

# Maths Block 3

FRACTIONS  
DECIMALS  
PERCENTAGES

Percent  
= out of 100!



## Converting Fractions / Decimals/Percentages

Fraction

$\frac{3}{4}$

Divide numerator  
by denominator  
( $3 \div 4 = 0.75$ )

75 is  
numerator;  
use place value  
of last digit as  
denominator  
 $75/100$

Simplify

Decimal

0.75

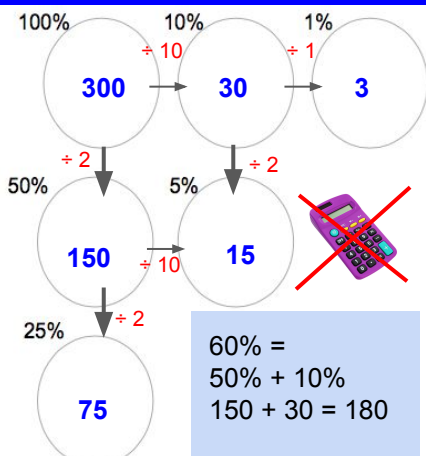
Multiply by 100  
( $0.75 \times 100 = 75\%$ )

Divide by 100  
( $75 \div 100 = 0.75$ )

Percent

75%

Percentage Bubbles help you to  
work out any percentage



## Percentage Increase /Decrease

Increase  
140 by 12%

Find 12% of 140

12% Of 140 is 21

Add it to the  
original value

$140 + 21 = 161$

Decrease  
140 by 12%

Find 12% of 140

12% Of 140

Subtract from  
original value

$140 - 21 = 119$

## Express one value as a percentage of another

What is 35 as a percentage of 900?

1.

Divide the first value by the total value  
 $35 \div 900$

2.

Multiply by 100 (per cent)

$\frac{35}{900} \times 100 = 3.9\%$  (to 1 decimal place)

What is 12 as a percentage of 120?

$\frac{12}{120} = \frac{1}{10} \times 100 = 10\%$   
(simplify)

Learn these  
Fractions  
Decimals & %

$\frac{3}{4} = \frac{0.75}{75\%}$

$\frac{1}{3} = \frac{0.33}{33.3\%}$

$\frac{1}{4} = \frac{0.25}{25\%}$

$\frac{1}{5} = \frac{0.2}{20\%}$

$\frac{1}{8} = \frac{0.125}{12.5\%}$

## Percent - Calculator

Convert your percentage  
to a decimal to get a  
multiplier

12% of 630

$12 \div 100 = 0.12$

Multiply by this decimal

$630 \times 0.12 = 75.6$

## Fraction of an Amount

Divide by the denominator

Multiply by the numerator

Find  $\frac{2}{5}$  of £60

$60 \div 5 = 12$

$12 \times 2 = 24$

## Decimal Place Value

