

# CHEM 191 Workshop 1.1: Scientific Tools

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please complete this worksheet and turn it in by the end of the class period. Show all work for credit.*

*Refer to “Scientific Tools” by Roland Stull and Chemistry: Atoms First Sections 1.4 & 1.6, and Appendices B, C, and D for more information.*

1. For the following *values*, list the **magnitude**:

- $6.34 \times 10^{-9}$  m

\_\_\_\_\_

- $4 \times 10^3$   $\mu$ F

\_\_\_\_\_

2. List the SI **prefix** and its multiplier value for each of the following *values*:

- $1.01 \times 10^2$  kPa

\_\_\_\_\_

- 500 mg

\_\_\_\_\_

3. List the **units** for each of the following *values*:

- 2.4 g

\_\_\_\_\_

- 1,013 mbar

\_\_\_\_\_

4. Write the following numbers in scientific notation:

- 3,100,000

\_\_\_\_\_

- 100

\_\_\_\_\_

- 0.1

\_\_\_\_\_

- 0.0524

\_\_\_\_\_

- 1 part per million (ppm)

\_\_\_\_\_

- 5 parts per billion (ppb)

\_\_\_\_\_

5. Give the name (e.g. *nano-*) and multiplier (in scientific notation, e.g.  $10^3$ ) indicated by the following SI abbreviations:

	Name	Quantity
• c	_____	_____
• G	_____	_____
• k	_____	_____
• m	_____	_____
• $\mu$	_____	_____
• n	_____	_____
• M	_____	_____

6. Convert the following and show your work for each.

- 65°F to °C

\_\_\_\_\_ °C

- 65°F to K

\_\_\_\_\_ K

- 1 in to millimeters

\_\_\_\_\_ mm

- 1.5 in to meters

\_\_\_\_\_ m

- Typical atmospheric pressure in Cullowhee of 33.23 inHg to hPa

\_\_\_\_\_ hPa

7. Complete the following table.

Abbreviation	Unit	Quantity Measured	Base or Derived?
kg	gram	mass	base
mPa	_____	_____	_____
_____	meter	_____	_____
C	_____	_____	_____
°C	_____	_____	_____
K	_____	_____	_____
_____	mole	_____	_____
_____	second	_____	_____
_____	part per billion	_____	_____
mbar	_____	_____	_____
M	_____	_____	_____

8. Calculate the following. Remember to include units in your answer where necessary.

- $(2.8 \times 10^{-9}) \times (5.7 \times 10^{-3})$  \_\_\_\_\_
- $(3.5 \times 10^6) \div (29 \times 10^{10})$  \_\_\_\_\_
- $35 \text{ m} \div 408 \text{ mm}$  \_\_\_\_\_
- $35 \text{ km} - 200 \text{ m}$  \_\_\_\_\_

9. A can of soda contains 12.0 oz of liquid. How many milliliters is this? Show your work.