

32. Correct. The answer is false.

$$1 \text{ billion metric tonnes} = \frac{1 \text{ billion metric tonnes}}{\frac{0.907 \text{ metric tonne}}{\text{short ton}}} = \frac{1 \text{ billion metric tonnes} * \text{short ton}}{0.907 \text{ metric tonne}} = 1.125 \text{ billion short tons}$$