## RATE, RATIO AND PROPORTION



| 3. | 1990 Q6 P2 <br> Three juakali artisans Nyundo, Karai and Moto, invested <br> sh 1200, sh1,800 and sh 3000 respectively in their <br> business. They agreed that 34\% of the profits would be <br> divided equally among among them, and the ratio of their <br> investments. <br> How much did Nyundo receive at the end of one year <br> when the total profit realized was sh 15,000? |  |
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| 4. | 1991 Q17 P1 <br> Two business partners Nzau and Masese contributed <br> sh.112,000 and sh 128,000 <br> Respectively, to start a business. They agree to share their <br> profits as follows; <br> $30 \%$ to be shared equally <br> $30 \%$ to be shared in the ratio of their contributions <br> $40 \%$ to be retained for the running of the business. <br> If their total profit for the year 1989 was sh.86400 <br> calculate <br> (i) <br> (ii) <br> The amount retained for running the business |  |




| 11. | 2000 Q 7 P2 |  |
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| Akinyi, Bundi, Cura, and Diba invested some money on a <br> business in the ratio of 7: 9:10:14 respectively. The <br> business realized a profit of Kshs 46,800. They shared <br> 12\% of the profit equally and the remainder in the ratio of <br> their contributions.Calculate the total amount received by <br> Diba |  |  |
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| 16. | 2009 Q15 P1 <br> Abdi sold a radio costing ksh 3,800 at a profit of $20 \%$ He earned a commission of $221 / 2 \%$ on the profit. Find the amount he earned. <br> (2 marks) |  |
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| 17. | 2009 Q1 P2 <br> A farmer feeds every two cows on 480 kg of hay for four days. The farmer has 20160 of hay which is just enough to feed his cows for 6 weeks. Find the number of cows in the farm <br> (3marks) |  |
| 18. | 2010 Q6 P2 <br> Five people can build 3 huts in 21 days. Find the number of people, working at the same rate that will build 6 similar huts in 15 days. <br> (2 marks) |  |
|  |  | Working space |


| 19. | 2012 Q16 P1 <br> Bukra had two bags $A$ and $B$, containing sugar. If he took 2 kg of sugar from bag $A$ and added it to bag $B$, the mass of sugar in bag B would be four times the mass of the sugar in bag A. <br> If he added 10 kg of sugar to the original amount of sugar in each bag, the mass of sugar in bag B would twice the mass of the sugar in bag A. Calculate the original mass of sugar in each bag. <br> (3marks) |
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| 20. | 2012 Q19 P1 <br> Two alloys, A and B, are each made up of copper, Zinc and Tin. In Alloy A, the ratio of copper to zinc is 3:2 and the ratio of zinc tin is $3: 5$. <br> (a) Determine the ratio, copper : zinc: tin in alloy A <br> (2marks) <br> (b) The mass of alloy A is 250 kg . Alloy B has the same mass as alloy A but the amount of copper is $30 \%$ less than that of alloy A . <br> Calculate: <br> (i) The mass of tin in alloy A (2marks) <br> (ii) The total mass of zinc and tin in alloy B <br> (3marks) <br> (c) Given that the ratio of zinc to tin in alloy B is $3: 8$, determine the amount of tin in alloy $B$ than in alloy A. <br> (3marks) |

## RATE, RATIO, PROPORTION AND PERCENTAGES MARKING SCHEME

| NO | SOLUTION | MKS |
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| 1. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { M : N : O } \\ & 2(2: 3) \\ & =4: 6: 15 \\ & \frac{15}{25} \times 120,000 \\ & =\text { Sh. } 72,000 \end{aligned}$ | 3M |
| 2. | $\begin{gathered} \text { (a) } 6.16 \times 10 \times \frac{5}{2} \times 3600 \\ \quad=554,400 \mathrm{~cm}^{3} \\ \frac{554,400}{30,000}=\frac{30000}{30,000} \\ \\ \text { d }=18.48 \mathrm{~cm} \end{gathered}$ <br> (b) $\begin{aligned} & \text { b) } \begin{array}{l} (6.16 \times 10)-(11.6) \\ 61.6-11.6 \\ =50 \mathrm{~cm}^{3} \text { per second } \end{array} \\ & \text { Volume of tank }=3 \times 1.2 \\ & =3.6 \mathrm{~m}^{3} \end{aligned} \begin{array}{r} \begin{array}{r} 3.6 \times 1000000 \\ 50 \\ t=72,000 \text { seconds } \end{array} \end{array}$ $\frac{72000}{3600}$ <br> (b) 20hours, at $2.00 \mathrm{a}, \mathrm{m}$ the following day 1989Q17 | 8M |
| 3. | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \% \text { of } 1500=5,100 \\ & \mathrm{~N}: \mathrm{K}: \mathrm{M} \\ & \\ & 15,000-5,100=9,900 \\ & \quad=2 / 10 \times 9900 \\ & \quad=1980 \\ & 5100 \div 3=1700 \\ & 1980+1700 \end{aligned}$ <br> Sh.3,680 <br> 1990Q6 | 4M |
| 4. | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{N}: \mathrm{M} \\ & 7: 8 \\ & 30 \% \text { of } 86400=25920 \\ & 25920 \div 2=12960 \\ & \\ & 7 / 15 \times 25920=12096 \\ & 8 / 15 \times 25920=13824 \end{aligned}$ | 8M |

$\left.\begin{array}{|l|ll|l|}\hline & \begin{array}{l}12960+12096=25056 \\ 12960+13824=26784\end{array} & & \\ & \\ & \text { Nzau }- \text { sh } 25056 \\ \text { Masese }- \text { sh } 26784\end{array}\right)$

| 10. | $\begin{aligned} \text { Cap of the tank } & =3.4 \times 2.8 \times 3 \times 1000 \\ & =201160 \mathrm{litres} \\ \text { Amount needed } & =20160-3600 \\ & =16560 \text { litres } \\ \text { Time }= & \frac{16560}{0.5 \times 60 \times 60} \\ = & 92 \text { hours } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { M1 } \\ & \text { M1 } \\ & \text { M1 } \\ & \text { A1 } \\ & \text { 4mark } \\ & \text { s } \end{aligned}$ |
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| 11 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Equal share }=1 / 4, x^{12} / 100 \times 46800 \\ & =1404 \\ & \text { Reminder }=\underline{80} \times 46800 \\ & \quad=4118 \end{aligned}$ <br> Share in the ratio of contributions $\begin{align*} & \frac{14}{40} \times 41184 \\ & =1441-40  \tag{ii}\\ & \text { Total share }=1404+14414+40 \\ & =15818.40 \end{align*}$ <br> 2000Q7 | B1 <br> M1 <br> A1 <br> marks |
| 12 | Dividends $5 / 15 \times 81000=27000$ <br> Atieno's $5 / 9 \times 27000$ <br> Shs. 15000 <br> 2002Q12 | M1 <br> M1 <br> A1 <br> 3 <br> marks |
| 13 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { A : W: } \mathrm{M}=10: 8: 5 \\ & \text { Amount shared }={ }^{23} / 5 \times 10000 \\ & =46000 \\ & \text { Atieno's extra }={ }^{2} / 23 \times 46000 \\ & =4000 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { M1 } \\ & \text { M1 } \\ & \text { A1 } \\ & 3 \\ & \text { marks } \end{aligned}$ |
| 14 | $\frac{5 \times 6 \times 2}{8}=71 / 2$ <br> 2004Q10 |  |
| 15. | Men ; ${ }^{7} / 9 \times 45=35$ <br> Wom ; ${ }^{2} / 9 \times 45=10$ <br> Let the No be x $\begin{gathered} \text { Men } ; 5 / 9(45+x)=35 \\ 225+5 x=315 \\ x=18 \end{gathered}$ <br> 2005Q3 | M1 <br> M1 <br> A1 <br> 3 <br> marks |
| 16. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Commission earned } \\ & (1.2 \times 3800) 0.225 \\ & =1026 \end{aligned}$ <br> 2009 Q15 | M1 <br> M1 <br> A1 <br> 2 <br> marks |
| 17. | 1 Cow feeds on $\frac{480}{2 \times 4}$ in 1day $=60 \mathrm{~kg}$ <br> No of cows to feed on 20160 in 6 weeks | M1 <br> M1 |


|  | $\begin{array}{r} =20160 \\ 60 \times 6 \times 7 \\ =8 \text { cows } \end{array}$ <br> 2009Q1 | A1 <br> 3 marks |
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| 18. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { One person cut build } \\ & 1 / 5 \times 3 \text { huts in } 21 \text { days } \\ & \text { People can build } 6 \text { huts in } 21 \text { days } \\ & 2 \text { people and builds in } 15 \text { days } \\ & =14 \text { people } \\ & 5 \times 6 / 3 \times 21 / 15 \end{aligned}$ | M1 <br> A1 <br> 2 |
| 19. | $\left.\begin{array}{l} 4(\mathrm{~A}-2)=\mathrm{B}+2 \\ 2(\mathrm{~A}+10)=\mathrm{B}+10 \end{array}\right\}$ <br> $4 \mathrm{~A}-\mathrm{B}=10 \ldots \ldots .$. (i) $\pm 2 \mathrm{~A} \pm \mathrm{B}= \pm 10 \ldots \ldots \ldots \text {. } \mathrm{ii}$ $2 \mathrm{~A}=20$ $\rightarrow \mathrm{A}=10$ <br> Substitute A= 10 in (i) $\begin{gathered} 4 \times 10-B=10 \\ \rightarrow B=30 \end{gathered}$ | M1 <br> M1 $\frac{\mathrm{A} 1}{3}$ |
| 19. <br> (a) | Ratio : copper : zinc : tin <br> Copper: zinc tin $=9: 6: 10$ | M1 A1 |
| (b) <br> (i) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Mass of tin } \\ & \qquad \begin{aligned} & =250 \times \frac{10}{25} \\ & =100 \mathrm{~kg} \end{aligned} \end{aligned}$ | M1 A1 |
| (ii) | Mass of zinc and tin in alloy B: <br> Mass of copper $=\frac{70}{100} \times 90$ $=63$ <br> mass of zinc and tin $\begin{aligned} & =250-63 \\ & =187 \end{aligned}$ | M1 |
| (c) | Amount of alloy in A and B: <br> Mass of tin in alloy B $\begin{aligned} & \quad=\underline{8} \times 187 \\ & \quad 11 \\ & =136 \\ & \text { Difference: } \\ & 136-100 \\ & =36 \end{aligned}$ | A1 <br> M1 <br> M1 <br> A1 |

