Mass, Volume, & Density



Mass

Measurement of the amount of <u>matter</u> (or stuff) in an object

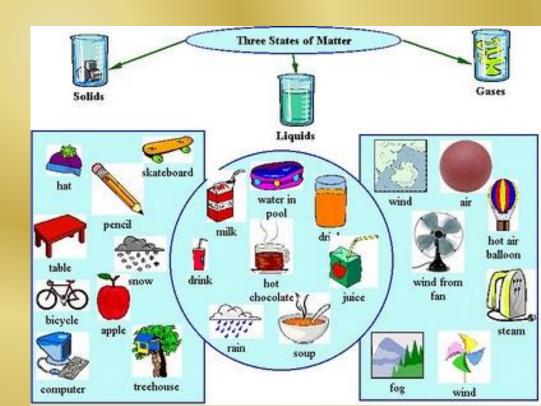
- Measured in grams (g)

There are 3 states of matter:

Solid

Liquid

Gas

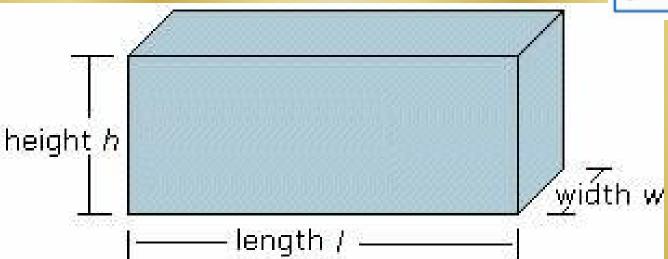


Volume

Measurement of the amount of <u>space</u> an object takes up

- Measured in milliliters (ml) or cm³

V = L x W x H
or
V = LWH

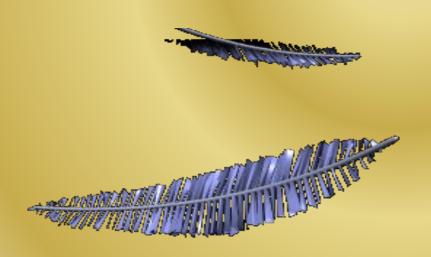


Which do you think would have the greater volume? The greater mass?

Why?

1 kg of feathers





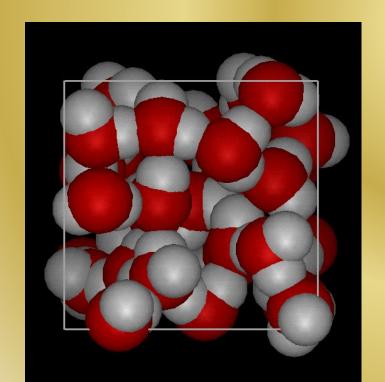


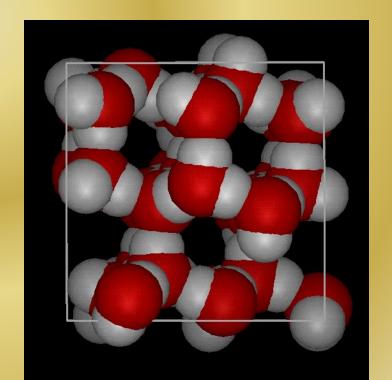
Density

Density is defined as mass per unit volume.

It is a measure of how tightly packed and how heavy the molecules are in an object.

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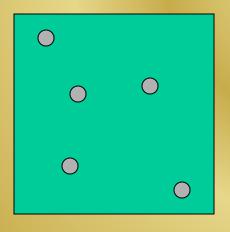


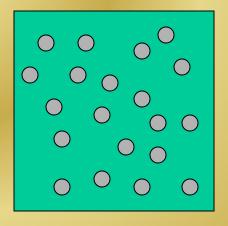


Which one is more dense?

Demonstration: People in a square

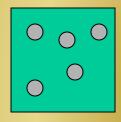
How about this: Which square is more dense?

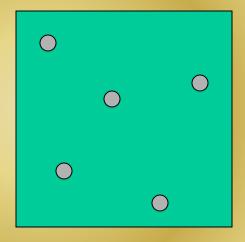




Which one is more dense?

Now which one is more dense?



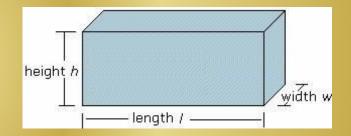


To find the density

1- Find the mass of the object

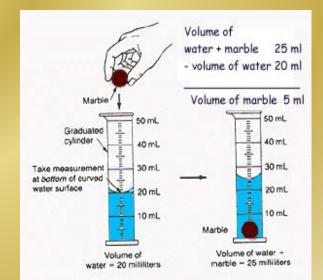


2- Find the volume of the object



3- Divide
Density = Mass g
Volume c³

ALWAYS REMEMBER UNITS!



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Set up your density problems like this:



Given: Mass = 35 grams

Volume = 7 cm^3

Formula: D = M / V

Unknown: Density (g/cm³)

Solution: D = 35g/7 cm3

D = 5 g/cm3

Let's try some density problems together Work on these problems with your neighbor

- 1 Frank has a paper clip. It has a mass of 9g and a volume of 3cm³. What is its density?
- 2. Frank also has an eraser. It has a mass of 3g, and a volume of 1cm³. What is its density?
- 3. Jack has a rock. The rock has a mass of 6g and a volume of 3cm³. What is the density of the rock?
- 4. Jill has a gel pen. The gel pen has a mass of 8g and a volume of 2cm³. What is the density of the rock?



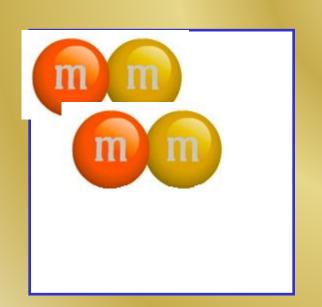
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Change Mass AND Keep Volume Same

Increase the mass → increase density

Decrease the mass → decrease in density

Which container has more density?



В



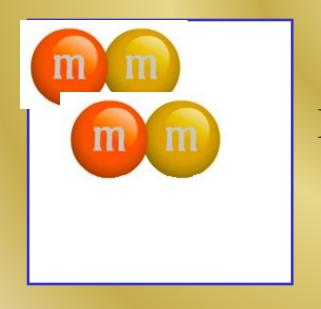
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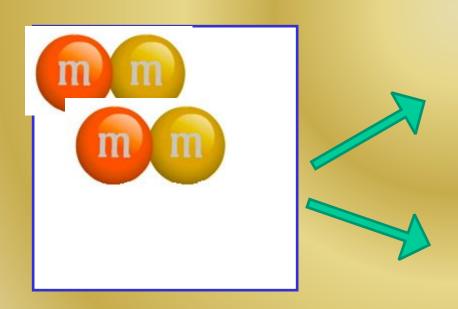


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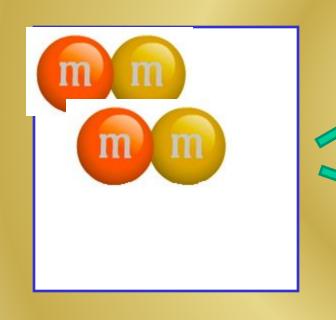


In your notebook illustrate the answer to the following question:

What 2 ways will INCREASE density?



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Keep the same mass AND decrease the volume



Keep the same volume AND increase the mass

Super Scientist Question of the Day

- Jake has a book, a ruler, and a balance.
- How can Jake find the density of the book with the tools he has?



Review

What is the formula for density? What happens if you pour together liquids that have different densities? Will the liquid on the top have the highest or lowest density? Will the liquid on the bottom have the highest or lowest density?