



GCSE Foundation/Higher 20

Shape, space and measure



Questions



79 minutes



69 marks

Mensuration

Q1. Peter and Alice buy a set of golf clubs for their mother.
They pay in the ratio 4 : 3
Peter pays £224.

How much does Alice pay?

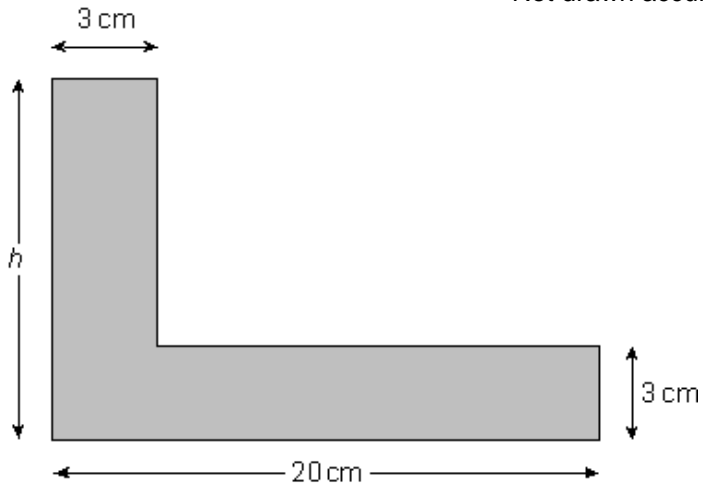
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Answer £.....

(Total 3 marks)

Q2. This L-shape has measurements as shown on the diagram.

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The perimeter of the shape is 72 cm.

Find the length marked h on the diagram.

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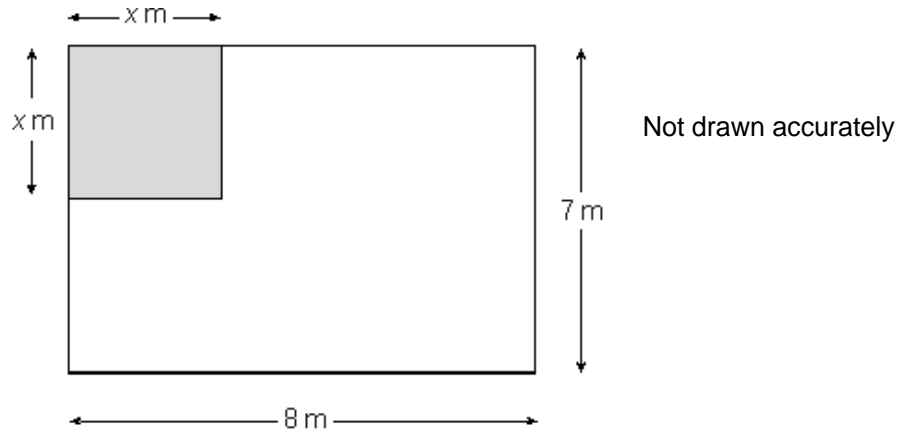
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Answer cm

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- Q3.** A rectangular carpet is 7 metres wide and 8 metres long.
A square piece of side length x metres is cut from one of the corners.



- (a) Dean works out the area of the remaining carpet in terms of x .
His answer is $56 - x^2$

Explain how Dean might have obtained his expression.

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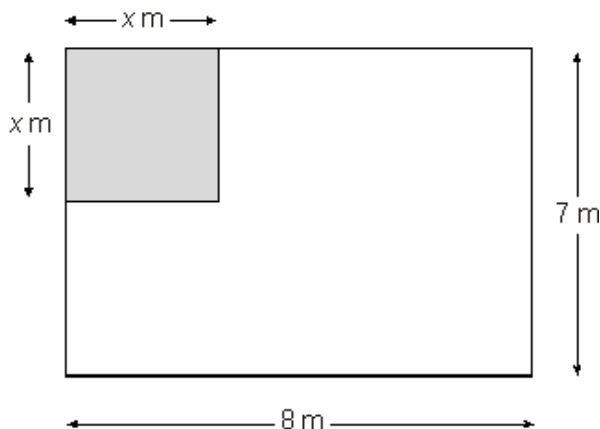
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- (b) Lucy also works out the area of the remaining carpet in terms of x .
Her answer is $x(8 - x) + 8(7 - x)$

Use the diagram below to show how Lucy might have obtained her expression.

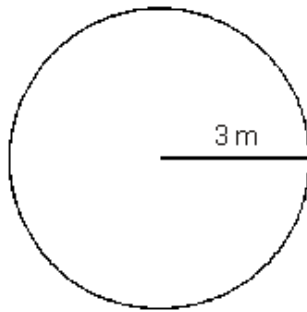
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- Q4.** (a) The diagram shows a circle of radius three metres.



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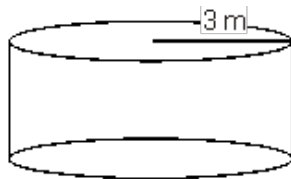
Work out the area of the circle.
Give your answer in terms of π .

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Answer m^2

(2)

- (b) The diagram shows a cylindrical water tank.
The cross-section of the tank is a circle of radius three metres.
The depth of water in the tank is 0.5 metres.



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Calculate the volume of water in the tank.
Give your answer in terms of π .

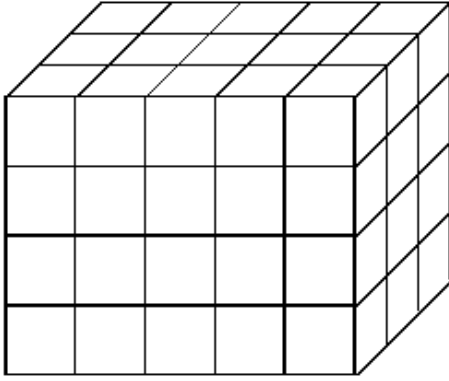
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Answer m^3

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Q5. This cuboid is made from centimetre cubes.

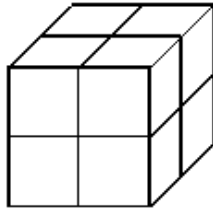


- (a) Explain why the total number of cubes needed to make this cuboid is 60.

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- (b) The 60 centimetre cubes are separated.
They are then used to make cubes, 2 cm by 2 cm by 2 cm.



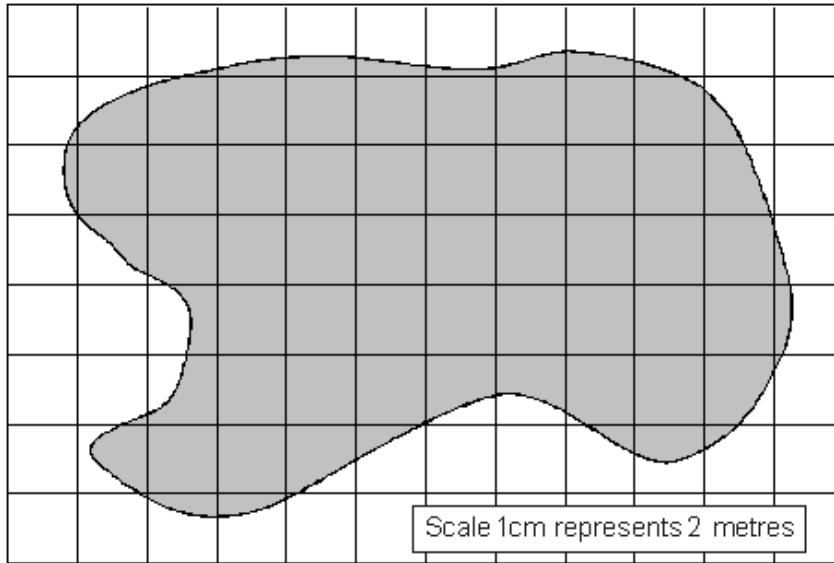
How many of these complete cubes can be made?

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Answer

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(Total 3 marks)

Q6. The diagram shows the plan view of a landfill site on a centimetre grid.



- (a) Estimate the number of shaded squares in the diagram.
You **must** show your working.

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Answer

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- (b) A landscape gardener is going to cover the site with turf (grass).

The table shows the cost of turf for different areas (m²).

Area of turf (m ²)	Cost per square metre
40 - 59	£2.83
60 - 130	£2.33
131 - 240	£2.03
241 - 480	£1.78
481 - 640	£1.53
641 - 960	£1.40
961 - 1440	£1.23

On the diagram one square represents 4m².

The landscape gardener must buy enough turf to cover the landfill site.

Work out how much he has to pay.

You **must** show your working.

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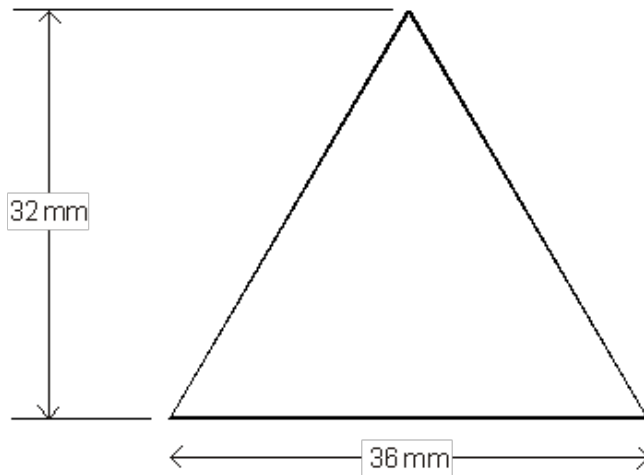
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Answer £

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(Total 5 marks)

Q7. The base of a triangle is 36 mm.

The height of the triangle is 32 mm.



Not drawn accurately

(a) Work out the area of the triangle.

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Answer mm²

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(b) The dimensions of the triangle are given to the nearest millimetre.

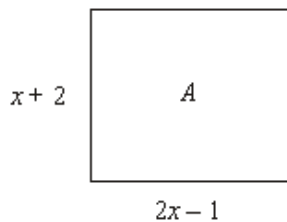
Write down the least possible length of the base of the triangle.

Answer mm

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(Total 3 marks)

Q8. Rectangle *A* has length $(2x - 1)$ cm and width $(x + 2)$ cm.



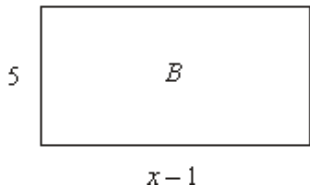
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- (a) Show that the perimeter of rectangle A is $(6x + 2)$ cm.

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- (b) Rectangle B has length $(x - 1)$ cm and width 5 cm.



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The perimeter of rectangle A is equal to the perimeter of rectangle B.
 Write down and solve an equation in x .

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Answer $x =$

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- (c) Find the **area** of rectangle A.

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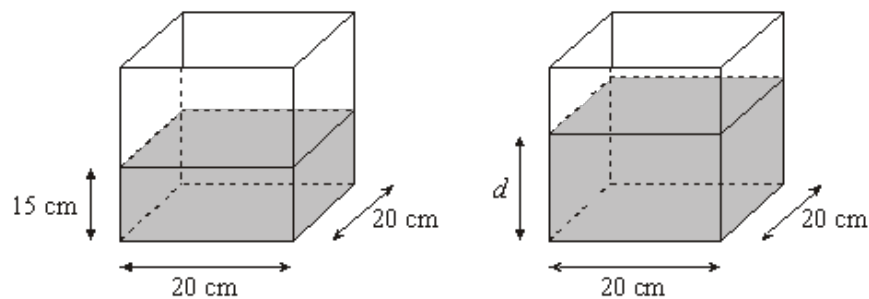
Answer cm^2

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(Total 7 marks)

- Q9.** A water container is in the shape of a cuboid.
 Its base is 20 cm by 20 cm and the depth of the water in the container is 15 cm.
 Tony adds 1000 cm³ of water to the container.

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Calculate the new depth, d , of the water, in centimetres.

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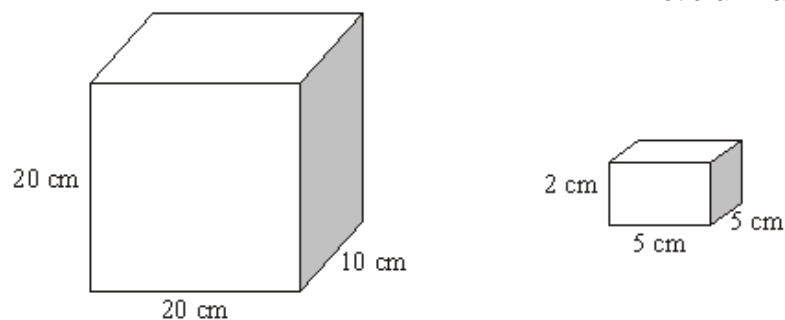
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Answer cm

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- Q10.** The diagram shows two boxes that are cuboids.
 The larger box measures 20 cm by 10 cm by 20 cm.
 It is partly filled with 70 smaller boxes each measuring 5 cm by 5 cm by 2 cm.
 The smaller boxes are packed so that there are no gaps between them.

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How many more smaller boxes could be fitted in the larger box?

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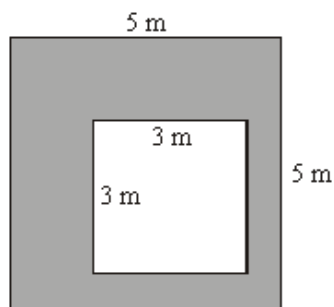
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Q11. What percentage of this shape is shaded?



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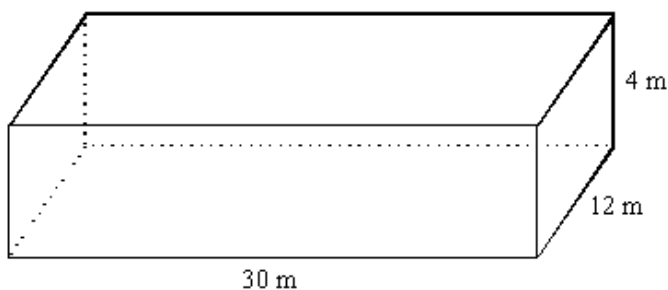
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Answer %

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Q12. A school hall is in the shape of a cuboid.



Not to scale

- (a) The school hall is 30 m long, 12 m wide and 4 m high.
Calculate the volume of the hall.

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Answer m^3

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- (b) The school buys **ten** 5 litre tins of paint to paint the hall.
 The area to be painted is 279 m^2 .
 Each tin covers 30 m^2 .
 Calculate the percentage of paint used.

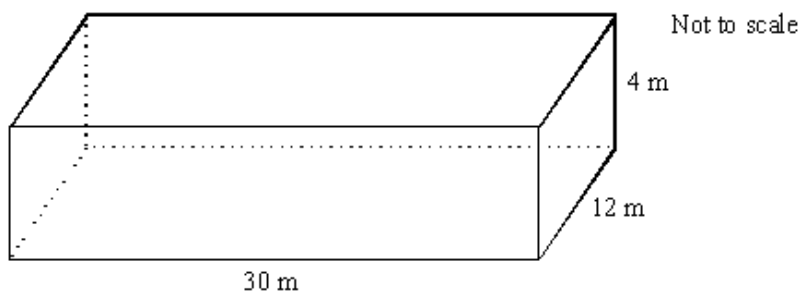
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Answer %

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(Total 5 marks)

Q13. A school hall is in the shape of a cuboid.



- (a) The school hall is 30 m long, 12 m wide and 4 m high.

- (i) Calculate the volume of the hall.

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Answer m^3

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- (ii) Calculate the total area of the **four walls** of the hall.

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Answer m^2

(3)

- (b) The school buys **ten** 5 litre tins of paint to paint the hall.

The area to be painted is 279 m^2 .

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Calculate the percentage of paint used.

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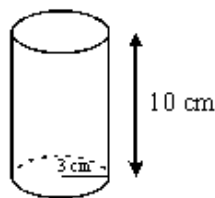
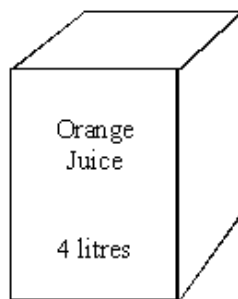
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Answer %

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(Total 8 marks)

- Q14.** A large carton contains 4 litres of orange juice.
Cylindrical glasses of height 10 cm and radius 3 cm are to be filled from the carton.



How many glasses can be filled?
 You **must** show all your working.

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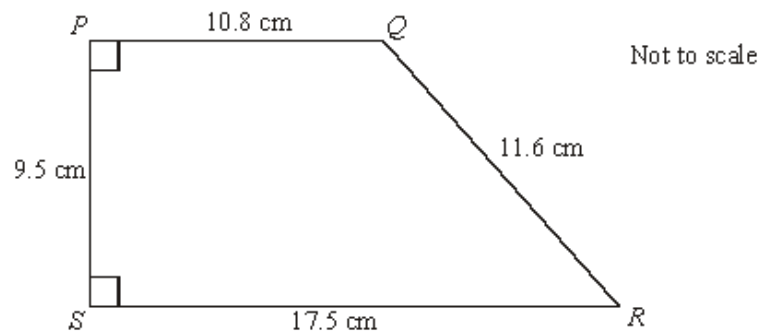
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Answer glasses

(Total 5 marks)

- Q15.** In the diagram below, $PQ = 10.8$ cm, $QR = 11.6$ cm, $RS = 17.5$ cm and $PS = 9.5$ cm.
 The angles at P and S are 90°



Calculate the area of $PQRS$.

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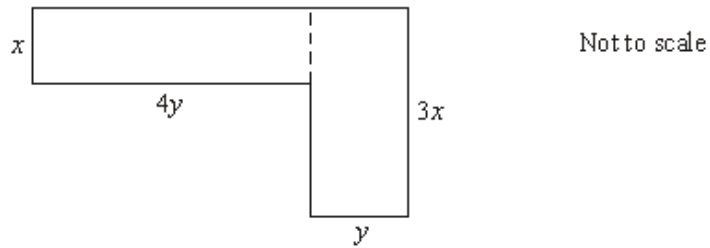
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Answer cm^2

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Q16. This shape is made up of rectangles.



- (a) Write down an expression, in terms of x and y , for the **perimeter** of the shape.

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Answer

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- (b) If $x = 2$ cm and $y = 5$ cm, find the **area** of the shape.

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Answer cm^2

(2)

(Total 4 marks)

