# What is scientific notation?

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The number 154,000,000,000 is written in scientil	fic notation as	
The first number (1.54) is called theand less than 10.		. It must be greater than or equal to
The second number (10) is called the	It will <b>always</b> be	·
The third number (11) is called the	It is also referred	to as the power of ten.
Write this number in scientific notation by follow	ving the steps below.	785 000
Step 1: Write the by putting the	decimal after the first	non-zero digit.
Step 2: Write the ( x 10).		
Step 3: Find the by countin	g the number of places	the decimal must move.
Ex. Write the following numbers in scientific nota	tion:	
195 000 000 000 = 56 000 000 =	675 000 000 = 72 000 =	=
What about really small numbers?  Numbers that are less than 1 have a  A millionth of a second would look like this: 0.000		·
Ex. Write the following numbers in scientific notabefore the decimal place.	tion. Remember that th	ne coefficient only has one number
0.0000007 = 0.00056 =	0.0000743 = 0.092 =	
When do you write a negative exponent when converting to scientific notation? When do you write a positive exponent when converting to scientific notation?		

## Using Calculators in scientific notation

Multiply these two numbers together by following using the **Exp** or **EE** button on your calculator  $(2.1 \times 10^8) \times (3.2 \times 10^4) = 6.72 \times 10^{12}$ 

Type EXACTLY into your calculator:

### Homework:

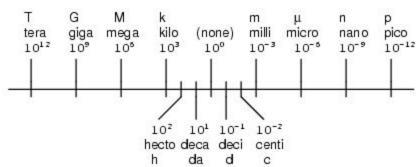
#### **Scientific Notation/Conversions Practice**

- 1. Express each of the following in scientific notation:
- a) 978 000 000 000 = \_\_\_\_\_
- b) 0.000 000 3001 = \_\_\_\_\_
- c) 457.1 = \_\_\_\_\_
- d) 8 920 000 = \_\_\_\_\_

- e) 1000 = \_\_\_\_\_
- f) 0.035 000 = \_\_\_\_\_
- g) 36 400 = \_\_\_\_
- h) 0.000 000 0198 =
- 2. Complete the following calculations use your calculator and answer in scientific notation rounded to 2 decimal places:
- a)  $4.15 \times 10^5 \times 2.14 \times 10^6 =$
- e) 3.00 x 10<sup>8</sup> ÷ 4.18 x 10<sup>14</sup> = \_\_\_\_\_
- b)  $3.78 \times 10^9 \div 9.55 \times 10^2 =$
- f) 5.50 x 10<sup>15</sup> x 9.81 x 10<sup>-3</sup> =
- c)  $7.84 \times 10^{-6} \times 8.08 \times 10^{7} =$
- g)  $8.15 \times 10^{-2} \div 9.17 \times 10^{-8} =$
- d)  $6.95 \times 10^4 \div 1.07 \times 10^{-9} =$
- h) 2.11 x 10<sup>6</sup> + 4.33 x 10<sup>5</sup> = \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Metric Conversions**

#### METRIC PREFIX SCALE



## Use the metric prefix scale to convert between units.

900 mm = m

3 GL = \_\_\_\_ kL

500 cm = nm

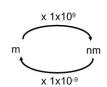
265 mm = cm

### **Converting with nanometres!**

One nanometre is \_\_\_\_\_ metres.

Convert the following values.

- 1. 600nm = \_\_\_\_\_ m
- 2. 20 nm = \_\_\_\_\_ m
- 3. 4550 nm = \_\_\_\_\_ m
- 4. 175 nm = \_\_\_\_\_ m



5. 6 m = \_\_\_\_\_

nm

6.  $2.99 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m} =$ 

nm

7.  $7.5 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m} =$ \_\_\_\_\_

nm

8.  $9.87 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m} = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} \text{nm}$ 

Homework:

Convert between the following metric units.

a) 75m = \_\_\_\_\_ km

b) 538 nm = \_\_\_\_\_ m

c) 0.0036m = \_\_\_\_\_mm

d) 0.000 000 179 m = \_\_\_\_\_ nm

e) 50.6 L = \_\_\_\_\_ mL

f) 90.25 kV = \_\_\_\_\_mV

g) 3.75 x 10<sup>-7</sup> m = \_\_\_\_\_ nm

h) 2 GV = \_\_\_\_\_ V

i) 3.78 nm = \_\_\_\_\_ m

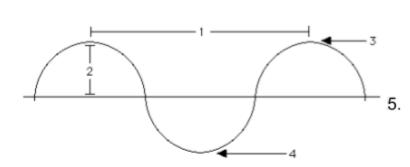
j) 2.5 hours = \_\_\_\_\_ seconds

k) 3 days = \_\_\_\_\_ hours

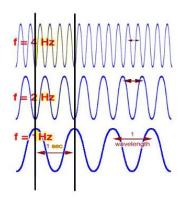
I) 1 000 000 seconds = days

# What is Light?

We now know that light is a form of \_\_\_\_\_\_. This energy travels in \_\_\_\_\_\_, which together with visible light are called electromagnetic radiation.







It can also be found using the equation: f =

Figure 2: Relationship between frequency & wavelength

Properties of Waves	Definition
Crest	
Trough	
Wavelength	Symbol is $\lambda$ (lambda)
Amplitude	
Frequency	

The energy transferred by a wave often d	epends on the	of the wave <b>and</b> its	
The higher the frequency, the	energy the wave passes a	long.	

The wave equation tells us the relationship between frequency, speed, and wavelength:

$$V = f \times \lambda$$

v =			
f =			
$\lambda = $			

Ex 1. Red light has a wavelength of 700 nm. If its frequency is  $4.2827 \times 10^{14} \, \text{Hz}$ , what is the SPEED OF LIGHT?

Ex 2. Knowing that the speed of light is  $3.0 \times 10^8$  m/s and that some X-rays have a wavelength of 5.25 nm , what is the frequency of the X-rays?



## **Using the Wave Equation Homework**

#### All final answers should be rounded to 2 decimal places

- 1. A pendulum goes through 100 cycles in 2.5 minutes. Determine its frequency.
- 2. While sitting on a dock, a boat passes by you and produces a wave. You estimate the distance from the first crest to the fifth crest is 12 m.
- a) Use a diagram to determine the number of cycles and the wavelength of the wave.
- b) You measure that it takes 3.4 s for 6 waves to pass your dock. Determine the frequency of the wave.
- c) Using your answers from part a) and b) determine the speed of the wave.
- 3. What is the speed of a wave with a wavelength of 1.75 m and a frequency of 800Hz?
- 4. A light wave passes through a transparent wall. It has a wavelength of 0.3m and travels at 2000m/s. What is its frequency?
- 5. A red light has a wavelength of 680 nm. What is its frequency?
- 6. Radiation from a distant galaxy has a frequency of  $3.2 \times 10^{22}$  Hz. What is the wavelength of the light? What type of ray is it?

7. A light ray from a laser has a frequency of 6.7 x 10<sup>14</sup> Hz. What is the wavelength of the light? What colour is the light?

The Electromagnetic Spectrum represents:

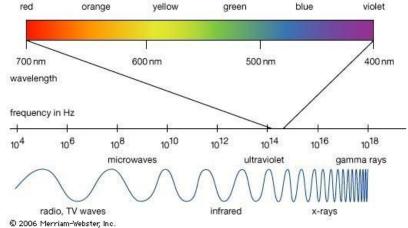
red orange yellow green blue

We can only see a tiny portion called visible light.

What we see is a \_\_\_\_\_\_of colours

The difference between colours of light is:

Small \_\_\_



Small

	Radio	Microwave s	Infrared	Visible	Ultraviolet	X-rays	Gamma
Uses							
Wavelength Range	> 0.3	0.001-0.3	7.6x10 <sup>-7</sup> - 0.001	3.8x10 <sup>-7</sup> - 7.6x10 <sup>-7</sup>	8x10 <sup>-9</sup> - 3.8x10 <sup>-7</sup>	6x10 <sup>-12</sup> - 8x10 <sup>-9</sup>	< 6x10 <sup>-12</sup>
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We can also think about light as a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_. It is made of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_(massless particles that travel in a wave-like pattern at the speed of light). Photons contain a specific amount (bundle) of energy. How much energy the photons contain tells us where the radiation is on the \_\_\_\_\_\_ This gives us a "wave-particle duality"



The Ray Mode	el of Light	
	oresented in many different ways; each explanation giving validity to a specific explain, particles explain light at an a	
explains	This is shown through the	
	The ray model of light, light is represented by using direction that the light travels. Light rays travel away from the source in	that show the
	and in completely as it radiates out. Each ray has an	are drawings that show the
	to indicate which direction the light is travelling in.	<del></del>
Light rays diagra	ams are useful when explaining what happens to light when it hits an object. O	nce light strikes an object
e.g. Cle	s transmitted freely through the material ear glass or plastic light is transmitted through, some is reflected	
· e.g. Fr	rosted Glass	
	nt is transmitted through the material, all light is reflected ood door	
Light Reflection	<u>n</u>	
	jects around you because	and has returned to
your eyes. Incom	ming rays to one another and in regular reflect	
(	), outgoing rays tion, all of the light rays are the same both incoming and outgoing. When this h	_, travelling parallel as well.
egular reliect	tion, all of the light rays are the same both incoming and outgoing. When this r on the smooth surface. However, not all objects are smo	
many rough edg	ges. The causes the parallel incoming light rays to be	·

in many different directions, resulting in	Diffuse reflection
allows you to see the object rather than a reflected image.	
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<u>Shadows</u>	
1. How does a shadow form?	
2. What is the difference between the umbra and the penumbra of a sh	adow? Label the diagram.
3. Using a diagram, explain how shadows can change size even thoug	h the object remains constant
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The Law of Reflection	
When light reflects off a surface, the angle of incidence is	
to the angle of reflection.	i
The law of reflection can be written using mathematical symbols. Theta, Subscripts identify the angle. The law says that	
The angle of incidence and the angle of reflection are always measured from object.	the normal and not from the surface of the
Any mirror that has a flat reflective surface is called a	mirror. When using a mirror it's
not possible to make an image you can capture on paper (placed behind mir	ror), since no light from the object
This means the image in a plane mirror is a _	image, an image formed by

rays that do not actually pass through the location of the image. (This is an exact reflection of the real object).

#### How to Draw a Ray Diagram on a Plane Mirror



- Draw a "mirror image" by measuring the distance to each extreme point
- Pick an extreme point on the reflected image and draw the ray that will travel to the eye
- Draw the incoming ray for light traveling from the corresponding extreme on the **object** to the mirror.

Repeat for each extreme point

# Reflection of Plane Mirrors

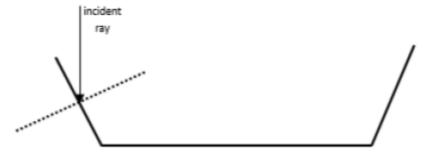
 Aim the ray box so that the light passes over top of the first dot. Use two mirrors to reflect the light through the second dot. Use a pencil to trace over the pathway of light.

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2. Draw ray diagrams to show the image and the rays that extend to the eye.



 Trace the incident ray as it reflects from the mirrored surface until it leaves the area (draw in the normals first to show that that law of reflection is being followed... the first normal is drawn for you)



4. Why are letters on an ambulance written in reverse and backward?



5. Come up with a word that does not change appearance in a mirror. (Use the flat mirror to check!)