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Dividing decimals

Read and look. Then work out the divisions.

$$\begin{array}{r} 3.61 \\ 7 \overline{) 253} \\ \underline{- 21} \\ 43 \\ \underline{- 42} \\ 10 \end{array}$$

Steps:

1. Bring the decimal point straight up.
2. Bring down the 3 to continue dividing, but don't bring down the decimal point.
3. No more digits to bring down so just add a zero.

$$25.3 \div 7 = 3.6 \text{ (rounded to the nearest hundredth)}$$

