

Section 4.2 Math Link

This worksheet will help you with the Math Link on page 137.

Percents can be represented in three ways.

Example: 50% is 0.5 as a decimal and $\frac{1}{2}$ as a fraction.

- 1.** Convert each percent to a decimal.

Example: 6% = 0.06 Divide by 100.

a) 68.9% = _____ **b)** 30.8% = _____ **c)** 0.3% = _____

- 2.** Convert each decimal to a fraction. Write the fraction in lowest terms.

Example: 8.5% = $\frac{8.5}{100} = \frac{85}{1000} = \frac{17}{200}$ Look at the last digit to determine its place value.

a) 68.9% =

b) 30.8% =

c) 0.3% =

- 3.** Fill in the table using your answers from #1 and #2.

Fresh Water	Percent	Decimal	Fraction
Glaciers	68.9%		
Groundwater	30.8%		
Lakes and rivers	0.3%		