

Section 4.4 Extra Practice

1. A backpack costs \$29.99. PST is 6% and GST is 5%. You could use several different methods to find the total cost of the backpack.
 - a) You could _____ the tax percents and then add the cost of the _____.
 - b) You could calculate the _____ separately and then add the amounts to the cost of the _____.
 - c) You could combine the cost and the _____ by using a percent greater than ____ to find the total cost.

For #2 to #5, calculate the total cost for each item if GST is 5% and PST is 7%.

- a) Calculate the total tax.
- b) Calculate the total cost.

Item	a) Total of GST and PST	b) Total Cost
Example: DVD for \$29.99	$0.12 \times 29.99 = 3.5988 = 3.6$ The total tax is \$3.60.	$29.99 + 3.6 = 33.59$ The total cost is \$33.59.
2. 12-V drill for \$39.99		
3. Car radio for \$89.99		
4. Combination lock for \$2.99		
5. Soccer ball for \$19.99		

6. An electronics store offered a 30% discount on MP3 players. The next week, the store offered a further discount of 15% on the already discounted price. The regular price was \$45. What is the final sale price? Show your work.

7. Dan says that subtracting a 20% discount from the price of an item and then adding 12% for GST and PST taxes is the same as subtracting 8% from the price of the item. Is Dan correct? Explain your reasoning.

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For #8 to #12, use the following information:

A store is having a 20% off sale on each of the items in the table.

Determine the total cost of each item including 5% GST and 7% PST. Show your work.

Item Regular Price	a) Discount Price	b) Sale Price	c) GST and PST	d) Total Cost
Example: Calculator at \$15.49	0.20×26.49 $= 3.098$ Discount: \$3.10	$15.49 - 3.10$ $= 12.39$ Sale price: \$12.39	0.12×12.39 $= 1.4868$ Taxes: \$1.49	$12.39 + 1.49$ $= 13.88$ Total cost: \$13.88
8. Camera at \$129.96				
9. Chair at \$39.99				
10. Pens at \$4.99				
11. Laptop at \$849.96				
12. Phone at \$17.95				