Class

LESSON

Applications of Percent Practice and Problem Solving: C

1. Complete the table.

Sale Amount	Tax	Amount of Tax	Total Cost
\$49.95		\$4.00	\$53.95
	5%	\$6.43	
\$499.99	7.5%		
		\$103.96	\$2,702.96
\$12,499.00	7%		

2. Complete the table.

Principal	Annual Rate	Time	Interest Earned	New Balance
\$2,400		6 months		\$2,442.00
	4.9%	2 years	\$4.41	
\$9,460.12		5 years		\$12,061.65
\$3,923.87	2.2%		\$64.74	

## Solve.

- 3. Jorge earns a 9% commission on all of his sales. He had sales of \$89,400 for the month. Harris works for a different company, and also sold \$89,400 for the month but made \$447 more than Jorge. What is Harris' commission rate?
- 4. Danielle wants to buy a video game. At the local Big Box store, it costs \$49.95. Danielle has a coupon for 10% off at the store, and she will pay a 6.5% sales tax. At an online store, the game is \$44.95, with \$4.00 shipping charge and no sales tax. Which purchase would be cheaper?
- 5. A clothing store ran advertisements for a special sale. The store's ads read "Buy one at regular price, get a second one for half price." Explain how the terms of the clothing store's sale are different from offering a 50% discount. Use \$100 as the regular price for the item to write your explanation.



## Practice

An account earns simple interest. (a) Find the interest earned. (b) Find the balance of the account.

- 1. \$400 at 7% for 3 years
- 2. \$1200 at 5.6% for 4 years

Find the annual interest rate.

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Find the amount of time.

5. 
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 6.  $I = S825, P = S2500, r = 5.5\%$ 

7. You put \$500 in a savings account. The account earns \$15.75 simple interest in 6 months. What is the annual interest rate?