Units of Measurement – Metalwork

Name: ______ Block: ____ Date: _____

What are the two main units of measurements used in North America?

Imperial System

First defined by the British in the 1800's

Lengths: mile, yard, foot, inch

Canada continues to use the Imperial System when trading with goods with the USA

Imperial Measurement Tips:



Fill in the answers to the 12 Times Table

12 x 1 =	12 x 4 =	12 x 7 =	12 x 10 =
12 x 2 =	12 x 5 =	12 x 8 =	12 x 11 =
12 x 3 =	12 x 6 =	12 x 9 =	12 x 12 =

Here are four rulers that all measure in inches. They are NOT to scale. Instead, they are magnified to be "bigger" than the actual rulers, so you can see the divisions better.



You must remember to simplify your fractions

For example:

12 ticks = ____ /16ths of an inch

Divide the numerator and the denominator by 4.

Remember: Whatever you do to the top number you must do to the bottom number



Conventions (symbols) how to express inches and feet in your answers

All are correct but we will use the last convention showing only the symbols of feet and inches

1 foot = 1ft = 1' 1 inch = 1in = 1"

Convention Samples:

2 feet and 3 inches will be expressed as follows:

____ '' ___''

2 feet 3 and 1/6th of an inch will be expressed as follows

____ The inch mark goes at the very end of the fraction of an inch

Metric System

Most used system of measurement worldwide (ie: Canada, Europe)

Lengths: kilometer, meter, centimeter, millimeter

Canada adopted this system in 1970 to replace the Imperial System

Let's practice on the next pages!

Imperial Measurement – Answer with a fraction in inches! Don't forget to simplify your fraction (2/4" would be 1/2").









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Decimal Equivalents of Fractions for an Inch

	1/64 = 0.015625	11/32 = 22/64 = 0.343750	43/64 = 0.671875
	1/32 = 2/64 = 0.031250	23/64 = 0.359375	11/16 = 22/32 = 44/64 = 0.687500
	3/64 = 0.046875	3/8 = 12/32 = 24/64 = 0.375000	45/64 = 0.703125
1/16 =	2/32 = 4/64 = 0.062500	25/64 = 0.390625	23/32 = 46/64 = 0.718750
	5/64 = 0.078125	13/32 = 26/64 = 0.406250	47/64 = 0.734375
	3/32 = 6/64 = 0.097500	27/64 = 0.421875	3/4 = 24/32 = 48/64 = 0.750000
	7/64 = 0.109375	7/16 = 14/32 = 28/64 = 0.437500	49/64 = 0.765625
1/8 =	4/32 = 8/64 = 0.125000	29/64 = 0.453125	25/32 = 50/64 = 0.781250
	9/64 = 0.140625	15/32 = 30/64 = 0.468750	51/64 = 0.796875
	5/32 = 10/64 = 0.156250	31/64 = 0.484375	13/16 = 26/32 = 52/64 = 0.812500
	11/64 = 0.171875	1/2 = 16/32 = 32/64 = 0.500000	53/64 = 0.828125
3/16 =	6/32 = 12/64 = 0.187500	33/64 = 0.515625	27/32 = 54/64 = 0.843750
	13/64 = 0.203125	17/32 = 34/64 = 0.531250	55/64 = 0.859375
	7/32 = 14/64 = 0.218750	35/64 = 0.546875	7/8 = 28/32 = 56/64 = 0.875000
	15/64 = 0.234375	9/16 = 18/32 = 36/64 = 0.562500	57/64 = 0.890625
1/4 =	8/32 = 16/64 = 0.250000	37/64 = 0.578125	29/32 = 58/64 = 0.906250
	17/64 = 0.265625	19/32 = 38/64 = 0.593750	59/64 = 0.921875
	9/32 = 18/64 = 0.281250	39/64 = 0.609375	15/16 = 30/32 = 60/64 = 0.937500
	19/64 = 0.296875	5/8 = 20/32 = 40/64 = 0.625000	61/64 = 0.953125
5/16 =	10/32 = 20/64 = 0.312500	41/64 = 0.640625	31/32 = 62/64 = 0.968750
	21/64 = 0.328125	21/32 = 42/64 = 0.656250	63/64 = 0.984375

Convert The following Fractions into a Decimal answer (example $\frac{1}{2}$ " = 0.50")

5/16 = _____ 14/32 = _____ 3/8 = _____ 7/8 = _____ 1 ³⁄₄ = _____ 5 9/16 = _____ 9 3/16 = _____ 1/4 = _____ 6 1/2 = _____ 7 3/8 = _____

Answer in METRIC

How many Centimeters ?

67 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75 76	
84 85 86 87 88 89 90 91 92 93	
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49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58	
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48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57	
881 '891 '901 '911 '921 '931 '941 '951 '961 '97	

86 87 88 89 90 91 92 93 94 95	
43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52	
63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72	
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24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33	
87 88 89 90 91 92 93 94 95 96	
66 67 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75	

How many Millimeters ?



How many Millimeters ?

Measure the length in <u>centimeters</u> using a <u>REAL ruler</u> Round up your answer to the nearest hundredths. Example = 2.55cm)

How many cm?

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