Kia Ōrite Task: Independent

Conversions among fractions,

decimals and percentages

Te puka whakautu

Questions / instructions:

Tuhia ngā ōrau me ngā tau ā-ira e ōrite ana. Kua oti te mea tuatahi.

response

Hautau	Ōrau	Tau-ā-ira	
1/2	50%	0.5	
<u>1</u> 10	10%		40
		.1	42
<u>1</u> 3	33.33% or $33\frac{1}{3}$ %		7
		.333 or .3	14
<u>3</u> 5	60%		9
		.6	7
<u>3</u>	100%		23
		1 or 1.0	19
<u>5</u> 4	125%		7
		1.25	7

Commentary:

Results from this task show that many students have difficulty with conversions from fractions to percentages and decimals. This may further illustrate a limited understanding of the basic concepts underlying fractional numbers.