Finding the original amount given the result of a percentage increase or decrease: Worksheet 5.3

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- 1. Kelly buys a magazine for \$32.50 after it was marked up 25%. What is the original price of the magazine?
- 2. Molly buys a hand bag. There was a discount of 18%. If Molly paid \$24.60, what was the original price?
- 3. Jack bought a pair of trousers for \$63 that were marked down by 30%. What was their original price?
- 4. Anita bought a necklace for \$270 that was marked up by 25%. What was the original price of the necklace?
- 5. What is the principal, if a person paid an amount of \$540 after 1 year at 8% rate of interest per annum?
- 6. A violin was on sale after a markup of 30%. The sale price is \$78. What was the original price?
- 7. A parrot is sold for 30% off the original price. If the sale price of the parrot was \$56, what was its original price?
- 8. There is a markup of 40% on the original price of a fan. If the fan was sold for \$56, what was its original price?
- 9. Jack had a 10%-off coupon and paid \$36 for pair of jeans. What was the original price of the pair of jeans?
- 10. What is the principal, if a person paid an amount of \$1298.50 after 1 year at 6% rate of interest per annum?



Solutions: Worksheet 5.3

- 1. \$26
- 2. \$30
- 3. \$90
- 4. \$216
- 5. \$500
- 6. \$60
- 7. \$80
- 8. \$40
- 9. \$40
- 10. \$1225