

DesCartes: A Continuum of Learning®

Goal: Measurement and Data

Mathematics

RIT Score Range:211 - 220Statements Last Updated:Mar 10, 2014

Skills and Concepts to Enhance (73% Probability*) 201 - 210	Skills and Concepts to Develop (50% Probability*) 211 - 220	Skills and Concepts to Introduce (27% Probability*) 221 - 230
Geometric Measurement and Problem Solving	Geometric Measurement and Problem Solving	Geometric Measurement and Problem Solving
 Computes the value of multiple bills and coins (addition/subtraction only) 	Computes the value of multiple bills and coins (addition/subtraction only)	Computes with dollars and cents over \$5.00 and converts to decimals (multiplication/division)
 Computes with dollars and cents up to and including \$5.00 and converts to decimals (multiplication/division) 	Analyzes and computes 1 operation on real-world problems involving money over \$5.00 (addition/subtraction only)	 Computes the value of multiple bills and coins (multiplication/division) Measures length to the nearest millimeter
 Computes addition and subtraction on multiple-step real-world problems involving money 	 Analyzes and computes 1 operation on real-world problems involving money over \$5.00 (multiplication/division) 	Converts between inches, feet, and yards
Computes money problems with multiple operations (addition/ subtraction only)	• Computes with dollars and cents over \$5.00 and converts to decimals (multiplication/division)	 Converts between millimeters, centimeters, meters, and kilometers Solves problems involving length in the customary system and
Computes addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division on multiple- step, real-world problems involving money	Computes addition and subtraction on multiple-step real-world problems involving money	converts to larger or smaller units Converts between ounces and pounds
Uses the appropriate unit of measure for length	Computes addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division on multiple-	 Converts between ounces, pounds, and tons
Knows the approximate size of a yard	step, real-world problems involving money	 Converts between cups, pints, quarts, and gallons
Measures length to the nearest centimeter	 Uses the appropriate unit of measure for length 	Converts within the metric system
Converts between inches and feet	 Knows the approximate size of a millimeter 	 Apply dimensional analysis to simple real-world problems (capacity)
Knows the approximate size of a pound	 Converts between inches and feet 	 Computes 2-step conversions between units of time
Knows the approximate size of a gram	 Converts between inches, feet, and yards 	 Applies dimensional analysis to simple real-world problems (time)
Converts between cups and pints	Selects and uses the appropriate type and size of unit in metric system (mass)	Solves difficult problems involving elapsed time, with the conversion of hours
Converts between cups, pints, and quarts	 Converts between cups, pints, quarts, and gallons 	Solves complex problems involving miles/kilometers per hour
Computes simple conversions among units of time (hours, days)	Apply dimensional analysis to simple real-world problems (capacity)	Solves problems involving rates
Computes more difficult conversions among units of time	Computes more difficult conversions among units of time	Determines the perimeter of a figure using non-standard units
Solves problems involving measurement of time	Applies dimensional analysis to simple real-world problems (time)	 Solves problems involving the perimeter of squares, rectangles, or
Applies dimensional analysis to simple real-world problems (time)	• Solves difficult problems involving elapsed time, with the conversion of	triangles
 Solves simple problems involving elapsed time, with the conversion of hours 	hours	• Solves problems involving the perimeter of irregular or complex shapes
Solves simple problems involving miles per gallon	 Solves simple problems involving miles per gallon Solves problems involving rates 	 Solves problems involving perimeter and converts to larger or smaller units
 Solves simple problems involving miles/kilometers per hour 	Estimates the measure of acute, right, and obtuse angles using 45 and	Describes the change in perimeter when dimensions of an object are
• Estimates the measure of acute, right, and obtuse angles using 45 and 90 degrees as referents	90 degrees as referents	altered Calculates the area of a rectangle, given labeled sides (customary)
Determines the perimeter of a figure where some sides are labeled	Measures angles using a protractor	units)
Estimates the area of rectangles using square units	Determines the perimeter of a figure using non-standard units	• Determines the length or width of a rectangle, given the area (metric
Determines the area of irregular shapes with partial square units	 Solves problems involving the perimeter of squares, rectangles, or triangles 	units)
 Identifies situations where it is appropriate to calculate area 	Finds the perimeter of a polygon using a formula	 Determines the area of irregular shapes (customary units)
Estimates and finds volume of a figure using cubic units	Describes the change in perimeter when dimensions of an object are	 Calculates area and perimeter of a rectangle (customary units)
Uses basic indirect methods to estimate measurements (grids for area	altered	 Calculates the volume of rectangular solids
of irregular figures)	Determines the area of irregular shapes with partial square units	
	Estimates and finds volume of a figure using cubic units	
	 Identifies properties of angles 	

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Represent and Interpret Data	Represent and Interpret Data	Represent and Interpret Data
Solves problems using pictographs	Solves problems using pictographs Solves problems using her graphs	Determines appropriate intervals and/or scale for a bar graph
Organizes data to create simple bar graphs	Solves problems using bar graphs	
Solves problems using bar graphs	Reads and interprets data in line plots	
Solves problems using dual bar graphs		
Draws conclusions from data - bar graphs		
New Vocabulary: bar graph, cubic centimeter, cubic unit, larger	New Vocabulary: century, coin, how long	New Vocabulary: cubic meter
New Signs and Symbols: cm centimeter/centimetre, variable	New Signs and Symbols: \$ dollar sign, hr hour, ↓ measurement span down, ← measurement span left, → measurement span right, ↑ measurement span up	New Signs and Symbols: h height, I length, mL milliliter/millilitre, mm millimeter/millimetre, V volume, w width

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