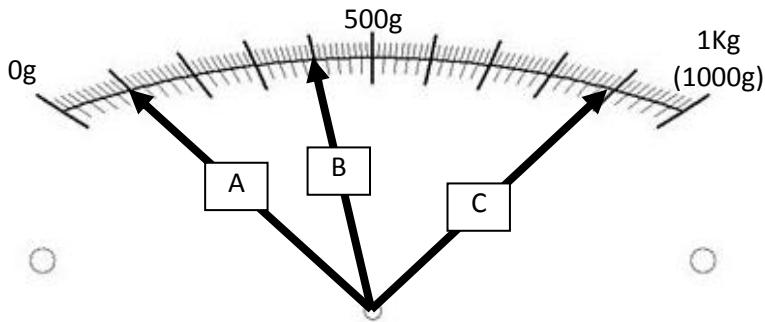


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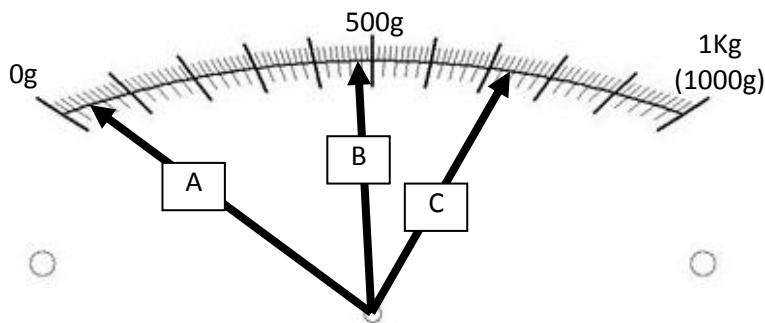


Write down what weight each arrow on the scales is pointing to

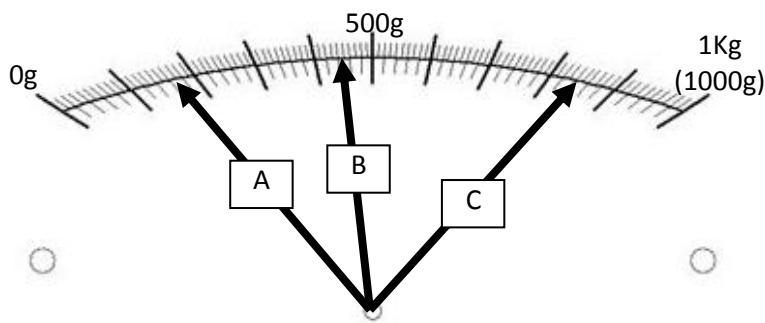
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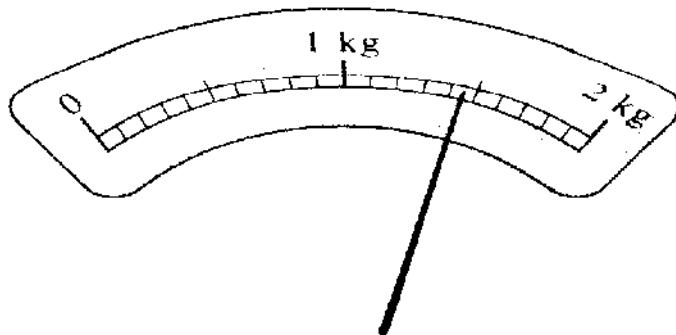
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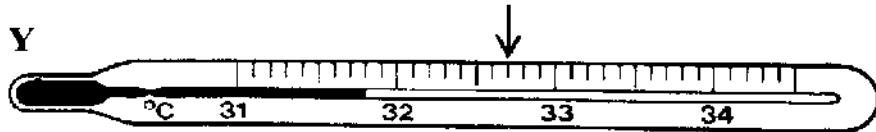
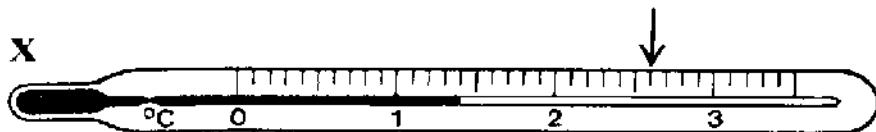
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16) What reading is indicated by the pointer on this weighing machine?

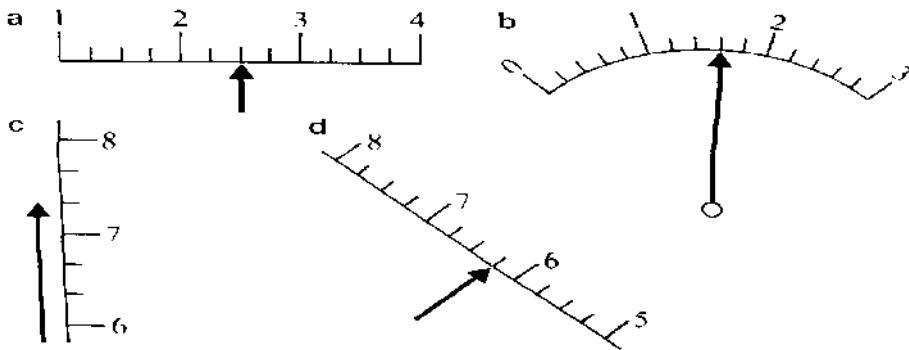


17) a) What reading is shown in each thermometer?

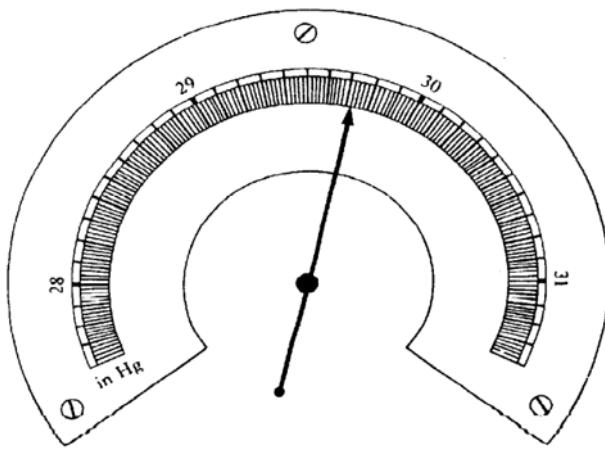


b) What temperatures are indicated by the 2 arrows on the thermometers?

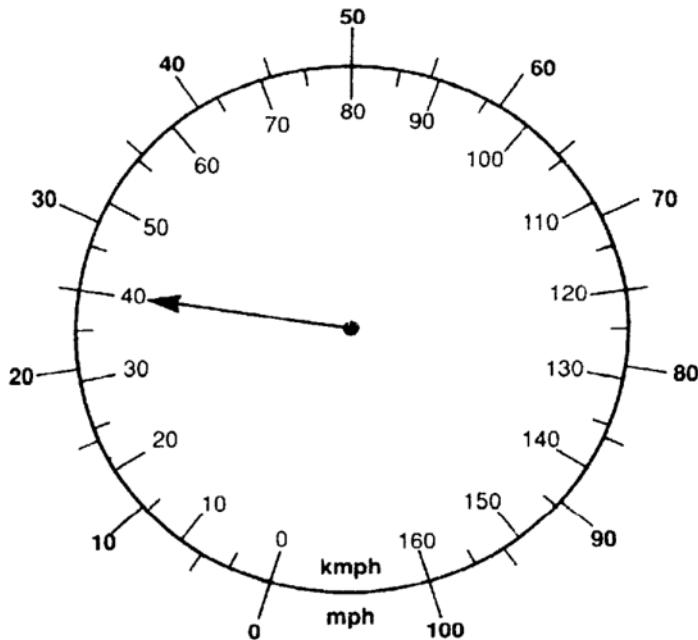
18) Write down the reading to which each arrow points in these diagrams.



19) What is the reading on this barometer scale?



20) a) What is the reading in mph shown on the speedometer?

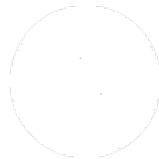


b) The max speed limit for motorways is 70 mph.
Use the speedometer scales to find this speed in km per hour.



c) The standard speed limit in built up areas is 30 mph.
Use the speedometer scales to find this speed in km per hour.

d) The national speed limit for single roads is 60 mph.
Use the speedometer scales to find this speed in km per hour.



e) The speed limit for a bus on a dual carriage way is 60 mph.
Use the speedometer scales to find this speed in km per hour.

PROBABILITY

Exercise 1

Choose one word for each event:

IMPOSSIBLE

UNLIKELY

LIKELY

CERTAIN

- Tomorrow will be Christmas day
- I will have pizza for dinner tonight
- It will be very hot tomorrow
- I will be in school tomorrow



- I will be in Disneyworld tonight
- It will get dark tonight
- I will be in bed by midnight tonight
- Tomorrow will be my birthday
- The grass will be purple tomorrow

Exercise 2

0 stands for IMPOSSIBLE and 1 for a CERTAIN event.

$\frac{1}{2}$ means there is an EQUAL chance of an event happening.

What is the probability that:

- The grass will be blue tomorrow
- You will breathe today
- Tossing a coin will get you a tail
- Rolling a die will get you an even number
- Rolling a die will get you an odd number



Exercise 3



- 1 If a letter is chosen at random from the word SUCCESS, what is the probability that it will be:
a) the letter S? b) the letter C?
- 2 If a letter is chosen at random from the word PEPPER, what is the probability that it will be:
a) the letter P? b) the letter E?
- 3 If a letter is chosen at random from the word GEORGE, what is the probability that it will be:
a) the letter E? b) the letter G?
c) a vowel(A,E,I,O,U) d) a consonant (not a vowel)?

4 If a letter is chosen at random from the word PENELOPE, what is the probability that it will be:

- a) the letter E?
- b) the letter P?
- c) a vowel?
- d) a consonant?



5 When a die is rolled what is the probability that the outcome is :

- a) the number 5 ?
- b) an even number ?
- c) an odd number ?

6 A game consists of spinning an arrow which is equally likely to land on 1,2,3,4,5. What is the probability it will point to :

- a) an even number?
- b) an odd number?
- c) the number 3 ?

7 There are 30 pupils in a class. 15 have blue eyes, 10 have brown eyes and 5 have green. What is the probability that a pupil will have:

- a) blue eyes
- b) green eyes?
- c) brown eyes?

8 A box contains 10 white beads and 20 black beads. If a bead is drawn what is the probability that it is :

- a) white
- b) black?

9 If a letter is chosen at random from the word WOODWORK, what is the probability that it will be:

- a) the letter O?
- b) the letter W?
- c) a consonant?

10 If a letter is chosen at random from the word NEEDLEWORK, what is the probability that it will be:

- a) the letter E?
- b) a vowel?
- c) a consonant?

11 When a card is drawn at random from a pack of 52 playing cards, what is the probability that it is:

- a) an ace?
- b) a heart?
- c) the ace of spades?
- d) a king, queen or jack?



12 There are 50 cars of the same make in a showroom. 18 are blue, 15 white, 10 green, 7 red. If it is equally likely any one of them will be sold, what is the probability that it will be:

- a) white?
- b) green?
- c) red or blue?
- d) neither red nor blue?

Exercise 4



- 1) Five cards-10, jack, queen, king, ace- are shuffled face down. One of the cards is picked at random.
 - a) What is the probability that the ace is picked?
 - b) If the jack is drawn, and kept out, what is the probability that the next card chosen will be an ace?

- 2) A bag contains 5 white marbles, 3 black and 2 red.
 - a) What is the probability that if one marble is chosen at random it will be white?
 - b) If a white marble is chosen, and not replaced, what is the probability that a black marble will be chosen next?

- 3) A bag contains 6 red counters and 10 green counters.
 - a) If a counter is removed what is the probability that it is red?
 - b) If the counter was red and it was not replaced what is the probability that the next counter to be picked out would also be red?

- 4) A bag contains 1 red counter and 5 green counters.
 - a) If a counter is removed what is the probability that it is red?
 - b) If the counter was red and it was not replaced what is the probability that the next counter to be picked out would also be red?

- 5) A bag contains 5 red counters and 12 green counters.
 - a) If a counter is removed what is the probability that it is red?
 - b) If the counter was red and it was not replaced what is the probability that the next counter to be picked out would also be red?



6) A bag contains 8 red counters and 5 green counters.

a) If a counter is removed what is the probability that it is red?

b) If the counter was red and it was not replaced what is the probability that the next counter to be picked out would also be red?

7) The pupils in a class were asked how often they had visited the doctors last term.

The table gives the replies.

Visits	Frequency
1	5
2	6
3	15
4	3
5	1

a) i) How many were asked?

ii) How many said “2 times”

iii) What is the probability that if one of the pupils is chosen at random they will have said “2 times”

b) What is the probability that if someone from the class is chosen at random they will have said:

i) 4 times?

ii) Less than 3 times?

iii) More than twice?