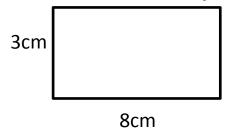
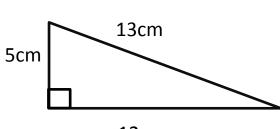
# Level 3: Area, Perimeter and Volume

### 1) Calcuate the area of a square or rectangle



A = length x breadth  
= 
$$8 \times 3$$
  
=  $24 \text{cm}^2$ 

### 2) Calculate the area of a triangle



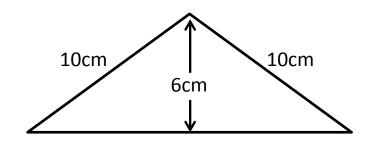
12cm

Area = ½ base x height

 $= \frac{1}{2} 12 \times 5$ 

 $= \frac{1}{2}$  of 60

 $= 30 cm^{2}$ 



16cm

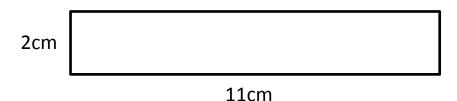
Area = ½ base x height

 $= \frac{1}{2} 16 \times 6$ 

 $= \frac{1}{2}$  of 96

 $= 48 cm^{2}$ 

#### 3) Calculate the perimeter of a straight sided shape



Perimeter of rectangle = 2 + 11 + 2 + 11 = 26cm

#### 4) Convert between metric units

Remember:-

10mm = 1cm

100cm = 1m

1000m = 1km

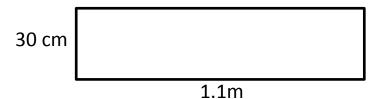
Be able to work out:-

37mm = 3.7cm

1.2m = 120 cm

400m = 0.4km etc.

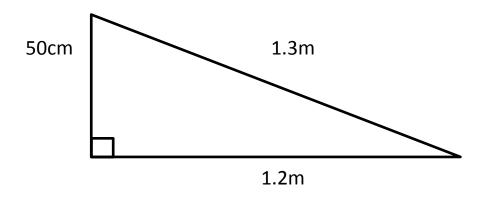
# 5) Calculate area of a shape given lengths in different units



$$1.1m = 110 cm$$

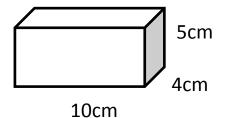
Area = 
$$1 \times b$$
  
= 110 x 30  
= 3300cm<sup>2</sup>

# 6) Calculate the perimeter of a shape given lengths in different units



$$50cm = 0.5m$$
  
Perimeter =  $1.3 + 1.2 + 0.5 = 3.0m$ 

# 7) Calculate the volume of a cuboid



V = length x breadth x height  
= 
$$10 \times 4 \times 5$$
  
=  $200 \text{cm}^3$ 

### 8) Success Criteria for area and volume calculations

- Identify relevant information in the question
- Decide which formula is needed to solve this problem
- Write out the formula then the calculation to be carried out
- Calculate the answer and write it down
- Remember to write down the correct units

#### 9) Solve problems by finding area, volume or perimeter

- a) Charlie has £500 to spend on a new carpet for his lounge. His lounge 6m long and 4m wide. Charlie has seen a carpet he likes but it costs £24.99 per m<sup>2</sup>. Can he afford this carpet?
- b) A farmer has two fields which need the fences replaced. The Long Field is a rectangle 385m long and 90m wide. The Square Field is a square side 270m. If the farmer has 1km of fencing available, which field's fence should he replace?
- c) A swimming pool is a cuboid 10m long, 5m wide and 2m deep. It has been emptied for cleaning. If it takes 50 minutes to add 1m<sup>3</sup> of water to the pool, can the pool be re-filled in 3 days?

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