Converting Decimals to Percentage

To convert a decimal number into a percentage, multiply the decimal number by 100 and put the % sign.

Decimal number x 100 = Number in %

Express each of the following decimal number into percent.

(i) 0.55 (ii) 0.07 (iii) 2.2

(i) 0.55 = 0.55 x 100% = $\frac{55}{100}$ x 100% = 55 %

(ii) 0.07 = 0.07 x 100% =
$$\frac{7}{100}$$
 x 100% = 7%

(iii) 2.2 = 2.2 x 100% =
$$\frac{22}{10}$$
 x 100% = 220%

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