

Answer on Question #72916 – Math – Algebra

Question

A storekeeper bought merchandise for \$933. If she sells the merchandise at 66 and two thirds($66\frac{2}{3}$)% above cost, how much gross profit does she make?

Solution

$$\frac{200}{3}\% = \frac{198+2}{3}\% = \left(\frac{198}{3} + \frac{2}{3}\right)\% = 66\frac{2}{3}\%.$$

$$\text{Profit} = \$933 \times 2 / 3 = \$622$$

Answer: \$622.