# Lesson 6.3 Percent of a Quantity

## Complete. Use the models to help you.

- Example -

What is 8% of 150?

### Method 1

The model shows that:

$$1\% \to \frac{\frac{150}{100} = 1.5}{100}$$

$$8\% \rightarrow 8 \times 1.5 = 12$$

## Method 2

8% of 150 = 
$$\frac{8}{100}$$
 ×  $\frac{150}{100}$ 

8% of 150 is \_\_\_\_\_\_.



"of" means " $\times$ ". In this case, 8% of 150 is the same as 8%  $\times$  150.

### **1.** What is 4% of 250?

### Method 1

The model shows that:

$$100\% \rightarrow 250$$

4% of 250 is \_\_\_\_\_.

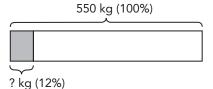
#### Method 2

4% of 250 is \_\_\_\_\_.

152

2. What is 12% of 550 kilograms?

## Method 1



The model shows that:

$$100\% \rightarrow 550 \text{ kg}$$

$$1\% \rightarrow \underline{\qquad} kg$$

$$12\% \rightarrow \underline{\qquad} kg$$

12% of 550 kilograms is

\_\_\_\_\_ kilograms.

## Method 2

12% of 550 kilograms is

\_\_\_\_\_ kilograms.

## Find the percent of each whole.

**3.** 35% of 900

Method 1

**4.** 115% of \$360

Method 1

**5.** 82% of 450

Method 2

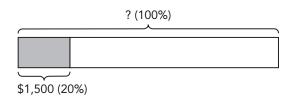
**6.** 170% of 2,100 ft

Method 2

## Solve. Use the models to help you.

– Example –

Ray spent 20% of his savings to buy a \$1,500 computer. How much savings did he have before he bought the computer?



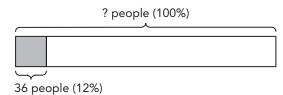
The model shows that:

$$1\% \rightarrow \frac{\$\frac{1,500}{20} = \$75}{20}$$

$$100\% \rightarrow \frac{100 \times \$75 = \$7,500}{100\%}$$

Ray had \$7,500 in his savings before he bought the computer.

**7.** At a movie theater, 12% of the people were children, and the rest were adults. There were 36 children. How many people were at the movie theater in all?



The model shows that:

1% → \_\_\_\_\_ people

100% → \_\_\_\_\_ people

There were \_\_\_\_\_ people at the movie theater in all.

## Solve. You may draw models to help you.

**8.** Jenny made 520 walnut biscuits. This is 40% of the total number of biscuits that she made. How many biscuits did she make in all?

Jenny made \_\_\_\_\_ biscuits in all.

**9.** 28% of the eggs in a basket are quail eggs, and the rest are chicken eggs. There are 140 quail eggs. How many eggs are in the basket in all?

**10.** Keith has 34% of his stamps in an album. If there are 204 stamps in the album, how many stamps does he have in all?

## Solve.

Example —

15% of a number is 180. Find the number.

$$100\% \to \frac{100 \times \frac{180}{15} = 1,200}{100\%}$$

**11.** 40% of a number is 180.

Find the number.

The number is \_\_\_\_\_.

**12.** 75% of a number is 230.

Find the number.

$$75\% \rightarrow 230$$

The number is \_\_\_\_\_.

## Complete.

**13.** 25% of \_\_\_\_\_ is 195.

**14.** 56% of \_\_\_\_\_ is 70.

**20.** 
$$6.02\% = \frac{6.02}{100}$$

$$= \frac{602}{10,000}$$

$$= \frac{301}{5,000}$$

**22.** 
$$\frac{1,517}{10,000}$$

**23.** 
$$\frac{137}{250}$$

**24.** 
$$\frac{1,387}{2,000}$$

## Lesson 6.3

### 1. Method 1

The model shows that:

100% → 250  
1% → 
$$\frac{250}{100} = 2.5$$
  
4% →  $\frac{4 \times 2.5}{100} = 10$   
4% of 250 is 10.

4% of 250 = 
$$\frac{4}{100} \times 250$$
  
=  $\frac{10}{100}$ 

4% of 250 is 10.

#### 2. Method 1

The model shows that:

100% → 550 kg  
1% → 
$$\frac{550}{100}$$
 =  $5.5$  kg

$$12\% \rightarrow 12 \times 5.5 = 66 \text{ kg}$$

12% of 550 kilograms is 66 kilograms.

#### Method 2

12% of 550 kg = 
$$\frac{12}{100}$$
 ×  $\frac{550}{100}$  =  $\frac{66}{100}$  kg

12% of 550 kilograms is 66 kilograms.

7. The model shows that:

12% 
$$\rightarrow$$
 36 people  
1%  $\rightarrow \frac{36}{12} = 3$  people

$$100\% \rightarrow \underline{100 \times 3} = 300$$
 people

There were 300 people at the movie theatre in all.

8. 
$$40\% \rightarrow 520$$
 biscuits

$$1\% \rightarrow \frac{520}{40} = 13 \text{ biscuits}$$

 $100\% \rightarrow 100 \times 13 = 1{,}300$  biscuits

Jenny made 1,300 biscuits in all.

**9.** 500 eggs

**10.** 600 stamps

$$1\% \rightarrow \frac{180}{40}$$

$$100\% \to 100 \times \frac{180}{40} = 450$$

The number is 450.

$$1\% \rightarrow \frac{230}{75}$$

$$100\% \to \overline{100 \times \frac{230}{75}} = 306\frac{2}{3}$$

The number is  $306\frac{2}{3}$ .

**13.** 780

**14.** 125

#### Lesson 6.4

#### 1. a) Method 1

Fraction of the quilts Denise sold

$$= \frac{\text{Number of quilts sold}}{\text{Total number of quilts}}$$

$$=\frac{12}{40}$$

$$=\frac{3}{10}$$

$$\frac{3}{10} \times 100\% = 30\%$$

Denise sold 30% of the guilts.

#### Method 2

$$\underline{40}$$
 quilts  $\rightarrow \underline{100}\%$ 

$$\underline{1} \text{ quilt} \rightarrow \underline{\frac{100}{40}}\%$$

12 quilts 
$$\to$$
 12 x  $\frac{100}{40}$ % = 30%

Denise sold 30% of the quilts.

**b)** 
$$100\% - 30\% = 70\%$$

Denise did not sell 70% of the quilts.

#### 4. Method 1

Sales tax = 
$$\frac{7}{9}$$
 of \$820

$$= \frac{7}{100} \times \$820$$
$$= \$57.40$$

Janice paid \$877.40 in total for her airfare.