

## Imperial Units of Mass

The imperial system of measurement uses ounces and pounds to measure mass.

Ounces (oz) are the smaller unit of mass. One slice of bread has a mass of about one ounce. Ounces are often used in recipes to measure amounts of ingredients.



Pounds (lb) are the larger unit of mass - a football has a mass of about one pound. There are 16 ounces in one pound. We might
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Can you think of anything else that we use ounces or pounds to measure?

## Ounces and Grams

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10 z \approx 28 \mathrm{~g}
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## Recipes

Lucy's grandma has given her an old book of cake recipes.
The ingredients have been written in imperial measurements.


## Recipes

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1 \mathrm{oz} \approx 28 \mathrm{~g}
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The first page in Lucy's grandma's book has a list of
ingredients for making shortbread.
Ingredients (0L)
makes 12
$80 z$ butter $60 z$ sugar 1002 plain flour

Convert the measurements given in ounces into grams:

## Recipes

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## Pounds, Grams and Kilograms

We usually measure certain objects in either pounds or kilograms.


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1 \mathrm{lb} \approx 450 \mathrm{~g}
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Pounds, Grams and Kilograms
$1 \mathrm{~kg} \approx 2.2 \mathrm{lb}$


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\begin{gathered}
1 \mathrm{lb} \approx 450 \mathrm{~g} \times 6=2700 \mathrm{~g} \\
2700 \mathrm{~g}=2.7 \mathrm{~kg}
\end{gathered}
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$2.7 \mathrm{~kg}+2.5 \mathrm{~kg}=5.2 \mathrm{~kg}$

Aran's mass now is 5.2 kg .


He gained 2.5 kg in three months. What is his mass now?
Give your answer in kilograms.

# Units of Mass 

Can you answer these questions

| $1 \mathrm{oz} \approx 30 \mathrm{~g}$ | $1 \mathrm{lb} \approx 450 \mathrm{~g}$ | $1 \mathrm{~kg} \approx 2.2 \mathrm{lb}$ |
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1) Here is a recipe for biscuits. Convert the imperial measurements into metric units.


2) Fill in this chart to convert from pounds to grams.

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| 450 g |  |  |  |


| $10 \mathrm{z}=30 \mathrm{~g}$ | $1 \mathrm{lb}=450 \mathrm{~g}$ | $1 \mathrm{~kg}=2.2 \mathrm{lb}$ |
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3) The masses of these items of food have been recorded in either metric or imperial units of measurement. Convert each measurement into the given unit.


Make sure you look at which measurement you are converting to.
4) Sara adopted two kittens called Kiki and Ken. Kiki has a mass of $100 z$; Ken's mass is 250 g . Which kitten is heavier? Show your working out.


## Comparing Measurements,

 decide which measurement $\mathrm{g}_{\mathrm{t}}$ would fg more sensible to convert.


