

Weight



This packet of tea weighs 100 g.



This bag of pasta weighs 1 kg.



A tablet contains 120 mg of paracetamol.



This lorry weighs 7.5 tonnes (t)

These are all different measurements of **weight**.

The metric units for weight are **tonne, kilogram, gram and milligram**.

Kilogram means one thousand grams. The abbreviation for kilogram is **kg** or **kilo**.

The abbreviation for gram is **g**.

The abbreviation for milligram is **mg**.

The abbreviation for tonne is **t**.

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