

30 Dividing decimals by whole numbers

Lesson

Find $78.32 \div 8$.

$$8)78.32$$

Put a decimal point
in the answer directly
above the decimal point
in 78.32.

$$\begin{array}{r} 9.79 \\ 8)78.32 \\ -72 \\ \hline 63 \\ -56 \\ \hline 72 \\ -72 \\ \hline 0 \end{array}$$

Divide in the same way
that you divide whole numbers.

Divide.

$$1. 4)52.8$$

$$2. 7)6.51$$

$$3. 5)76.5$$

$$4. 8)6.304$$

$$5. 6)166.8$$

$$6. 7)316.4$$

$$7. 24)16.8$$

$$8. 33)149.16$$

$$9. 32.181 \div 51$$

$$10. 47.52 \div 8$$

$$11. 551.8 \div 62$$

$$12. 112.7 \div 49$$

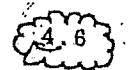
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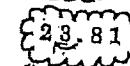
Dividing decimals by 10, 100, or 1000

A. To divide by 10, move the decimal point *one place to the left*.

$$4.6 \div 10 = .46$$



$$23.81 \div 10 = 2.381$$

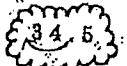


$$9 \div 10 = .9$$

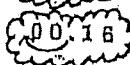


B. To divide by 100, move the decimal point *two places to the left*.

$$34.5 \div 100 = .345$$



$$.16 \div 100 = .0016$$

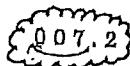


$$2 \div 100 = .02$$

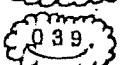


C. To divide by 1000, move the decimal point *three places to the left*.

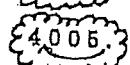
$$7.2 \div 1000 = .0072$$



$$39 \div 1000 = .039$$



$$4005 \div 1000 = 4.005$$



Divide.

$$1. 8.8 \div 10$$

$$2. 7.08 \div 10$$

$$3. 2.701 \div 10$$

$$4. .5 \div 10$$

$$5. 13 \div 10$$

$$6. 208 \div 10$$

$$7. 45.3 \div 100$$

$$8. 25 \div 100$$

$$9. 1.8 \div 100$$

$$10. .45 \div 100$$

$$11. .9 \div 100$$

$$12. 6 \div 100$$

$$13. 58.1 \div 1000$$

$$14. 4628 \div 1000$$

$$15. 73 \div 1000$$

$$16. .8 \div 1000$$

$$17. 5.2 \div 1000$$

$$18. 101 \div 1000$$

$$19. .26 \div 100$$

$$20. .34 \div 10$$

$$21. 55.9 \div 100$$

$$22. 1 \div 1000$$

$$23. .061 \div 10$$

$$24. .307 \div 10$$