## Smart Shopper



Learning in the Kitchen

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## Overview

This is one of seven modules of Learning in the Kitchen.

- Kitchen Safety
- Food Safety
- Nutrition for Health
- Importance of Food
- Reading Food Labels
- Smart Shopper
- Nutrition Games

This module has seven activities. If you do them all it will probably take two to three sessions. Do some activities before you start cooking and then complete them after, or do them all at once. There is an answer key at the end of the module.

Have lots of food items on hand to use to demonstrate Nutrition Facts labels and Ingredients lists.

## Learning outcomes

At the end of these activities, participants should be able to:

- Find healthy and affordable food at the grocery store.
- Plan a menu.
- Make a shopping list for the menu.
- Compare foods, brands, and sizes for the best cost.
- Find and understand the unit cost of an item.


## Embedded literacy activities

- Building vocabulary
- Completing charts and tables
- Writing skills
- Sorting
- Math skills


## Key understandings

- Planning meals to save money.
- Being a wise shopper.


## How to run your Learning in the Kitchen session

- Choose three recipes for this session from Great Food for Northern Cooks or ask participants to find healthy recipes online.
- Choose a main meal, soup or salad, and a dessert or muffin.
- Shop for the ingredients before the session.
- Give the recipes to participants to follow along with.
- Review how to measure ingredients before you start cooking. Great Food for Northern Cooks has a great overview of measuring.
- Invite participants to work together to make the recipes.
- Make enough so everyone can take some home for supper.
- Buy containers for participants to take food home in.
- Make a snack for everyone to enjoy at the program.


## Videos

All the videos are on your USB drive. If you have a small group, show the videos on a computer or laptop. If you have a large group use a projector if available.

## Activities

## Activity 1: Videos and Brainstorming (no handout)

Watch one or more of the videos.

- Meal Planning-Shop Smart https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WJ6uWPIVlCg from Health Canada
- Save money at the grocery store: Tips I Consumer Reports https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5z-F13pdiUI
- Smart Grocery Shopping-6 tips for buying what you need http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0pCWTbloobg
- Health Bites: Smart Shopping with Unit Pricing https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=x56Oa 4 3HE
- Unit pricing helps you save money at the grocery store http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KMe85qahPbk

Discuss these questions.

- Have you ever been food shopping and had this experience ...
- Forgot to buy something you needed?
- Bought something you didn't mean to buy?
- Bought something you didn't use and had to throw away?


## Activity 2: Smart Shopper Checklist (1 handout)

1. Write "Shopping List" on the board.

Brainstorm these questions and write down the answers.

- What is a shopping list?
- Why would a person make a shopping list?

2. Use this game to introduce the topic of grocery shopping.

- Start with the instructor, who says, "I'm going to the grocery store to buy ___ (choose an item)"
- Ask each participant to take turns to say, "I'm going to the grocery store to buy ___ (choose their own item) and ___ (repeat what everyone said before).

By the end it may be difficult for participants to remember what each person said.
3. Now ask participants to brainstorm ideas for a "Smart Shopping Checklist".
What can they do at home to be a smart shopper?
What can they do at the grocery store to be a smart shopper?
Ask each participant to create their own "Smart Shopper Checklist" - a poster or on a computer.

Invite participants to use the "Sample Smart Shopper Checklist" as a guide.

## Activity 3: One Week Menu (1 handout)

Ask participants to use the handout as a guide to make a menu for one week - breakfast, lunch, and supper for each day.

Discuss the "Sample Menu".

## Activity 4: Shopping List (1 handout)

Ask participants to use the handout as a guide to make a shopping list based on the menu from the previous activity.

Discuss the "Sample Shopping List".
If appropriate, divide participants into small groups or pairs. Ask each small group / pair to write a shopping list.

Discuss and compare the answers.

## Activity 5: Unit Pricing (1 handout)

Brainstorm: What is the unit price?

Watch one or more of these videos.

- Unit pricing (definitions and examples) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FPfmjFVdDj0
- Finding the Unit Price: Decimal Division (shows how to calculate) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iyvHnqM5WzM
- Unit Price-MathHelp.com (shows how to calculate) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=T6i5Cd3Mdvg

As a group go over the handout.
Then ask participants to answer the questions for Parts 1, 2, and 3 in the handout. Discuss the answers.

Then as a group discuss the statement and question in Part 4.

## Activity 6: Supermarket Scavenger Hunt (1 handout)

Go together to the local grocery store.
Ask participants to find the items on the handout and answer the questions.

Discuss their answers.

## Activity 7: Smart Shopper Taboo

This game is a variation to the popular Taboo Game.
You need a bell or buzzer and a timer.

1. Choose a participant to come to the front of the room. Ask them to sit with their back against the board or flip chart.
2. Write the key word on the board.

Then write all the taboo words under it.

- Example

Key word: Unit price
Taboo words: money, shopping, unit, price, one, cost
3. Explain the rules.

- Choose one participant to describe the key word to the participant at the front. Ring the bell if they use any taboo words or any variation of the key word. Then choose another participant to describe the key word.
- Keep going until the participant at the front guesses the key word.
- Choose a different key word and repeat the process. Choose a different participant to be at the front of the room.

Use the list on the following two pages for key words and taboo words. Or create your own; invite participants to
 come up with their own key / taboo words.

| Smart Shopper Taboo |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Key word: Unit Price <br> Taboo Words <br> - Shopping <br> - Unit <br> - Price <br> - One <br> - Cost | Key word: Compare <br> Taboo Words <br> - Comparison <br> - Wise <br> - Shopping <br> - Look <br> - Cost |
| Key word: Coupons <br> Taboo Words <br> - Flyer <br> - Sales <br> - Savings <br> - Paper <br> - Deal | Key word: Shopping List <br> Taboo Words <br> - Plan <br> - Ingredients <br> - Menu <br> - List <br> - Needs |
| Key word: Bulk <br> Taboo Words <br> - Scoop <br> - Bins <br> - Loose <br> - Choice <br> - No packaging | Key word: Menu <br> Taboo Words <br> - Plan <br> - Breakfast <br> - Lunch <br> - Supper <br> - Weekly |

## Handouts

## Activity 2: Smart Shopper Checklist

Create a Smart Shopper Checklist. Think about the videos.

- What can you do at home to be a smart shopper?
- What can you do at the grocery store to be a smart shopper?

Type it on a computer or make a poster.
Display your checklist at home.
Smart Shopper Checklist

| At home | At the grocery store |
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## Sample-Smart Shopper Checklist



## Activity 3: One Week Menu

As a group, make a sample menu for two adults for a week.

Use these food group guidelines.
If needed, check the Food Guide on the following page for food ideas for each food group.

| Food group | Number of servings per day |
| :--- | :--- |
| Vegetables and fruit | 7 |
| Grain products | 6 |
| Milk and alternatives | 2 |
| Meat and alternatives | 2 |

See the sample menu.

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| Menu |  |  | Breakfast |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  | Lunch | Dinner |
| Monday |  |  |  |
| Tuesday |  |  |  |
| Wednesday |  |  |  |
| Thursday |  |  |  |
| Sunday |  |  |  |
| Saturday |  |  |  |
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## Sample Menu

|  | Breakfast | Lunch | Supper |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Monday | Whole grain toast with peanut butter, fruit and yogurt | Lentil soup with veggies, whole grain crackers | Meat loaf and veggies |
| Tuesday | Oatmeal with nuts, raisins, seeds, and milk | Green salad with veggies, cheese, and sunflower seeds | Chili made with kidney beans and lots of veggies |
| Wednesday | Boiled egg, whole grain toast and jam, milk | Fruit salad with a whole grain muffin | Baked fish and lots of veggies |
| Thursday | Fruit smoothie, whole grain muffin with nuts and seeds | Carrot and raisin salad, whole grain toast | Casserole—wild rice, mushrooms, veggies, and cheese |
| Friday | Hard boiled egg, whole grain bannock with jam, milk | Fish sandwich, made with whole grain bread, carrot and celery sticks | Meat stew with lots of veggies |
| Saturday | Whole grain pancakes with berries and yogurt | Pea soup with veggies, whole grain crackers | Stir fry veggies and shrimp, serve on brown rice or whole grain noodles |
| Sunday | Cheese / spinach omelet, whole grain toast, orange juice | Egg salad and veggies in whole grain tortilla wrap | Chicken and veggie curry with brown rice |

## Activity 4: Shopping List

Fill out the shopping list for the menu. See the sample shopping list.

## Menu part:

| Veggies |  | Fruit |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  |  |  |
| Dairy |  |  |  |

## Sample shopping list

This sample shopping list goes with the sample menu from the previous activity.

| Veggies |  | Fruit |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Carrots <br> Potatoes <br> Broccoli <br> Mushrooms <br> Peppers | Cabbage <br> Spinach <br> Celery <br> Onions <br> Garlic | Berries (frozen) <br> Apples <br> Oranges | Bananas <br> Orange juice |
| Dairy |  | Meat |  |
| Eggs <br> Yogurt (low fat) <br> Milk (skim) <br> Cheese (low fat) |  | Ground beef (extra lean) <br> Shrimp <br> Fish <br> Chicken (skinless) |  |
| Dry goods |  | Other |  |
| Lentils <br> Kidney beans <br> Brown rice <br> Nuts <br> Seeds | Noodles <br> Oatmeal <br> Whole grain flour <br> Baking powder <br> Curry powder | Tortilla wraps <br> Whole grain bread and bagels <br> Peanut butter Jam <br> Canned tuna | Canned tomatoes <br> Syrup <br> Raisins <br> Whole grain crackers |

## Activity 5: Unit Pricing

Unit pricing is the cost per litre, per kilogram, per pound, per container, per item of something you want to buy.

- Example: a 2-litre carton of milk is $\$ 3.80$

The cost per litre is $\$ 3.80 \div 2=\$ 1.90$

- Example: a 6-pack of apple juice is $\$ 2.98$

The cost per container is $\$ 2.98 \div 6=\$ 0.50$
Price stickers on store shelves often give the unit price.
Look at these examples and discuss these questions.

- What is the size of the product in each example?
- For each example what is the unit in the unit price?


Comparing unit prices is a good way to find the best price for a product when you have more than one option in the store. Often the two options come in different sized containers.

When you compare unit prices for a product, check to make sure the unit price for each of the options uses the same unit.

Look at these examples of canned tomatoes.
Discuss these questions.

- What is the size of the product for each example?
- What is the unit in the unit price? Are all units the same?
- How can you make them the same?

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| :---: | :---: |
| product size: <br> unit in unit price: | product size: <br> unit in unit price: |
| product size: <br> unit in unit price: | KIǨǨ̌AND S̃IGNATURE ORGANIC DICED TOMATOES 8/14.5 OUNCE CANS <br> PRICE PER OUNCE <br> .056 <br> product size: <br> unit in unit price: |

## Part 1

In each grouping, check $\nabla$ the item that has the best unit price.

| Product name |  | Size | Price | Unit price |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\square$ | General Mills Cheerios | 18 ounces | \$4.79 | \$0.27 / oz. |
| $\square$ | General Mills Cheerios | 14 ounces | \$3.99 | \$0.29 / oz. |
| $\square$ | Store Brand Toasted Oats | 14 ounces | \$2.50 | \$0.18 / oz. |
| $\square$ | Colavita Extra Virgin Olive Oil | 17 ounces | \$9.99 | \$0.59 / oz. |
| $\square$ | Capatriti Extra Virgin Olive Oil | 101 ounces | \$21.49 | \$0.21 / oz. |
| $\square$ | Goya Extra Virgin Olive Oil | 8.5 ounces | \$4.29 | \$0.50 / oz. |
| $\square$ | Fillipo Berrio Olive Oil | 16.9 ounces | \$7.39 | \$0.44 / oz. |
| $\square$ | President's Choice frozen OJ | 295 ml | \$1.99 | \$0.67 / 100 ml |
| $\square$ | Minute Maid frozen OJ | 295 ml | \$1.99 | \$0.67 / 100 ml |
| $\square$ | Old South frozen OJ | 283 ml | \$1.99 | \$0.70 / 100 ml |
| $\square$ | No Name frozen OJ | 283 ml | \$1.29 | \$0.46 / 100 ml |


| Product name |  | Size | Price | Unit price |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\square$ | No Name margarine | 454 gr | \$1.99 | \$0.44 / 100 gr |
| $\square$ | No Name parchment margarine | 454 gr | \$1.49 | \$0.33 / 100 gr |
| $\square$ | Becel margarine | 2 kg | \$12.49 | \$0.62 / 100 gr |
| $\square$ | Becel margarine | 454 gr | \$3.99 | \$0.88/100 gr |
| $\square$ | Farmer's market carrots | 1 kg bag | \$2.49 | \$0.25 / 100 gr |
| $\square$ | Farmer's market mini carrots | 900 gr bag | \$3.99 | \$0.44 / 100 gr |
| $\square$ | PC organic carrots | 900 gr bag | \$3.99 | \$0.44 / 100 gr |
| $\square$ | Carrots loose | Perkg. | \$2.18 | \$0.22 / 100 gr |
| $\square$ | Farmer's market red potatoes | $5 \mathrm{lb} . \mathrm{bag}$ | \$2.99 | \$1.32/kg. |
| $\square$ | Farmer's market red potatoes | 10 lb . bag | \$5.99 | \$1.32/kg. |
| $\square$ | Red potatoes loose | Per kg. | \$4.39 | \$4.39/kg. |
| $\square$ | Farmer's market mixed mini potatoes | $5 \mathrm{lb} . \mathrm{bag}$ | \$8.99 | \$4.00 / kg. |

## Part 2

For each group of products, fill in the table with the size, price, and unit price (same as the table in Part 1).

- Are the units the same for each product in the group?
- Check the product with the best unit price.


## Cream of mushroom soup



Jasmine rice

| JASMINE RICE | $\$ 12.99$ |
| ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 5 KG |  |
| 26 cents per 100 grams |  |



40 cents per 100 grams

## Cereal

```
$0.16 per oz.
                            $3.00
    18oz. Name Brand
```

        \(\$ 0.20\) per oz.
        \$2.75
    14oz. Store Brand
    Laundry detergent

## Rice

| Unit Price 13¢ per oz. |  |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Price } \\ \$ 3.12 \end{array}$ |
| Snappy Rice | 24 oz . |


| Unit Price 20¢ per oz. |  |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | Total |
|  | \$2.40 |
| Crackly Rice $^{\text {den }}$ | 12 oz . |

## Carrots

| $\$ 2.00$ per lb. |  |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | $\$ 2.00$ |
|  |  |



16 ounces, costs $\$ 1.00$


28 ounces, costs $\$ 1.35$


| Product name |  | Size | Price | Unit price |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\square$ | Cream of mushroom soup |  |  |  |
| $\square$ | Cream of mushroom soup |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| $\square$ | Jasmine rice |  |  |  |
| $\square$ | Jasmine rice |  |  |  |
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| $\square$ | Cereal |  |  |  |
| $\square$ | Cereal |  |  |  |
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| $\square$ | Laundry detergent |  |  |  |
| $\square$ | Laundry detergent |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| $\square$ | Snappy rice |  |  |  |
| $\square$ | Crackly rice |  |  |  |
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| Product name |  | Size | Price | Unit price |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\square$ | Carrots |  |  |  |
| $\square$ | Carrots |  |  |  |
| $\square$ | Carrots |  |  |  |
| $\square$ | Low-fat yogurt |  |  |  |
| $\square$ | Low-fat yogurt |  |  |  |
| $\square$ | Canned pears |  |  |  |
| $\square$ | Canned pears |  |  |  |
| $\square$ |  |  |  |  |
| $\square$ |  |  |  |  |

## Part 3

Study the four price stickers for flour on the next page.
Fill out three columns in the table with information from the stickers: size, price, and unit price.

Then answer these questions. Discuss the answers.

1. These four price stickers use three different units for the unit price. What are the three different units?
2. To compare the unit price for flour, we need to make all the units the same.
Use an online converter.
https://www.google.ca/search?client=safari\&rls=en\&q=convert+kg +to+pounds\&ie=UTF-8\&oe=UTF8\&gfe rd=cr\&ei=sbTjWKy5OZPOXqvomOgD

- To change pounds to $\mathrm{kg}: 1 \mathrm{~kg}=2.2 \mathrm{lb}$.
( xlb . X 2.2 = $\qquad$ kg)
- To change kg to pounds: 1 pound $=0.454 \mathrm{~kg}$ ( x kg X 0.454 = $\qquad$ lb.
- To change ounces to pounds: 1 pound $=16$ ounces (x oz. X 16 = $\qquad$ lb .

3. Use the formula to make all the units the same. Choose kg or pounds as the unit. Fill in the last column in the table.
4. Which flour has the best unit price?

Flour

| CREATIVE BAKER ALL PURPOSE FLOUR 10 kg |  |  | 2005 CONAGRA FLOUR HOTEL \& RESTAURANT 25 LB |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| .849 <br> 8.49 |  |  |  |  | 04 |
|  |  |  | GULD MEDAL <br> ALL PURPOSE FLOUR 10 LB BAG - Convenient Bag Size $\$ 28$ <br> Unit price 38.8 cents per Ib |  |  |
| Product name |  | Size | Price | Unit price | New unit price |
| $\square$ | Creative Baker All Purpose Flour |  |  |  |  |
| $\square$ | Brand A All Purpose Flour |  |  |  |  |
| $\square$ | Conagra Flour |  |  |  |  |
| $\square$ | Gold Medal All Purpose Flour |  |  |  |  |

## Part 4

Discuss this statement and question.
Statement

- Unit pricing can help you decide what product is the best price.

Questions

- What other factors affect what products you buy, besides price?
- How important is price compared with these other factors?
- How important are the other factors compared with price?


## Activity 6: Grocery Story Scavenger Hunt

As a group, go to the grocery story.
Work in pairs to find these items.
Fill in the two columns in the table:

- Name / cost of item
- Nutrition info

Discuss your answers.

| Item | Brand name / cost | Nutrition Info |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| One loaf of bread that is <br> a good source of fibre (at <br> least 15\% DV). |  | First ingredient: |
| Package of bagels with <br> whole grain as the first <br> ingredient. |  | Fibre \%DV: |
| Cereal that is a good <br> source of fibre and iron <br> (at least 15\% DV). |  | Fat \%DV: <br> Sugar \%DV: <br> First ingredient: |
| Cracker that is low in fat <br> (5\% DV or less) |  | Calories: <br> Sodium \%DV: |
| Plain yogurt and fruit <br> yogurt, to compare. <br> Make sure the serving <br> size is the same. |  | Fibre \%DV: |
|  |  | Falories: <br> Sugar \%DV: |


| Item | Brand name / cost | Nutrition Info |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Fruit drink and 100\% fruit <br> juice, to compare. <br> Make sure the serving <br> size is the same. |  | Calories: <br> Vitamin C \%DV: <br> Sugar \%DV: |
|  |  | Calories: |
| Vitamin C \%DV: |  |  |
| Sugar \%DV: |  |  |
| Two pre-packaged meals <br> to compare-frozen, <br> cans, boxes (e.g. pork <br> and beans, rice a roni, <br> frozen pizza, mac and <br> cheese, etc.) |  | Calories: |
|  |  | Sodium \%DV: |
| Fat \%DV: |  |  |
| Sugar \%DV: |  |  |
| Protein \%DV: |  |  |


| Item | Brand name / cost | Nutrition Info |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2-litre cartons of milk: <br> skim and 2\% to compare |  | Calories: <br> Fat \%DV: <br> Calcium \%DV: <br> Vitamin D \%DV: |
|  |  | Calories: <br> Fat \%DV: <br> Calcium \%DV: <br> Vitamin D \%DV: |
| Two brands of canned <br> tuna to compare. |  | Calories: |
| Fat \%DV: |  |  |
| Sodium \%DV: |  |  |

## Answer Key

## Activity 5: Unit Pricing

Look at these examples and discuss these questions.

- What is the size of the product in each example?
- For each example what is the unit in the unit price?

| Olive oil | Nutella |
| :---: | :---: |
|  |  |
| GROCERY 05/17/12 \||||||||||||||||||| 001464 | Produce size:13 oz. |
| Produce size: 16.9 oz . <br> Unit in unit price: gallon | Unit in unit price: pound |
| Canned salmon | Peanut butter |
| U 119MT. 7.502.(218 | KRO NATURAL PEANUT BUTTER   <br> 73015 12 1602 0001111067301 |
|  | $29 \\|\|\|\|\|\|\|\|\|\|\|\|\|\|\|\|\|\|\|\|\|\|\|\|\|\|\| \|$ |
|  |  |
| Produce size: 7.5 oz . or 213 g | Produce size: 16 oz. |
| Unit in unit price: pound | Unit in unit price: oz. |

Discuss these questions.

- What is the size of the product for each example?
- What is the unit in the unit price? Are all units the same? No. Two products use kg for the unit price; two products use ounces for the unit price.
- How can you make them the same so you can compare them? Convert ounces to kg ( $1 \mathrm{~kg}=35.27$ ounces). Then multiply the price per ounce X 35.27
Or convert kg to ounces ( 1 ounce $=0.028 \mathrm{~kg}$ ). Then multiply the price per kg X 0.028
- Look up a converter online.
https://www.google.ca/search?client=safari\&rls=en\&q=convert+o unces+to+kilograms\&ie=UTF-8\&oe=UTF-
8\&gfe rd=cr\&ei=af iWKT9No d8gfc5amgBg

product size: 400 grams
- unit in unit price: kg
- unit price per oz: $3.38 \times .028=$ \$. 09

-14.5-oz. Hunt's
petite, dicgediomatoes
product size: 14.5 oz .
- unit in unit price: oz.
- unit price per kg: . $06 \times 35.27=$ \$2.12

Reg. $97^{\circ}$

product size: 400 grams

- unit in unit price: kg
- unit price per oz: $4.75 \times .028=$ \$. 13

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product size: 14.5 ounce

- unit in unit price: ounce
- unit price per kg: . $056 \times 35.27=$ \$1.98


## Part 1

In each grouping，check $\nabla$ the item that has the best unit price．

| Product name |  | Size | Price | Unit price |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\square$ | General Mills Cheerios | 18 ounces | \＄4．79 | \＄0．27／oz． |
| $\square$ | General Mills Cheerios | 14 ounces | \＄3．99 | \＄0．29／oz． |
| マ | Store Brand Toasted Oats | 14 ounces | \＄2．50 | \＄0．18／oz． |
| $\square$ | Colavita Extra Virgin Olive Oil | 17 ounces | \＄9．99 | \＄0．59／oz． |
| 『 | Capatriti Extra Virgin Olive Oil | 101 ounces | \＄21．49 | \＄0．21／oz． |
| $\square$ | Goya Extra Virgin Olive Oil | 8.5 ounces | \＄4．29 | \＄0．50／oz． |
| $\square$ | Fillipo Berrio Olive Oil | 16.9 ounces | \＄7．39 | \＄0．44／oz． |
| $\square$ | President＇s Choice frozen OJ | 295 ml | \＄1．99 | \＄0．67／ 100 ml |
| $\square$ | Minute Maid frozen OJ | 295 ml | \＄1．99 | \＄0．67／ 100 ml |
| $\square$ | Old South frozen OJ | 283 ml | \＄1．99 | \＄0．70／ 100 ml |
| マ | No Name frozen OJ | 283 ml | \＄1．29 | \＄0．46／ 100 ml |


| Product name |  | Size | Price | Unit price |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\square$ | No Name margarine | 454 gr | \$1.99 | \$0.44 / 100 gr |
| V | No Name parchment margarine | 454 gr | \$1.49 | \$0.33 / 100 gr |
| $\square$ | Becel margarine | 2 kg | \$12.49 | \$0.62 / 100 gr |
| $\square$ | Becel margarine | 454 gr | \$3.99 | \$0.88/100 gr |
| $\square$ | Farmer's market carrots | 1 kg bag | \$2.49 | \$0.25 / 100 gr |
| $\square$ | Farmer's market mini carrots | 900 gr bag | \$3.99 | \$0.44 / 100 gr |
| $\square$ | PC organic carrots | 900 gr bag | \$3.99 | \$0.44 / 100 gr |
| V | Carrots loose | Per kg. | \$2.18 | \$0.22 / 100 gr |
| マ | Farmer's market red potatoes | $5 \mathrm{lb} . \mathrm{bag}$ | \$2.99 | \$1.32 / kg. |
| $\checkmark$ | Farmer's market red potatoes | 10 lb. bag | \$5.99 | \$1.32/kg. |
| $\square$ | Red potatoes loose | Per kg. | \$4.39 | \$4.39 / kg. |
| $\square$ | Farmer's market mixed mini potatoes | $5 \mathrm{lb} . \mathrm{bag}$ | \$8.99 | \$4.00 / kg. |

## Part 2

For each group of products, fill in the table with the size, price, and unit price (same as the table in Part 1).

- Are the units the same for each product in the group?
- Check the product with the best unit price.


## Cream of mushroom soup



Jasmine rice


Cereal

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$0.16 per oz.
$3.00
    18oz. Name Brand
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$\$ 0.20$ per oz.
\$2.75
14oz. Store Brand

Laundry detergent

## LAUNDRY DETERGENT

\$7.62
2.5 L \$3.05 per 1 L
LAUNDRY DETERGENT 1.5 L $\$ 3.83$ per 1 L

## Rice

| Unit Price 13¢ per oz. |  |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Price } \\ \$ 3.12 \end{array}$ |
| Snappy Rice | 24 oz . |



## Carrots

| $\$ 2.00$ per lb. |  |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | $\$ 2.00$ |
|  |  |



16 ounces, costs $\$ 1.00$


28 ounces, costs $\$ 1.35$



| Product name |  | Size | Price | Unit price |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\square$ | Carrots | 16 oz. | $\$ 2.00$ | $\$ 2.00$ per lb. |
| $\square$ | Carrots | 2 lb. | $\$ 2.29$ | $\$ 1.15$ per lb. |
| $\square$ | Carrots | 5 lb. | $\$ 3.29$ | $\$ 0.66$ per lb. |
| $\square$ | Low-fat yogurt | 32 oz. | $\$ 1.62$ | $\$ .05$ per oz. |
| $\square$ | Low-fat yogurt | 6 oz. | $\$ 0.72$ | $\$ .12$ per oz. |
| $\square$ | Canned pears | Canned pears | 14 oz. | $\$ 1.00$ |
| $\square$ |  | $\$ .06$ per oz. |  |  |
| $\square$ |  |  |  |  |

## Part 3

Study the four price stickers for flour on the next page.
Fill out three columns in the table with information from the stickers: size, price, and unit price.

Then answer these questions. Discuss the answers.

1. These four price stickers use three different units for the unit price. What are the three different units?

- pounds
- kilograms
- ounces

2. To compare the unit price for flour, we need to make all the units the same.
Use an online converter.
https://www.google.ca/search?client=safari\&rls=en\&q=convert+kg +to+pounds\&ie=UTF-8\&oe=UTF-
8\&gfe rd=cr\&ei=sbTjWKy5OZPOXqvomOgD

- To change pounds to $\mathrm{kg}: 1 \mathrm{~kg}=2.2 \mathrm{lb}$.
(x lb. X 2.2 = $\qquad$ kg)
- To change kg to pounds: 1 pound $=0.454 \mathrm{~kg}$ ( x kg X $0.454=$ $\qquad$ lb.
- To change ounces to pounds: 1 pound $=16$ ounces (x oz. X $16=$ $\qquad$ lb .

3. Use the formula to make all the units the same. Choose kg or pounds as the unit. Fill in the last column in the table.
4. Which flour has the best unit price?

## Flour



| Product name |  | Size | Price | Unit price | New unit price |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\square$ | Creative Baker All <br> Purpose Flour | 10 kg. | $\$ 8.49$ | $\$ .849$ per <br> kg. | $\$ .849$ per kg <br> $\$ .385$ per lb. |
| $\square$ | Conagra Flour | 25 lb. | $\$ 6.49$ | $\$ .26$ per lb. | $\$ .26$ per lb. <br> $\$ .572$ per kg. |
| $\square$ | Brand A All <br> Purpose Flour | 5 lb. | $\$ 1.69$ | $\$ .0211$ per <br> oz. | $\$ .34$ per pound <br> $\$ .74$ per kg. |
| $\square$ | Gold Medal All <br> Purpose Flour | 10 lb. | $\$ 3.88$ | $\$ .388$ per <br> lb. | $\$ .388$ per lb. <br> $\$ .85$ per kg.. |

