

Year 10

PROPORTIONAL REASONING...

What do I need to be able to do:

By the end of this unit, you will:

- Interpret scales using maps
- Convert between different currencies
- Use and Interpret conversion
- Calculate Speed, Distance & Time

Keywords:

Convert: change

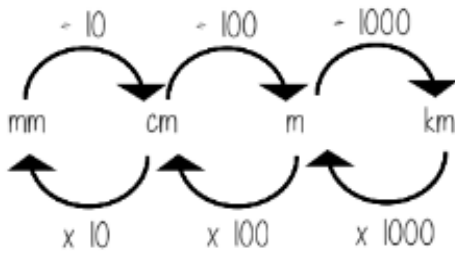
Scale Factor: the multiple that increases/decreases a shape in size

Currency: the system of money used in a particular country

Scale: the comparison of something drawn to its actual scale

Substitute: putting numbers where letters are - numbers into a formula

Interpret maps with scale factors



1 cm : 250 m

Ratios need to be in the same units

1 cm : 250m

$$250 \times 100 = 25000$$

1 cm : 25000cm

For every 1cm on my map is 25000cm in real life



Conversion between currencies



For every £1 I have 90 Rupees

£1 = 90 Rupees

Currency is directly proportional

£1 = 90 Rupees
 $\times 10$
 £10 = 900 Rupees



Currency can be converted using a conversion graph

Convert 630 Rupees into Pounds

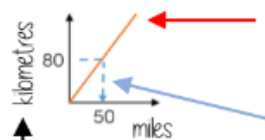
£1 = 90 Rupees
 $\times 7$
 £7 = 630 Rupees

$$630 \div 90 = 7$$

Conversion Graphs

Compare two variables

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This is always a straight line because as one variable increases so does the other at the same rate

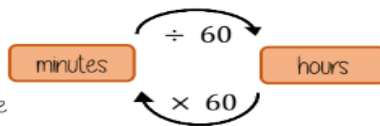
Labelling of both axes is vital

To make conversions between units you need to find the point to compare - then find the associated point by using your graph
 Using a ruler helps for accuracy
 Showing your conversion lines help as a "check" for solutions

Speed, Distance, Time



Before calculations - make sure you are working in the same units as the speed



Learn or learn how to rearrange the formula for speed, distance and time

$$\text{time} = \frac{\text{distance}}{\text{speed}}$$

$$\text{distance} = \text{speed} \times \text{time}$$

Substitute in the variables given

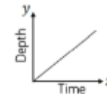
Flow problems & graphs



This will fill at a constant rate, then as the space decreases it will speed up and the neck of the bottle fill at a faster constant speed



The cylinder will fill at a constant speed



Units are important
 Ensure any volume calculations are the same unit as the rate of flow