

# Metrics & Density

Gather the following items:

Paper/Pencil

Calculator

Periodic Table

Salt and Sand Write-Ups

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#### IV. Data

1. mass of beaker= **24.13 g**
2. mass of beaker + salt= **25.15 g**
3. volume of water = **20.1 mL**
4. mass of evap. dish and watch glass = **44.07 g**
5. mass of evap. dish / watch glass + salt = **44.88 g**

#### V. Calculations

1. Initial mass of salt

Mass of Beaker & Salt	25.15g
<u>-Mass of Beaker</u>	<u>-24.13g</u>
Mass of Salt	1.02g

2. Mass of salt recovered

Mass of evap dish / WG & Salt	44.88g
<u>-Mass of evap dish/ WG</u>	<u>-44.07g</u>
Mass of Salt	0.81g

3. Percent Error

$$\% \text{ error} = \frac{|\text{measured} - \text{accepted}|}{\text{accepted}} \times 100\%$$

$$\% \text{ error} = \frac{|0.81 \text{ g} - 1.02 \text{ g}|}{1.02 \text{ g}} \times 100\%$$

$$\% \text{ error} = 21\%$$

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### Important Metric Measurement Units

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Unit	Definition	English Units	Metric Units	Measurement Device
Volume	amount of space	cup, quart, gallon, etc...	milliliter (cm <sup>3</sup> ) liter (dm <sup>3</sup> )	graduated cylinder
Mass / Weight	amount of matter	ounces pounds	gram 1 mL water kilogram	balance

### Density

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#### Fundamentals

A measure of the compactness of matter

Mathematically, it is the ratio of mass and volume

$$D = \frac{\text{Mass}}{\text{Volume}}$$

$$\frac{\text{gram}}{\text{ml}}$$

$$\frac{\text{gram}}{\text{cm}^3}$$

## Density

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### Sample Problem #1

- A metal block weighing 100.0g has a volume of 8.81 cm<sup>3</sup>. If the block is an elemental metal, what type of metal is it?

$$D = \frac{\text{Mass}}{\text{Volume}} = \frac{100.0\text{g}}{8.81\text{cm}^3} = 11.4\text{g/cm}^3$$

Lead

(Density = 11.34g/cm<sup>3</sup>)

## Density

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### Sample Problem #2

- What is the mass of 1250mL of aluminum?

$$D = \frac{\text{Mass}}{\text{Volume}}$$

$$2.7\text{g/mL} = \frac{X}{1250\text{mL}}$$

$$X = 3400\text{g}$$