

Lesson 13

metric Units of Length Naming Fractions

Adding \$ and ¢

cm centimeter (width of finger)

Very short distances

m meter (one large step)
medium distances

km kilometer (Not quite a mile)
long distances

5 Kilometers = 3.1 miles

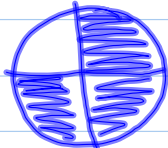
$$100 \text{ cm} = 1 \text{ m}$$

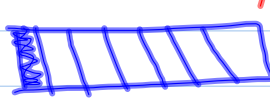
$$1000 \text{ m} = 1 \text{ km}$$

FRACTION

numerator PART OF FRACTION BEING DESCRIBED

denominator TOTAL # OF PIECES

Ex.1)  $\frac{3}{4}$ OR $\frac{1}{4}$

Ex.2)  $\frac{6}{7}$ OR $\frac{1}{7}$

When Adding \$ and ¢ LINE UP COLUMNS!

$$\begin{array}{r} \text{Ex.3)} \$3.56 \\ + 2.75 \\ \hline \$6.31 \end{array}$$