

Common tools for measuring matter include a **graduated cylinder**, a flask, balance scale, ruler, and syringe or dropper.

Every tool must be carefully cleaned after each experiment. Matter left in a tool may change the results or create stinky or harmful mixtures. Scientists usually store tools in dust-free cabinets to keep them clean.





Matter of Fact:

In experiments, tools rarely cause mistakes. What does? The person measuring! Measure with care and always wear your safety gear.

Researchers often use special strengthened glass tools that won't melt in high heat or break at low temperatures.



dropper