

Units Answer Key

- C.** First convert the large slab from pounds to ounces: $(20 \text{ pounds}) \times \frac{(16 \text{ ounces})}{(1 \text{ pound})} = 320 \text{ ounces}$. Now we know that there are 320 ounces of chocolate in each large slab. To find how many 2-ounce chocolate chips can be made from this slab, we divide: $320/2 = 160$ chocolate chips. Choices A and B are incorrect and are smaller than the number of chocolate chips that can be made from the slab. Choice D is incorrect because it is the number of ounces in the slab of chocolate, and not the number of chocolate chips that can be made from this slab.
- C.** First find the Molly's dog age in human years: $7 - 5.5 = 1.5$. Therefore, Molly's dog must be 1.5 human years old. Then convert to dog years. $(1.5 \text{ human years}) \times \frac{7 \text{ dog years}}{1 \text{ human year}} = 10.5 \text{ dog years}$. Molly's dog is 10.5 dog-years-old. Choice A is incorrect because it is the age of Molly's dog in human years. Choice B is incorrect because it is the conversion rate of human years to dog years. Choice D is incorrect because it is older than the dog's actual age.
- A.** From the formula $\text{distance} = \text{rate} \times \text{time}$, we can plug in the numbers. $\text{distance} = \frac{2 \text{ miles}}{1 \text{ hour}} \times (9 \text{ seconds})$. However, we need to convert to units in order to cancel out the time unit, and then convert miles to feet. To do so, we simply multiply by the proper unit conversions:
 $\text{distance} = \frac{2 \text{ miles}}{1 \text{ hour}} \times (9 \text{ seconds}) \times \frac{1 \text{ hour}}{60 \text{ minutes}} \times \frac{1 \text{ minute}}{60 \text{ seconds}} \times \frac{5280 \text{ feet}}{1 \text{ mile}} = 26.4 \text{ feet}$. Choices B, C, and D are all incorrect because none of them accurately represent how far Jenny is able to swim in one breath and may come from algebra errors.
- B.** The bread on sale costs \$26 for 8 loaves, so it costs: $26/8 = \$3.25$ per loaf. The normal price is \$4, so the sale price is $4 - 3.25 = \$0.75$ cheaper. Choices A and C are incorrect and may come from algebra errors. Choice D is incorrect and is the sale cost per loaf. The question is asking for the difference in price.
- B.** Cost per ounce is equal to $\frac{\text{cost}}{\text{ounce}}$. For Honey Bits, $\frac{\text{cost}}{\text{ounce}} = \frac{3.99}{3.8} = \1.05 . For Fruity Dots, $\frac{\text{cost}}{\text{ounce}} = \frac{4.19}{4.5} = \0.93 . For Berry Wellness, $\frac{\text{cost}}{\text{ounce}} = \frac{4.89}{5.0} = \0.98 . For Corn Delight, $\frac{\text{cost}}{\text{ounce}} = \frac{3.79}{3.7} = \1.02 . Comparing these values, the cheapest option for Timmy would be Fruity Dots. Choices A, C, and D are incorrect because none of them represent the cheapest option for Timmy as they all have higher cost per ounce than Choice A, Fruity Dots.
- D.** To solve this, simply convert units:
 $\frac{110 \text{ Calories}}{1} \times \frac{1000 \text{ calories}}{1 \text{ Calorie}} \times \frac{4.184 \text{ Joules}}{1 \text{ calorie}} = 460240 \text{ Joules} = 4.6 \times 10^5 \text{ Joules}$. Choices A, B, and C are all incorrect and may result from incorrect unit conversions.
- A.** $7.5 \text{ palms} \times \frac{22.5 \text{ centimeters}}{3 \text{ palms}} \times \frac{1 \text{ foot}}{30 \text{ centimeters}} = 1.88 \text{ feet}$. Choices B, C, and D are all incorrect and may result from incorrect unit conversions.
- D.** There are 4 atoms of hydrogen per 1 molecule of methane. Thus, from the equation
 $(172 \text{ molecules of methane}) \times \frac{4 \text{ atom Hydrogen}}{1 \text{ molecules methane}} = 172(4) = 43 \text{ atoms of Hydrogen}$
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9. **B.** The volume of the sphere is $V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3 = 36\pi \approx 113.1 \text{ cm}^3$. We know that $\text{density} = \frac{\text{mass}}{\text{unit volume}}$, so $\text{mass} = (\text{density})(\text{unit volume})$. Plugging in we get $\text{mass} = \frac{0.85 \text{ grams}}{\text{cm}^3} \times 113.1 \text{ cm}^3 = 96.1 \text{ grams}$. Choice A is incorrect and is off by a power of ten. Choice C is incorrect and is the approximate volume of the sphere. Choice D is incorrect and is a random number distraction.
10. **D.** In total, it takes Eva $1 + 3.5 = 4.5$ minutes to complete a drink. There are $5 \times 60 = 300$ minutes in her 5-hour shift. With a 10-minute break, Eva can work $300 - 10 = 290$ minutes in total. Thus, she can make $290 \text{ min} \times \frac{1 \text{ drink}}{4.5 \text{ min}} = 64.4 \approx 64$ drinks during her shift. Choices A, B, and C are incorrect because none of them are the correct number of drinks that Eva can make within her 5-hour shift. Some errors may occur if the problem was solved without considering the 10-minute break when Eva was not making any drinks.