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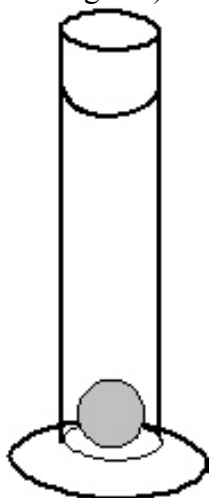
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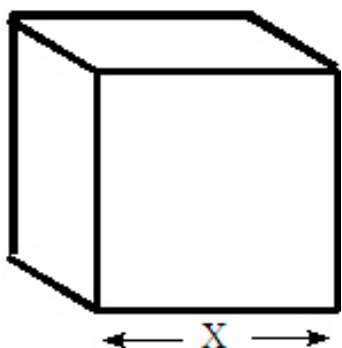
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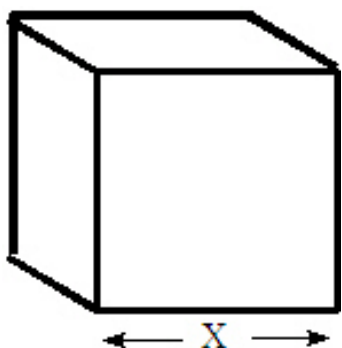


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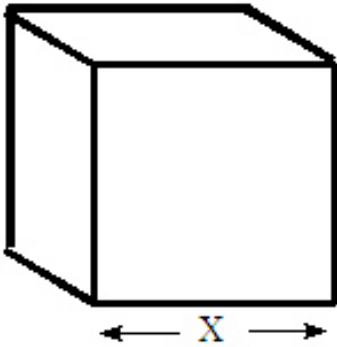


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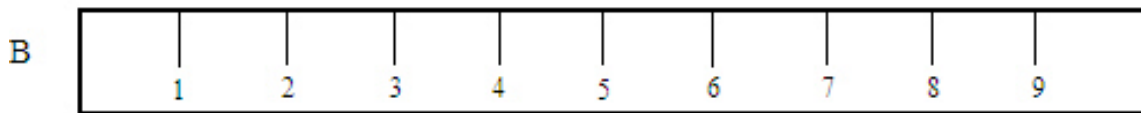
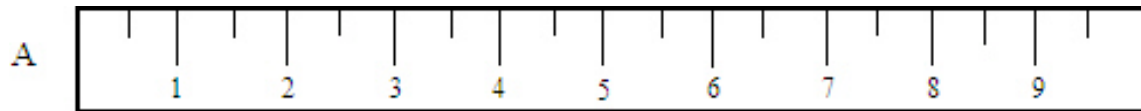
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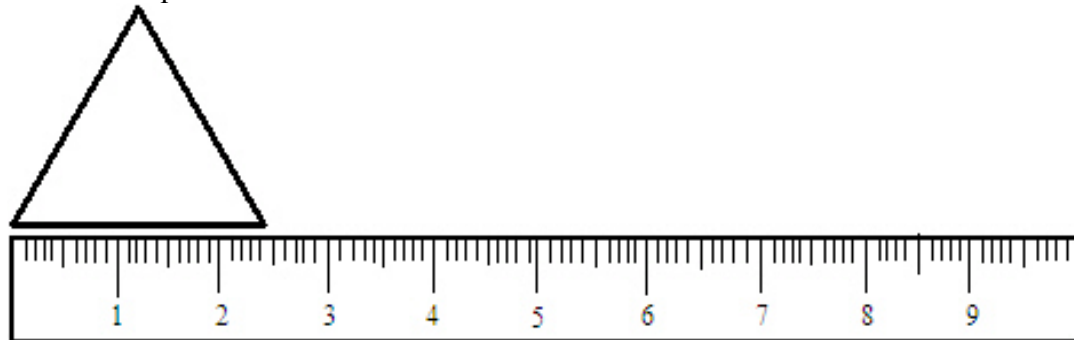
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The length of the side of the triangle should be recorded to _____ decimal places.

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Consider the following calculation:

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The following calculation was carried out to determine the volume of a rectangular solid.

$$15.55 \text{ cm} \times 12.0 \text{ cm} \times 0.557 \text{ cm} = 105.80233350 \text{ cm}^3$$

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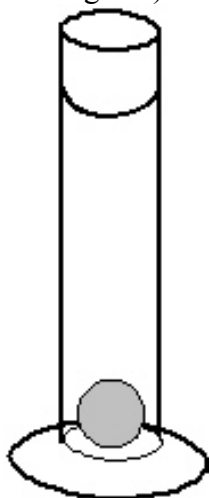
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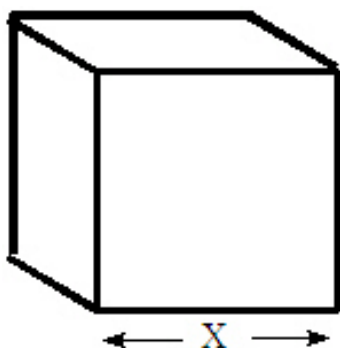
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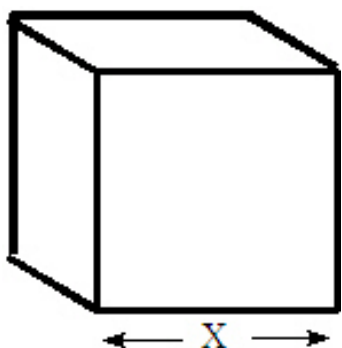
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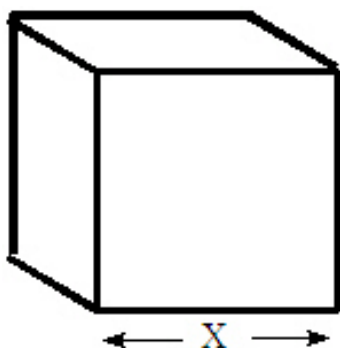
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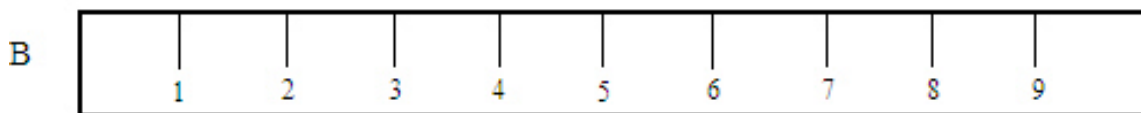
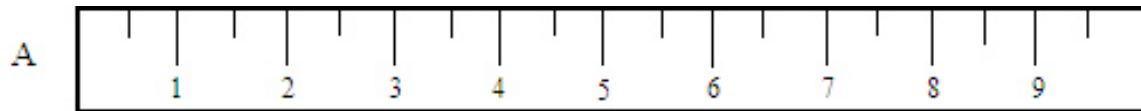
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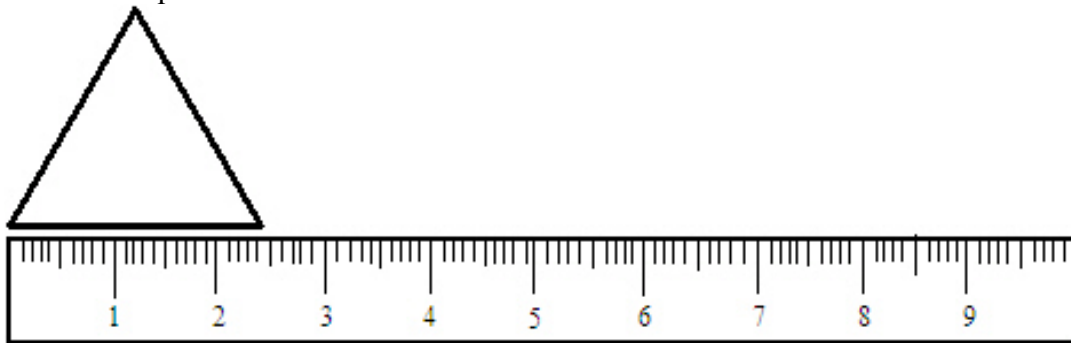
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A, more or
B, less

50. Based on the ruler represented in the picture. Use the appropriate integer (0, 1, 2, 3, etc.) in the blank to answer the question.



The length of the side of the triangle should be recorded to _____ decimal places.
2 or
two

51. Fill in the blanks, respectively, with a letter (A or B) to represent the balance and more or less to describe the precision.

The density of a metal block was determined based on mass measurements using two different balances. The results are shown below.

Density (g/mL) Balance A	Density (g/mL) Balance B
9.76	9.89
9.59	9.78
9.89	9.99

The density determined using balance _____ is _____ precise.

A, less *or*

B, more

52. Fill in the blanks, respectively, with a letter (A or B) to represent the balance and more or less to describe the precision.

Two students measured the density of a metal block was determined based on mass measurements using the same balance. The results are shown below.

Density (g/mL) Student A	Density (g/mL) Student B
21.7	21.0
21.6	21.3
21.9	21.5
22.0	21.8

If the metal block is gold (density = 21.45 g/mL), student _____'s data is _____ accurate.

B, more *or*

A, less

53. Enter the number (0, 1, 2, 3, etc.) in the blank provided.

Consider the measurement shown below.

780 mg

The first uncertain digit is the _____.

8 *or*

eight

54. Enter the number (0, 1 ,2, 3, etc.) in the blank provided.

Consider the measurement shown below.

23.5410 g

The first uncertain digit is the _____.

0 or

zero

55. Fill in the blank with the appropriate number (0, 1 ,2 ,3 etc.).

Consider the following calculation:

$$\begin{array}{r} 143.321 \text{ g} \\ 17.89 \text{ g} \\ + 100.1 \text{ g} \\ \hline 261.311 \text{ g} \end{array}$$

The answer should be round to _____ decimal places.

1 or

one

56. Fill in the blank with the appropriate number (0, 1, 2, 3 etc.).

The following calculation was carried out to determine the volume of a rectangular solid.

$$15.55 \text{ cm} \times 12.0 \text{ cm} \times 0.557 \text{ cm} = 105.80233350 \text{ cm}^3$$

The answer should be round to _____ significant figures..

3 or

three

57. Fill in the blanks, respectively, with higher or lower and adequate or inadequate.

A drop of a potential donor's blood is placed in water and floats on the surface. This indicates that specific gravity of the blood is _____ than water and that the iron concentration is _____.

lower, inadequate