

Quiz #1

- Which of the following statements best represents a law?
 - Adding four pounds of air to a tire increases the volume of the tire by 1.0%
 - The volume of a gas is inversely proportional to its pressure.
 - A gas is composed of small molecules in constant motion.
 - A gas with a mass of 10.5 grams has a volume of 34.8 liters.
- A tentative interpretation or explanation of an observation is called a:
 - law
 - theory
 - hypothesis
 - observation
- The way that scientists learn about the natural world involving experimentation, observations and hypothesis is known as:
 - Scientific method
 - Law of Science
 - Theory of Chemistry
 - Greek Philosophy
- Which of the following elements would be considered an alkaline earth metal?
 - Cesium
 - Manganese
 - Californium
 - Strontium
- Which of the following elements would be in the same period as tellurium?
 - Oxygen
 - Xenon
 - Potassium
 - Bromine
- What is the symbol for manganese?
 - Mn
 - Mg
 - Md
 - Mt
- What is the mass, in pounds, of an object having a mass of 1.5×10^5 mg?
 - 3.3×10^{-4} pounds
 - 0.16 pounds
 - 1.6×10^{-2} pounds
 - 0.33 pounds
- The speed of sound on a typical day in the Palouse is calculated to be 1.130×10^3 feet/second. Bill shouts to Sally, his hiking partner, who is 788 yards away. How long will it take in seconds for the sound of Bill's voice to reach Sally?
 - 2.09 seconds
 - 1630 seconds
 - 5.88 seconds
 - 0.0882 seconds

9. The masses of precious metals are often reported in troy units, conversions shown below.
24 grains = 1 pennyweight; 20 pennyweights = 1 troy ounce; 12 troy ounces = 1 troy pound
A piece of metal was purchased for \$2054.00. The price of the metal at the time was \$155.00 per troy ounce. What was the mass of the metal in grains?
- 265.0 grains
 - 6361 grains
 - 318.0 grains
 - 76330 grains
10. In the make believe country of Nardonia, the "Nards" earn their living by making kabobs from bobs. A Nard uses 25 bobs to make 13 kabobs for which they are paid 6.5 nobbs for each kabob. If a Nard uses about 4.85 bobs in an 8.0 hour workday, how many hours would it take them to earn 14005 nobbs - the price of a Kob, the country's most popular car?
- 44400 hours
 - 273 hours
 - 854 hours
 - 6830 hours
11. The density of mercury is 13.54 grams per milliliter. How many grams of mercury does it take to fill a 3.50 L bottle?
- 47.4 grams
 - 2.11×10^{-6} grams
 - 4.74×10^4 grams
 - 2.11×10^{-3} grams
12. What is the weight in grams of an aluminum bar, which has a height 12.5 cm, a width of 10.8 cm and a length of 18.0cm? The density of aluminum is 2.70 g/mL.
- 6560 grams
 - 2430 grams
 - 900 grams
 - 1530 grams
13. In 1618, the Pharmacopoeia of London defined the following mass units to be used in the preparation of drugs: **20 grains = 1 scruple; 3 scruples = 1 drachm; 8 drachms = 1 ounce**
How many ounces (as defined above) of aspirin would you have if you have 895 grains of aspirin?
- 14.9 ounces
 - 4.29×10^5 ounces
 - 2.15×10^4 ounces
 - 1.86 ounces
14. The number 13040 has how many significant digits?
- 5
 - 3
 - 2
 - 4

15. You land a job making \$0.0250 per second. What is your annual salary? (Assume that you only work 40 hours a week and 52 weeks a year.)
- \$3,120 per year
 - \$187,000 per year
 - \$4,680 per year
 - \$97,000 per year
16. Which of the following elements would be considered a non-metal?
- Bismuth
 - Mercury
 - Selenium
 - Beryllium
17. Which of the following elements is in the same family as boron?
- Carbon
 - Helium
 - Lead
 - Gallium
18. Which of the following elements is a Noble Gas?
- Hydrogen
 - Chlorine
 - Radon
 - Oxygen
19. Which of the following elements is a metal?
- Germanium
 - Astatine
 - Antimony
 - Technetium
20. What is 2.55×10^3 multiplied by 5.88×10^{-2} ?
- 150.
 - 15.0
 - 1.50×10^{-2}
 - 1.50×10^{-1}
21. What value would you get if you added 105 to 9.704? Be sure to following the rules for significant figures.
- 114.704
 - 115
 - 114.7
 - 114
22. Which of the following is not an element?
- Cesium
 - Tin
 - Vanadium
 - Bronze

23. If an object measure 27.5 centimeters in length, what would the length be in kilometers?
- a. 0.0275 km
 - b. 27500 km
 - c. 0.000275 km
 - d. 2.75×10^{-3} km
24. Which of the following is not a base unit in the International System (SI)?
- a. Gram
 - b. Second
 - c. Kelvin
 - d. Meter