

Terms & Abbreviations

Amps to Watts Amps x's Volts = Watts
BTU British Thermal Unit (Heat)

To Find Desired Heater Size

First determine the cubic feet of the area to be heated

Cubic Feet of Area = Length x's Width x's Height

Then take that number (the Area) and multiply it by 0.133

The result is then multiplied by the change in temperature (# of degrees) you wish to achieve.

The final answer is the number of BTU's required, to heat that space to the temperature that you have chosen.

(Area x's 0.133) x's Change in Temperature (in degrees)

Cap Capacity
CFM Cubic Feet per Minute
CO2 Carbon Dioxide
Cord of Wood 128 Cubic Feet (4'x 4'x 8')
 (Approx. 3500 Pounds)
Cubic Yard 27 Cubic Ft (3'x 3'x 3')
Cubic Yard of Dirt or Top Soil Approx. 2000 Pounds
Cubic Yard of Sand or Gravel Approx. 3000 Pounds
Ecology Block, Concrete (2' x 2' x 6') 3,600 lbs
Gal Gallon
HVLP High Volume Low Pressure
Lb Pound

Metric Conversions

1 inch = 2.53 centimeters(cm)
 1 foot(')= 0.3048 meters(m)
 1 centimeter(cm) = 3.94 inches(“)
 1 centimeter(cm) = 100 millimeters(mm)
 1 meter(m) = 100 centimeters(cm)

Oxy Oxygen
P.A. Public Address
PSI Pounds per Square Inch

Rock Size – Specifications by weight and least dimension

Specification	Weight Range (pounds)	Least Dimension (inches)
Two-man Rock	300 to 600	13
Three-man Rock	800 to 1200	16
Four-man Rock	1500 to 2200	18

Ton (Standard) 2000 Pounds

Metric Ton = .908 Ton (Standard)

Trailer Capacity = Gross Vehicle Weight (Trailer) minus Trailer Weight

Torque

12 inch-pounds = 1 foot-pound
 1 foot-pound = 1.356 newton-metres