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Have Fun with Metric Weight Conversion by [Robert](#)

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When you realize that you're going to be traveling to a country that uses the metric system for determining weight, panicking is normal. The good news is that the metric system isn't nearly as difficult to work with as you might think.

Even though knowing a kilogram is the standard unit of weight and that one kilogram is equal to 2.2 pounds is important, you don't have to be a whiz at math just to enjoy your trip. You won't have to carry a calculator around in your pocket so that you can decide how many stones you weigh when someone happens to ask. The only time you really need to know much about metric tons is if you happen to be shipping something very large.

The reason you don't have to be an expert when it comes to converting ounces to grams, or even keep a copy of a conversion table in your pocket, is because there's an online conversion website that will do it for you.

Prior to the website and the metric to American converter, trying to learn how to calculate units of weight into metric weights was extremely difficult. Not only did you need to have a solid understanding about how much a single centigram and milligram is, but you also had to be skilled enough in math to calculate the difference, and let's face it, most of us aren't that great when it comes to arithmetic.

The way that the online conversion website works is that you have a particular unit of weight, say 25 pounds, and you need to know what it is in kilograms. All you have to do is open the site up and type in 25 pounds. A split second later you will have your answer, 11.34 kilograms. You will be able to do this with any type of weight unit you desire. You can also use the online converter to help you determine how many milligrams is in a kilogram, 1,000,000.

The really great thing about bookmarking the address of the weight conversion site is that you can use it to impress your friends. All you have to do is ask them their weight. Once you've been given the numbers, all you have to do is plug the number into the converter and a second later you'll know exactly how many kilograms they weigh. Take the time to convert the number into stones and your friends will start to think you're a genius. They'll never have to know that you're using a website more you do this kind of thing to convert the weight of something from American measurement and into metric, and then into a different form of metric weight, the more impressed your friends will be.

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