

Density Formula

Density of a substance can be determined by calculating its mass-to-volume ratio.

	Shorthand	Rearranged
Density = $\frac{\text{mass}}{\text{volume}}$	$D = \frac{m}{V}$	$V = \frac{m}{D}$ $m = V \times D$

-For liquids density is measured in g/mL or g/L

-For solids density is measured in g/cm³

Density of water is 1.00 g/mL

A substance that had a density of 2.85 g/mL would _____ in water. It is _____ dense than water.

A substance that had a density of 0.82 g/mL would _____ in water. It is _____ dense than water.

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Phenomena students observe:

- Corn syrup sinking in water, and vegetable oil floating on water

Question to investigate:

- Is vegetable oil more or less dense than water?



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Science concepts covered:

- Each liquid has its own characteristic density.

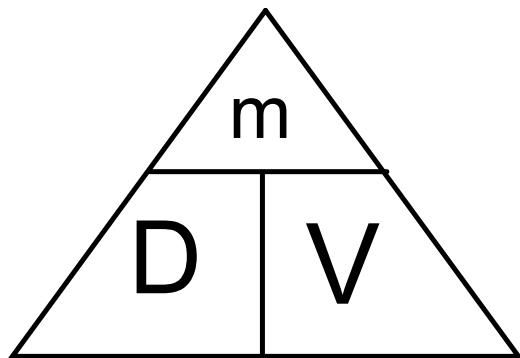
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Which substance would float or sink in water? ^{1.00 g/mL}

Substance	Density of substance	Sink or Float
A	0.35 g/mL <i>less</i>	<i>float</i>
B	1.02 g/mL <i>more</i>	<i>sink</i>
C	0.99 g/mL <i>less</i>	<i>float</i>

Table 5.1 on page 141 shows the approximate densities of common substances

Helps with rearranging



$$D = \frac{m}{V}$$

$$m = D \times V$$

$$V = \frac{m}{D}$$

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