

PERCENT CHANGE ACTIVITY

Determine the percent of change based on the prices listed. Round to the nearest percent.

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Challenge! In 1970 the cost of a gallon of milk was \$1.54, in 1990 the cost of a gallon of milk was \$2.78, and in 2010 the cost of a gallon of milk was \$3.88. Haddon says that the percent increase in the cost of milk was greater between 1970 and 1990. Evelyn says that the percent increase in the cost of milk was greater between 1990 and 2010. Who is correct? Justify your thinking.
