



Density Worksheet

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1. A 3.5mL chunk of boron has a mass of 8.19g. Calculate the density of the boron in g/mL.

$$d = \frac{m}{V} = \frac{8.19g}{3.5mL} = \underline{2.39g/mL}$$

2. A pure iron bar has a mass of 125g. If the density of iron is $7.86 \times 10^3 g/L$, what is the volume of the iron bar in L, mL, and cm^3 ?

$$V = \frac{m}{d} = \frac{125g}{7.86 \times 10^3 g/L} = \underline{0.0159L} = \underline{15.9mL} = \underline{15.9cm^3}$$

3. Beeswax has a density of 961g/L. If a block of beeswax has a volume of 200.0mL, what is the mass of the block in grams?

$$m = dV = (961g)(0.2000L) = \underline{192g}$$

4. The noble gas neon is contained in a glass bulb having a volume of 22.4L. If the density of neon is 0.900g/L, what is the mass (g) of the neon in the bulb?

$$m = dV = (0.900g/L)(22.4L) = \underline{20.2g}$$

5. A 70.0g sphere of manganese (density = $7.20 \times 10^3 g/L$) is dropped into a graduated cylinder containing 54.0mL of water. What volume of water will be displaced in mL?

$$V = \frac{m}{d} = \frac{70.0g}{7.20 \times 10^3 g/L} = 9.72 \times 10^{-3} L = \underline{9.72mL} \text{ will be displaced.}$$

6. The density of steel is 7.80g/cm³. If you have a 56cm³ piece of steel, what is its mass (g)?

$$m = dV = (7.80g/cm^3)(56cm^3) = \underline{4.4 \times 10^2 g}$$

7. If the density of brick is 1.84g/cm³ and the density of aluminum is 2.70g/cm³, what mass (g) of aluminum occupies the same volume as 150.0g of brick?

$$V_{\text{brick}} = \frac{m}{d} = \frac{150.0g}{1.84g/cm^3} = 81.522cm^3 \quad m_{\text{Al}} = dV = (2.70g/cm^3)(81.522cm^3) = 220g$$

8. If the density of copper is $8.92 \times 10^3 g/L$ and the density of magnesium is $1.74 \times 10^3 g/L$, what mass (g) of magnesium occupies the same volume as 100.0g of copper?

$$V_{\text{copper}} = \frac{m}{d} = \frac{100.0g}{8.92 \times 10^3 g/L} = 0.01121L \quad m_{\text{Mg}} = dV = (1.74 \times 10^3 g/L)(0.01121L) = \underline{19.5g}$$

9. Ice has a density of 0.92g/cm³. If it is put in 200.0mL of an unknown alcohol which has a mass of 190.3g, will the ice sink or float? Why?

$$d_{\text{Alcohol}} = \frac{m}{V} = \frac{190.3g}{200.0mL} = 0.9515g/mL = 0.9515g/cm^3$$

Ice will float as its density is less than that of alcohol.

10. If you increase the air pressure inside of a bottle, does the density of the air inside increase or decrease? Why?

Increase — more mass per unit space