## Lesson 17: Multiply Decimals and Whole Numbers

- Let's multiply whole numbers by tenths and hundredths.


## Warm-up: True or False: Place Value Products

Decide if each statement is true or false. Be prepared to explain your reasoning.

- $100 \times 0.01=1$
- $10 \times 0.1=0.01$
- $10 \times 0.01=0.1$


## 17.1: Multiply Decimals By Whole Numbers



Find the value of each expression in a way that makes sense to you. Explain or show your reasoning. Use the grids, if needed.

1. $2 \times 0.7$


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3. $2 \times 0.78$


## 17.2: Using Whole Number Products

1. Find the value of each expression. Explain or show your reasoning.
a. $3 \times 0.5$
b. $5 \times 0.3$
c. $7 \times 0.02$
2. Kiran wrote this explanation to describe the strategy he used to multiply a whole number by some tenths:
"I just turn the numbers into whole numbers, multiply them, and call them tenths." (Pause for teacher directions.)
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3. Can you use Kiran's reasoning to find the value of $6 \times 0.07$ ? Explain your reasoning.
