

Best Measuring Units

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Circle the units that would work best for measuring each object.

(1) Shampoo to wash your hair once

gallons

fluid ounces

(10) A tall tree

meters

centimeters

(2) A swimming pool

liters

milliliters

(11) A goldfish

pounds

ounces

(3) A set of encyclopedias

tons

pounds

(12) A bar of soap

pounds

ounces

(4) How far you can kick a ball

meters

kilometers

(13) The distance to the next city

miles

yards

(5) The height of the grass outside

yards

inches

(14) The width of a coin

millimeters

meters

(6) An expensive bottle of perfume

fluid ounces

gallons

(15) The milk in your breakfast cereal

fluid ounces

gallons

(7) The water used to wash your clothes

milliliters

liters

(16) A rope to play tug-of-war

meters

centimeters

(8) A big fish tank

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(17) A trip on a passenger jet

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grams

kilograms

centimeters

meters

(10) The width of your shoe

(2) A hiking trail

inches

yards

(11) A laptop computer

inches

yards

(3) The amount used to water the lawn

gallons

fluid ounces

(12) A tall tree

miles

yards

(4) The height of an office tower

millimeters

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(13) A trip on a passenger jet

miles

yards

(5) The hands of a clock

millimeters

meters

(14) The length of a lizard

millimeters

meters

(6) One tube of toothpaste

gallons

fluid ounces

(15) A horse

ounces

pounds

(7) Mustard for a hot dog

liters

milliliters

(16) The diameter of the Earth

kilometers

meters

(8) A paperback book

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kilograms

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(11) A blue whale

pounds

tons

(3) A compact disc

grams

kilograms

(12) The distance to the next city

miles

yards

(4) A desk stapler

ounces

pounds

(13) A piece of chalk

meters

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inches

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grams

kilograms

(7) The width of a street

inches

yards

(16) The length of your arm

meters

centimeters

(8) The salt in a bowl of soup

kilograms

grams

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fluid ounces

(3) The height of your desk

inches

miles

(12) The length of your finger

inches

yards

(4) A loaf of bread

centimeters

meters

(13) The length of a mouse

meters

millimeters

(5) The distance to the moon

inches

miles

(14) Mustard for a hot dog

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(6) A trash can

gallons

fluid ounces

(15) One tube of toothpaste

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(7) A pencil

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miles

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