

Workcard

Number

M31w4

Level: 3

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Substrand: Understand Units

Modern Measurements

Technology is changing at a rapid pace and along with it measurements and numbers.

Megabytes and bits weren't heard of 100 years ago. Nano seconds and Megahertz were things of fantasy and light years were way up in the stars.



So what do all these things mean?

Write an explanation of the following units.

What they measure, what their symbol is and where they are used.

Bit

Byte

Kilobyte

Megabyte

Gigabyte

Nanosecond

Mega hertz

Light Year

Megabits per second



Find 5 other modern measurements and write down what they are used to measure

Reflection

What did you do well in this activity?

What could have you improved?

What new things have you learnt?

