

Algebra I

3-7

(Day 2)

Solve Percent Problems

Percent of Change -

$$\frac{\text{change}}{\text{original}} \times 100\%$$

$$\frac{\text{original} - \text{new}}{\text{original}} \times 100\%$$

Find the following:

- 1) A pair of denim jeans was \$25.00 per pair, but was increased in price to \$30.00 a pair. What was the price increase, and what was the percent of increase?

$$\text{change: } 30 - 25 = 5$$

$$\frac{5}{25} \times 100\% = .2 (100\%) = \boxed{20\%}$$

Find the following:

- 2) A Burton snowboard was originally priced \$240.00, but this week is on sale for \$160.00. What is the percent of decrease in price?

$$\text{change: } \$80 = 240 - 160$$

$$\frac{80}{240} = .\overline{3}$$

$$\boxed{33\frac{1}{3}\%}$$

$$.\overline{3} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$.\overline{6} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$.\overline{16} = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$.\overline{83} = \frac{1}{6}$$

Find the following:

- 3) All bargain DVDs are to be marked up 5%. If they are currently priced \$6.00 each, what will the new price be?

$$\text{change} = x$$

$$6 \left(\frac{x}{6} = .05 \right)$$

$$x = .30$$

$$\boxed{\$6.30}$$

Find the following:

- 4) A crosscut hand saw was recently marked up 10% to \$22.00. What was the original price?

$\boxed{\$20}$

Change : $22 - x$

original : x

$$x \left(\frac{22 - x}{x} = .10 \right)$$

$$22 - x = .10x$$

$$22 - x + x = .10x + x$$

$$\frac{22}{1.1} = \frac{1.10x}{1.1}$$

$$20 = x$$

Assignment:

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4-18 even,

19-21, 24, 25,

36, 37, 39

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2-14 even