

**I can perform calculations using scientific notation, significant figures, and unit conversions.**

4.1. I can define metric units and prefixes and explain how metric units are used in measurement.

4.2. I can express numbers in scientific notation and standard notation.

4.3. I can perform calculations using significant figures.

4.4. I can convert between units, both metric and US standard.

4.5. I can distinguish between accuracy and precision in a given set of data

# 9/18 Measurements

Units (labels) - represent the item being measured based on a specific scale.

## Metric System (SI)

prefix to represent # of 10s + base unit to represent type of measurement

- Giga
- Mega
- Kilo
- Hecto (hecta)
- Deca (deka)
- deci
- centi
- milli
- micro
- nano
- meter (length) m
- gram (mass) g
- liter (volume) l/L
- seconds (time) s

Prefix	Symbol	# meaning pc = pieces	word meaning
Giga	G	1 Giga = 1 000 000 000 pc.	billion $10^9$
Mega	M	1 Mega = 1 000 000 pc.	million $10^6$
Kilo	K	1 Kilo = 1 000 pc.	thousand $10^3$
Hecto	H	1 Hecto = 100 pc.	hundred $10^2$
Deca	Da	1 Deca = 10 pc.	ten $10^1$
- Base -	meter, liter gram, second	1	one $10^0$
deci	d	1 base = 10 parts ( $\frac{1}{10}$ )	tenth $10^{-1}$
centi	c	1 base = 100 parts ( $\frac{1}{100}$ )	hundredth $10^{-2}$
milli	m	1 base = 1 000 parts ( $\frac{1}{1000}$ )	thousandth $10^{-3}$
micro	$\mu$	1 base = 1 000 000 parts ( $\frac{1}{1000000}$ )	millionth $10^{-6}$
nano	n	1 base = 1 000 000 000 parts ( $\frac{1}{1000000000}$ )	billionth $10^{-9}$

- 6 Giga
- 7 Mega
- 8 Kilo
- 9 Hecto
- 10 Deca

Front

- 1 Deci
- 2 Centi
- 3 Milli
- 4 micro
- 5 nano

- 1 1 base = 10 parts (d)
- 2 1 base = 100 parts (c)
- 3 1 base = 1000 parts (m)
- 4 1 base = 1 000 000 parts ( $\mu$ )
- 5 1 base = 1 000 000 000 parts (n)
- 6 1 000 000 000 pcs. (G)
- 7 1 000 000 pcs. (M)
- 8 1 000 pcs. (K)
- 9 100 pcs (H)
- 10 10 pcs (Da)

Back

Goodness  
Me!  
King  
Henry  
Died  
by

drinking  
Chocolate  
milk  
monday  
night!

# 9/18 Metric System (SI)

Prefixes  $\longrightarrow$  bases  
 Base 10  
 Quantity  
 How you're measuring (type of measurement)

## units / labels

Prefix	Symbol	# meaning	$10^x$	word meaning	
Giga	G	1 Giga = 1000000000 pieces	$10^9$	billion	Goodness
Mega	M	1 Mega = 1000000 pieces	$10^6$	million	Me!
Kilo	K	1 Kilo = 1000 pieces	$10^3$	thousand	King
Hecto	H	1 Hecto = 100 pieces	$10^2$	hundred	Henry
Deca	Da	1 Deca = 10 pieces	$10^1$	ten	Died
Base		mass = grams (g) volume = liters (L)	$10^0$	length/distance = meter (m) time = seconds (s)	By
Deci	d	1 Base = 10 deci	$10^{-1}$	tenth	Drinking
Centi	c	1 Base = 100 centi	$10^{-2}$	hundredth	Chocolate
milli	m	1 Base = 1000 milli	$10^{-3}$	thousandth	Milk
micro	$\mu$	1 Base = 1000000 micro	$10^{-6}$	millionth	Monday
nano	n	1 Base = 1000000000 nano	$10^{-9}$	billiomth	Night

6	Giga	1	Deci
7	Mega	2	centi
8	Kilo	3	milli
9	Hecto	4	micro
10	Deca	5	nano

- 1 1 Base = 10 deci
- 2 1 Base = 100 centi
- 3 1 Base = 1000 milli
- 4 1 Base = 1000 000 micro
- 5 1 Base = 1000 000 000 nano
- 6 1 Giga = 1000 000 000 pcs
- 7 1 Mega = 1000 000 pcs
- 8 1 Kilo = 1000 pcs
- 9 1 Hecto = 100 pcs
- 10 1 Deca = 10 pcs

1 inch = 2.54 cm

1 ml = 1 cm<sup>3</sup>

