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   centimeters   meters

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   millimeters   meters

(4)   The length of your nose

   centimeters   meters

(5)   A trip on a passenter jet

   meters   kilometers

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   meters   millimeters

(8)   The width of your shoe

   centimeters   meters

(9)   The height of an office tower

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(10)   A piece of chalk

   meters   millimeters

(11)   The length of your arm

   centimeters   meters

(12)   A hiking trail

   meters   centimeters

(13)   A notecard

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(14)   The distance to the next city

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