

Algebra 1 2.7

Find the percent of change.

Solve problems involving percent of change

increase	↑	$\frac{\text{part}}{\text{whole}} = \frac{P}{100}$
decrease	↓	
percent		
sales tax	↑	
discount	↓	

$$\frac{\text{Percent}}{100} = \frac{\text{Change (part)}}{\text{Original (whole)}}$$

Which item had the greatest percent of increase?

Average Retail Prices of Selected Grocery Items		
Grocery Item	Cost in 2000	Cost in 2007
milk (gallon)	2.79	3.87
turkey (whole)	0.99	1.01
chicken (whole)	1.08	1.17
ground beef	1.63	2.23
apples	0.82	1.12
iceberg lettuce	0.85	0.95
peanut butter	1.96	1.88

Source: Statistical Abstract of the United States

milk inc 38.7%

% incr.

$$\frac{1.08}{2.79} = \frac{P}{100} \quad \frac{2.79P = 108}{2.79} \quad \frac{108}{2.79}$$

$$\frac{-0.02}{-0.99} = \frac{P}{100} \quad \frac{-0.99P = 2}{-0.99} \quad \frac{2}{0.99}$$

$$\frac{.10}{.85} = \frac{P}{100}$$

$$\frac{-0.08}{1.96} = \frac{P}{100}$$

44.  **MULTIPLE REPRESENTATIONS** In this problem, you will explore patterns in percentages.

a. **Tabular** Copy and complete the following table.

1% of	500	is <u>5</u> .	100% of	20	is 20.	25	% of 80 is 20.
2% of	250	is 5.	50% of	40	is 20.	50	% of 40 is 20.
4% of	125	is 5.	25% of	80	is 20.	100	% of 20 is 20.
8% of	62.5	is 5.	12.5% of	160	is 20.	200	% of 10 is 20.

$$\frac{20}{80} = \frac{P}{100}$$

$$\frac{80P}{80} = \frac{2000}{80}$$

b. **Verbal** Describe the patterns in the second and fifth columns.

c. **Analytical** Use the patterns to write the fifth row of the table.

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$\begin{matrix} -7 \\ 7 \end{matrix}$

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3.5×10^7

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$(2.5 \times 10^4)(8.6 \times 10^6)$

21.5×10^{10}

2.15×10^{11}

