



# Compare and convert customary units of capacity

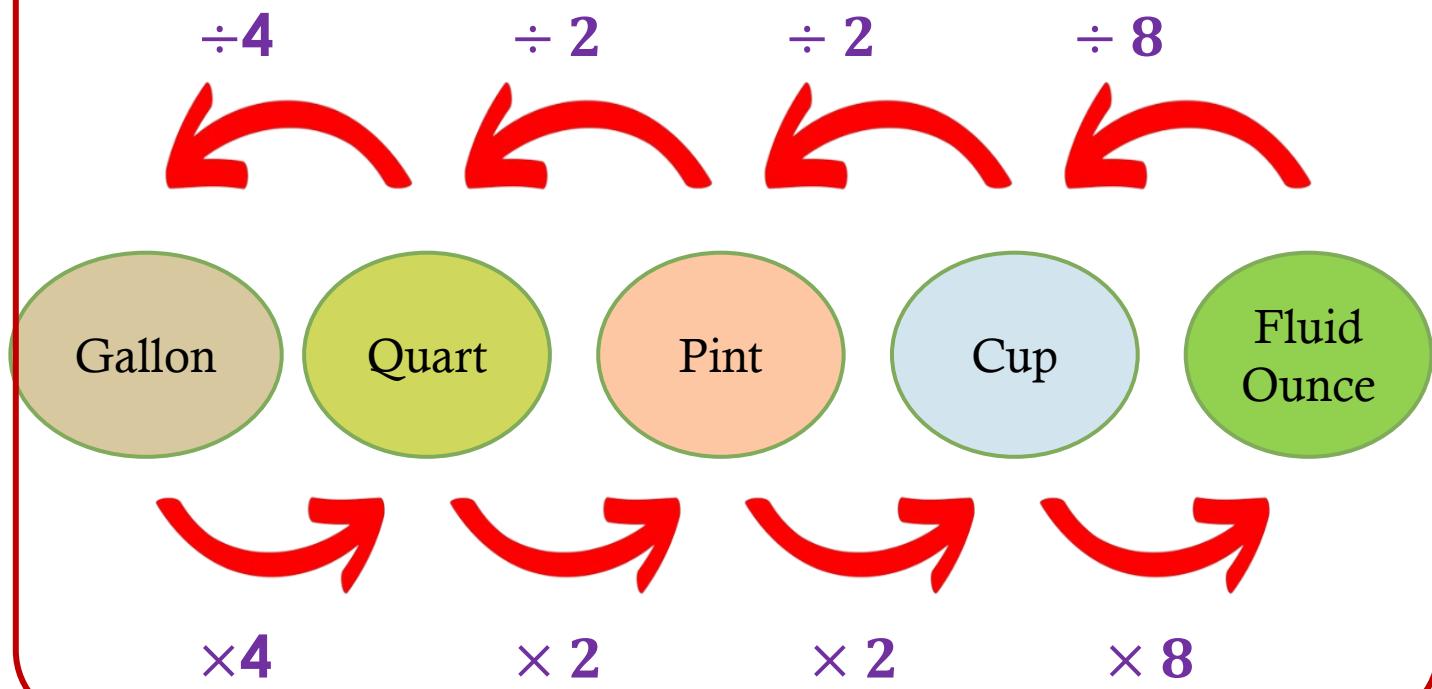


# Customary units for capacity

The customary units for capacity or volume are :

- ❖ fluid ounce
- ❖ cup
- ❖ pint
- ❖ quart
- ❖ gallon

## Customary units of capacity conversion





Customary unit	Customary Equivalent
1 fluid ounce	2 tablespoons
1 cup (c)	8 fluid ounces
1 pint (pt)	2 cups
1 quart (qt)	2 pints
1 gallon (gal)	2 quarts

Example : 1

$$4 \text{ quarts} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \text{ pints}$$

Solution:

$$1 \text{ quart} = 2 \text{ pints}$$

$$4 \text{ quarts} = 4 \times 2 \text{ pints}$$

$$4 \text{ quarts} = 8 \text{ pints}$$

Example : 2

$$6 \text{ pints} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \text{ quarts}$$

Solution:

$$1 \text{ pint} = \frac{1}{2} \text{ quarts}$$

$$6 \text{ pints} = 6 \times \frac{1}{2} \text{ quarts}$$

$$= \frac{6}{2} = 3 \text{ quarts}$$



### Example : 3

$$3 \text{ pints} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \text{ cups}$$

Solution:

$$1 \text{ pint} = 2 \text{ cups}$$

$$3 \text{ pints} = 3 \times 2 \text{ cups}$$

$$3 \text{ pints} = 6 \text{ cups}$$

### Example : 4

$$8 \text{ cups} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \text{ pints}$$

Solution:

$$1 \text{ cup} = \frac{1}{2} \text{ pints}$$

$$8 \text{ cups} = 8 \times \frac{1}{2} \text{ pints}$$

$$= \frac{8}{2} = 4 \text{ pints}$$

### Example : 7

$$3 \text{ gallons} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \text{ quarts}$$

Solution:

$$1 \text{ gallon} = 2 \text{ quarts}$$

$$3 \text{ gallons} = 3 \times 2 \text{ quarts}$$

$$3 \text{ gallons} = 6 \text{ quarts}$$

### Example : 8

$$8 \text{ quarts} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \text{ gallons}$$

Solution:

$$1 \text{ quarts} = \frac{1}{2} \text{ gallons}$$

$$8 \text{ quarts} = 8 \times \frac{1}{2} \text{ gallons}$$

$$= \frac{8}{2} = 4 \text{ gallons}$$



Example : 9

3 fluid ounce = \_\_\_\_\_ tablespoons

Solution:

1 fluid ounce = 2 tablespoons

3 fluid ounce =  $2 \times 3$  tablespoons

3 fluid ounce = 6 tablespoons