

# Fractions, Percents, + Decimals

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Lessons 7-1 + 7-2 (p. 335)

A percent is a ratio that compares a number to 100.

% to fraction  $60\% = \frac{60}{100} = \frac{6}{10} = \frac{\cancel{2} \cdot 3}{\cancel{2} \cdot 5} = \frac{3}{5}$

Reduce your fractions when possible.

$$12.5\% = \frac{12.5}{100} = \frac{125}{1000} = \frac{\cancel{5} \cdot \cancel{5} \cdot \cancel{5}}{\cancel{2} \cdot \cancel{2} \cdot \cancel{5} \cdot \cancel{5} \cdot \cancel{5}} = \frac{1}{8}$$

$$0.8\% = \frac{.8}{100} = \frac{8}{1000} = \frac{\cancel{2} \cdot \cancel{2} \cdot \cancel{2}}{\cancel{2} \cdot \cancel{2} \cdot \cancel{2} \cdot 5 \cdot 5 \cdot 5} = \frac{1}{125}$$



fraction to %  $\frac{3}{4} \leftarrow 4 \times 25 = 100$

$$\frac{3}{4} \begin{matrix} \times 25 \\ \times 25 \end{matrix} = \frac{75}{100} = 75\%$$

$$\frac{6}{5} \leftarrow \text{Divide!} = 1.25 = 125\%$$

↑ Here is the hundredths' place

$$\frac{7}{11} \leftarrow \text{Divide!} = 2$$

$$0.\overline{63}$$

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$$0.\overline{63}63$$

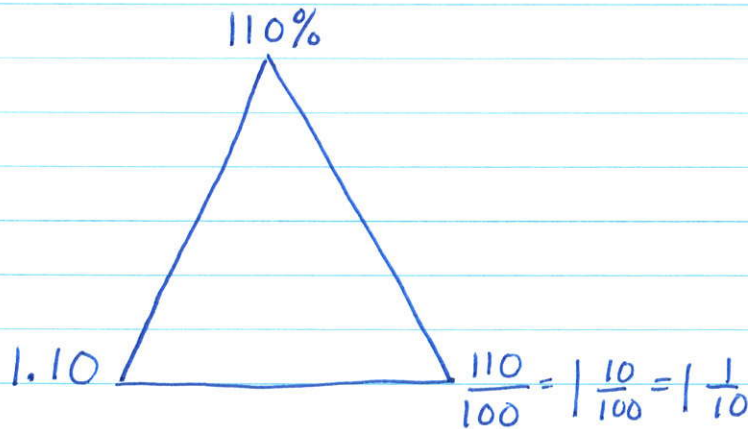
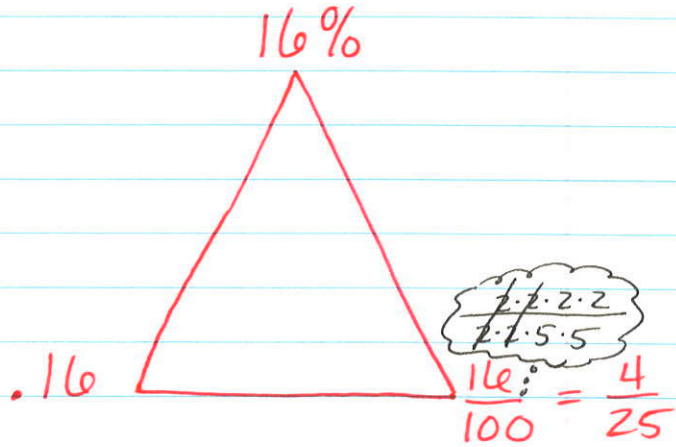
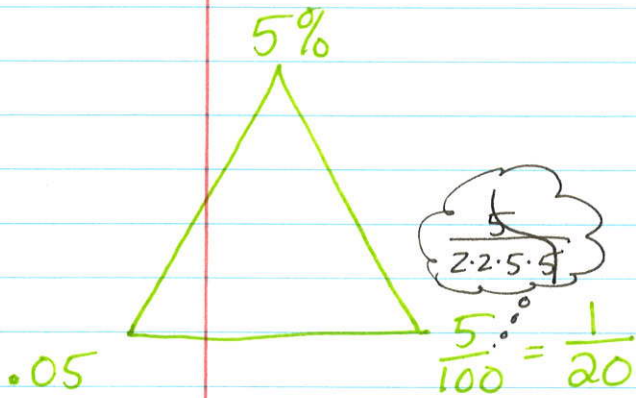
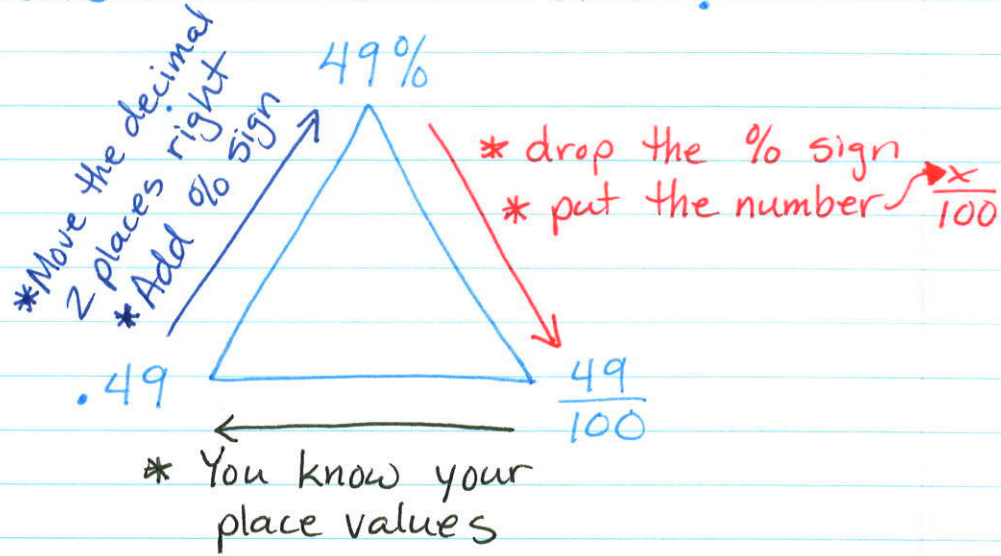
Here is the hundredths place.

\* You cannot have a repeat sign in front of the decimal!

$$\hookrightarrow = 63.\overline{63}\%$$

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Look carefully to see how these numbers relate to each other!



Look to see how these relate going the other direction

## Percent Proportion

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p. 349 Lesson 7-3

12 is \* what percent of 32?

$$\frac{\text{is}}{\text{of}} = \frac{p}{100} \quad \text{so...} \quad \frac{12}{32} = \frac{p}{100}$$

\* Pay attention to when you need to write the percent sign.

$$\begin{aligned} 32p &= 1200 \\ p &= 37.5\% \end{aligned}$$

What percent of 5 is 12?

$$\frac{\text{is}}{\text{of}} = \frac{p}{100} \quad \text{so...} \quad \frac{12}{5} = \frac{p}{100}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 5p &= 1200 \\ p &= 240\% \end{aligned}$$

What \* number is 15.5% of 450?

$$\frac{\text{is}}{\text{of}} = \frac{p}{100} \quad \text{so...} \quad \frac{x}{450} = \frac{15.5}{100}$$

$$100x = 6,975$$

\* This is the number.  
DON'T PUT A %  
SIGN ON IT!

$$x = 69.75$$

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78 is 60% of what number?

$$\frac{\text{is}}{\text{of}} = \frac{p}{100}$$

$$\frac{78}{x} = \frac{60}{100}$$

This is "the number"  $60x = 7800$

Don't add the % sign  $x = 130$

Find 65% of 440.

← What's missing?  
... 15!

$$\frac{x}{440} = \frac{65}{100}$$

$$100x = 28,600$$

$$x = 286$$

4% of what number is 15?

$$\frac{15}{x} = \frac{4}{100}$$

$$4x = 1500$$

$$x = 375$$

Percent of Change

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Lesson 7-6 p. 368

... Comparing the change in quantity  
to the original amount

\* you must specify: % increase  
% decrease

- 1) What is the percent change when  
the temperature went from 60° F  
to 84° F?

$\frac{\text{amount of change}}{\text{original amount}}$

$$\frac{+24}{60}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 84 \\ -60 \\ \hline 24 \end{array}$$

$$\frac{24}{60} = .40 = 40\% \text{ increase}$$

- 2) What is the percent change from  
16 kg to 5 kg?

$$\frac{11}{16} = .6875 = 68.8\% \text{ decrease}$$

↑  
rounded

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- 3) A suitcase is on sale at 40% off. The suitcase costs \$79.99 regularly. How much will the sale price be?

\* If the item is 40% off, you will need to pay 60%.

60% of \$79.99 is \_\_\_\_\_?

$$\frac{x}{79.99} = \frac{60}{100}$$

$$100x = 4,799.4$$

$$x = \$47.99$$

- 4) A robot has a 20% markup! The price tag says \$720. How much does it now cost?



\* You now have to pay 120% !!

120% of \$720 is \_\_\_\_\_?

$$\frac{x}{720} = \frac{120}{100}$$

$$100x = 86,400$$

$$x = \$864$$

## Simple Interest

$$I = prt$$

↑ interest  
↑ principal (what you put in the bank)  
← time (in years)  
interest rate (as a decimal)

\$2,250 at 6% interest for 4 years

$$\text{interest} = 2,250 \times .06 \times 4 = \$540$$

$$\text{total new amount} = 2,250 + 540 = \$2,790$$