

NUMBERS AND THE NUMBER SYSTEM

Pupils should be taught to:

Understand and use decimal notation and place value; multiply and divide integers and decimals by powers of 10

As outcomes, Year 7 pupils should, for example:

Use, read and write, spelling correctly: place value, zero place holder, tenth, hundredth, thousandth... equivalent, equivalence...

Understand and use decimal notation and place value. Read and write any number from 0.001 to 1 000 000, knowing what each digit represents. For example, know that:

- In 5.239 the digit 9 represents nine thousandths, which is written as 0.009.
- The number 5.239 in words is 'five point two three nine', not 'five point two hundred and thirty-nine'.
- The fraction $5^{239}/_{1000}$ is read as 'five and two hundred and thirty-nine thousandths'.

Know the significance of 0 in 0.35, 3.05, 3.50, and so on.

Know that decimals used in context may be spoken in different ways. For example:

- 1.56 is spoken in mathematics as 'one point five six'.
- £1.56 is spoken as 'one pound fifty-six'.
- £1.06 is spoken as 'one pound and six pence'.
- £0.50 is spoken as 'fifty pence'.
- 1.56 km is sometimes spoken as 'one kilometre, five hundred and sixty metres'.
- 3.5 hours can be spoken as 'three and a half hours' or 'three hours and thirty minutes'.

Answer questions such as:

- Write in figures:
four hundred and three thousand, and seventeen.
- Write in words: 4.236, 0.5, 35.08, ...
- Write as a decimal the fraction
six, and two hundred and forty-three thousandths.
- Make the largest and smallest number you can using:
the digits 2, 0, 3, 4;
the digits 2, 0, 3, 4, and a decimal point.

Add or subtract 0.1 and 0.01 to or from any number.

Count forwards or backwards from any number. For example:

- Count on in 0.1s from 4.5.
- Count back from 23.5 in 0.1s.
- Count on in 0.01s from 4.05.

Answer questions such as:

- What is 0.1 less than 2.0? What is 0.01 more than 2.09?
- What needs to be added or subtracted to change:
27.48 to 37.48, 27.48 to 27.38, 27.48 to 26.38?
5.032 to 5.037, 5.032 to 5.302?

See Y456 examples (pages 2–5, 28–9).

As outcomes, Year 8 pupils should, for example:

Use vocabulary from previous year and extend to: billion, power, index...

Read and write positive integer powers of 10.

Know that:

- 1 hundred is $10 \times 10 = 10^2$
- 1 thousand is $10 \times 10 \times 10 = 10^3$
- 10 thousand is $10 \times 10 \times 10 \times 10 = 10^4$, etc.
- 1 million is 10^6
- 1 billion is 10^9 , one thousand millions
- (In the past, 1 billion was 10^{12} , one million millions, in the UK.)

Recognise that successive powers of 10 (i.e. 10 , 10^2 , 10^3 , ...) underpin decimal (base 10) notation.

Read numbers in standard form, e.g. read 7.2×10^3 as 'seven point two times ten to the power three'.

Link to using index notation (pages 56–9).

Add or subtract 0.001 to or from any number.

Answer questions such as:

- What is 0.001 more than 3.009?
What is 0.001 more than 3.299?
What is 0.002 less than 5?
What is 0.005 less than 10?
- What needs to be added or subtracted to change:
4.257 to 4.277? 6.132 to 6.139?

As outcomes, Year 9 pupils should, for example:

Use vocabulary from previous years and extend to: standard (index) form... exponent...

Extend knowledge of integer powers of 10.

Know that:

$$10^0 = 1 \qquad 10^{-1} = 1/10^1 = 1/10$$

$$10^1 = 10 \qquad 10^{-2} = 1/10^2 = 1/100$$

Know the prefixes associated with powers of 10. Relate to commonly used units. For example:

10^9	giga	10^{-2}	centi
10^6	mega	10^{-3}	milli
10^3	kilo	10^{-6}	micro
		10^{-9}	nano
		10^{-12}	pico

Know the term standard (index) form and read numbers such as 7.2×10^{-3} .

Link to using index notation (pages 56–9) and writing numbers in standard form (pages 38–9).

Know that commonly used units in science, other subjects and everyday life are:

kilogram (kg) – SI unit		metre (m) – SI unit	
gram (g)	kilometre (km)	litre (l)	
milligram (mg)	millimetre (mm)	millilitre (ml)	

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As outcomes, Year 7 pupils should, for example:

Multiply and divide numbers by 10, 100 and 1000.

Investigate, describe the effects of, and explain multiplying and dividing a number by 10, 100, 1000, e.g. using a place value board, **calculator** or **spreadsheet**.

In particular, recognise that:

- Multiplying a positive number by 10, 100, 1000... has the effect of increasing the value of that number.
- Dividing a positive number by 10, 100, 1000... has the effect of decreasing the value of that number.
- When a number is multiplied by 10, the digits move one place to the left:

$$\begin{array}{r} 34.12 \\ \times 10 \\ \hline 341.2 \end{array} \quad 34.12 \text{ multiplied by } 10 = 341.2$$

- When a number is divided by 10, the digits move one place to the right:

$$\begin{array}{r} 34.1 \\ \div 10 \\ \hline 3.41 \end{array} \quad 34.1 \text{ divided by } 10 = 3.41$$

Complete statements such as:

$$\begin{array}{ll} 4 \times 10 = \square & 4 \times \square = 400 \\ 4 \div 10 = \square & 4 \div \square = 0.04 \\ 0.4 \times 10 = \square & 0.4 \times \square = 400 \\ 0.4 \div 10 = \square & 0.4 \div \square = 0.004 \\ \square \div 100 = 0.04 & \square \div 10 = 40 \\ \square \times 1000 = 40\,000 & \square \times 10 = 400 \end{array}$$

See Y456 examples (pages 6–7).

[Link to converting mm to cm and m, cm to m, m to km...](#)
(pages 228–9).

As outcomes, Year 8 pupils should, for example:

Multiply and divide numbers by 0.1 and 0.01.

Investigate, describe the effects of, and explain multiplying and dividing a number by 0.1 and 0.01, e.g. using a **calculator** or **spreadsheet**.

In particular, recognise how numbers are increased or decreased by these operations.

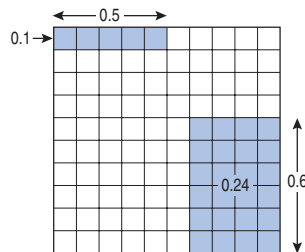
0.1 is equivalent to $\frac{1}{10}$ and 0.01 is equivalent to $\frac{1}{100}$, so:

- **Multiplying by 0.1** has the same effect as multiplying by $\frac{1}{10}$ or dividing by 10. For example, 3×0.1 has the same value as $3 \times \frac{1}{10}$, which has the same value as $3 \div 10 = 0.3$, and 0.3×0.1 has the same value as $\frac{3}{10} \times \frac{1}{10} = \frac{3}{100} = 0.03$.
- **Multiplying by 0.01** has the same effect as multiplying by $\frac{1}{100}$ or dividing by 100. For example, 3×0.01 has the same value as $3 \times \frac{1}{100}$, which has the same value as $3 \div 100 = 0.03$, and 0.3×0.01 has the same value as $\frac{3}{10} \times \frac{1}{100} = \frac{3}{1000} = 0.003$.
- **Dividing by 0.1** has the same effect as dividing by $\frac{1}{10}$ or multiplying by 10. For example, $3 \div 0.1$ has the same value as $3 \div \frac{1}{10}$. (How many tenths in three? $3 \times 10 = 30$)
 $0.3 \div 0.1$ has the same value as $\frac{3}{10} \div \frac{1}{10}$. (How many tenths in three tenths? $0.3 \times 10 = 3$)
- **Dividing by 0.01** has the same effect as dividing by $\frac{1}{100}$ or multiplying by 100. For example, $3 \div 0.01$ has the same value as $3 \div \frac{1}{100}$. (How many hundredths in three? $3 \times 100 = 300$)
 $0.3 \div 0.01$ has the same value as $\frac{3}{10} \div \frac{1}{100}$. (How many hundredths in three tenths? $0.3 \times 100 = 30$)

Complete statements such as:

$0.5 \times 0.1 = \square$ $0.8 \times \square = 0.08$
 $0.7 \div 0.1 = \square$ $0.6 \div \square = 6$

Understand a diagrammatic explanation to show, for example, that $0.1 \times 0.5 = 0.05$, or $0.24 \div 0.6 = 0.4$.



Discuss the effects of multiplying and dividing by a number less than 1.

- Does division always make a number smaller?
- Does multiplication always make a number larger?

As outcomes, Year 9 pupils should, for example:

Multiply and divide by any integer power of 10.

For example:

- Calculate:

7.34×100	$37.4 \div 100$
46×1000	$3.7 \div 1000$
$8042 \times 10\,000$	$4982 \div 10000$
9.3×0.1	$0.27 \div 0.1$
0.63×0.01	$5.96 \div 0.01$

Link to converting mm² to cm², cm² to m², mm³ to cm³ and cm³ to m³ (pages 228–9).

Begin to write numbers in standard form, expressing them as

$A \times 10^n$ where $1 \leq A < 10$, and n is an integer.

For example:

$734.6 = 7.346 \times 10^2$
 $0.0063 = 6.3 \times 10^{-3}$

Know how to use the 'exp' key on a **calculator** to convert from index form.

Answer questions such as:

- Complete these. The first is done for you.
 $3 \times 10^n = 300 \times 10^{n-2}$
 $0.3 \times 10^n = 30\,000 \times \square$
 $0.3 \times 10^n = 0.0003 \times \square$
 $3 \div 10^n = 0.003 \times \square$
 $0.3 \div 10^n = 300 \times \square$
 $0.003 \div 10^n = 3 \times \square$
- Put these numbers in ascending order:
 2×10^{-2} , 3×10^{-1} , 2.5×10^{-3} , 2.9×10^{-2} , 3.2×10^{-1}
- Write these numbers in standard form:
 - The population of the UK is 57 million.
 - The dwarf pigmy goby fish weighs 0.000 14oz.
 - The shortest millipede in the world measures 0.082 inches.
 - After the Sun, the nearest star is 24800000000000 miles away.
- The probability of dying before the age of 40 is 1 in 850, or 0.00118, or 1.8×10^{-3} .

These are the risks of dying from particular causes:

smoking 10 cigarettes a day	1 in 200
road accident	1 in 8000
accident at home	1 in 260 000
railway accident	1 in 500000

Write each of these as a probability in standard form.

Link to writing numbers in standard form in science and geography.