Question:

A shopkeeper sells sugar in such a way that selling price of 950g is equal to c.p of 1kg. Find his gain %

Solution.

Let 1kg of sugar costs x, than 950 g of sugar costs 0.95x. Hence his gain is x - 0.95x = 0.05x.

And we have x - 100% of price, we want to know how many % is 0.05x.

$$\frac{0.05x}{x} * 100\% = 5\%.$$

Answer. 5%.