



3.10D Conversions and Units: Fluency and Exam Drill

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Total Marks

Name: _____ Date: ____ / ____ / ____

Answer ALL questions. Show all your working.

- 1** Work out 4300 mm expressed in metres.

(Total for Question 1 is 1 mark)

- 2** Write 5.4 km as a number of metres.

(Total for Question 2 is 1 mark)

- 3** Convert 2500 g to kilograms.

(Total for Question 3 is 1 mark)

- 4** Work out 0.0032 metres written in millimetres.

(Total for Question 4 is 1 mark)

- 5** Convert 12.5 m^2 into cm^2 .

(Total for Question 5 is 2 marks)

6 Work out 0.072 m^3 expressed in litres.

(Total for Question 6 is 2 marks)

7 Work out 4.8 km/h in metres per second. Give an exact value if possible.

(Total for Question 7 is 2 marks)

8 A car is travelling at 90 km/h . Work out its speed in metres per second.

(Total for Question 8 is 2 marks)

9 Convert 0.003 km^2 into square metres (m^2).

(Total for Question 9 is 2 marks)

10 Work out 12500 mm^3 expressed in cm^3 .

(Total for Question 10 is 2 marks)

11 Convert 72 km/h into centimetres per second (cm/s). Show your working.

(Total for Question 11 is 3 marks)

- 12** A rectangular pool is 12.5 m long, 4 m wide and 1.6 m deep. Work out the volume of water in the pool in litres.

(Total for Question 12 is 4 marks)

- 13** Convert 25000 cm² to square metres (m²).

(Total for Question 13 is 2 marks)

- 14** Write 0.45 litres as a number of cubic centimetres (cm³).

(Total for Question 14 is 2 marks)

- 15** A train travels 108 km in 1.5 hours. Work out its average speed in metres per second. Give your answer to the nearest whole number.

(Total for Question 15 is 3 marks)

- 16** Convert 250 km² into hectares.

(Total for Question 16 is 2 marks)

17 Work out 36000 cm^3 expressed in cubic metres (m^3).

(Total for Question 17 is 2 marks)

18 A cylindrical water tank has radius 0.75 m and height 1.2 m . Work out the volume of the tank in litres. Give your answer to 1 decimal place. (Use π in your working.)

(Total for Question 18 is 4 marks)

19 Convert 75 mm^2 into square metres (m^2).

(Total for Question 19 is 2 marks)

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Question 1

- **B1** 4.3 m cao
- **Answer: 4.3 m**

Question 2

- **B1** 5400 m cao
- **Answer: 5400 m**

Question 3

- **B1** 2.5 kg cao
- **Answer: 2.5 kg**

Question 4

- **B1** 3.2 mm cao
- **Answer: 3.2 mm**

Question 5

- **M1** multiply 12.5 by 10000 (conversion factor m^2 to cm^2) oe
- **A1** 125000 cm^2 cao
- **Answer: 125000 cm^2**

Question 6

- **M1** use $1 \text{ m}^3 = 1000$ litres, multiply 0.072 by 1000 oe
- **A1** 72 L cao
- **Answer: 72 L**

Question 7

- **M1** apply conversion factor $1 \text{ km/h} = 5/18 \text{ m/s}$ (or multiply by $5/18$) oe
- **A1** $4/3 \text{ m/s}$ or $1.333\dots \text{m/s}$ cao
- **Answer: $4/3 \text{ m/s}$ ($1.333\dots \text{m/s}$)**

Question 8

- **M1** convert 90 km/h to m/s by multiplying by $5/18$ oe
- **A1** 25 m/s cao
- **Answer: 25 m/s**

Question 9

- **M1** use $1 \text{ km}^2 = 1\,000\,000 \text{ m}^2$, multiply 0.003 by 1 000 000 oe
- **A1** 3000 m^2 cao
- **Answer: 3000 m^2**

Question 10

- **M1** use $1 \text{ cm}^3 = 1000 \text{ mm}^3$ or divide by 1000 oe
- **A1** 12.5 cm^3 cao
- **Answer: 12.5 cm^3**

Question 11

- **M1** convert km/h to m/s: $72 \times 5/18 = 20 \text{ m/s}$ oe
- **M1** convert m/s to cm/s by multiplying by 100 oe
- **A1** 2000 cm/s cao
- **Answer: 2000 cm/s**

Question 12

- **M1** calculate volume in m^3 : $12.5 \times 4 \times 1.6$ oe
- **M1** find 80 m^3 result or show the multiplication correctly oe
- **A1** 80000 cao
- **B1** correct unit stated as litres
- **Answer: 80000 L**

Question 13

- **M1** divide by 10000 (conversion cm^2 to m^2) oe
- **A1** 2.5 m^2 cao
- **Answer: 2.5 m^2**

Question 14

- **M1** use $1 \text{ L} = 1000 \text{ cm}^3$ and multiply 0.45×1000 oe
- **A1** 450 cm^3 cao
- **Answer: 450 cm^3**

Question 15

- **M1** find speed in km/h : $108 / 1.5 = 72 \text{ km/h}$ oe
- **M1** convert 72 km/h to m/s by multiplying by $5/18$ oe
- **A1** 20 m/s cao (nearest whole number)
- **Answer: 20 m/s**

Question 16

- **M1** use $1 \text{ km}^2 = 100$ hectares, multiply 250×100 oe
- **A1** 25000 hectares cao
- **Answer: 25000 hectares**

Question 17

- **M1** divide by 1 000 000 (conversion cm^3 to m^3) oe
- **A1** 0.036 m^3 cao
- **Answer: 0.036 m^3**

Question 18

- **M1** use formula $V = \pi r^2 h$ and substitute $r = 0.75$, $h = 1.2$ oe
- **M1** calculate $r^2 \times h = 0.75^2 \times 1.2 = 0.675$ oe
- **M1** multiply by π to get m^3 then convert to litres by $\times 1000$ oe
- **A1** 2120.6 L awrt ($0.675 \times \pi \times 1000 = 2120.6 \text{ L}$ to 1 d.p.)
- **Answer: 2120.6 L**

Question 19

- **M1** use $1 \text{ mm}^2 = 1\text{e-}6 \text{ m}^2$, multiply $75 \times 1\text{e-}6$ oe
- **A1** 0.000075 m^2 cao
- **Answer: 0.000075 m^2**