

Ratios (inc Scales)

Question Paper 3



- 1 The scale of a map is 1:500000.
 - (a) The actual distance between two towns is 172 km.Calculate the distance, in centimetres, between the towns on the map.

Answer(a) cm [2]

(b) The area of a lake on the map is 12 cm^2 . Calculate the actual area of the lake in km².

Answer(b) km² [2]

2 A car company sells a scale model $\frac{1}{10}$ of the size of one of its cars.

Complete the following table.

	Scale Model	Real Car
Area of windscreen (cm ²)	135	
Volume of storage space (cm ³)		408 000

[3]

3 Martha divides \$240 between spending and saving in the ratio

spending: saving = 7:8.

Calculate the amount Martha has for spending.



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4	(a	Abdullah and Jasmine bought a car for \$9000. Abdullah paid 45% of the \$9000 and Jasmine paid the rest.
		(i) How much did Jasmine pay towards the cost of the car?
		Answer(a)(1) [2]
		(ii) Write down the ratio of the payments Abdullah: Jasmine in its simplest form.
		<i>Answer(a)</i> (ii) : [1]
	(b)	Last year it cost \$2256 to run the car. Abdullah, Jasmine and their son Henri share this cost in the ratio 8:3:1. Calculate the amount each paid to run the car.
		Answer(b) Abdullah \$
		Jasmine \$
		Henri \$ [3]
	(c)	(i) A new truck costs \$15000 and loses 23% of its value each year. Calculate the value of the truck after three years.

Answer(c)(i) \$ [3]

(ii) Calculate the overall percentage loss of the truck's value after three years.

Answer(c)(ii) %[3]

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- 5 The scale on a map is 1: 20 000.
 - (a) Calculate the actual distance between two points which are 2.7 cm apart on the map. Give your answer in kilometres.

		Answer(a)		km	[2]
(b)	A field has an area of $64 \ 400 \ \text{m}^2$. Calculate the area of the field on the map in cm^2 .		con		
	megale	Answer(b)	2.	cm ²	[2]

- 6 The scale of a map is $1:250\,000$.
 - (a) The actual distance between two cities is 80 km.

Calculate this distance on the map. Give your answer in centimetres.

Answer(a) cm [2]

(b) On the map a large forest has an area of 6 cm^2 .

Calculate the actual area of the forest. Give your answer in square kilometres.

Answer(b) km² [2]

7 A model of a car is made to a scale of 1 : 40. The volume of the model is 45 cm³. Calculate the volume of the car. Give your answer in m³.



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- 8 A school has 220 boys and 280 girls.
 - (a) Find the ratio of boys to girls, in its simplest form.

		Answer(a)	:	[1]
(b)	The ratio of students to teachers is 10 : 1. Find the number of teachers.			
		Answer(b)		[2]
(c)	There are 21 students on the school's committee. The ratio of boys to girls is 3 : 4. Find the number of girls on the committee.			
		Answer(c)		[2]
(d)	The committee organises a disco and sells tickets. 35% of the school's students each buy a ticket. E Calculate the total amount received from selling t	ach ticket cos he tickets.	ts \$1.60.	
		Answer(d) \$		[3]
(e)	The cost of running the disco is \$264. This is an increase of 10% on the cost of running Calculate the cost of running last year's disco.	last year's dis	co.	

Answer(e) \$ [2]

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- Chris goes to a shop to buy meat, vegetables and fruit. 9
 - (a) (i) The costs of the meat, vegetables and fruit are in the ratio

meat : vegetables : fruit = 2 : 2 : 3.

The cost of the meat is \$2.40.

Calculate the total cost of the meat, vegetables and fruit.



(b) The masses of the meat, vegetables and fruit are in the ratio

meat : vegetables : fruit = 1 : 8 : 3.

The total mass is 9 kg.

Calculate the mass of the vegetables.

Answer(b) kg [2]

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Answer(c) \$ [3]

(d) The cost of the meat, \$2.40, is an increase of 25% on the cost the previous week.Calculate the cost of the meat the previous week.

Answer(d) \$ [2]