

## CONVERSION FACTORS AND VERTICAL DATUM

Multiply	By	To obtain
<b>Length</b>		
inch (in.)	$2.54 \times 10^1$	millimeter
	$2.54 \times 10^{-2}$	meter
foot (ft)	$3.048 \times 10^{-1}$	meter
mile (mi)	$1.609 \times 10^0$	kilometer
<b>Area</b>		
acre	$4.047 \times 10^3$	square meter
	$4.047 \times 10^{-1}$	square hectometer
	$4.047 \times 10^{-3}$	square kilometer
square mile (mi <sup>2</sup> )	$2.590 \times 10^0$	square kilometer
<b>Volume</b>		
gallon (gal)	$3.785 \times 10^0$	liter
	$3.785 \times 10^0$	cubic decimeter
	$3.785 \times 10^{-3}$	cubic meter
million gallons (Mgal)	$3.785 \times 10^3$	cubic meter
	$3.785 \times 10^{-3}$	cubic hectometer
cubic foot (ft <sup>3</sup> )	$2.832 \times 10^1$	cubic decimeter
	$2.832 \times 10^{-2}$	cubic meter
cubic-foot-per-second day [(ft <sup>3</sup> /s) d]	$2.447 \times 10^3$	cubic meter
	$2.447 \times 10^{-3}$	cubic hectometer
acre-foot (acre-ft)	$1.233 \times 10^3$	cubic meter
	$1.233 \times 10^{-3}$	cubic hectometer
	$1.233 \times 10^{-6}$	cubic kilometer
<b>Flow</b>		
cubic foot per second (ft <sup>3</sup> /s)	$2.832 \times 10^1$	liter per second
	$2.832 \times 10^1$	cubic decimeter per second
	$2.832 \times 10^{-2}$	cubic meter per second
gallon per minute (gal/min)	$6.309 \times 10^{-2}$	liter per second
	$6.309 \times 10^{-2}$	cubic decimeter per second
	$6.309 \times 10^{-5}$	cubic meter per second
million gallons per day (Mgal/d)	$4.381 \times 10^1$	cubic decimeter per second
	$4.381 \times 10^{-2}$	cubic meter per second
<b>Mass</b>		
ton (short)	$9.072 \times 10^{-1}$	megagram or metric ton

*Sea level:* In this report “sea level” refers to the National Geodetic Vertical Datum of 1929 (NGVD of 1929)—a geodetic datum derived from a general adjustment for the first-order level nets of both the United States and Canada, formerly called Sea Level Datum of 1929.