

Conversions Homework

gigameter = _____	meter	gigagram = _____	gram	gigasec = _____	second	metric symbol
megameter = _____	meter	=		=		
kilometer = _____	meter	=		=		
centimeter = _____	meter	=		=		
millimeter = _____	meter	=		=		
micrometer = _____	meter	=		=		
nanometer = _____	meter	=		=		
picometer = _____	meter	=		=		

Express the following with the appropriate prefix:

- 10^6 phones
- 10^{-6} phones
- 10^9 lows
- 10^{-2} pede
- 10^{-9} Nanette
- 10^{-12} boo
- 2×10^3 mockingbirds

For the above, use the reverse method as described in the presentation - instead of taking the prefix and replacing it with a number, take the number and replace it with a word.

State all 8 unity conversions for each the meter, the gram, and the second. Also include the symbol of all . Use this chart as a guide:

For the following, convert accordingly.

- The speed limits in Paris are in km/hr. I know if go faster than 65 mi/hr in the States, I will get a ticket. Assuming the rules are the same in Paris, how fast can I go without getting a ticket?
- While working on an construction site, I need to cement 25 square yards of ground. At Home Depot, the bags that are sold in terms of square feet. I need to know how many square feet are in 25 square yards.
- If I earn \$50 K anually (i.e. 50 kilodollars), how much do I earn per month? per day?
- The speed of light is an imprtant constant in physics. It is 3×10^8 m/sec. How fast is this in mi/hr? How about mi/sec?
- I have a fan rotating at 180 rpm. How fast is this in revolutions per second?

Do the following conversions:

- 20 mph to m/sec
- 2 kg to gm
- 1 ft to cm
- 1 yd to m
- 4 days to hours
- 1 hour to sec
- $2 \times 10^4 \mu\text{g}$ to kg