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The rate of VAT is 20%.

- Work out the VAT amount.
- How much will the bike cost including VAT?

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Each car he sells costs £14 500

In January he sells 3 cars.

In February he sells 5 cars .

- How much commission did Mr Hall receive in January?
- How much commission did Mr Hall receive in February?



Answers



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1. Complete the calculations.

a) 36% of £240 = £86.40

b) 79% of £56 = £44.24

c) 42% of £68 = £28.56

d) 35% of £40 = £14

e) 14% of £20 = £2.80

f) 4% of £54 = £2.16

g) 52% of £190 = £98.80

h) 39% of £28 = £10.92

2. Write <, > or = to make the statement correct.

$$84\% \text{ of } 50 \quad = \quad 50\% \text{ of } 84$$

Explain your answer.

$\frac{84}{100} \times 50 = \frac{50}{100} \times 84$. Multiplication is commutative.

3. Calculate 37% of 2 m.

Give your answer in centimetres.

74 cm



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4. Dani is buying a bike from Bike World.



The rate of VAT is 20%.

a) Work out the VAT amount. **£21.20**

b) How much will the bike cost including VAT? **£127.20**

5. Mr Hall sells cars and earns 2.5% commission for each car he sells.



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In January he sells 3 cars.

In February he sells 5 cars .

a) How much commission did Mr Hall receive in January? **£1 087.50**

b) How much commission did Mr Hall receive in February? **£1 812.50**

