# Common Abbreviations and Kitchen Measurements

How many do you know???

## **CUSTOMARY** (Used by United States)

- Teaspoon:
  - t or tsp
- Tablespoon:
  - T or Tbsp
- Cup:
  - C



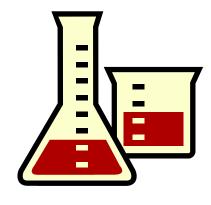
## **CUSTOMARY** (Used by United States)

- Pint
  - pt
- Quart
  - qt
- Gallon
  - gal
- Ounce
  - Oz
- Fluid Ounce
  - fl oz
- Pound
  - lb
- Degrees Fahrenheit



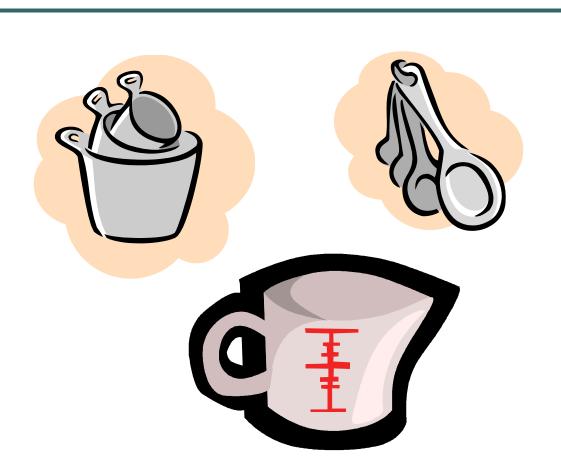
# METRIC (used by the rest of the world)

- Millimeter
  - mm
- Liter
  - L
- Milliliter
  - mL
- Gram
  - <u>g</u>
- Degrees Celcius



#### **Kitchen Measurements**

- 1 T =
  - 3 t
- 1 C =
  - 16 T
- 1 C =
  - 8 fl oz
- 1 pt =
  - 2 c



#### **Kitchen Measurements**

- 1 gal =
  - 16 c
- 1 qt =
  - 4 c
- 1/4 C =
  - 4 T



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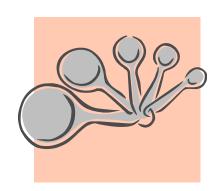
- 1 lb =
  - 16 oz
- $\frac{1}{2}$  fl oz=
  - 1 T
- Approximately 1/8 tsp =
  - Dash
- Less than 1/8 tsp =
  - pinch
- 1/8 c =
  - 2 T



### STANDARD U.S. MEASURING SETS

• Measuring spoons:

1/4 t, 1/2 t, 1 t, 1/2 T, 1 T



Measuring cups:



1/4 c, 1/3 c, 1/2 c, 1 c

### YIELD=SERVINGS PREPARED OR AMOUNT THE RECIPE MAKES

To adjust servings/yield:

Servings Needed
Servings in Recipe

#### **EXAMPLE**

Your recipe makes 4 servings, but you only need 2.

Servings Needed Servings in Recipe

<u>2</u>

 Reduce the fraction and multiply each ingredient by ½

#### **More Practice...**

Original Recipe=	Plan for=		
4 servings	2 servings	8 servings	6 servings
1 C flour	½ C	2 c	1 ½ C
¾ c sugar	1/4 c 2 T	1 ½ C	1 c 2 T
1 T butter	½ T	2 T	1 ½ T
1/4 t salt	1/8 t (dash)	½ t	3/8 t = 1/4 t 1 dash