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- 3. The price of a stock increased from £50 to £60. What is the percentage increase in price?
- 4. A car's fuel efficiency improved from 25 miles per gallon to 30 miles per gallon. What is the percentage increase in fuel efficiency?
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- 8. The value of a house increased from £200,000 to £250,000. What is the percentage increase in value?
- 9. The number of students in a school decreased from 500 to 400. What is the percentage decrease in the number of students?
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#### **Scenario Questions: Answers**

- 1. A shirt originally priced at £40 is now on sale for £32. What is the percentage decrease in price?
  - 1. The percentage decrease in price is 20%.
- 2. The population of a town increased from 10,000 to 12,000. What is the percentage increase in population?
  - 2. The percentage increase in population is 20%.
- 3. The price of a stock increased from £50 to £60. What is the percentage increase in price?
  - 3. The percentage increase in price is 20%.
- 4. A car's fuel efficiency improved from 25 miles per gallon to 30 miles per gallon. What is the percentage increase in fuel efficiency?
  - 4. The percentage increase in fuel efficiency is 20%.
- 5. The temperature dropped from 80 degrees Fahrenheit to 60 degrees Fahrenheit. What is the percentage decrease in temperature?
  - 5. The percentage decrease in temperature is 25%.
- 6. A company's revenue decreased from £1 million to £800,000. What is the percentage decrease in revenue?
  - 6. The percentage decrease in revenue is 20%.
- 7. The weight of a person decreased from 180 pounds to 162 pounds. What is the percentage decrease in weight?
  - 7. The percentage decrease in weight is 10%.
- 8. The value of a house increased from £200,000 to £250,000. What is the percentage increase in value?
  - 8. The percentage increase in value is 25%.
- 9. The number of students in a school decreased from 500 to 400. What is the percentage decrease in the number of students?
  - 9. The percentage decrease in the number of students is 20%.
- 10. The price of a product increased from £10 to £15. What is the percentage increase in price?

  10. The percentage increase in price is 50%.