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9.7b – Discounts, Markups, Sales Tax, and Tips

SHOW WORK ON ALL PROBLEMS.

1) A bicycle helmet is on sale for 25% off the original price. The original price is \$48.

a. What is 25% of the original price?

1a. _____

b. Is the amount from part (a) a discount or a markup? What must you do with this amount?
Circle one: discount or markup

1b. _____

c. Find the sale price.

1c. _____

2) You have a \$20 gift card from a bookstore. You use it to buy two books for a total of \$18.49. The sales tax is 5.75%. Will your gift card cover the cost? Explain your reasoning.

5.75% sales tax:

2. _____

- 3) A pair of sneakers costs \$46.99. You have a coupon for 15% off. What is the total cost of the sneakers after 5% sales tax is included? (*Hint: You pay tax on the discounted price, not the full price.*)

15% off:

5% sales tax:

3. _____

- 4) A \$140 car stereo is marked up 50% and then discounted 50%. Will the final price of the car stereo be \$140? Explain.

4. _____

- 5) Six friends go to lunch. They plan to split the bill evenly, and they plan to leave a 20% tip. The bill comes to \$55.50. The sales tax is 7%. How much will each person pay?

7% sales tax:

20% tip:

- a. \$18.87
- b. \$13.99
- c. \$11.75
- d. \$11.66