

**LESSON**  
**8-4** **Practice B**  
**Percent Increase and Decrease**

Find each percent increase or decrease to the nearest percent.

1. from 16 to 20

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2. from 30 to 24

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3. from 15 to 30

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4. from 35 to 21

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5. from 40 to 46

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6. from 45 to 63

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7. from 18 to 26.1

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8. from 24.5 to 21.56

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9. from 90 to 72

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10. from 29 to 54

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11. from 42 to 92.4

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12. from 38 to 33

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13. from 64 to 36.4

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14. from 78 to 136.5

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15. from 89 to 32.9

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16. Mr. Havel bought a car for \$2400 and sold it for \$2700.  
 What was the percent of profit for Mr. Havel in selling the car? \_\_\_\_\_

17. A computer store buys a computer program for \$24 and  
 sells it for \$91.20. What is the percent of increase in the  
 price? \_\_\_\_\_

18. A manufacturing company with 450 employees begins  
 a new product line and must add 81 more employees.  
 What is the percent of increase in the number of employees? \_\_\_\_\_

19. Richard earns \$2700 a month. He received a 3% raise.  
 What is Richard's new annual salary? \_\_\_\_\_

20. Marlis has 765 cards in her baseball card collection.  
 She sells 153 of the cards. What is the percent of  
 decrease in the number of cards in the collection? \_\_\_\_\_

## LESSON

## 5-1

**Percent Increase and Decrease****Reteach**

A change in a quantity is often described as a percent increase or percent decrease. To calculate a percent increase or decrease, use this equation.

$$\text{percent of change} = \frac{\text{amount of increase or decrease}}{\text{original amount}} \cdot 100$$

Find the percent of change from 28 to 42.

- First, find the amount of the change.  $42 - 28 = 14$
- What is the original amount?  $28$
- Use the equation.  $\frac{14}{28} \cdot 100 = 50\%$

An increase from 28 to 42 represents a 50% increase.

**Find each percent of change.**

1. 8 is increased to 22

amount of change:  $22 - 8 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

original amount:  $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

$\underline{\hspace{2cm}} \cdot 100 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}\%$

2. 90 is decreased to 81

amount of change:  $90 - 81 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

original amount:  $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

$\underline{\hspace{2cm}} \cdot 100 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}\%$

3. 125 is increased to 200

amount of change:  $200 - 125 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

original amount:  $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

$\underline{\hspace{2cm}} \cdot 100 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}\%$

4. 400 is decreased to 60

amount of change:  $400 - 60 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

original amount:  $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

$\underline{\hspace{2cm}} \cdot 100 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}\%$

5. 64 is decreased to 48

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6. 140 is increased to 273

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7. 30 is decreased to 6

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8. 15 is increased to 21

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9. 7 is increased to 21

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10. 320 is decreased to 304

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