

Per cent he travelled by train of total journey

$$= \left( \frac{200}{250} \times 100 \right) \% = 80\%$$

### CONVERSION BETWEEN PERCENTAGE AND RATIO

#### Percentages into Ratios

#### **MUST KNOW**

To express a percentage as a ratio, first convert the given percentage into a fraction in its simplest form and then to a ratio.

**Problem 12 :** Express the following percentage as ratios.

(a) 22%

(b) 12.4%

Solution : (a)  $22\% = \frac{22}{100} = 11 : 50$

(b)  $12.4\% = \frac{12.4}{100} = \frac{124}{1000} = \frac{31}{250} = 31 : 250$

#### Ratios into Percentages

#### **MUST KNOW**

To convert a ratio into a percentage, first convert the given ratio into a fraction and then to a percentage.

**Problem 13 :** Express the following ratios as percentages.

(a) 1 : 5

(b) 20 : 50

### EXERCISE 7.1

1. Convert the given number to per cent :

(a)  $\frac{2}{10}$

(b)  $\frac{5}{4}$

(c)  $\frac{2}{9}$

(d)  $\frac{6}{13}$

(e) 0.13

(f) 2.53

(g) 0.09

(h) 13.26

2. Find the following :

(a) 10% of 200

(b) 15% of 600

(c) 25% of 350

Solution : (a)  $1 : 5 = \frac{1}{5} = \left( \frac{1}{5} \times 100 \right) \% = 20\%$

(b)  $20 : 50 = \frac{20}{50} = \left( \frac{20}{50} \times 100 \right) \% = 40\%$

#### PERCENTAGE CHANGE

To quantify an increase or decrease as a percentage, we can use the following formulae:

Percentage increase

$$= \frac{\text{New measure} - \text{Old measure}}{\text{Old measure}} \times 100\%$$

Percentage decrease

$$= \frac{\text{Old measure} - \text{New measure}}{\text{Old measure}} \times 100\%$$

**Problem 14 :** A test was qualified by 6 students this year and 4 students last year. What is the per cent increase?

Solution : The increase in the number of students qualified =  $6 - 4 = 2$

Percentage increase

$$= \frac{\text{amount of change}}{\text{original amount or base}} \times 100$$
$$= \frac{2}{4} \times 100$$
$$= 50\% \text{ increased.}$$

3. Express the following per cent as fractions :
- (a) 26%                      (b)  $3\frac{1}{4}\%$                       (c) 105%
4. Find the number whose :
- (a) 12.5% is 1000              (b) 25% is 70
5. Find the ratio of the following :
- (a) 3 dozen to 8 dozen                      (b) 24 rupees to 73 rupees  
 (c) 6 months to 11 months                      (d) 3 months to a year  
 (e) 65 paise to 5 rupees                      (f) 12 m to 85 cm
6. Which of the following forms a proportion?
- (a) 2, 9, 8, 36                      (b) 12, 16, 6, 8                      (c) 33, 44, 66, 88
7. Find the value of  $x$  for which the following ratios are in proportion :
- (a)  $3:5::x:25$                       (b)  $7:14::x:30$                       (c)  $75:x::12:72$
8. A person saves 10% of his Salary. If he saves ₹ 400. What is his salary?
9. Find the mean proportion between 25 and 400.
10. Find the third proportion to 1 km 500 m and 300 m.
11. A 25% of a sum of money is ₹ 450. What is the total sum of money?
12. The ratio between the numbers of males and females in an office is 3 : 4. If the number of females working in the office is 28, find the number of males working in that office.
13. A Rajat bought a sweater and saved ₹ 20, when discount of 20% is given. What is the price of sweater before discount?
14. A team won 5 games and lost 3 games. What is the ratio of :
- (a) The games won to the games played?  
 (b) The games lost to the games won?

## PROFIT AND LOSS

Let us recall the following :

- When the Selling Price (S.P.) of an article is more than its Cost Price (C.P.), i.e., the price at which it was bought, a profit is made.
- When the Selling Price (S.P.) of an article is less than its Cost Price (C.P.), a loss is incurred.
- Expenses like transportation, storage, taxes, etc., known as overheads. Overheads are always added to the cost price before finding the profit or loss.

- Profit or loss is always calculated on the cost price of an article.

### MUST KNOW

The profit per cent and loss per cent are always calculated on Cost Price (C.P.) only.

See the following formulae.

1. Profit  
 $= \text{Selling Price} - (\text{Cost Price} + \text{Overheads})$
2. Loss  
 $= (\text{Cost Price} + \text{Overheads}) - \text{Selling Price}$