

Math and Science Unit Conversions

For those who thought the hardest part of science class was the conversion from feet and inches to the metric system, here are some other useful conversions:

Ratio of an igloo's circumference to its diameter: Eskimo Pi

2000 pounds of Chinese soup: Won ton

1 millionth of a mouthwash: 1 microscope

Time between slipping on a peel and smacking the pavement: 1 bananosecond

365 days of drinking low-calorie beer: 1 lite year

3 feet of trash: 1 junk yard

10 cards: 1 decacards

10 rations: 1 decoration

2 monograms: 1 diagram

16 ounces Alpo = 1 dog pound

Half of a large intestine: 1 semicolon

Basic unit of laryngitis: 1 hoarsepower

1000 aches: 1 megahurtz

2^3 puss = 1 octopuss

Time it takes to sail 220 yards at 1 nautical mile per hour: Knot-furlong

16.5 feet in the Twilight Zone: 1 Rod Sterling

8 nickels = 2 paradigms

2 snake eyes = 1 paradise

4 chutes = 2 parachutes

Basic unit of laryngitis: 1 hoarsepower

3 dents = 1 trident

100 rations: 1 C-ration

10 aides = 1 decade

2 doctors = 1 paradox

10 carts = 1 Descartes

$3 \frac{1}{3}$ tridents = 1 decadent

453.6 graham crackers = 1 pound cake

10^{-2} mental journey = 1 centimanetal journey

10 millipeds = 1 centipede
1,000,000 aches = 1 megahertz
2000 mockingbirds = 2 kilomockingbirds
1 million-million microphones: 1 megaphone
1 million bicycles: 2 megacycles
10 cards: 1 decacards
1 millionth of a fish: 1 microfiche
1 trillion pins: 1 terrapin
2.4 statute miles of surgical tubing at Yale University Hospital: 1 I.V. League
1,000 milliliters of wet socks = 1 liter hosen
1 kilogram of falling figs = 1 fig Newton
 10^{-12} boos = 1 picoboo
453.6 graham crackers = 1 pound cake
1024 Microphones = 1 megaphone
1024 piccolos = 1 gigolo
1024 planes = 1 terraplane
 2×10^3 millenaries = 4 seminaries
 10^9 antics = 1 gigantic
 10^2 tics = 1 hectic
1 million microphones = 1 megaphone
1 million bicycles = 2 megacycles
10 cards = 1 decacards
1/2 lavatory = 1 demijohn
1 millionth of a fish- 1 microfiche
453.6 graham crackers = 1 pound cake
10 monologues = 5 dialogues
2 monograms = 1 diagram