## Word Problem.

You require 20 gel-ink pens. STORE XXX sells these pens at R 9.50 each, while store YYY sells them at
R 10.00 each, but have a 6\% sale on all items. Further, store WWW sells these pens at R 19.00 each with a buy one-get one free special. Finally, store MMM sells the pens at R 14.50 each with a third off the total price.
Which store offers the best deals? Show all calculations.

## Solution.

1. STORE XXX: $(20 \times 9.50) R=190 R$
2. STORE YYY: ((20x10) x0.94) R = 188 R
3. STORE WWW: $(10 \times 19) R=190 R$
4. STORE MMM: ((20x14.50) $\times 2 / 3) R=193.333 R$

According to the calculation, STORE YYY offers the best deals.

