

N1 - Chemistry Math Review

- Follow formatting requirements written on WS #1 given to you for homework!
- Take NOTES don't copy word for word! Do not ask me “can you go back a slide?” The answer is no. If you need more detail add it at home – notes will be on class website. You need to get FAST at note taking! Use abbreviations, shorthand, pictures etc!

**YOU ARE A NOTE TAKER,
NOT A PHOTOCOPY MACHINE!**

- This “should” be review...we review it quickly to refresh your memory. If you need extra help then come see me!
- We will add “KCQ Boxes” to the end of your notes in class together the next day – it is a note taking technique to help process and retain the information you take notes on. You do not have to do this tonight for homework!

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Target: I can use scientific notation and the metric system this year in my chemistry class.

Tired of really big or really small numbers???

- Use scientific notation!
- Move your decimal and rewrite it in “scientific notation format”

3 ● 54 x 10²

One
#

●

Rest of
the #s

x

10

Exponent

(telling how many times to move the decimal, and which way to move it!)

“x 10 EXPONENT” is the same as

E

3.54E²

Nature of Measurement

- Measurement - quantitative observation
- Consisting of 2 parts
 - Part 1 – **number**
 - Part 2 – **scale (unit)**

We will be using a lot of scientific notation for our numbers

Example: **20** grams

We will be using the metric system for our units

Why the Metric System?

- We all need to speak the same “math language.”
- Everyone else uses it!
- It is easier!

The British: Hey guys, we developed this thing called the metric system...

Americans:



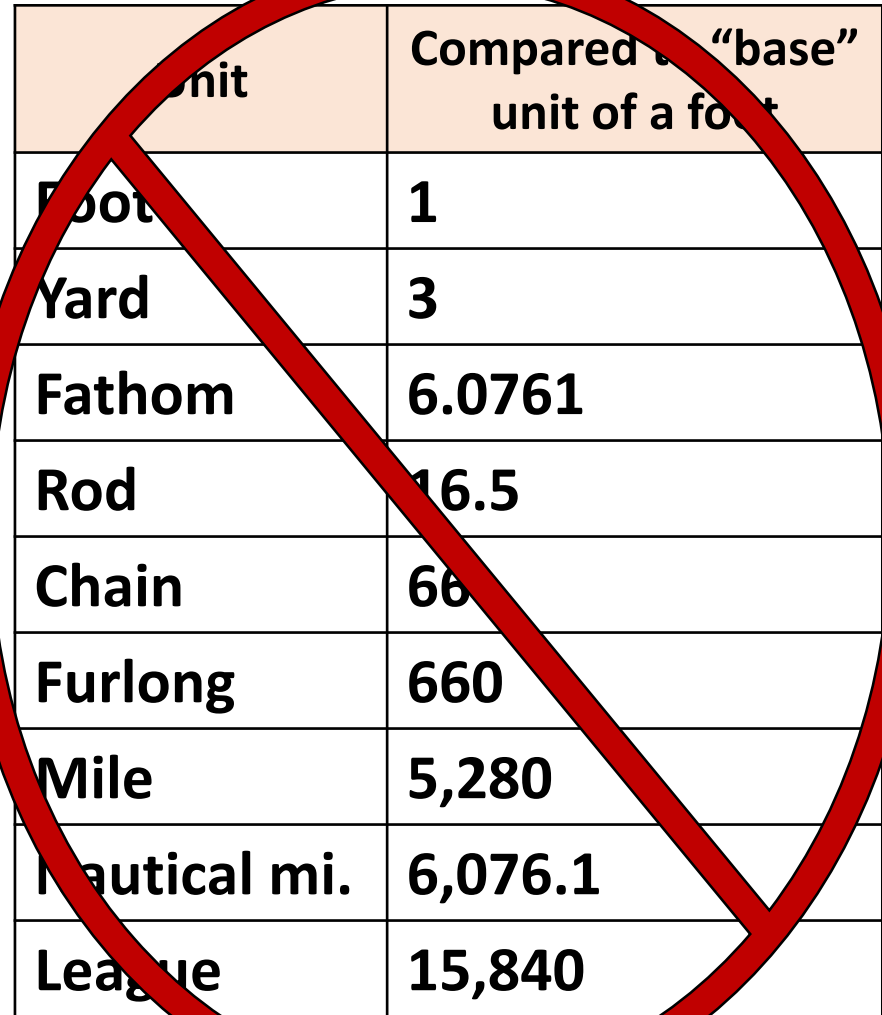
Adult deer are as tall as a bicycle. They weigh as much as 800 hamburgers.

How is it easier?

- Metric system works on “BASE TEN”
- Everything is changed by a factor of 10
- English system is totally random!

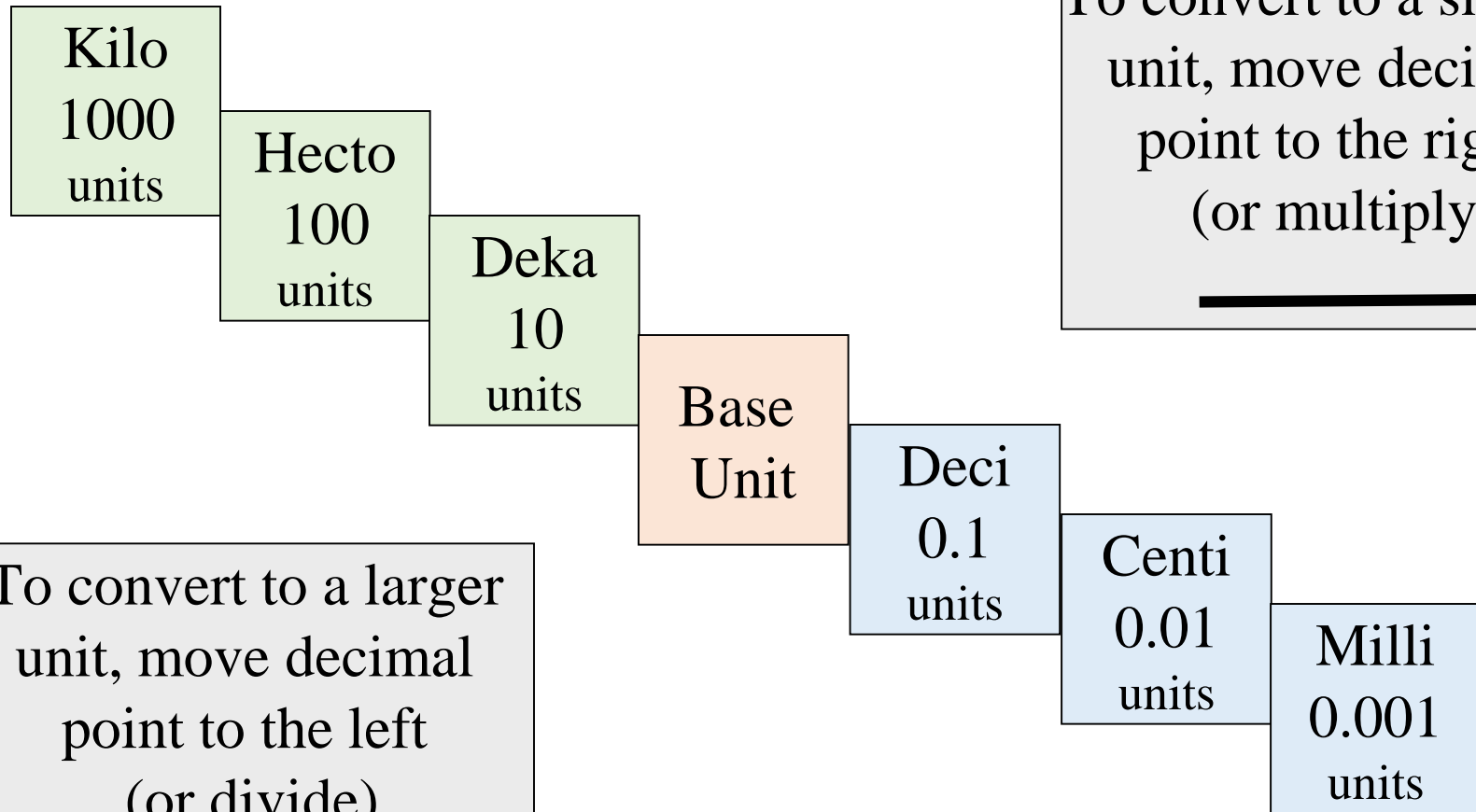
Unit	Compared to “base” unit of a meter
Meter	1
Decameter	10
Hectometer	100
Kilometer	1000

Unit	Compared to “base” unit of a foot
Foot	1
Yard	3
Fathom	6.0761
Rod	16.5
Chain	66
Furlong	660
Mile	5,280
Nautical mi.	6,076.1
League	15,840



Converting Metric System

- Just move the decimal!



To convert to a smaller unit, move decimal point to the right (or multiply)



To convert to a larger unit, move decimal point to the left (or divide)



How do I remember the prefixes?

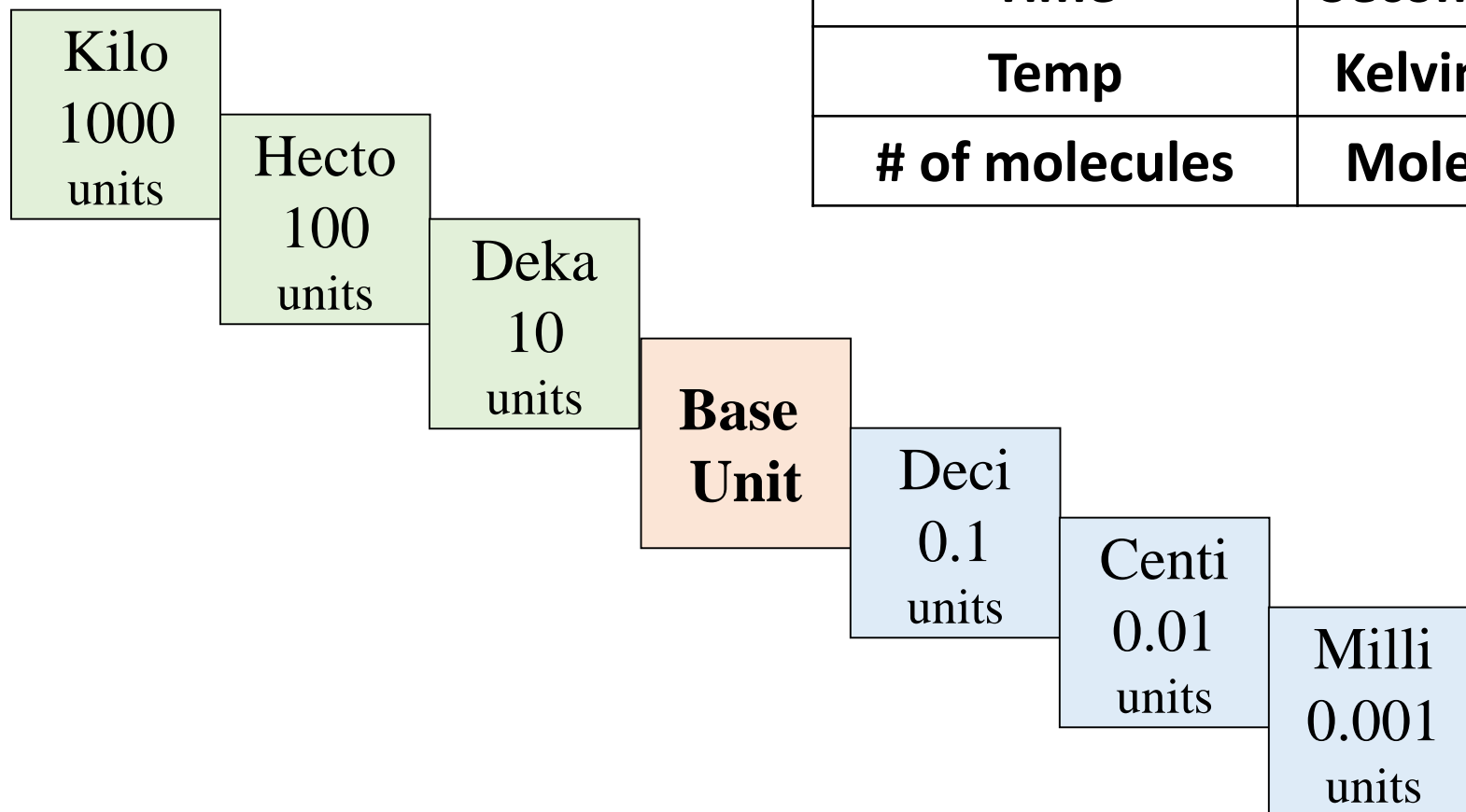
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What are the “Base Units?”

Measuring	Unit
Length	Meter
Volume	Liter
Mass	Gram
Time	Second
Temp	Kelvin
# of molecules	Mole



Guided Practice

27500 mg \rightarrow g

STEP 1

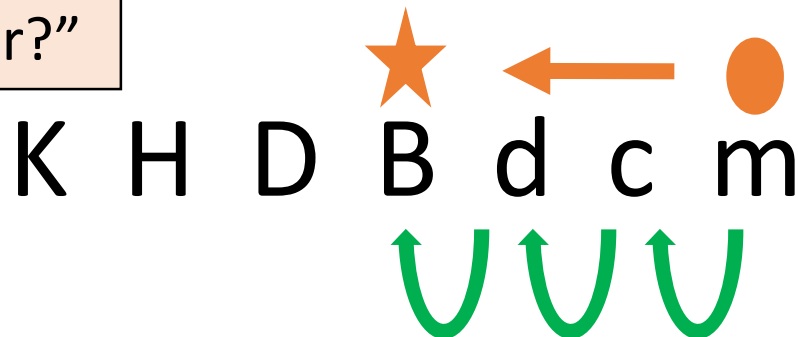
Are you going up or down the “ladder?”

STEP 2

How many steps to get there?

STEP 3

Move decimal that many times, in that direction



2 7 5 0 0 .

The diagram shows the number 27500. with blue U-shaped arrows indicating the movement of the decimal point. The first arrow points from the decimal point to the 5, the second arrow points from the 5 to the 0, and the third arrow points from the 0 to the 7.

27.500 g

Guided Practice

$$0.15 \text{ DL} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \text{ mL}$$

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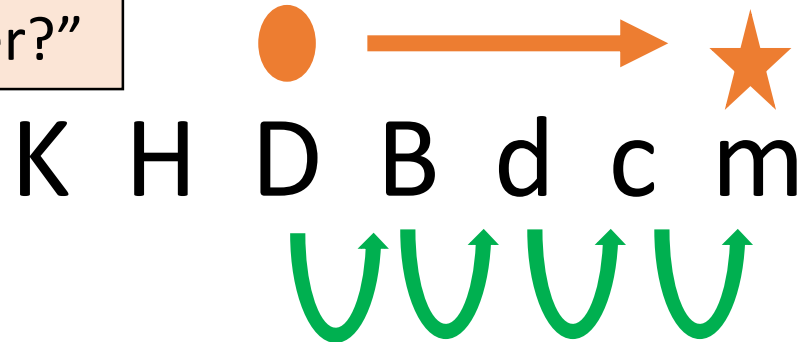
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0.1500

1500 mL

The Fundamental SI Units **(le Système International, SI)**

<u>Physical Quantity</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Abbrev.</u>
Mass	kilogram	kg
Length	meter	m
Time	second	s
Temperature	Kelvin	K
Electric Current	Ampere	A
Amount of Substance	mole	mol
Luminous Intensity	candela	cd



**Careful – what
we call the “Base
Unit” for
conversions is
GRAMS but the
“SI Base Unit” for
mass is
KILOGRAMS**

Derived Units

- Made by combining multiple units together

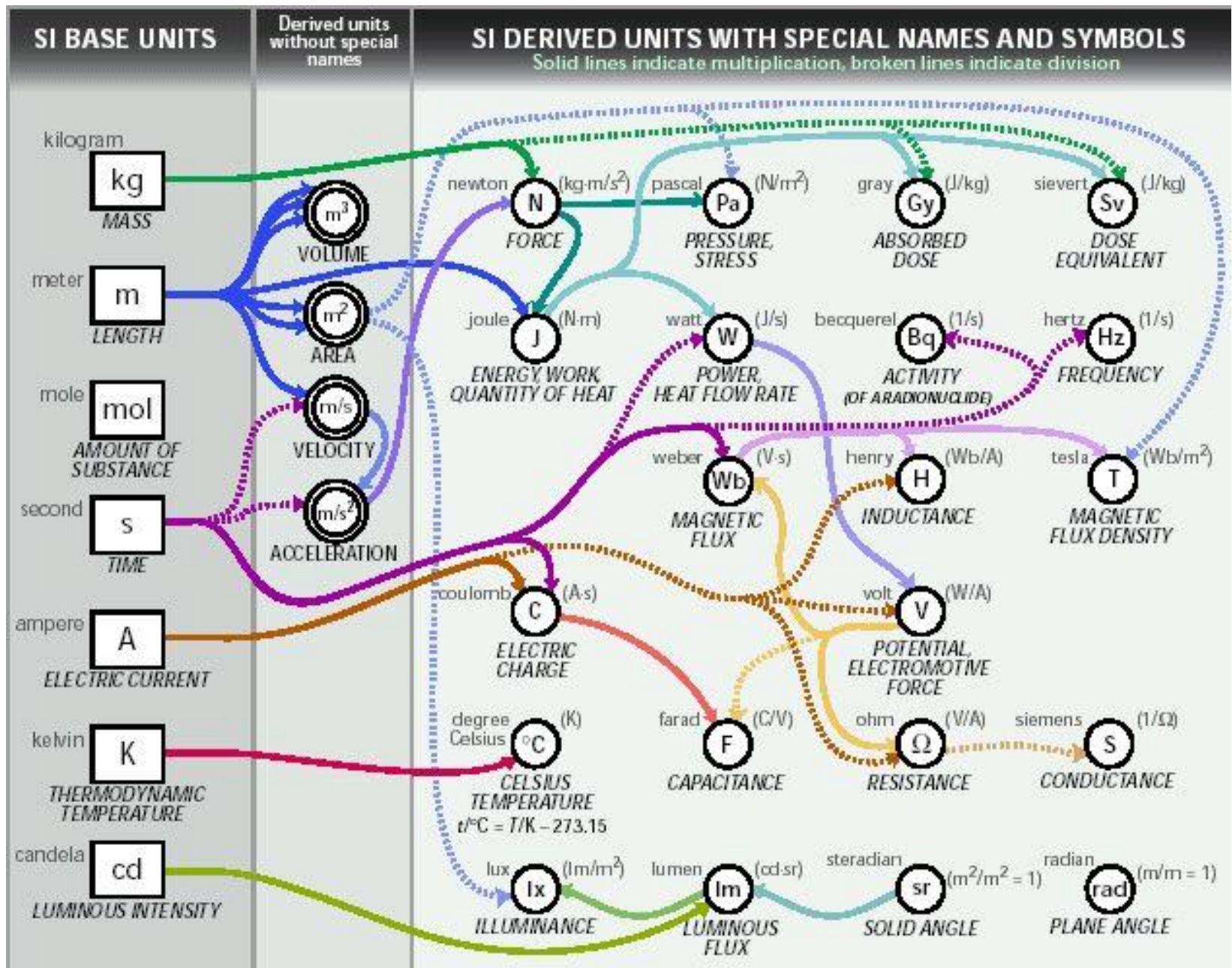
- Examples:

miles/hour = speed in our cars in US

cm^3 = volume

m/s^2 = acceleration

$\text{kg}\cdot\text{m/s}^2$ = newton (measures force)



YouTube Link for this Presentation

- <https://youtu.be/IfPJ7xKOfQU>