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Profit n Loss Questions for IBPS RRB SCALE- I Pre & RRB Office Asst. Pre Exams – Profit n Loss Quiz at Smartkeeda.

Profit n Loss Quiz 18

Directions: Kindly study the following Questions carefully and choose the right answer:

1. If the selling price of a product is increased by 20% the profit will increase by 70%. What is the original profit on the product?

- A. 32.5% B. 25% C. 50% D. 40% E. 37.5%

2. When a person sold an article, his profit is 40% of the selling price. If the cost price is increased by 25% and the selling price remains the same, then decrement in the profit is what percent of the selling price of the article?

- A. 15% B. 20% C. 18% D. 24% E. 12%

3. A product is sold at a profit of 35% after a discount of 10%, what will be the percent change in profit if the product is sold at a discount of 3.33%?

- A. 7.14% B. 28.57% C. 22.22% D. 25% E. 6.89%

4. Selling price of an item is such that it gives 20% profit. If it is sold at Rs. 20 less, the profit percentage is 12%. What was the selling price when it was to be sold to have 20% profit?

- A. Rs. 100 B. Rs. 180 C. Rs. 250 D. Rs. 300 E. Rs. 280

5. The discount on a product is 20% of its selling price and the profit on it is 12.5%. If its cost price is Rs. 240, what is the marked price?

- A. Rs. 416 B. Rs. 364 C. Rs. 324 D. Rs. 308 E. Rs. 284

6. An item is sold by the seller at R% more than the cost price to have a profit of Rs. 43.2. If a buyer wants to buy the item for Rs. 7.2 less, the profit to the seller is 8%. Find R.

- A. 8.4 B. 9 C. 9.2 D. 9.6 E. 10.2

7. Cost price of a bottle of sanitizer is Rs. 3200. A shopkeeper marked up the price of the bottle by $x\%$ and then offered a discount of 20%. If the profit he earned is 5.6%, then find the value of x ?

- A. 30 B. 32 C. 15 D. 25 E. 28

8. Marked price of an article is Rs. 150 more than the cost price and it is sold at a discount of 24%. Find the cost price if the profit earned is Rs. 18.

- A. Rs. 200 B. Rs. 300 C. Rs. 400 D. Rs. 500 E. None of these

9. Marked price of a chair is 160% of its cost price. Selling price of the chair is Rs. 1536. If discount offered is 20%, then what is the marked price of the chair?

- A. Rs. 1920 B. Rs. 1940 C. Rs. 1840 D. Rs. 1860 E. Rs. 2020

10. An item was sold at Rs. 1020 such that the discount given was 20%. If the item was sold at Rs. 190 less than the marked price instead of the 20% discount, find the cost price of the item.

- A. Rs. 1050 B. Rs. 1085 C. Rs. 1105 D. Rs. 1125 E. Cannot be determined



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Correct Answers:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
D	A	B	D	C	D	B	C	A	E

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Explanations:

1. $SP = CP + P$

$$120\% \text{ of } SP = 1.2(CP + P)$$

As, the profit increases by 70%

$$\text{New } SP = CP + 1.7(P)$$

$$1.2(CP + P) = CP + 1.7(P)$$

$$0.2 CP = 0.5P$$

$$\frac{P}{CP} = \frac{2}{5}$$

$$P\% = \frac{2}{5} \times 100 = 40\%$$

Hence, option D is correct.

2.

Let the selling price = Rs 300

$$\text{Profit} = 300 \times 40\% = \text{Rs } 120$$

$$\text{Cost price} = 300 - 120 = \text{Rs } 180$$

$$\text{New cost price} = 180 \times 125\% = \text{Rs } 225$$

$$\text{New Profit} = 300 - 225 = \text{Rs } 75$$

$$\text{Difference} = 120 - 75 = \text{Rs } 45$$

$$\text{Reqd. \%} = \frac{45}{300} \times 100 = 15\%$$

Hence, option A is correct.

3.

Let the CP = 100k, SP = 135k

Profit = 35k

SP = 0.9MP

$$MP = \frac{135k}{0.9} = 150k$$

If discount = 3.33%

$$SP = \frac{29}{30} \times 150k = 145k$$

Profit = 45k

$$\text{Percentage change in profit} = \frac{45 - 35}{35} \times 100 = 28.57\%$$

Hence, option B is correct.

4.

Let the cost price was Rs. 100C.

Selling price = Rs. 120C

When sold at Rs. 20 less from this price, we have (120C – 20)

This is 12% profit, thus

$$112C = 120C - 20$$

$$8C = 20$$

$$C = 2.5$$

The selling price when it was to be sold to have 20% profit = Rs. 120C = Rs. 300

Hence, option D is correct.

5.

$$CP = 240$$

$$\text{Profit} = 12.5\%$$

$$SP = \frac{9}{8} \times 240 = 270$$

$$\text{Discount} = 20\% \text{ of } SP$$

$$MP = \left(1 + \frac{20}{100}\right) \quad SP = \frac{6}{5} \times 270 = \text{Rs. } 324$$

Hence, option C is correct.

6.

Let the cost price was Rs. 100P.

If it is sold at $43.2 - 7.2 = 36$ more than the cost price, the profit percentage is 8%, therefore

$$8\% \text{ of } 100P = 36$$

$$P = 4.5$$

$$\text{Cost price, } 100P = \text{Rs. } 450$$

When it is sold at R% profit, we have

$$R\% \text{ of } 450 = 43.2$$

$$R = 9.6$$

Hence, option D is correct.



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7.

Selling price of the bottle = $3200 \times 105.6\% = \text{Rs. } 3379.2$

Marked price = $\frac{3379.2 \times 100}{80} = \text{Rs. } 4224$

According to the question,

$$3200 \times (100 + x)\% = 4224$$

$$3200 + 32x = 4224$$

$$32x = 1024$$

$$x = 32$$

Hence, option B is correct.

8.

Let the cost price be Rs. $100y$, then the marked price = $100y + 150$

Selling price = 24% discount on $100y + 150 = 0.76 \times (100y + 150) = 76y + 114$

Profit earned = $(76y + 114) - 100y = 114 - 24y = 18$

So, we get $y = 4$

The cost price = Rs. 400

Hence, option C is correct.



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9.

Let cost price = x

Marked price = 160% of $x = 1.6x$

Selling price = 80% of $1.6x = 1.28x$

So $1.28x = 1536$

$x = 1200$

Marked price of chair = Rs. 1920

Hence, option A is correct.

10.

Let the marked price was Rs. M , then

$M - 20\% \text{ of } M = 1020$

$M = 1275$

The new selling price = $1275 - 190 = \text{Rs. } 1085$

We cannot find the cost price since we neither have any relation between marked price and cost price nor any relation between selling price and cost price.

Hence, option E is correct.



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