# **Conversion of One Unit into Another Unit**

## **Understanding Conversion of One Unit into Another Unit**

- Conversion means changing from one unit to another to make calculation easier.
- Units can be smaller to bigger (divide) or bigger to smaller (multiply).
- Used for length, weight, and capacity measurements.

#### **Length Conversion**

- 10 mm = 1 cm
- 100 cm = 1 m
- 1000 m = 1 km
- To convert bigger to smaller → multiply
- To convert smaller to bigger → divide

#### **Weight Conversion**

- 1000 mg = 1 g
- 1000 g = 1 kg
- Bigger to smaller → multiply
- Smaller to bigger → divide

#### **Capacity Conversion**

- 1000 ml = 1 l
- Bigger to smaller → multiply
- Smaller to bigger → divide

#### **Mixed Examples with Solutions**

Example: Convert 3 m into cm

**Solution:**  $1 \text{ m} = 100 \text{ cm} \rightarrow 3 \times 100 = 300 \text{ cm}$ 

**Example:** Convert 1500 ml into liters

**Solution:**  $1500 \div 1000 = 1.5$  |

**Example:** Convert 5 kg into grams

**Solution:**  $1 \text{ kg} = 1000 \text{ g} \rightarrow 5 \times 1000 = 5000 \text{ g}$ 

Example: Convert 400 cm into meters

**Solution:**  $400 \div 100 = 4 \text{ m}$ 

Example: Convert 3.5 l into ml

**Solution:**  $3.5 \times 1000 = 3500 \text{ ml}$ 

### **Summary Points**

• Conversion helps in comparing and calculating different units.

• Multiply when converting bigger to smaller units.

• Divide when converting smaller to bigger units.

• Know the standard relations: 100 cm = 1 m, 1000 g = 1 kg, 1000 ml = 1 l.

• Practice makes conversion faster and easier in real-life problems.