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Writing Decimal and Fraction Equivalents

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Fraction → Decimal ex:
Write $\frac{4}{20}$ as a decimal.

First, set up the division problem:

$$20 \overline{)4.0} = .2$$

So, $\frac{4}{20} = .2$

Decimal → Fraction ex:
Write .25 as a fraction in its most simplified form.

First, write the decimal as its equivalent fraction:
 $.25 = \frac{25}{100}$

Next, simplify the fraction by dividing it by the largest number that fits into both: 25

$$\text{So, } \frac{25}{100} \div \frac{25}{25} = \frac{1}{4}$$

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Exercise Questions:

1. Write $\frac{3}{5}$ as a decimal.

2. Write $\frac{3}{4}$ as a decimal.

3. Write $\frac{1}{2}$ as a decimal.

4. Write $\frac{2}{5}$ as a decimal.

5. Write .82 as a fraction in its most simplified form.

6. Write .35 as a fraction in its most simplified form.

7. Write .44 as a fraction in its most simplified form.



Answer Key

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So: $.25 = 25/100 = 1/4$

Exercise Questions:

1. Write $3/5$ as a decimal.

.6

2. Write $3/4$ as a decimal.

.75

3. Write $1/2$ as a decimal.

.5

4. Write $2/5$ as a decimal.

.4

5. Write $.82$ as a fraction in its most simplified form.

$41/50$

6. Write $.35$ as a fraction in its most simplified form.

$7/20$

7. Write $.44$ as a fraction in its most simplified form.

$11/25$

