Math Vocabulary and Symbols—Practice

1. Added together, 5 and 4 make 9. Which of the three numbers is the **sum**? _____
2. In the above example, which of the three numbers are **addends**? _____
3. If 6 multiplied by 3 equals 18, which of the three numbers is the **product**? _____
4. In example number 3, which is the **multiplier**? _____
5. In the same example, which is the **multiplicand**? _____
6. When 15 is divided by 3, the answer is 5. Which of the three numbers is the **quotient**? ____
7. In example 6, which is the **divisor**? _____
8. In the same example, which is the **dividend**? _____
9. If 16 subtracted from 31 leaves 15, which of the three numbers is the **difference**? ___
10. In example 9, which of the three numbers is the **subtrahend**? _____
11. In the same example, which of the three numbers is the **minuend**? _____
12. In reading the mixed decimal 625.4, the decimal point is read as what word? _____
13. In this example: ½ of 36 = , the word OF means _____.
14. The distance around any figure is known as the _____.
15. The number of square units in a surface is called the _____.
16. The length, width, and depth (or height) of a solid are called its _____.
17. The number of cubic units in a solid is called its _____.
18. Capacity is another term for _____.
19. Before multiplying to find area or volume, the dimensions of the figure must be in the _____ units.
20. The following words are commonly used in arithmetic. Write the abbreviation or the symbol.

area ____	ton ____	gallon ____	year ____	inch _____
volume ___	ounce _____	month ____	subtract ____	add _____
length ____	pound _____	week _____	angle _____	multiply ____
width ____	minute ____	radius _____	mile _____	divide _____
height _____	second ____	Centigrade	cent _____	equals _____
perimeter ____	hour _____ quart ____	_____ pint _____	yard _____ foot _____	square _____

21. Write the word or values for which each of the following abbreviations or symbols stands.

A _____	¢ _____	oz. _____	sq. _____	cu. _____
V _____	$ _____	lb. _____	C _____	45º _____
l _____	T _____	π _____	$\sqrt{\ }$ _____	in. _____
w _____	3^2 _____	F _____	Δ _____	mi. _____
doz. _____	% _____	yd. _____		

Answer Key

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2. In the above example, which of the three numbers are **addends**? ____5 and 4_____
3. If 6 multiplied by 3 equals 18, which of the three numbers is the **product**? ___18_____
4. In example number 3, which is the **multiplier**? __3_____
5. In the same example, which is the **multiplicand**? ___6_____
6. When 15 is divided by 3, the answer is 5. Which of the three numbers is the **quotient**? _5__
7. In example 6, which is the **divisor**? ___3_____
8. In the same example, which is the **dividend**? ___15_____
9. If 16 subtracted from 31 leaves 15, which of the three numbers is the **difference**? _15____
10. In example 9, which of the three numbers is the **subtrahend**? ___31_____
11. In the same example, which of the three numbers is the **minuend**? _____16____
12. In reading the mixed decimal 625.4, the decimal point is read as what word? __and_____
13. In this example: ½ of 36 = the word OF means _____multiply_____.
14. The distance around any figure is known as the _____perimeter____.
15. The number of square units in a surface is called the ___area_____.
16. The length, width, and depth (or height) of a solid are called its ___dimensions__.
17. The number of cubic units in a solid is called its _____volume_____.
18. Capacity is another term for _____volume_____.
19. Before multiplying to find area or volume, the dimensions of the figure must be in the same units.

20. The following words are commonly used in arithmetic. Write the abbreviation or the symbol for each.

area ___A___	ounce _oz.__	month	year __yr.___	foot ’ (or ft.)
volume__V__	pound __lb.__	_mo.____	subtract_–__	inch ” (or in.)
length __l___	minute_min._	week_wk.___	angle _∠____	add ___+___
width ___w__	second_sec._	radius _r.____	mile___mi.___	multiply_x_
height ___h__	hour _hr.____	Centigrade__	cent __¢____	divide___/__
perimeter__P	quart ___qt.__	C__	yard__yd.___	equals__=__
ton ___T__	gallon _gal.__	pint __pt.____		square _x^2___

21. Write the word for which each of the following abbreviations or symbols stands.

A _area___	$ _dollar_	π __pi (3.14)___	$\sqrt{\ }$ square root	45º forty-five degrees
V _volume	T _ton____	F Fahrenheit	Δ _triangle___	in. _inch__
l __length_	3^2 _3 squared_	yd. _yard___	cu. __cubic__	mi. _mile__
w _width__	% percent__	sq. _square__		
doz. dozen___	oz. _ounce__	C _Centigrade		
¢ _cent___	lb. __pound__			