



Estimating Capacity (Metric)

Name: _____

Determine which measurement would be most appropriate.

- 1) A desert most likely gets around 320 milliliters or 320 liters of rainfall a year.
- 2) The volume of a bathroom sink is most likely 8 liters or 8 milliliters?
- 3) A pitcher of lemonade is closer to 2 milliliters or 2 liters?
- 4) After a football game the team dumped a full cooler of kool-aid onto the coach. Did the cooler most likely hold 19 milliliters or 19 liters?
- 5) Tiffany bought a bottle of water. Was it most likely 600 milliliters or 600 liters?
- 6) Debby is pouring milk for her cereal. Did she most likely pour 100 liters or 100 milliliters?
- 7) Emily bought a tube of toothpaste. Was it most likely 120 milliliters or 120 liters?
- 8) A wheel barrow most likely would hold 170 liters or 170 milliliters of sand?
- 9) Kaleb poured himself a glass of water. The glass was probably closer to 350 milliliters or 350 liters?
- 10) A washing machine most likely uses 150 milliliters or 150 liters of water?
- 11) A blender most likely holds 2 milliliters or 2 liters?
- 12) A packet of ketchup is most likely 1 milliliter or 1 liter?
- 13) Oliver was buying soda for a birthday party. Did he most likely buy 6 milliliters or 6 liters?
- 14) Frank was mopping his kitchen floor. Did his mop bucket most likely have 25 milliliters or 25 liters of water?
- 15) At a restaurant Ned ordered a glass of lemonade. Did the glass most likely hold 400 milliliters or 400 liters?

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