

# Chapter 35 - Density

$$\text{Density} = \frac{\text{mass}}{\text{Volume}} = \frac{\text{mountains}}{\text{Valleys}}$$

Experiments

- ① Block Wood
- ② Stone
- ③ water/oil

# 1. WOOD

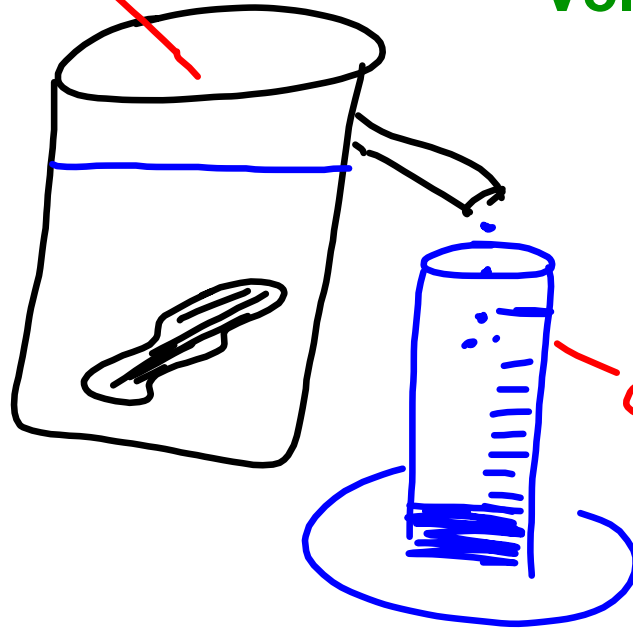
$$\text{Density} = \frac{\text{Mass}}{\text{Volume}} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \quad \text{Density} = \text{g/cm}^3$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Mass} = 112.2 \text{ g} \\ \text{Volume} = 150 \text{ cm}^3 \end{array} = \frac{112.2}{150} = 0.75 \text{ g/cm}^3$$

(3 Sides are multiplied)

## 2. Density of a Stone

Overflow  
can



Mass =     g  
Volume (amount of water) =     cm<sup>3</sup>

Graduated  
Cylinder

### 3. Tap Water, Sea-water and Oil

#### Procedure (Steps),

1. Measure out **10cm<sup>3</sup>** of the liquid being tested (e.g. Tap Water)
2. Place an **empty beaker** on an electronic balance and re-zero.
3. Pour the 10 cm<sup>3</sup> of the liquid into the beaker and record the mass (weight) in grams.
4. Do the following calculation,

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5. **Repeat** for Seawater and oil.

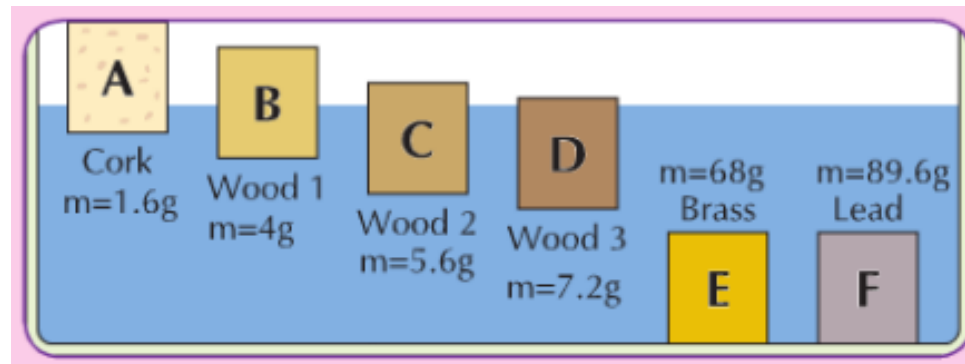
# Conclusions

1. The volume of the regularly shaped **wood** was easy to measure with a ruler. The density was **less** than 1, which means it is less dense than water and will **float**.
2. The volume of the irregularly shaped **stone** was hard to measure with a ruler. We used an **overflow can** to measure its volume instead. The density was **greater** than 1, which means it is more dense than water and will **sink**.
3. The volume of the **liquids** was easy to measure with a **graduated cylinder**. The density was **less** than 1 for **oil**, **greater** than 1 for **saltwater** and exactly 1 for tapwater.

# Flotation



The less dense objects float higher than the more dense objects.



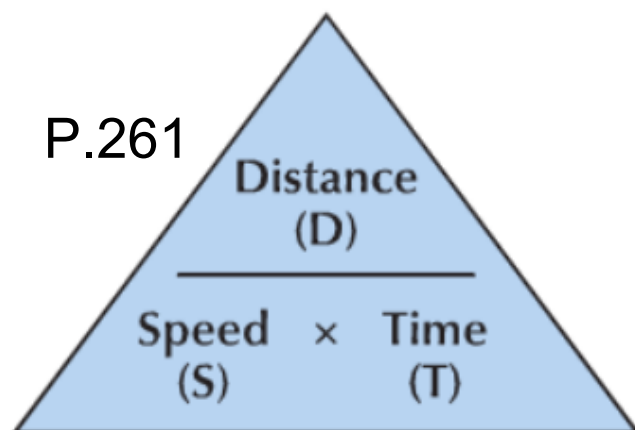
**e.g. Block A is less dense than Block F**

# Speed



$$\text{Speed} = \frac{\text{Distance (m)}}{\text{Time (s)}}$$

$$= \frac{10\text{m}}{2\text{s}} = 5\text{m/s}$$

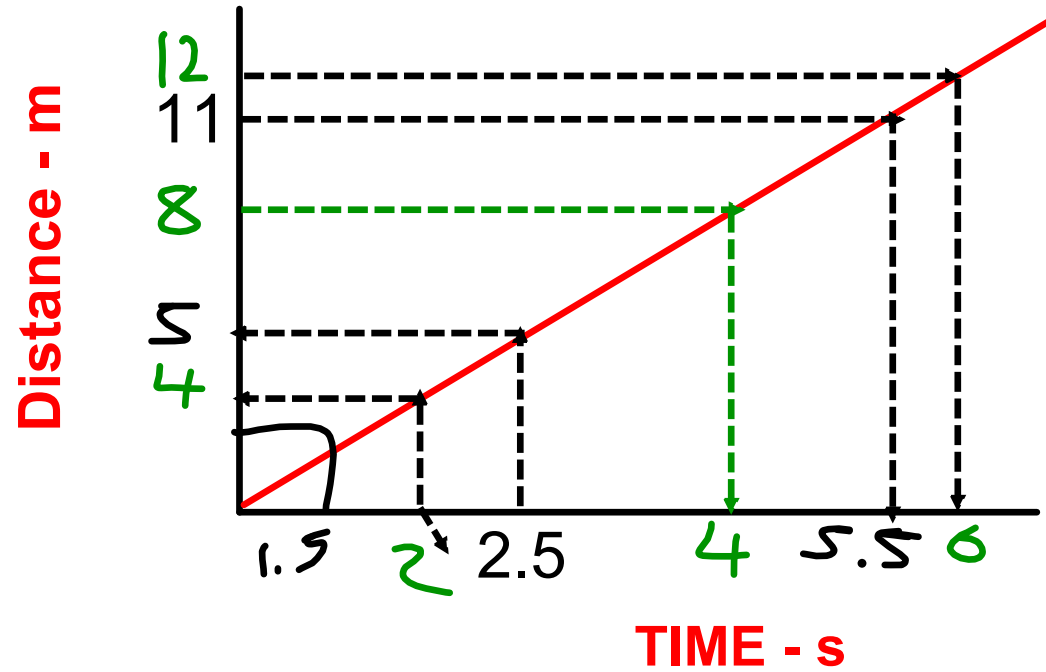


A girl runs 200m in 1 minute.  
Calculate her speed...

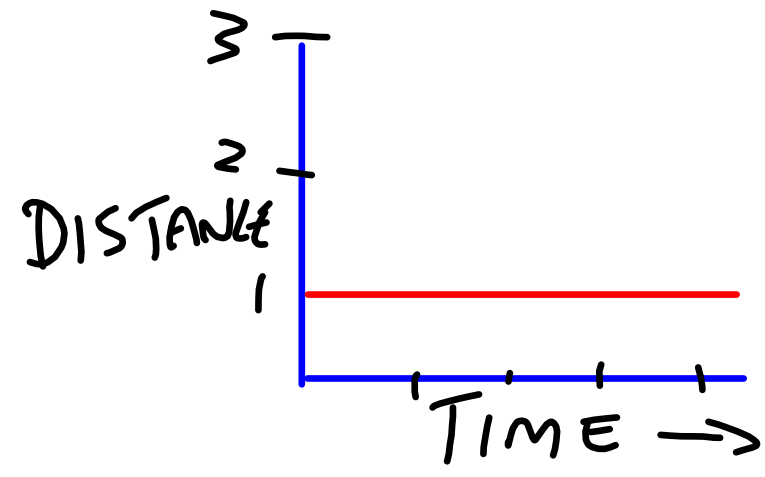
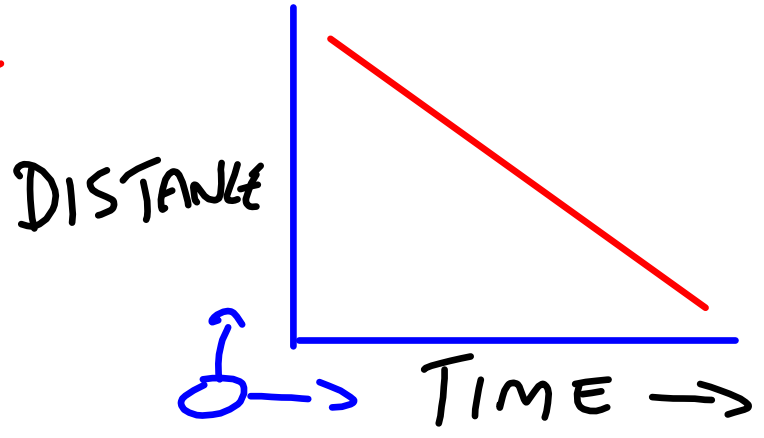
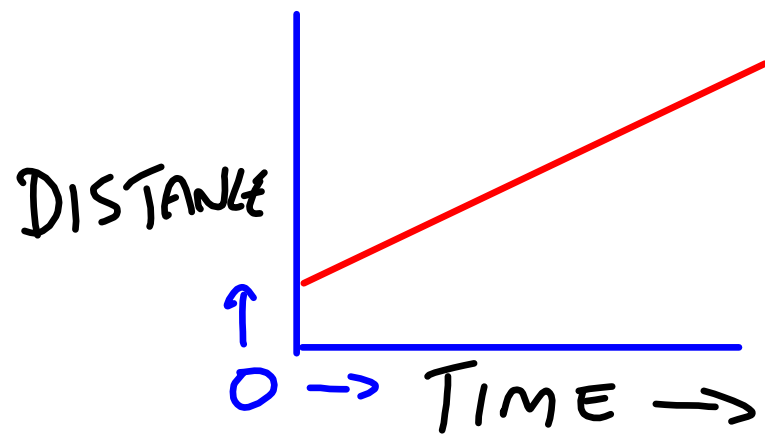
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Speed} &= \frac{\text{Distance}}{\text{Time}} \\ \text{Speed} &= \frac{200}{60} \\ \text{Speed} &= 3.3 \text{ m/s } (\text{ms}^{-1}) \end{aligned}$$

# Graphs

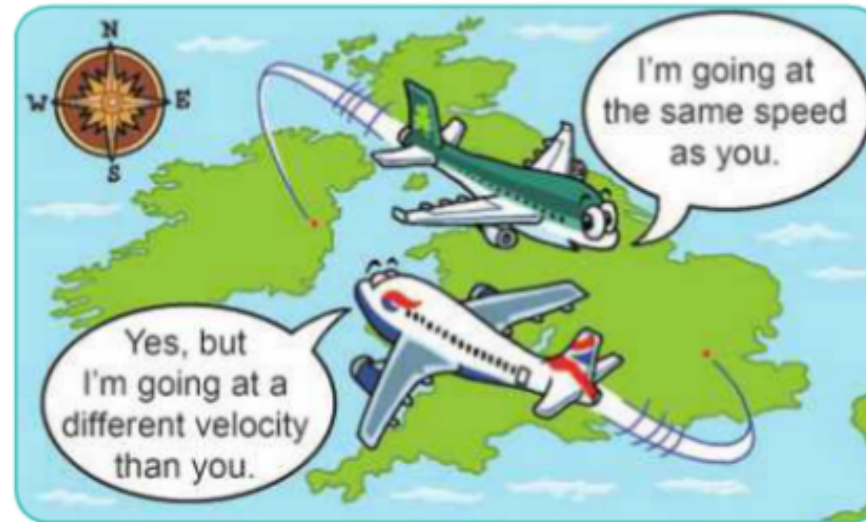
$$\text{Speed} = \frac{\text{Distance}}{\text{Time}}$$







## Velocity = Speed and Direction



**The velocity of an object is its speed in a certain direction.**

# Acceleration

Acceleration is the rate of change of velocity (or speed).

or 
$$\text{acceleration} = \frac{\text{change in velocity}}{\text{time}}$$

