

Density, Significant Figures in Calculations,
Conversion, and Scientific Notation
Practice
Chemistry

Name: _____

Date: _____ Hour: _____

- 1) What is the formula for density? _____
- 2) What are possible SI units for volume? _____
- 3) What are possible SI units for mass ? _____

NOTE: To receive credit on questions 4 - 10, you must show your work

Yes, your answers must have the correct number of significant figures

- 4) Calculate the density of mercury if 100.0 g of mercury occupy a volume of 7.36 cm³.

D = _____

m = _____

V = _____

- 5) A student needs 15.0 g of ethyl alcohol for an experiment. If the density of the alcohol is 0.789 g/mL, how many milliliters of alcohol are needed?

D = _____

m = _____

V = _____

- 6) A sample of carbon tetrachloride, a liquid once used in dry cleaning, has a mass of 39.75 g and a volume of 25.0 mL. What is its density?

D = _____

m = _____

V = _____

7) The density of platinum is 23.4 g/cm^3 . Calculate the mass of 75.0 cm^3 of platinum.

D = _____

m = _____

V = _____

8) The density of magnesium is 1.74 g/cm^3 . What is the volume of 275 g of this metal?

D = _____

m = _____

V = _____

9) A cube of plastic 1.5 cm on each side has a mass of 1.9 g. What is its density?

D = _____

m = _____

V = _____

10) An experiment required 15.0 g of cyclohexane, whose density is 0.7781 g/mL . What volume of cyclohexane should have been used?

D = _____

m = _____

V = _____

Round the following “calculator” answers to the given number of significant figures:

11) 1.6666 μg to 2 sig figs _____

12) 27.155 s to 3 sig figs _____

13) 2.3145 mg to 3 sig figs _____

14) 150.33 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ to 3 sig figs _____

15) 8.5455 g/cm^3 to 2 sig figs _____

16) 30.050 hm to 2 sig figs _____

Use scientific notation to express the following measurements (to the same # of sig. fig.):

17) 0.000 03 nm _____

18) 55 000 000 N _____

19) 65 940 μm _____

20) 0.010 203 04 s _____

21) 12.73 kPa _____

22) 8 000 001 dag _____

Write out the following scientific notation measurements (so they are NOT in scientific notation):

23) 9.0×10^4 pm _____

24) 2.300×10^{-4} Gg _____

Do the indicated calculation and write the answer with the appropriate number of significant figures.

25)	2.36 m	26)	0.0853 s	27)	350.0 m	28)	27.68 cm
	3.38 m		0.0547 s		- <u>200 m</u>		- <u>14.369 cm</u>
	0.355 m		0.037 s				
	+ <u>1.06 m</u>		+ <u>0.00387 s</u>				

29) $3.15 \text{ dm} \times 2.5 \text{ dm} \times 4.00 \text{ dm} =$ _____

30) $0.036 \text{ m} \times 0.02 \text{ m} =$ _____

31) $0.075 \text{ g} \div 0.003 \text{ mL} =$ _____

32) $3.76 \text{ km} \div 1.62 \text{ km} =$ _____

Do the following conversions:

33) How many nanometers are in 0.36 m?

34) How many nanometers are in $3.6 \times 10^{-1} \text{ cm}$?

35) How many seconds are there in a school day (7.00 hours)?

36) How many milliliters are in 9.2 dm^3 ?

37) 33.9 minutes = _____ days

38) How many milligrams are there in $6.2 \times 10^{-4} \text{ kg}$?