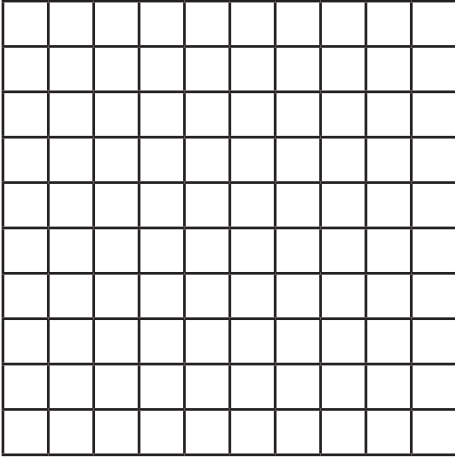


Investigating Decimal Equivalents for Halves and Quarters

1. What is $\frac{1}{2}$ written as a decimal?



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How many hundredths have you coloured in? $\frac{\square}{100}$

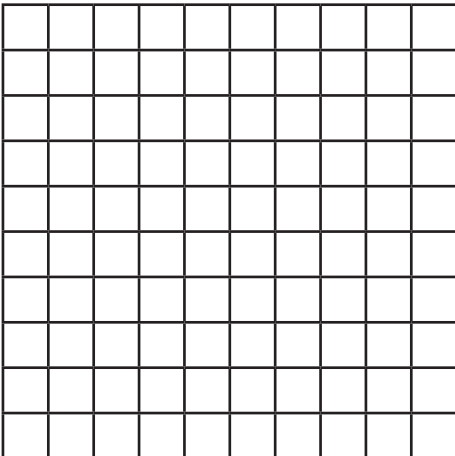
How many tenths have you coloured in? $\frac{\square}{10}$

Use a place value grid to write the fractions as decimals.

$$\frac{\square}{100} = \square \quad \frac{\square}{10} = \square$$

Therefore, $\frac{1}{2}$ written as a decimal = \square

2. What is $\frac{1}{4}$ written as a decimal?



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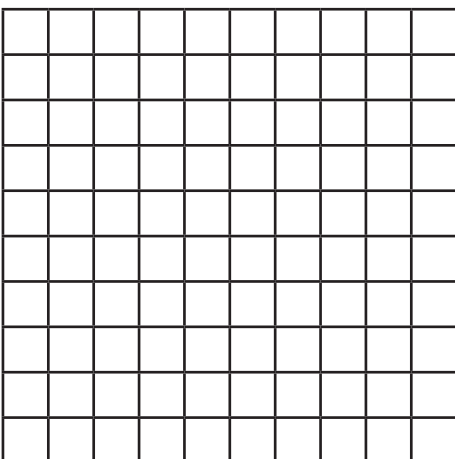
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3. What is $\frac{3}{4}$ written as a decimal?



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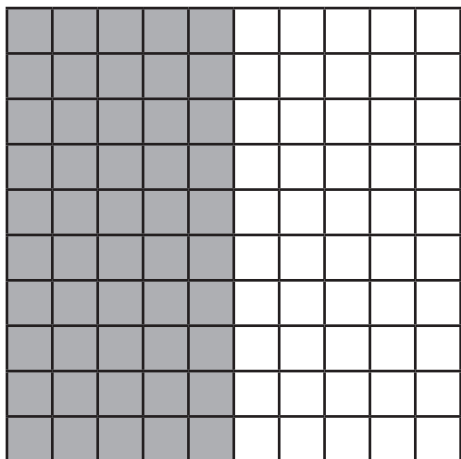
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Investigating Decimal Equivalents for Halves and Quarters - Answers

1. What is $\frac{1}{2}$ written as a decimal?



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How many hundredths have you coloured in? $\frac{50}{100}$

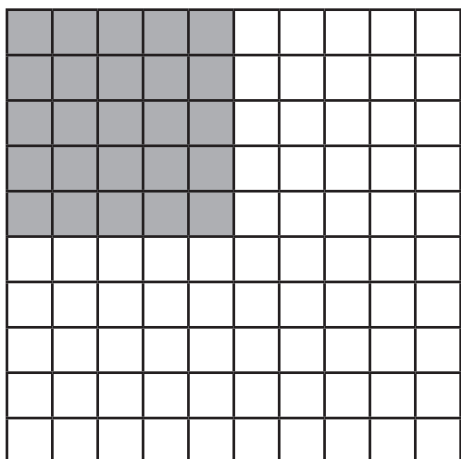
How many tenths have you coloured in? $\frac{5}{10}$

Use a place value grid to write the fractions as decimals.

$$\frac{50}{100} = 0.5 \quad \frac{5}{10} = 0.5$$

Therefore, $\frac{1}{2}$ written as a decimal = 0.5

2. What is $\frac{1}{4}$ written as a decimal?



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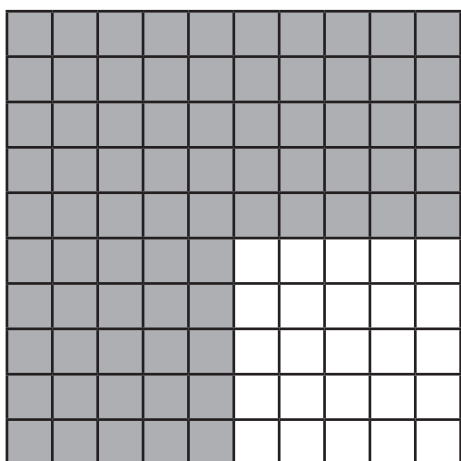
How many hundredths have you coloured in? $\frac{25}{100}$

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$$\frac{25}{100} = 0.25$$

Therefore, $\frac{1}{4}$ written as a decimal = 0.25

3. What is $\frac{3}{4}$ written as a decimal?



Colour in three quarters of the grid.

How many hundredths have you coloured in? $\frac{75}{100}$

Use a place value grid to write the fractions as decimals.

$$\frac{75}{100} = 0.75$$

Therefore, $\frac{3}{4}$ written as a decimal = 0.75

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Therefore, $\frac{1}{2}$ written as a decimal = $\boxed{0.5}$ because

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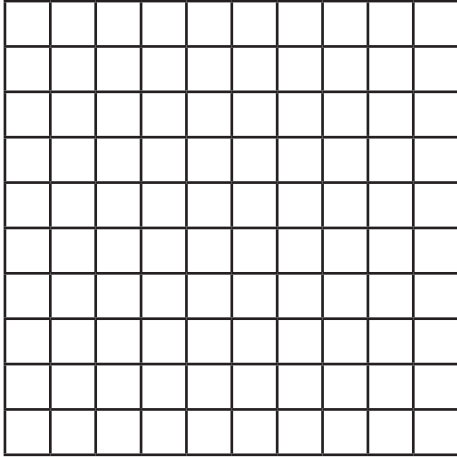
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Therefore, $\frac{3}{4}$ written as a decimal = $\boxed{0.75}$ because

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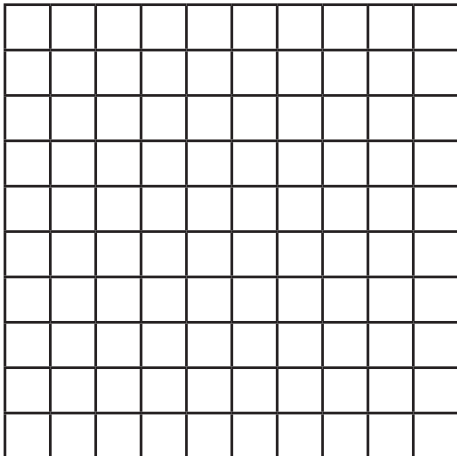
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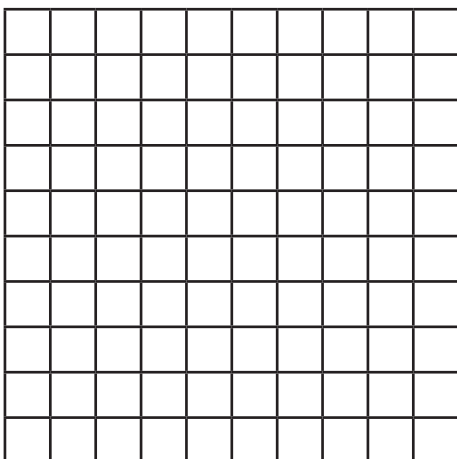
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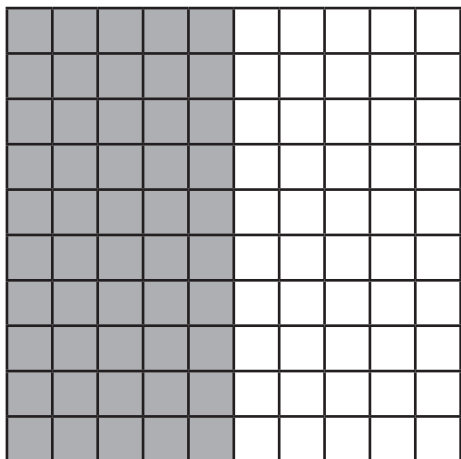
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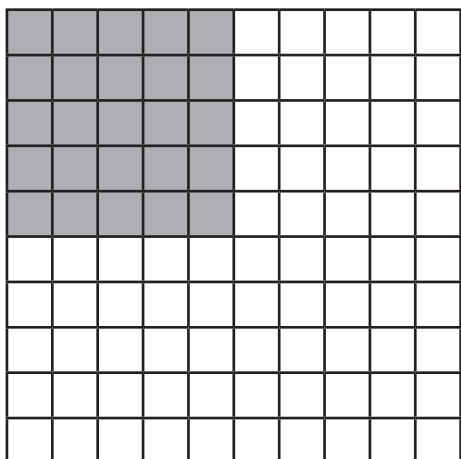
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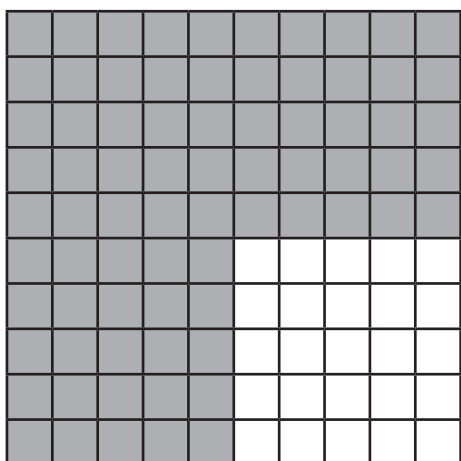
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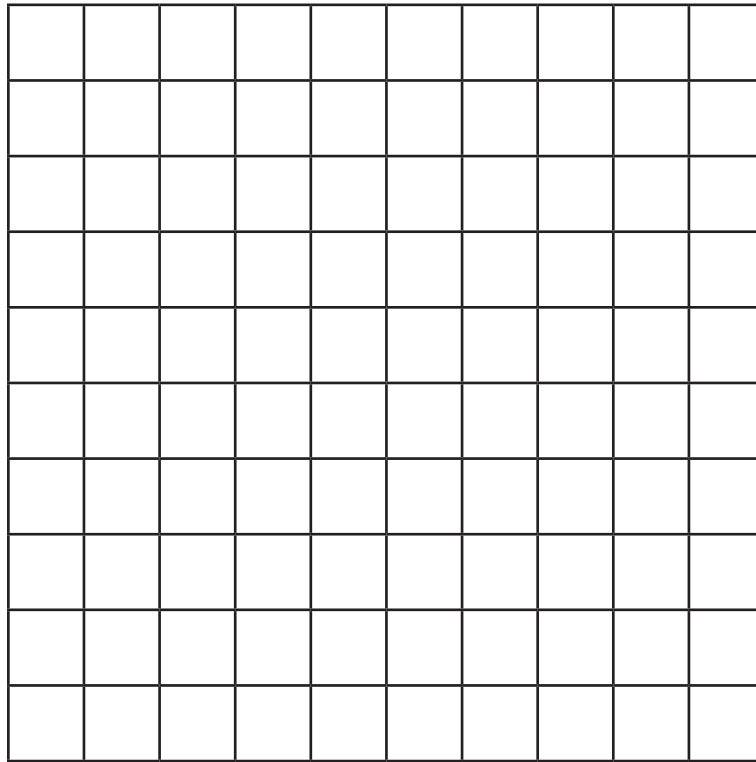
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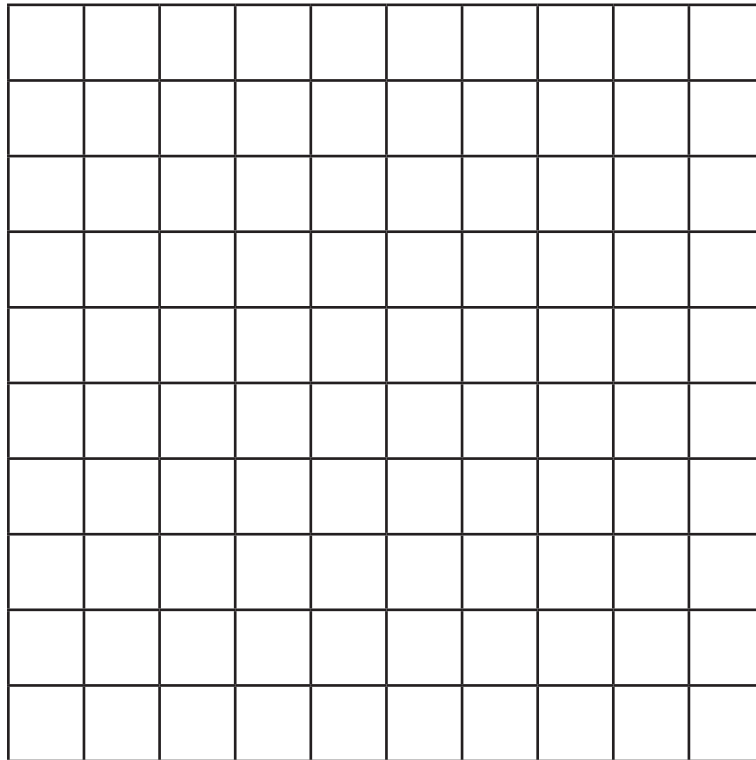
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