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## Density Worksheet Physical Science D=m/V

| Densities of Common Substances @ 20°C |                    |           |                                 |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|---------------------------------|
| Substance                             | Density<br>(g/cm³) | Substance | Density<br>(g/cm <sup>3</sup> ) |
| Oxygen                                | 0.00133            | Aluminum  | 2.70                            |
| Hydrogen                              | 0.000084           | Iron      | 7.87                            |
| Ethanol                               | 0.785              | Copper    | 8.96                            |
| Benzene                               | 0.880              | Silver    | 10.5                            |
| Water                                 | 1.000              | Lead      | 11.34                           |
| Magnesium                             | 1.74               | Mercury   | 13.6                            |
| Salt (sodium<br>chloride)             | 2.16               | Gold      | 19.32                           |

1. The ratio of an object's mass to its \_\_\_\_\_\_ is called the *density* of the object.

2. A kilogram of lead occupies a much smaller volume than a kilogram of water, because \_\_\_\_\_\_ has a much higher *density*.

3. For the masses and volumes indicated, calculate the **density** in grams per cubic centimeters.

- a. mass = 453 g; volume = 225 cm3
- b. mass = 5.0 g; volume = 10.0 cm3
- c. mass = 26.1 g; volume = 2.0 mL

4. If 89.2 mL of a liquid has a mass of 75.2 g, calculate the liquid's density.

5. A cube of metal weighs 1450 g and displaces 542 mL of water when immersed. Calculate the density of the metal.

- 6. Calculate the volume of 50.0 g of each of the following substances:
  - a. sodium chloride
  - b. mercury
  - c. benzene
  - d. silver
- 7. Calculate the mass of 50.0cm<sup>3</sup> of each of the following substances.
  - a. gold
  - b. iron
  - c. lead
  - d. aluminum

8. A cubic block of one of the substances listed on the chart has a side length of 5.0 cm and a mass of 224 grams. Which material is it?

9. Archemedes was commissioned to determine if the crown given to the king was pure gold or not. If the crown had a mass of 882 grams and displaced 50.0 mL of water, was the crown pure gold? Show the calculation.