## Unit 8 — Measurements



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### **Acronym**

an abbreviation; a way of writing a longer string of words more concisely "IT is an acronym for Information Technology."

## Bandwidth

a measurement of the capacity of data which can be moved between two points in a given period of time

"The website performed very poorly because it was graphically heavy and required more bandwidth than was available."

#### **Benchmark**

a measurement or standard that serves as a point of reference by which process performance is measured

"The magazine article used PCMark 7 scores as a benchmark for computer performance."

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