



Work Ready Math Formulas

UNITS OF MEASUREMENT

Distance

- 1 foot = 12 inches
- 1 yard = 3 feet
- 1 mile = 5280 feet
- 1 mile \approx 1.61 kilometers
- 1 inch = 2.540 centimeters
- 1 foot = 0.3048 meters
- 1 meter = 100 centimeters
- 1 meter = 1,000 millimeters
- 1 kilometer = 1,000 meters
- 1 kilometer \approx 0.62 miles

Area

- 1 square foot = 144 square inches
- 1 square yard = 9 square feet
- 1 acre = 43,560 square feet

Volume

- 1 tablespoon = 3 teaspoons
- 1 cup = 16 tablespoons
- 1 cup = 8 fluid ounces
- 1 pint = 2 cups
- 1 quart = 2 pints
- 1 quart = 4 cups
- 1 gallon = 4 quarts
- 1 gallon = 231 cubic inches
- 1 liter \approx 0.264 gallons
- 1 cubic foot = 1,728 cubic inches
- 1 cubic yard = 27 cubic feet
- 1 board foot = 1 inch by 12 inches by 12 inches

Mass/Weight

- 1 ounce \approx 28.350 grams
- 1 pound = 16 ounces
- 1 pound \approx 453.592 grams
- 1 milligram = 0.001 grams
- 1 kilogram = 1,000 grams
- 1 kilogram \approx 2.2 pounds
- 1 ton = 2,000 pounds

Time

- 1 minute (min) = 60 seconds (sec)
- 1 hour (hr) = 60 minutes (min)
- 1 day = 24 hours (hr)
- 1 week (wk) = 7 days

FORMULAS

Pi (π)

$$\pi \approx 3.14$$

Square

$$\text{perimeter} = 4(\text{side})$$

$$\text{area} = (\text{side})^2$$

Rectangle

$$\text{perimeter} = 2(\text{length} + \text{width})$$

$$\text{area} = \text{length} \times \text{width}$$

Cube

$$\text{volume} = (\text{length of side})^3$$

Rectangular Prism

$$\text{volume} = \text{length} \times \text{width} \times \text{height}$$

Triangle

$$\text{sum of angles} = 180^\circ$$

$$\text{area} = \frac{1}{2} (\text{base} \times \text{height})$$

Circle

$$\text{degrees in a circle} = 360^\circ$$

$$\text{circumference} \approx 3.14 \times \text{diameter}$$

$$\text{area} \approx 3.14 \times (\text{radius})^2$$

Cylinder

$$\text{volume} \approx 3.14 \times (\text{radius})^2 \times \text{height}$$

Cone

$$\text{volume} \approx \frac{3.14 \times (\text{radius})^2 \times \text{height}}{3}$$

Sphere

$$\text{volume} \approx \frac{4}{3} \times 3.14 \times (\text{radius})^3$$

Amperage

$$\text{amps} = \text{watts} / \text{volts}$$

Electricity

$$1 \text{ kilowatt-hour} = 1,000 \text{ watt-hours}$$

Temperature

$$^\circ\text{C} = 0.56(^\circ\text{F} - 32) \text{ or } \frac{5}{9} (^\circ\text{F} - 32)$$

$$^\circ\text{F} = 1.8(^\circ\text{C}) + 32 \text{ or } (\frac{9}{5} \times ^\circ\text{C}) + 32$$