

Surface Area
Worksheet

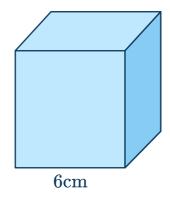
Geometry

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Skill Questions

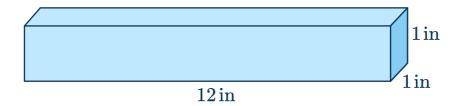
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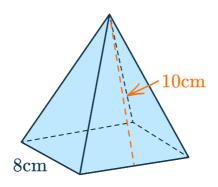


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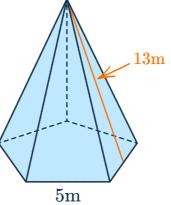
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3 Find the surface area of the pyramid with the square base.



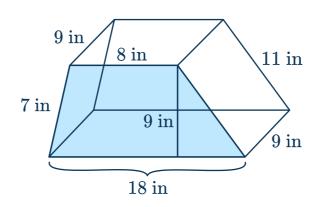
Answer

Find the surface area of the pentagonal pyramid where the area of the base is $65.2 \, m^2$.



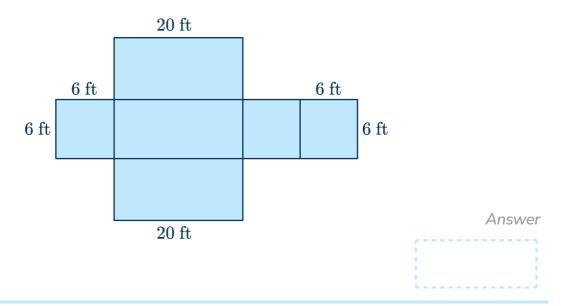
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5 Find the surface area of the trapezoidal prism.

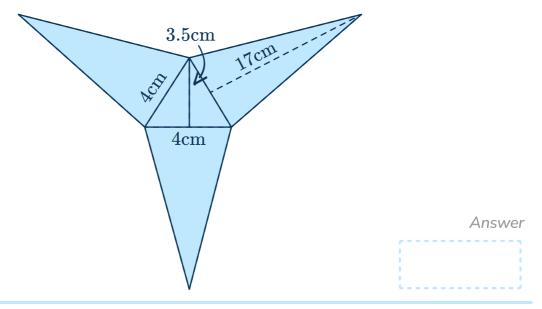


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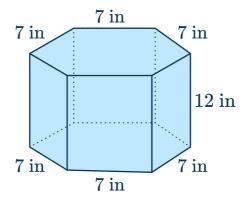
6 Here is the net of a rectangular prism. Find the surface area.



7 Here is the net of a triangular pyramid. Find the surface area.



8 Find the lateral area of the hexagonal prism.

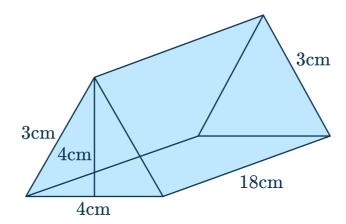


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9 Find the surface area of a cube with a 1 inch edge length.

Answer

10 Find the surface area of the triangular prism.

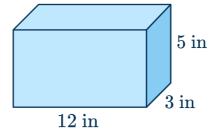


Applied Questions

11 If the surface area of a cube is $96 ft^2$. Find the edge length of the cube.

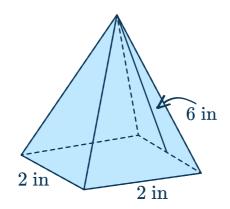


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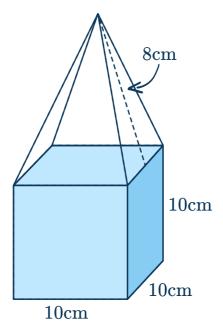


Answer

Stella is working on an art project for school. She created a paper mache square pyramid. If one pint of paint costs \$10.24 and covers 7 square inches. How many pints does she need to buy, and how much will it cost?

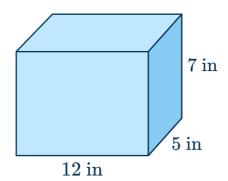


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Question number	Question	Answers	Standard
1	Find the surface area of the cube with side length 6 cm.	$Area~of~one~side=36cm^2$ There are 6 equal sides. So the surface area = $6 imes 36 = 216cm^2$	6.G.A.4
2	Find the surface area of the rectangular prism. 1 in 12 in	Area of the top: $12 \times 1 = 12$ Area of the bottom is equal to the top area so, $2 \times 12 = 24in^2$ Area of the front: $12 \times 1 = 12$ Area of the back is equal to the front so, $2 \times 12 = 24in^2$ Area of the right: $1 \times 1 = 1$ Area of the left is equal to the right so, $2 \times 1 = 2in^2$ Sum the areas: $24 + 24 + 2$ Surface area: $50 in^2$	6.G.A.4

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3	Find the surface area of the pyramid with the square base.	The pyramid has four equal triangular sides. The area of one of the sides is: $A = \frac{1}{2}(8)(10)$ $A = 40cm^2$ Area of all four sides: $4 \times 40 = 160cm^2$ Area of the square base: $8 \times 8 = 64cm^2$ Surface area: $160 + 64 = 224cm^2$ Surface area of pyramid: $224cm^2$	6.G.A.4
4	Find the surface area of the pentagonal pyramid where the area of the base is $65.2m^2$.	Each of the triangular sides are equal. The area of one of the triangular sides is: $A = \frac{1}{2} \times 13 \times 5$ $A = 32.5m^2$ There are 5 sides, so the area of all of the sides is: $32.5 \times 5 = 162.5m^2$ Surface area: sum the area of the sides and the area of the base. $65.2 + 162.5 = 227.7m^2$ Surface area: 227.7 m^2	6.G.A.4

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5	Find the surface area of the trapezoidal prism. 9 in 8 in 11 in 9 in 18 in	Front and back: $A = \frac{1}{2} \times 9(8+18)$ $A = 117$ $2 \times 117 = 234in^2$ Bottom: $18 \times 9 = 162in^2$ Top: $9 \times 8 = 72in^2$ Right side: $9 \times 11 = 99in^2$ Left side: $9 \times 7 = 63in^2$ Surface area: $234 + 162 + 72 + 99 + 63 = 630$ Surface area: $630in^2$	6.G.A.4
6	Here is the net of a rectangular prism. Find the surface area. 20 ft 6 ft 6 ft 20 ft	There are 3 rectangular sides that are equal. $A=20\times 6=120ft^2$ $3\times 120=360ft^2$ There are 3 square sides that are equal. $A=6\times 6=36ft^2$ $3\times 36=108ft^2$ Surface area: $360+108=468ft^2$	6.G.A.4

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7	Here is the net of a triangular pyramid. Find the surface area.	Area of the base: $A=\frac{1}{2}(4)(3.5)$ $A=7cm^2$ Each of the triangular sides are equal. The area of one of them: $A=\frac{1}{2}(4)(17)$ $A=34cm^2$ $3\times 34=102cm^2$ Surface area: $7+102=109cm^2$	6.G.A.4
8	Find the lateral area of the hexagonal prism. 7 in 7 in 7 in 12 in	Lateral area is the area of the sides. The sides are equal rectangles. The area of one of the sides is: $7 \times 12 = 84in^2$ There are 6 sides. $6 \times 84 = 504in^2$	6.G.A.4
9	Find the surface area of a cube with a 1 inch edge length.	Area of one side: 1×1 = 1 Surface area: $6 \times 1 = 6in^2$	6.G.A.4

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10	Find the surface area of the triangular prism. 3cm 4cm 18cm	All three sides are rectangles. Area of bottom: $4 \times 18 = 72cm^2$ Area of the other 2 rectangular sides: $3 \times 18 = 54cm^2$ $2 \times 54 = 108cm^2$ Triangular bases: $Area = \frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times 4$ $Area = 8cm^2$ $2 \times 8 = 16cm^2$ Surface area: $72 + 108 + 16 = 196 \ cm^2$	6.G.A.4
11	If the surface area of a cube is $96ft^2$. Find the edge length of the cube.	$96 \div 6 = 16$ The area of one of the square sides is $16ft^2$. So, the edge length is $4ft$.	6.G.A.4

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12	Damian built a wooden box with no top in woodshop. He wants to find the surface area of the wooden box in order to paint it. What is the surface area? 5 in 12 in	The surface area includes 5 sides not 6 because the box does not have a top. Area of bottom: $12 \times 3 = 36 in^2$ Area of front and back: $12 \times 5 = 60 in^2$ ($2 \times 60 = 120 in^2$) Area of right and left: $5 \times 3 = 15 in^2$ ($2 \times 15 = 30 in^2$) Surface area: $36 + 120 + 30 = 186 in^2$	6.G.A.4
13	Stella is working on an art project for school. She created a paper mache square pyramid. If one pint of paint costs \$10.24 and covers 7 square inches. How many pints does she need to buy, and how much will it cost?	Surface area of the pyramid is: Square base: $2 \times 2 = 4$ Area of the triangular sides: $\frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times 6 = 6$ $4 \times 6 = 24$ Surface area: $24 + 4 = 28in^2$ If one pint covers 7 square inches, then $28 \div 7 = 4$ Stella needs 4 cans. Cost: $10.24 \times 4 = 40.96 Stella needs 4 cans, and it will cost her \$40.96.	6.G.A.4

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14	Find the total surface area: 8cm 10cm	Four triangular sides of the top pyramid: $Area = \frac{1}{2}(10)(8)$ $Area = 40cm^2$ $4 \times 40 = 160cm^2$ The 5 square sides of the bottom prism: 10 x $10 = 100 \ cm^2$ $5 \times 100 = 500 \ cm^2$ Total surface area: $500 + 160 = 660 \ cm^2$	6.G.A.4
15	Will a rectangular piece of wrapping paper that is 36 inches by 20 inches be large enough to wrap a box that has the dimensions below. 7 in 12 in	The area of the rectangular piece of wrapping paper: $36 \times 20 = 720 in^2$ Area of the bottom and the top: $12 \times 5 = 60$ $2 \times 60 = 120 in^2$ Area of the right and left: $7 \times 5 = 35$ $2 \times 35 = 70 in^2$ Area of front and back: $12 \times 7 = 84$ $2 \times 84 = 168$ Surface area: $120 + 70 + 168 = 358$ in^2 The wrapping paper will cover the box because the area of the wrapping paper is greater than the box.	6.G.A.4

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