Study the following.

To change a decimal to a fraction, figure out what place the last digit is in. Then write the number without the decimal as the numerator, and the place value as the denominator.

Example: .7 is tenths, so as a fraction it is 7/10

.73 is hundredths, so as a fraction it is 73/100

.04 is hundredths, so as a fraction it is 4/100

After changing to a fraction, reduce if possible.

Example: .2 is 2/10 and 2/10 can be reduced to 1/5

Change to a fraction, and reduce is possible.

1. .8

2. .17

3. .06

4. .231

5. .9

6. .85

7. .3

8. .31

9. .999

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Study the following.

This works the same for numbers that have a whole number part and a decimal part.

Examples: 2.3 is tenths, so as a fraction it is 23/10.

20.71 is hundredths, so as a fraction it is 2071/100

Change the following to fractions. (Do not reduce or change to a mixed fraction.)

- 1. 3.5
- 2. 7.1
- 3. 9.23
- 4. 12.4
- 5. 5.83
- 6. 6.237
- 7. 355.3
- 8. 100.34
- 9. 3.44
- 10. 6.772
- 11. 3.05

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Study the following.

Another way to write a decimal that has a whole number part, is to write the whole number part first and then write only the decimal part as a fraction. You end up with a mixed fraction.

Example: 2.7 can be written as $\frac{2}{4}$ 7/10

whole number part decimal part

Change the following to a mixed fraction. (Do not reduce.)

- 1. 4.6
- 2. 7.93
- 3. 10.4
- 4. 155.05
- 5. 4.8
- 6. 100.9
- 7. 3.0005
- 8. 2.1134
- 9. 64.034

Solve the following two different ways.

Decimal 6.5	 Change to a fraction. Reduce the fraction. Change to a mixed fraction. 	 Write the whole number and the fraction as a mixed fraction. Reduce.
10.25		
3.4		
8.75		
300.16		

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