

# ROMAN NUMERALS: 1 - 1000

A Minimalist Reference & Conversion Guide

## PRIMARY BENCHMARKS

I  
V  
X  
L  
C  
D  
M

## CENTENNIAL MILESTONES

C  
CC  
CCC  
CD  
D  
DC  
DCC  
DCCC  
CM  
M

## NOTATION PRINCIPLES

- **Additive:** Place a smaller value after a larger value (VI = 6).
- **Subtractive:** Place a smaller value before a larger value (IV = 4, CM = 900).
- **Repetition:** A letter can be repeated up to three times (III = 3).
- **Grouping:** Break numbers into Thousands, Hundreds, Tens, and Ones (e.g., 999 = CM + XC + IX).