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## LAND MEASUREMENTS

1 Link = 7.92 Inches
1 Rod = $161 / 2$ Feet

5 ½ Yards = 25 Links
1 Chain $=66$ Feet $=4$ Rods $=100$ Links
1 Furlong $=660$ Feet $=40$ Rods
1 Mile $=8$ Furlongs $=320$ Rods $=80$ Chains $=5280$ Feet
1 Square Rod $=2721 / 4$ Sq. Feet $=301 / 4$ Sq. Yards
1 Acre $=43,560$ Square Feet
1 Acre $=160$ Square Rods
1 Acre is approximately 208 3/4 Feet Square
1 Acre is 8 Rods $\times 20$ Rods
(Or any two numbers of Rods whose product is 160)

