

Working with SI (metric) Units

For each of the following commonly used measurements, indicate its symbol. Use the symbols to complete the following sentences with the most appropriate unit.

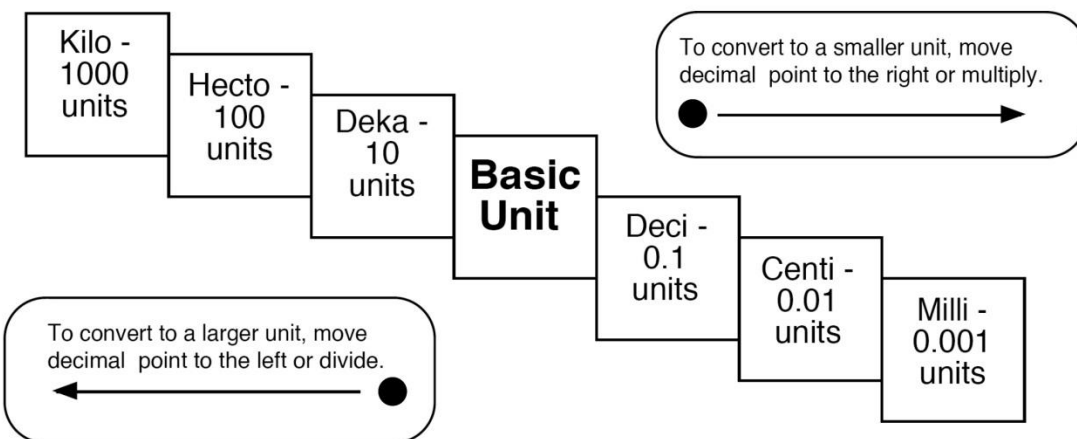
_____ liter	_____ centimeter	_____ gram	_____ milligram
_____ milliliter	_____ kilometer	_____ kilogram	_____ second
_____ meter	_____ millimeter	_____ centigram	_____ millisecond

1. The mass of a bowling ball is 7.25 _____.
2. The lung capacity of an average man is about 4.8 _____.
3. The length of a housefly is about 1 _____.
4. The average length of time it takes to blink is about 2 _____.
5. One teaspoon of cough syrup has a volume of 5 _____.
6. The length of a human's small intestine is about 6.25 _____.
7. The mass of a paperclip is about 1 _____.
8. When resting, the average adult's heart beats once every 1.2 _____.
9. The mass of a flea is about 0.5 _____.
10. The distance between San Antonio and Dallas is approximately 440 _____.

Write the abbreviation for the following common metric prefixes:

1. Kilo _____
 2. Hecto _____
 3. Deca/Deka _____
 4. Meter _____
 5. Gram _____
 6. Liter _____
 7. Deci _____
 8. Centi _____
 9. Milli _____
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Metric Conversion Chart



Dimensional Analysis

Convert the following

1. 35 daL = _____ dL

11. 25 cm = _____ mm

2. 950 g = _____ kg

12. 0.005 kg = _____ dag

3. 275 mm = _____ cm

13. 0.075 m = _____ cm

4. 1,000 L = _____ kL

14. 15 g = _____ mg

5. 1,000 mL _____ L

15. 0.987 kL = _____ hL

6. 0.17 cm = _____ hm

16. 1.281 mm = _____ m

7. 2.65 km = _____ dm

17. 12.07 hg = _____ dag

8. 1.0 km = _____ mm

18. 1625.0 cm = _____ m

9. 18 dag = _____ cg

19. 3017.36 mg = _____ dg

10. 4,500 mg _____ g

20. 71.18 L = _____ cL