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Scientific Notation and the Metric System

Practice Sheet #1

Due: _____

1. Are these values larger or smaller than 1?

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|--------------|-------|------------------------|-------|-----------------------------|-------|
| a) 0.0067 g | _____ | b) 3.9×10^4 m | _____ | c) 4.99×10^{-7} kg | _____ |
| d) 95,000 km | _____ | e) 80 L | _____ | f) 2.6×10^{-3} mm | _____ |

2. Complete the following conversions

	Expanded Notation	Scientific Notation
a) 13,994 kWh	_____	
b)	_____	2.108×10^3 kWh
c) 6009 kWh	_____	
d) 0.337 kg	_____	
e)	_____	1.3×10^{-1} kg
f)	_____	2.04×10^{-8} kg
g) 0.128 kg	_____	
h) 1,762.44 qt	_____	
i)	_____	6.34013×10^5 m
j) 188,091 ft	_____	

Metric Conversions		
Prefix	Symbol	Magnitude
Giga	G	10^9
Mega	M	10^6
Kilo	k	10^3
Hecto	h	10^2
Deca	da	10
Basic unit	-	1
Deci	d	10^{-1}
Centi	c	10^{-2}
Milli	m	10^{-3}
Micro	μ (greek letter)	10^{-6}
nano	n	10^{-9}

3. Fill in the chart like the example shown below.

ex nL = nanoliter = 10^{-9} liters = *Smaller than a liter*

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|---------------|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|
| a) mg | = | _____ | = | _____ | = | _____ |
| b) μL | = | _____ | = | _____ | = | _____ |
| c) Mg | = | _____ | = | _____ | = | _____ |
| d) hm | = | _____ | = | _____ | = | _____ |
| e) mL | = | _____ | = | _____ | = | _____ |
| f) millimeter | = | _____ | = | _____ | = | _____ |
| g) centigram | = | _____ | = | _____ | = | _____ |
| h) Kilosecond | = | _____ | = | _____ | = | _____ |

4. Convert each of the following.

a) 835 mL into Liters

b) 9.834×10^{-2} cm into meters

c) 4,000 Gg into grams

d) 9.43×10^8 gallons into liters

e) 17,987,234 cm into Mm

f) 8.95 acres into meters squared (m^2)

g) 8.9×10^7 m² into cm²

h) 324 cm³ into in³

i) 1.98×10^{18} mi into km