



Percentages

Applications

SPTA Mathematics Unit 1 Homework



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Marks

1. John has just put £700 into a savings account where the rate of interest is 4% per annum.
How much will his savings be worth after 3 years? (3)
2. Mary puts £1200 into an account where the annual rate of interest is 5.5%.
How long will it be before she has at least £1400 in her account? (4)
3. My new car has just cost me £18,000. Its value will depreciate by 20% every year.
How much will it be worth when I trade it in 3 years from now? (3)
4. The pressure in my car tyre should be 30psi, but a nail in it is causing it to lose pressure at the rate of 15% every mile that I drive.
How far can I drive before the pressure falls below 20psi? (4)
5. Hassan has been told his hourly pay is to increase by 6% to £9.54.
Calculate his hourly rate before the increase. (3)
6. Due to fire damage, the value of a painting has fallen by 34% and is now valued at £4158.
What was its value before the damage? (3)

Total Marks: 20