REVIEW: Customary Capacity

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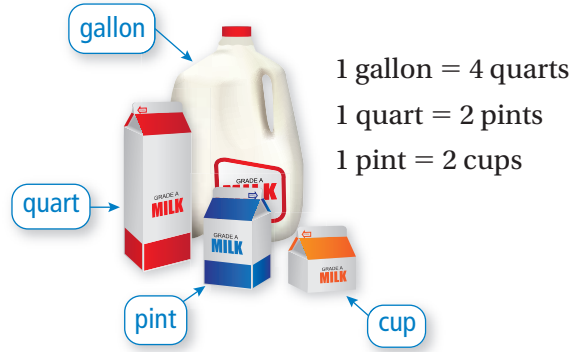
Key Concept and Vocabulary

Four customary units of capacity are cups (c), pints (pt), quarts (qt), and gallons (gal).
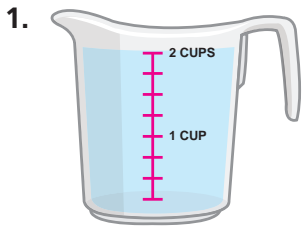
Customary capacity

Visual Model

gallon

quart

pint

cup

1 gallon = 4 quarts
1 quart = 2 pints
1 pint = 2 cups

Skill Example

1.

2 CUPS

1 CUP

There are 2 cups of water in the measuring cup.

Application Example

2. Does the watering can contain 5 gallons or 5 cups of water?

∴ The watering can contains 5 cups of water.

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Determine which capacity is greater.

3. 3 quarts or 3 pints

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4. 12 cups or 7 pints

_____

5. 5 quarts or 1 gallon

_____

Which units should you use to measure the capacity, *gallons* or *cups*?

6.

_____

7.

_____

Choose the better estimate.

8.

3 qt   3 gal

9.

2 c   2 qt

10.

1 c   1 pt