## Convert to a Decimal 1

Example: 3/8 = . 375
$1 / 3=$ $\qquad$
$27 / 2=$ $\qquad$
$5 / 8=$ $\qquad$

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\begin{aligned}
& 11 / 3= \\
& 81 / 4= \\
& 9 / 16=
\end{aligned}
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## Convert to a Fraction 1

Example: $6.75=63 / 4$ (find the closest fraction with one of the following denominators:
2,3,4,8,16)

| $3.5=$ | $2.667=$ |
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| $1.25=$ | $9.125=$ |
| $.875=$ | $4.1875=$ |

## Convert to a Decimal 2

Example: 3 c. $=1.5 \mathrm{pt}$.
$2 \mathrm{qt} .=$ $\qquad$ gal.

4 c. 8 fl. oz. $=$ $\qquad$ c.

2 tsp. = $\qquad$ tbsp.
$10 \mathrm{lb} .2 \mathrm{oz} .=$ $\qquad$ lb.

10 tbsp. = $\qquad$ cups

3 c. 2 tbsp. $=$ $\qquad$ c.
$67 \mathrm{oz} .=$ $\qquad$ lb.

2 qt. $1 / 3 \mathrm{c} .=$ $\qquad$ c.

## Convert to a Usable Measure

(round to closest measurable unit: i.e. $1 / 4 \mathrm{oz}$. for weight and tsp. for volume)
Example: 0.6 c. $=9$ tbsp. 2 tsp. OR 1/2 cup 1 tbsp. 2 tsp.

32 tbsp. $=$ $\qquad$
27 qt. $=$ $\qquad$
74 tsp. = $\qquad$ $0.72 \mathrm{qt} .=$ $\qquad$
0.35 tbsp. $=$ $\qquad$
$3.36 \mathrm{c} .=$ $\qquad$
0.6 gal. $=$ $\qquad$
$3.88 \mathrm{lb} .=$ $\qquad$

## What's the Conversion Factor (as a decimal)?

Example: A recipe makes for cream of tomato soup makes 20 portions, you need to make 30 .
The conversion factor is $30 / 20=1.5$

1. A recipe makes for apple crumble makes 8 portions, you need to make 50 .
2. A recipe makes for chili makes 24 portions, you need to make 10 .
3. A recipe makes for lasagna makes 20 ( $8-\mathrm{oz}$ ) portions, you need to make 30 ( $8-\mathrm{oz}$.$) portions.$
4. You're now making the lasagna for children so you've decided to reduce the portion size. Using the same recipe for lasagna you now need to make 30 (6-oz.) portions.
5. A recipe makes for clam chowder makes $20(1 \mathrm{c}$.$) portions, you need to make 10(11 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.) portions.

Convert a quantity: Using the conversion factors above convert the following. Express in units that can be measured.

1. a) 9 medium apples
b) $3 / 4$ cup flour
c) 6 tbsp. butter
2. a) 2 lb .3 oz . beans
b) 15 oz . canned tomatoes
c) 3 oz . chopped garlic
3. a) 3 lb . lasagna noodles
b) 9 cups ricotta cheese
c) 2 qt. tomato sauce
4. a) 3 lb . lasagna noodles
b) 9 cups ricotta cheese
c) 2 qt. tomato sauce
5. a) 2 pints chopped clams
b) 2 large onions
c) $11 / 2$ cups cream
