

# Knowledge organiser: 3D Shape, Plans & Elevations

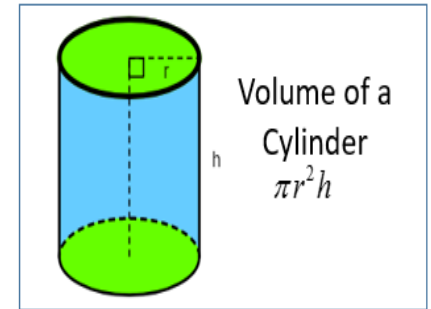
## Key Terms

Volume	Space inside a 3D shape
Surface Area	Total area of all faces of a 3D shape
Sphere	A ball shape
Prism	A 3D shape with the same cross section throughout its length
Plan	Birds eye view of a shape
Elevation	A view of a shape

## 3D shapes



**Why learn this?**  
Packaging designers design nets to make up boxes to the shapes they want.



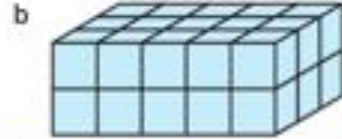
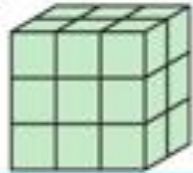
A net is a 2D shape that folds to make a 3D solid.

## Volume of cubes and cuboids

### Key point

The **volume** of a solid shape is the amount of 3D space it takes up. The units of volume are **cubic units** (e.g. mm<sup>3</sup>, cm<sup>3</sup> or m<sup>3</sup>).

Work out the volume of each cuboid.



### Key point

**volume of a cube** = (side length)<sup>3</sup> which can be written as  $V = l^3$

Count the number of cubes on the top layer, then multiply by the number of layers.

### Key point

**volume of a cuboid** = length × width × height which can be written as  $V = lwh$

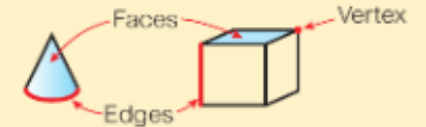
### Key point

You need to convert lengths into the same units before calculating areas or volumes.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \times 1000 & 1\text{ ml} = 1\text{ cm}^3 & \\ & \downarrow & \\ & 1\text{ l} = 1000\text{ cm}^3 & \end{array}$$

### Key point

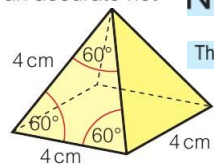
A 3D solid has **faces**, **edges** and **vertices**. Faces and edges can be flat or curved.



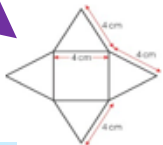
**Vertices** is the plural of **vertex**.

Draw an accurate net

## Nets of 3D solids



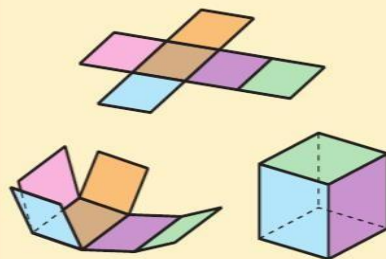
The base of the pyramid is a square.



Use a protractor to draw angles.

### Key point

A **net** is a 2D shape that folds up to make a 3D solid.



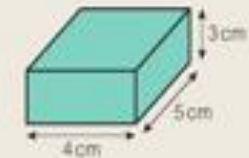
### Key point

The **surface area** of a 3D shape is the total area of all its faces. You can draw a net to help you find the surface area.

## Surface area of cubes and cuboids

### Worked example

Calculate the surface area of this cuboid.



$$\begin{aligned} \text{surface area} &= 2(4 \times 5) + 2(4 \times 3) + 2(5 \times 3) \\ &= 2 \times 20 + 2 \times 12 + 2 \times 15 \\ &= 40 + 24 + 30 \\ &= 94\text{ cm}^2 \end{aligned}$$

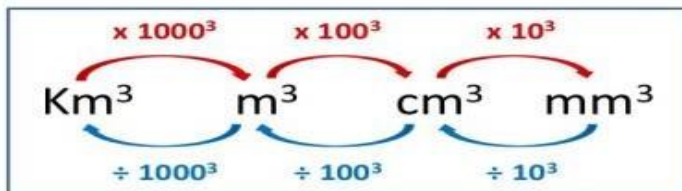
There are two of each size face: top and bottom, front and back, left and right sides.

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## Converting VOLUME Units

VOLUME is how much 3D space is occupied, and is measured in cubes.

VOLUME consists of Cube Units, so we need to CUBE all our Lengths.



VOLUME conversions use powers of 3, and usually create very large results.

$$3\text{m}^3 = ? \text{cm}^3 \quad \text{Need to } \times 100^3 \quad 3 \times 100 \times 100 \times 100 = 3\,000\,000 \text{cm}^3 \checkmark$$

### Next Steps

Rearrange the formula given the volume

## Plans and elevations

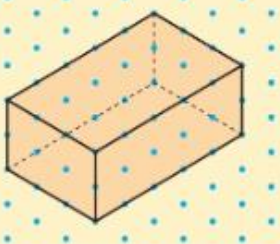
A plan is like the birds eye view of the shape.

The front is the view as if someone was stood in front of the shape and the side is the view from the side.

The plan, front and side should always be drawn in 2D. If the shape is made from cubes, it must have the correct number of squares in the diagram.

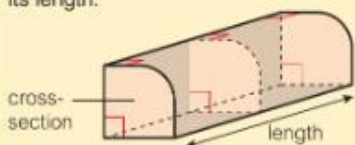
### Key point

3D solids can be drawn on **isometric paper**. This cuboid is 3 units wide, 5 units long and 2 units high.



### Key point

A **prism** is a solid shape that has the same **cross-section** throughout its length.



The cross-section can be any flat shape. It is perpendicular to the length of the solid.

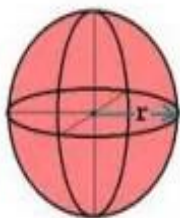
## Year 11 Foundation – 3D shape

Plans and elevations

Volume of sphere, cone and composite shapes

Convert between units of volume.

$$\text{Volume of a Sphere} = \left(\frac{4}{3}\right) \times \pi \times r^3$$



$$\pi = 3.14$$

$$r = \text{radius}$$

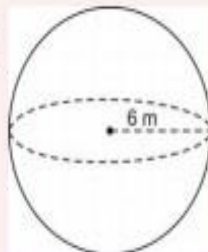
## Volume of a sphere

Using the formula above, you just have to substitute in the radius. For example;

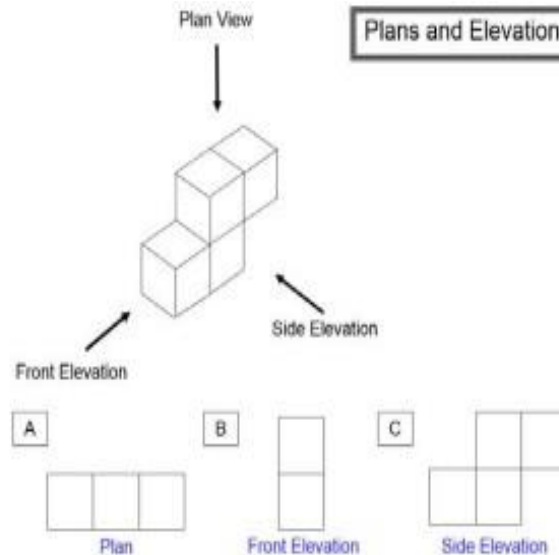
$$\left(\frac{4}{3}\right) \times \pi \times (6)^3 =$$

$$\frac{4}{3} \times \pi \times 216 = 904.78\text{m}^3$$

You will be given this Formula in the exam.



## Plans and Elevations



## Volume of a Cone

The volume of a cone is given by the following formula:

$$V = \frac{Ah}{3}$$

$$= \frac{\pi r^2 h}{3}$$



Where  $r$  is the radius of the base and  $h$  is the perpendicular height of the cone.

Volume = the area of the circle  $\times$  perpendicular height / 3.

E.g.

$$\frac{5^2 \times \pi \times 15}{3} = 392.7$$

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