

1.4 Answer Key

Warm Up: p 45

Metric Quantity		Imperial Quantity	
A kilogram of butter	X	A pound of butter	
A 5-kilometre hiking trail		A 5-mile mountain bike trail	X
One litre of milk	X	One quart of milk	
A 12-centimetre ruler		A 12-inch ruler	X
A 15-gram piece of chocolate		A 15-ounce chocolate bar	X
A temperature of 22 °C	X	A temperature of 22 °F	

Practice Problems – One and Two Step Metric Conversions p 49

- $16 \text{ s} \times \frac{1 \text{ ks}}{10^3 \text{ s}} = 1.6 \times 10^{-2} \text{ ks}$
- $75\,000 \text{ mL} \times \frac{10^{-3} \text{ L}}{1 \text{ mL}} = 75 \text{ L}$
- $457 \text{ ks} \times \frac{10^3 \text{ s}}{1 \text{ ks}} \times \frac{1 \text{ ms}}{10^{-3} \text{ s}} = 4.57 \times 10^8 \text{ ms}$
- $5.6 \cdot 10^{-4} \text{ Mm} \times \frac{10^6 \text{ m}}{1 \text{ Mm}} \times \frac{1 \text{ dm}}{10^{-1} \text{ m}} = 5600 \text{ dm}$

Practice Problems – Derived Unit Conversions p 50

- $2.67 \text{ g} \times \frac{1 \text{ kg}}{10^3 \text{ g}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mL}}{10^{-3} \text{ L}} = 2.67 \text{ kg/L}$
(Note: $\frac{1}{10^3} \times \frac{1}{10^{-3}} = 1$; therefore, numerical value does not change)
- $8.9994 \cdot 10^{-4} \text{ mg} \times \frac{10^{-3} \text{ g}}{1 \text{ mg}} \times \frac{1 \text{ kg}}{10^3 \text{ g}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mL}}{10^{-3} \text{ L}} = 8.9994 \times 10^{-7} \text{ kg/L}$
- $\frac{35 \text{ mi}}{1 \text{ h}} \times \frac{5280 \text{ ft}}{1 \text{ mi}} \times \frac{12 \text{ in}}{1 \text{ ft}} \times \frac{2.54 \text{ cm}}{1 \text{ in}} \times \frac{10^{-2} \text{ m}}{1 \text{ cm}} \times \frac{1 \text{ h}}{60 \text{ min}} \times \frac{1 \text{ min}}{60 \text{ s}} = 16 \text{ m/s}$

Practice Problems – Use of Rate and Density as Conversion Factors p 51

- $2.5 \text{ L Hg} \times \frac{1 \text{ mL}}{10^{-3} \text{ L}} \times \frac{13.6 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ mL}} = 34\,000 \text{ g Hg}$
- $16.5 \text{ kg Pb} \times \frac{10^3 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ kg}} \times \frac{1 \text{ cm}^3}{11.2 \text{ g}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mL}}{1 \text{ cm}^3} \times \frac{10^{-3} \text{ L}}{1 \text{ mL}} = 1.47 \text{ L Pb}$
- $8.29 \text{ min} \times \frac{60 \text{ s}}{1 \text{ min}} \times \frac{3.0 \cdot 10^{10} \text{ cm}}{1 \text{ s}} \times \frac{10^{-2} \text{ m}}{1 \text{ cm}} \times \frac{1 \text{ km}}{10^3 \text{ m}} = 1.5 \times 10^8 \text{ km}$

Practice Problems – Use of Conversion Factors Containing Exponents p 52

$$1) 4.3 \text{ dm}^3 \times \frac{(10^{-1} \text{ m})^3}{(1 \text{ dm})^3} \times \frac{(1 \text{ cm})^3}{(10^{-2} \text{ m})^3} = 4300 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$2) \frac{14.7 \text{ lb}}{1 \text{ in}^2} \times \frac{454 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ lb}} \times \frac{(1 \text{ in})^2}{(2.54 \text{ cm})^2} = 1030 \text{ g/cm}^2$$

$$3) \frac{8.2 \text{ kg}}{1 \text{ m}^3} \times \frac{10^3 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ kg}} \times \frac{1 \text{ lb}}{454 \text{ g}} \times \frac{(10^{-2} \text{ m})^3}{(1 \text{ cm})^3} \times \frac{(2.54 \text{ cm})^3}{(1 \text{ in})^3} \times \frac{(12 \text{ in})^3}{(1 \text{ ft})^3} = 0.51 \text{ lb/ft}^3$$

Practice Problems – Conversion Between Units of Temperature p 54

$$1) (28.4 \text{ }^\circ\text{C} \times \frac{1.8 \text{ }^\circ\text{F}}{1 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}}) + 32 \text{ }^\circ\text{F} = 83.1 \text{ }^\circ\text{F}$$

$$2) (-319 \text{ }^\circ\text{F} - 32 \text{ }^\circ\text{F}) \times \frac{1 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}}{1.8 \text{ }^\circ\text{F}} = -195 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$$

$$3) (0 \text{ K} - 273 \text{ K}) \times \frac{1 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}}{1 \text{ K}} = -273 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$$

$$(-273 \text{ }^\circ\text{C} \times \frac{1.8 \text{ }^\circ\text{F}}{1 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}}) + 32 \text{ }^\circ\text{F} = -459 \text{ }^\circ\text{F}$$

1.4 Review Questions p 56

1)

Measurement	Given Unit	Calculation	Required Unit
Grain of salt's mass	415 ug	$415 \text{ ug} \times \frac{10^{-6} \text{ g}}{1 \text{ ug}} = 4.15 \times 10^{-4} \text{ g}$	g
Earth to the Moon's distance	384.4 Mm	$384.4 \text{ Mm} \times \frac{10^6 \text{ m}}{1 \text{ Mm}} = 3.844 \times 10^8 \text{ m}$	m
Mass of a nickel	3.976 g	$3.976 \text{ g} \times \frac{1 \text{ ug}}{10^{-6} \text{ g}} = 3.976 \times 10^6 \text{ ug}$	ug
Volumetric pipette length	4.5 dm	$4.5 \text{ dm} \times \frac{10^{-1} \text{ m}}{1 \text{ dm}} = 0.45 \text{ m}$	m
Smoke particle's mass	$1.05 \cdot 10^{-12} \text{ g}$	$1.05 \cdot 10^{-12} \text{ g} \times \frac{1 \text{ ng}}{10^{-9} \text{ g}} = 1.05 \times 10^{-3} \text{ ng}$	ng
Distance from UBC to SFU	24.99 km	$24.99 \text{ km} \times \frac{10^3 \text{ m}}{1 \text{ km}} = 24\,990 \text{ m}$	m

2)

Measurement	Given Unit	Calculation	Required Unit
Energy to heat a grande latte to 65°C	83.60 kJ	$83.60 \text{ kJ} \times \frac{10^3 \text{ J}}{1 \text{ kJ}} \times \frac{1 \text{ MJ}}{10^6 \text{ J}} = \mathbf{0.08360 \text{ MJ}}$	MJ
Mass of a college chemistry text	2.54 kg	$2.54 \text{ kg} \times \frac{10^3 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ kg}} \times \frac{1 \text{ cg}}{10^{-2} \text{ g}} = \mathbf{2.54 \times 10^5 \text{ cg}}$	cg
Average light bulb wattage	600.0 dW	$600.0 \text{ dW} \times \frac{10^{-1} \text{ W}}{1 \text{ dW}} \times \frac{1 \text{ nW}}{10^{-9} \text{ W}} = \mathbf{6.000 \times 10^{10} \text{ nW}}$	nW
Volume of a can of soda	355 mL	$355 \text{ mL} \times \frac{10^{-3} \text{ L}}{1 \text{ mL}} \times \frac{1 \text{ cL}}{10^{-2} \text{ L}} = \mathbf{35.5 \text{ cL}}$	cL
Average time to send one text message	185 das	$185 \text{ das} \times \frac{10^1 \text{ s}}{1 \text{ das}} \times \frac{1 \text{ ms}}{10^{-3} \text{ s}} = \mathbf{1.85 \times 10^6 \text{ ms}}$	ms
Distance from Prince George to Trail	987 km	$987 \text{ km} \times \frac{10^3 \text{ m}}{1 \text{ km}} \times \frac{1 \text{ dm}}{10^{-1} \text{ m}} = \mathbf{9.87 \times 10^6 \text{ dm}}$	dm

3)

$$\frac{14.25 \text{ km}}{1 \text{ L}} \times \frac{10^3 \text{ m}}{1 \text{ km}} \times \frac{1 \text{ cm}}{10^{-2} \text{ m}} \times \frac{1 \text{ in}}{2.54 \text{ cm}} \times \frac{1 \text{ ft}}{12 \text{ in}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mi}}{5280 \text{ ft}} \times \frac{4.546 \text{ L}}{1 \text{ gal}} = \mathbf{40.25 \text{ mi/gal}}$$

$$4) \frac{110 \text{ km}}{1 \text{ h}} \times \frac{10^3 \text{ m}}{1 \text{ km}} \times \frac{1 \text{ h}}{60 \text{ min}} \times \frac{1 \text{ min}}{60 \text{ s}} = \mathbf{31 \text{ m/s}}$$

$$5) \frac{16.7 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ mL}} \times \frac{1 \text{ kg}}{10^3 \text{ g}} \times \frac{2.21 \text{ lb}}{1.00 \text{ kg}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mL}}{10^{-3} \text{ L}} = \mathbf{36.9 \text{ lb/L}}$$

$$6) \frac{5.47 \cdot 10^2 \text{ kWh}}{1 \text{ year}} \times \frac{1 \text{ year}}{365 \text{ days}} \times \frac{1 \text{ GJ}}{277.8 \text{ kWh}} = \mathbf{0.00539 \text{ GJ/day}}$$

$$7) \frac{22.68 \text{ kg}}{1 \text{ dm}^3} \times \frac{10^3 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ kg}} \times \frac{(1 \text{ dm})^3}{(10^{-1} \text{ m})^3} \times \frac{(10^{-2} \text{ m})^3}{(1 \text{ cm})^3} = \mathbf{22.68 \text{ g/cm}^3}$$

$$8) 1.00 \text{ L} \times \frac{1 \text{ mL}}{10^{-3} \text{ L}} \times \frac{13.6 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ mL}} \times \frac{1 \text{ kg}}{10^3 \text{ g}} = \mathbf{13.6 \text{ kg}}$$

$$9) 120 \text{ dL} \times \frac{10^{-1} \text{ L}}{1 \text{ dL}} \times \frac{14.25 \text{ km}}{1 \text{ L}} \times \frac{10^3 \text{ m}}{1 \text{ km}} = \mathbf{170 \text{ 000 m}}$$

$$10) 6.00 \text{ g} \times \frac{1 \text{ cm}^3}{10.5 \text{ g}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mL}}{1 \text{ cm}^3} = \mathbf{0.571 \text{ mL}}$$

$$11) 2.3 \text{ kg} \times \frac{10^3 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ kg}} \times \frac{1 \text{ lb}}{454 \text{ g}} \times \frac{1 \text{ gal}}{8.34 \text{ lb}} \times \frac{4.546 \text{ L}}{1 \text{ gal}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mL}}{10^{-3} \text{ L}} = \mathbf{2 \text{ 800 mL}}$$

$$12) 4 \text{ Pitt Bulls} \times \frac{3 \text{ Collies}}{1 \text{ Pitt Bull}} \times \frac{5 \text{ Poodles}}{2 \text{ Collies}} \times \frac{7 \text{ Dobermans}}{3 \text{ Poodles}} \times \frac{9 \text{ German}}{1 \text{ Doberman}} =$$

630 German sheep dogs

$$13) 2 \text{ Calico} \times \frac{5 \text{ Siamese}}{1 \text{ Calico}} \times \frac{7 \text{ Persians}}{2 \text{ Siamese}} \times \frac{8 \text{ Tabbies}}{3 \text{ Persians}} \times \frac{6 \text{ Heinz}}{1 \text{ Tabby}} = \mathbf{560 \text{ Heinz}}$$

Fifty-Sevens

$$14) 325 \text{ in}^3 \times \frac{(2.54 \text{ cm})^3}{(1 \text{ in})^3} \times \frac{(10^{-2} \text{ m})^3}{(1 \text{ cm})^3} \times \frac{(1 \text{ dm})^3}{(10^{-1} \text{ m})^3} \times \frac{1 \text{ L}}{1 \text{ dm}^3} = \mathbf{5.33 \text{ L}}$$

$$15) \frac{14.7 \text{ lb}}{1 \text{ in}^2} \times \frac{454 \text{ g}}{1.00 \text{ lb}} \times \frac{1 \text{ kg}}{10^3 \text{ g}} \times \frac{(1 \text{ in})^2}{(2.54 \text{ cm})^2} = \mathbf{1.03 \text{ kg/cm}^2}$$

$$16) \frac{400. \text{ ft}^2}{1 \text{ gal}} \times \frac{(12 \text{ in})^2}{(1 \text{ ft})^2} \times \frac{(2.54 \text{ cm})^2}{(1 \text{ in})^2} \times \frac{(10^{-2} \text{ m})^2}{(1 \text{ cm})^2} \times \frac{1 \text{ gal}}{4.546 \text{ L}} = \mathbf{8.17 \text{ m}^2/\text{L}}$$

$$17) (451 \text{ }^\circ\text{F} - 32 \text{ }^\circ\text{F}) \times \frac{1 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}}{1.8 \text{ }^\circ\text{F}} = \mathbf{233 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}}$$

$$18) ((1.9 \text{ K} - 273 \text{ K}) \times \frac{1 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}}{1 \text{ K}} \times \frac{1.8 \text{ }^\circ\text{F}}{1 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}}) + 32 \text{ }^\circ\text{F} = \mathbf{-456.0 \text{ }^\circ\text{F}}$$

$$19) (-89 \text{ }^\circ\text{C} \times \frac{1.8 \text{ }^\circ\text{F}}{1 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}}) + 32 \text{ }^\circ\text{F} = \mathbf{-128 \text{ }^\circ\text{F}}$$

$$20) (9.0 \text{ }^\circ\text{C} \times \frac{1.8 \text{ }^\circ\text{F}}{1 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}}) + 32 \text{ }^\circ\text{F} = \mathbf{48.2 \text{ }^\circ\text{F}}$$