Seeing Double

Māni is using double number lines to change decimals to fractions.

Five out of 10 jellybeans in the bag are black.
That's one-half.

ACTIVITY



So
$$0.5 = \frac{5}{10}$$

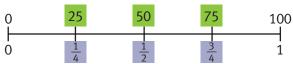
= $\frac{1}{2}$

75 out of the 100 pages in my magazine have photographs.

What is 0.75 as a fraction?

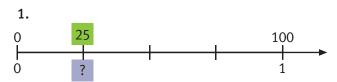


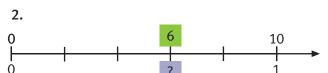
He writes:

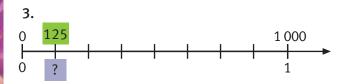


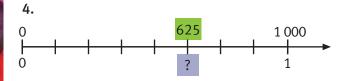
So
$$0.75 = \frac{75}{100}$$
$$= \frac{3}{4}$$

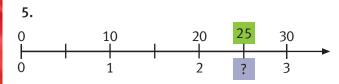
Use the double number lines below to work out the simplified fraction for each decimal shown.

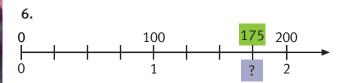












Fraction	Simplified fraction
25 100	
6 10	
125 1 000	
625 1 000	
25 10	
175 100	
	$\frac{6}{10}$ $\frac{125}{1000}$ $\frac{625}{1000}$ $\frac{25}{10}$