

## Comparing prices in two shop sales - answers

### Top

Centages Ltd: 50% off is the same as half price.

So the top will cost  $\text{£}40 \div 2 = \text{£}20$ .

Frank & Co.: Divide by 3 to find a  $\frac{1}{3}$ .  $\text{£}30 \div 3 = \text{£}10$ .

So the top will cost  $\text{£}30 - \text{£}10 = \text{£}20$ .

### Tie

Centages Ltd: 20% off is the same as  $\frac{1}{5}$  off. So divide by 5 to find the discount.

$\text{£}10 \div 5 = \text{£}2$ . So the tie will cost  $\text{£}10 - \text{£}2 = \text{£}8$ .

Frank & Co.: Divide by 2 to find half price.

So the tie will cost  $\text{£}11 \div 2 = \text{£}5.50$ .

### Trainers

Centages Ltd: 10% off is the same as  $\frac{1}{10}$  off. So divide by 10 to find the discount.

$\text{£}40 \div 10 = \text{£}4$ . So the trainers will cost  $\text{£}40 - \text{£}4 = \text{£}36$ .

Frank & Co.: Divide by 4 to find a  $\frac{1}{4}$ .  $\text{£}44 \div 4 = \text{£}11$ .

So the trainers will cost  $\text{£}44 - \text{£}11 = \text{£}33$ .

### Best value:

Top	<u>Same</u>
Tie	<u>Frank &amp; Co.</u>
Trainers	<u>Frank &amp; Co.</u>

So it's best to shop at Frank & Co.