Changing Weights

1 ton (T) = 2,000 pounds (lb)
1 lb = 16 ounces (oz)

1. Laura drives a garbage truck that weighs 3 tons. She picked up 2 tons of recyclables. What is the total weight in pounds of the garbage truck and recyclables?

2. Greg’s cat weighs 32 pounds 9 ounces. How many ounces in all does his cat weigh?

3. Amy picked 8 bushels of peaches. A bushel of peaches weighs 35 pounds. How many ounces of peaches did she pick in each bushel? How many ounces did she pick in all?

4. Brad weighs 125 pounds. How could you change 125 pounds to tons?

5. Sharon’s pony weighs 500 pounds. How many tons does her pony weigh? How many ounces does her pony weigh?

6. The polar bear at the Hyde Park Zoo weighs 1,433 pounds 15 ounces. How many ounces in all does the polar bear weigh?