

MATH 1030, Unit Conversion Worksheet

Fall 2019

Name:

1. Identify the units in the following problems

- (a) Your average speed on a long walk, found by dividing distance traveled in miles by time elapsed in hours.

- (b) The unit price of oranges, found by dividing the price in dollars by the weight in pounds.

- (c) The cost of a piece of carpet, found by dividing its price in dollars by its area in square yards.

- (d) The flow rate of a river in which 5000 cubic feet of water flow past a particular location every second.

2. Do the following conversions.

- (a) Convert 100 km per hour to MPH

- (b) Convert 32 years to days (neglecting leap years).

(c) Convert the Space Station's orbital speed of 17,200 miles per hour to units of miles per second.

3. A new sidewalk will be 4 feet wide, 200 feet long, and filled to a depth of 6 inches (0.5 foot) with concrete. How many cubic yards of concrete are needed?

4. What is the total weight of 23 baseballs that weigh 5.25 ounces each?