

Mathematics in English

Numbers and calculation - vocabulary

Numbers

Whole numbers

un chiffre	a digit	/ə 'dɪdʒɪt/
un nombre	a number	/ə 'nʌmbər /
un nombre entier	a whole number	/ə həʊl 'nʌmbər/
un nombre pair	an even number	/'æn 'i:vən 'nʌmbər/
un nombre impair	an odd number	/'æn 'ɒd 'nʌmbər/
un nombre à deux chiffres	a two-digit number	/ə 'tu: 'dɪdʒɪt 'nʌmbər/
un grand nombre	a large number	/ə la:dʒ ˈnʌmbər/
un petit nombre	a small number	/ə smɔ:l 'nʌmbər/
décomposer	partition	/pa:'trɪʃən/
les milliers	the thousands	/ðə 'θaʊzəndz/
les centaines	the hundreds	/ðə 'hʌndrədz/
les dizaines	the tens	/ðə tenz/
les unités	the units	/ðə 'ju:nɪts/
une pile de dix	a stack of ten	/ə stæk əv tən/
deux piles de dix	two stacks of ten	/tu: stæks əv tən/
la valeur (des chiffres)	the place value	/ðə plə:s 'vælu:/
le tableau	the chart	/ðə 'tʃa:t/
0	zero	/'zɪərəʊ/
500 contient deux zéros	five hundred contains two zeros	/fʌɪv 'hʌndrəd kən'teɪnz tu: 'zɪərəʊz/

Fractions and decimal numbers

$\frac{1}{2}$	one half	/wʌn ha:f/
$\frac{4}{2}$	four halves	/fɔ: ha:vz/
$1\frac{1}{2}$	one and one half	
$\frac{1}{3}$	one third	/wʌn θɜ:d/
$\frac{2}{3}$	two thirds	/tu: θɜ:dz/
$3\frac{1}{3}$	three and one third	
$4\frac{2}{3}$	four and two thirds	
$\frac{1}{4}$	one quarter	/wʌn 'kwo:tə/
$2\frac{1}{4}$	two and one quarter	
deux sur quatre	two over four	/tu: 'əʊvər fɔ:/
$\frac{5}{9}$	five ninths	/faɪv naɪnθs/
$\frac{5}{6}$	five sixths	/faɪv sɪksθs/
$\frac{1}{10}$	one tenth	/wʌn tɛnθ/
$\frac{2}{10}$	two tenths	/tu: tɛnθs/
$\frac{1}{100}$	one hundredth	/wʌn 'hʌndrədθ/
$\frac{2}{100}$	two hundredths	/tu: 'hʌndrədθs/
$\frac{1}{1000}$	one thousandth	/wʌn 'θaʊzəntθ/
$\frac{2}{1000}$	two thousandths	/tu: 'θaʊzəntθs/
%	percent	/pɜ:sent/
98 %	ninety eight percent	
une fraction	a fraction	/ə 'frækʃən/
le numérateur	the numerator	/ðə 'nju:məreɪtə/
le dénominateur	the denominator	/ðə dɪ'nomɪneɪtə/
un nombre décimal	a decimal number	/ə 'dɛsɪməl 'nʌmbər/
8,7	eight point seven	/eɪt pɔɪnt 'sevn/
3,4	three point four	

Basic operations

+	addition	/ə'dɪʃən/
-	subtraction	/səb'trækʃən/
×	multiplication	/,mʌltiplɪ'keɪʃən/
:	division	/dɪ'vezən/
=	is equal to equals is	/ɪz 'i:kwəl tə/ /'i:kwəlz/ /ɪz/
Calcule.	Calculate.	/'kælkjʊleɪt/
un calcul	a calculation	/ə,kælkjʊ'leɪʃən/
le résultat	the result	/ðə rɪ'zʌlt/
la colonne des unités	the units column	/ðə 'ju:nɪts 'kɒləm/
la colonne des dizaines	the tens column	/ðə tenz 'kɒləm/
la colonne des centaines	the hundreds column	/ðə 'hʌndrədz 'kɒləm/
la colonne des milliers	the thousands column	/ðə 'θaʊzəndz 'kɒləm/
une parenthèse entre parenthèses	a bracket between brackets	/ə 'brækɪt/ /bɪ'twi:n 'brækɪts/

Addition

+	plus add	/'plʌs/ /'æd/
2 + 2 = 4	two plus two is equal to four two plus two is four two plus two equals four two add two is four	/tu: plʌs tu: iz 'i:kwəl tə fo:/
la somme	the sum	/ðə 'sʌm/
Calcule la somme de 9 et 8.	Find the sum of nine and eight.	
une addition	an addition	/ən ə'dɪʃən/
additionner à	add to	/'æd 'tu:/
Additionne 9 à 8.	Add nine to eight.	
Combien font 6 plus 3 ?	What is six plus three? What does six plus three equal?	
Compte de 10 en 10.	Add ten each time.	
Compte de 100 en 100.	Add one hundred each time.	

Subtraction

-	minus take away	/'maɪnəs/ /teɪk ə'weɪ/
3 – 2 = 1	three minus two is equal to one three minus two is one three minus two equals one three take away two is one	/θri: 'maɪnəs tu: iz 'i:kwəl tə wʌn/
la différence	the difference	/ðə 'dɪfrəns/
Calcule la différence entre 16 et 9.	Find the difference between sixteen and nine. What is the difference between 16 and 9?	
une soustraction	a subtraction	/ə səb'trækʃən/
soustraire à	subtract from	/səb'trækt frɔ:m/
Soustrais 9 à 16.	Subtract nine from sixteen.	
Combien font 7 moins 5 ?	What is seven minus five? What does seven minus five equal?	
Compte en reculant de 10 en 10.	Minus ten each time.	

Compte en reculant de 100 en 100.	Minus one hundred each time.	
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Multiplication

x	times multiplied by	/taɪmz/ /'mʌltiplaɪd baɪ/
7 x 2 = 14	seven times two is equal to fourteen seven times two is fourteen seven times two equals fourteen seven multiplied by two is fourteen	/'sevn taɪmz tʊ iz 'i:kwəl tə 'fɔ:'ti:n/
une multiplication	a multiplication	/ə ,mʌltiplɪ'keɪʃən/
multiplier par	multiply by	/'mʌltiplaɪ bar/
Multiplie 7 par 2.	Multiply seven by two.	/'mʌltiplaɪ 'sevn baɪ tu:/
le produit	the product	/ðə 'prɒdʌkt/
le multiplicateur	the multiplier	/ðə 'mʌltiplaɪə/
la table de multiplication	the times table	/ðə taɪmz 'terɪbl/
la table de 9	the nine times table	/ ðə naɪn taɪmz 'terɪbl/
Combien font 9 fois 2 ?	What is nine times two? What does nine times two equal?	
Quel est le double de 9 ?	What is nine times two? What is nine doubled?	/wɒt iz naɪn 'dʌbld/
Le double de 9 est 18.	Nine doubled is eighteen.	/naɪn 'dʌbld eɪt iz er'ti:n/
Quel est le triple de 2 ?	What is two times three? What is two tripled?	/wɒt iz tu: 'trɪpld/

Division

: ou /	divided by	/dr'veɪdɪd baɪ/
4 : 2 = 2	four divided by two is equal to two four divided by two is two four divided by two equals two	/fɔ: dr'veɪdɪd baɪ tu: iz 'i:kwəl tə tu:/
diviser par	divide by	/dr'veɪd baɪ/
Divise 4 par 2.	Divide four by two.	/ dr'veɪd fɔ: baɪ tu:/
une division	a division	/ ə dr'veɪʒən/
le dividende	the dividend	/ðə 'drɪvɪdənd/
le diviseur	the divisor	/ðə dr'veɪzə/
le quotient	the quotient	/ðə 'kwəʊʃənt/
le reste	the remainder	/ðə rɪ'meɪndə/

Compare numbers

3 < 5	three is less than five	/θri: iz les ðæn faɪv/
8 > 6	eight is greater than six	/eɪt iz 'greɪtə ðæn sɪks/
≤	is less than or equal to	/ɪz les ðæn ə 'i:kwəl tʊ/
≥	is greater than or equal to	/ɪz 'greɪtə ðæn ə 'i:kwəl tʊ/
12 ≠ 15	twelve is not equal to fifteen	/ɪz nɒt 'i:kwəl tʊ/
comparer	compare	/ kəm'peə/
le plus grand nombre (entre 2 nombres)	the larger number	/ðə 'la:dʒə 'nʌmbə/
le plus grand nombre (entre plus de 2 nombres)	the largest number	/ðə 'la:dʒɪst 'nʌmbə/
le plus petit nombre (entre 2 nombres)	the smaller number	/ðə 'smɔ:lə 'nʌmbə/
le plus petit nombre (entre plus de 2 nombres)	the smallest number	/ðə 'smɔ:lis̩t 'nʌmbə/

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