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Part 1: Foundational Knowledge

What is the formula for calculating density?

Hint: *Think about how mass and volume relate to density.*

- Density = Mass + Volume
- Density = Mass / Volume
- Density = Volume / Mass
- Density = Mass * Volume

Which of the following are common units for measuring density? (Select all that apply)

Hint: *Consider the units of mass and volume.*

- g/cm³
- kg/m³
- m/s²
- N/m²

Define density in your own words.

Hint: *Think about how mass and volume relate to each other.*

List two factors that can affect the density of a substance.

Hint: Consider changes in mass and volume.

1. Factor 1

2. Factor 2

Part 2: comprehension

If the mass of an object is 200 grams and its volume is 50 cm³, what is its density?

Hint: Use the density formula to calculate.

- 2 g/cm³
- 4 g/cm³
- 5 g/cm³
- 10 g/cm³

Which statements are true about the relationship between mass, volume, and density? (Select all that apply)

Hint: Think about how changing one affects the others.

- Increasing mass while keeping volume constant increases density.
- Increasing volume while keeping mass constant decreases density.
- Density is independent of mass and volume.
- Density is directly proportional to volume.

Explain why ice floats on water in terms of density.

Hint: Consider the densities of ice and water.

Part 3: Application

A metal cube has a side length of 2 cm and a mass of 32 grams. What is its density?

Hint: Calculate the volume of the cube first.

- 2 g/cm³
- 4 g/cm³
- 8 g/cm³
- 16 g/cm³

You have two liquids, A and B. Liquid A has a density of 0.8 g/cm³, and Liquid B has a density of 1.2 g/cm³. Which of the following are true? (Select all that apply)

Hint: Consider the densities of the two liquids.

- Liquid A will float on Liquid B.
- Liquid B will float on Liquid A.
- Both liquids have the same density.
- Neither liquid will float on the other.

Describe a real-world scenario where understanding the density of a material is crucial.

Hint: Think about applications in engineering or science.

Part 4: Analysis

Which of the following changes would increase the density of a gas?

Hint: Consider how temperature and pressure affect gas density.

- Increasing temperature while keeping pressure constant
- Decreasing temperature while keeping pressure constant

- Increasing volume while keeping mass constant
- Decreasing mass while keeping volume constant

Consider a sealed container with a fixed volume. Which factors could lead to an increase in the density of the gas inside? (Select all that apply)

Hint: Think about how gas behavior changes with mass and temperature.

- Adding more gas to the container
- Heating the gas
- Cooling the gas
- Removing some gas from the container

Analyze how the concept of density is applied in designing ships to ensure they float.

Hint: Consider the principles of buoyancy and density.

Part 5: Evaluation and Creation

Which material would be best suited for constructing a lightweight, floating platform?

Hint: Consider the densities of the materials listed.

- Steel (density = 7.8 g/cm^3)
- Aluminum (density = 2.7 g/cm^3)
- Balsa wood (density = 0.16 g/cm^3)
- Lead (density = 11.3 g/cm^3)

Evaluate the following scenarios and select which would result in an object sinking in water. (Select all that apply)

Hint: Consider the density of the objects compared to water.

- An object with a density of 0.5 g/cm^3
- An object with a density of 1.0 g/cm^3

- An object with a density of 1.5 g/cm^3
- An object with a density of 2.0 g/cm^3

Propose a method to measure the density of an irregularly shaped object and justify your approach.

Hint: Think about using water displacement.