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Course Objective and Outcome

Course Objectives

- To introduce fundamental principles of major engineering disciplines.
- To create awareness of interdisciplinary engineering systems and their applications

Course Outcomes

At the end of the course students will be able to

1. Analyse the electrical circuits, electrical motors and the role of power electronics in industrial applications.
2. Acquire foundational knowledge of electronic devices and communication systems.
3. Apply BIS standards to create basic 2D and 3D representations of engineering components.
4. Explain the fundamental principles and applications of manufacturing processes, energy conversion systems, and mechanical automation technologies.
5. Analyze real-world examples where bio-inspired solutions have led to breakthroughs in engineering.



Syllabus

Module:1	Principles of Electrical Engineering: Circuits and Power conversion equipment	12 hours
Electric circuit components, Mesh current analysis, Node voltage analysis, Thevenin's and Superposition theorems, Single phase AC circuits- RL, RC, RLC, Power and Energy Calculations, Power Factor, Basics of Electrical Safety and Earthing. Introduction to electro mechanical energy conversion, principle of operation of Electrical Machines - DC Motor, Induction motors, BLDC Motor and single phase Transformer, Concepts of Power Electronics and Industrial Applications of Electrical Drives (Qualitative Analysis)		
Module:2	Foundations of Electronics and Communication systems: Devices, Circuits, and Systems	8 hours
Characteristics of PN Junction Diode, Zener Diode, BJT and MOSFET. Rectifiers and Voltage Regulators. Introduction to Operational Amplifiers. Electromagnetic Spectrum. Elements of Communication Systems. Overview of cellular communication. Fundamentals of Satellite Communication and Radar.		



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Module:3	Engineering Graphics and CAD	9 hours
Introduction to Engineering Drawing – Importance and scope of engineering graphics, BIS standards for lines, lettering and dimensioning. Orthographic Projections – Principles of projection, first angle and third angle projections. Introduction to Projection of Solids- Isometric Projections and perspective projections. Freehand Sketching – Sketching of simple machine components and objects. Drawing of a simple residential floor plan as per IS SP7, Introduction to CAD.		
Module:4	Manufacturing Processs, Energy conversions and Mechanical Automation	9 hours
Basic Metal Casting, Forming, Joining and Cutting Processes - Introduction to CNC Machining. Additive Manufacturing (3D Printing): Principles and Applications. Fundamentals of Thermal engineering systems, Internal Combustion Engine. Introduction to Power Plants. Introduction to Refrigeration and Air Conditioning. Basics of Fuel Cells and Sustainable Energy Technologies. Introduction to Mechanisms - Four-bar mechanism and its inversions- Hexapod mechanisms. Mechanical Components and Motion Control in mechanical systems. Introduction to Robotics and Automation – Pneumatic and hydraulic actuators.		



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Module:5	Bio-Inspired Design in Engineering	5 hours
Introduction to Biomimicry- Core principles. Case Studies Across Disciplines: Velcro inspired by burrs, self-healing materials based on skin regeneration -Termite mound-inspired ventilation systems in green buildings-Insect-inspired drones and soft robotics-Neural networks based on the human brain -Identify a problem and brainstorm a bio-inspired solution.		
Module: 6	Contemporary Topics	2 hours
Lectures by Industry or Research experts		
	Total Lecture hours:	45 hours
Text Book(s)		
1.	Allan R. Hambley, “Electrical Engineering -Principles & Applications”, 2019, 6th Edition, Pearson Education	
2	R.L. Boylestad and L. Nashelsky, “Electronic Devices and circuit theory”, 11 th Edition, person Publications	
3	Louis E Frenzel Jr, “Principles of Electronics Communication Systems”, 2016, McGraw Hill Eduation.	
4	Bhatt N. D., Engineering Drawing, Charotar Publishing House Pvt. Ltd, 2019.	



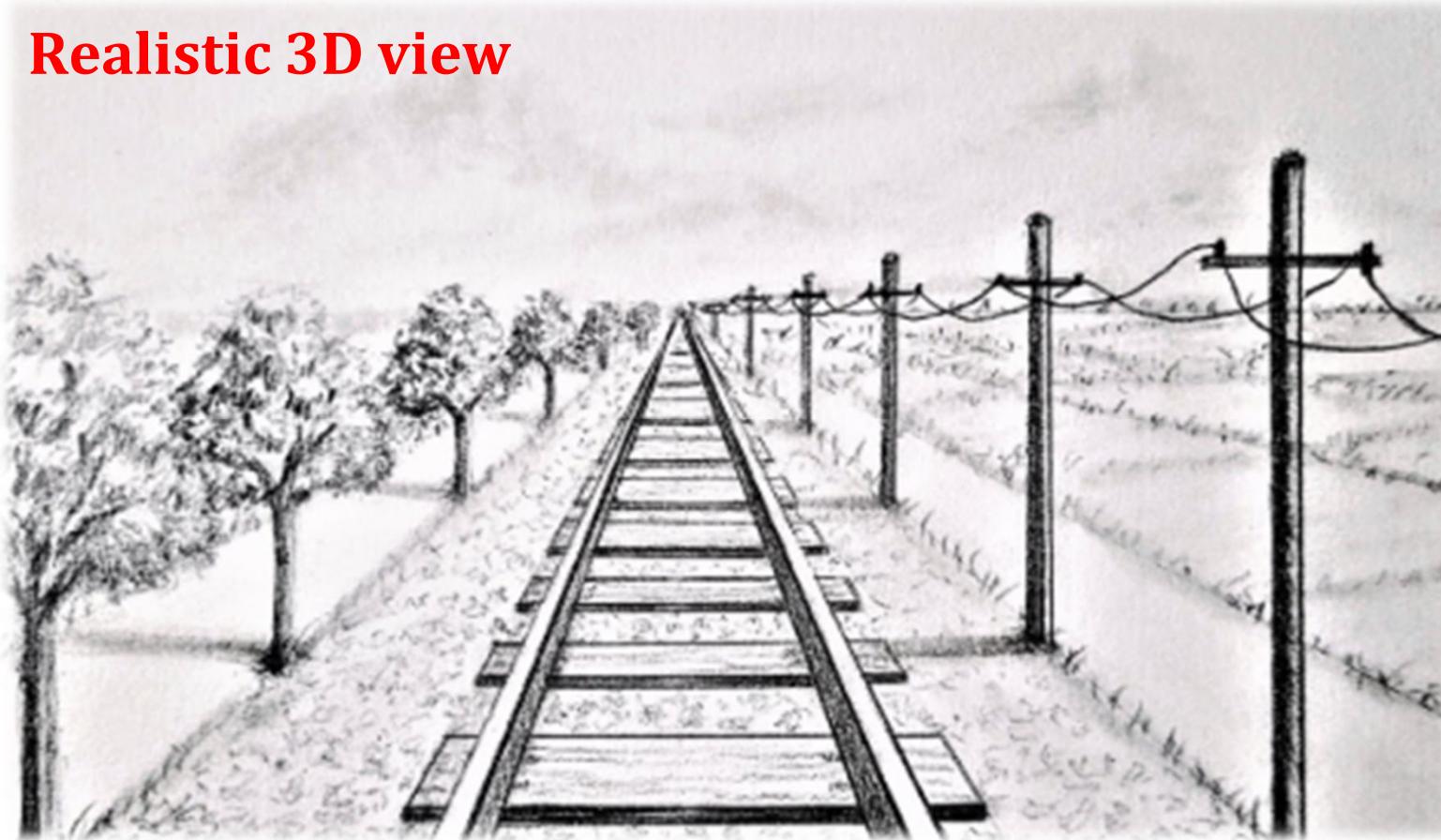
Evaluation Pattern

Assessment	Marks
Continuous Assessment Test 1	15
Continuous Assessment Test 2	15
Digital Assignments (3)	30
Final Assessment Test	40

Is this a Technical Drawing?

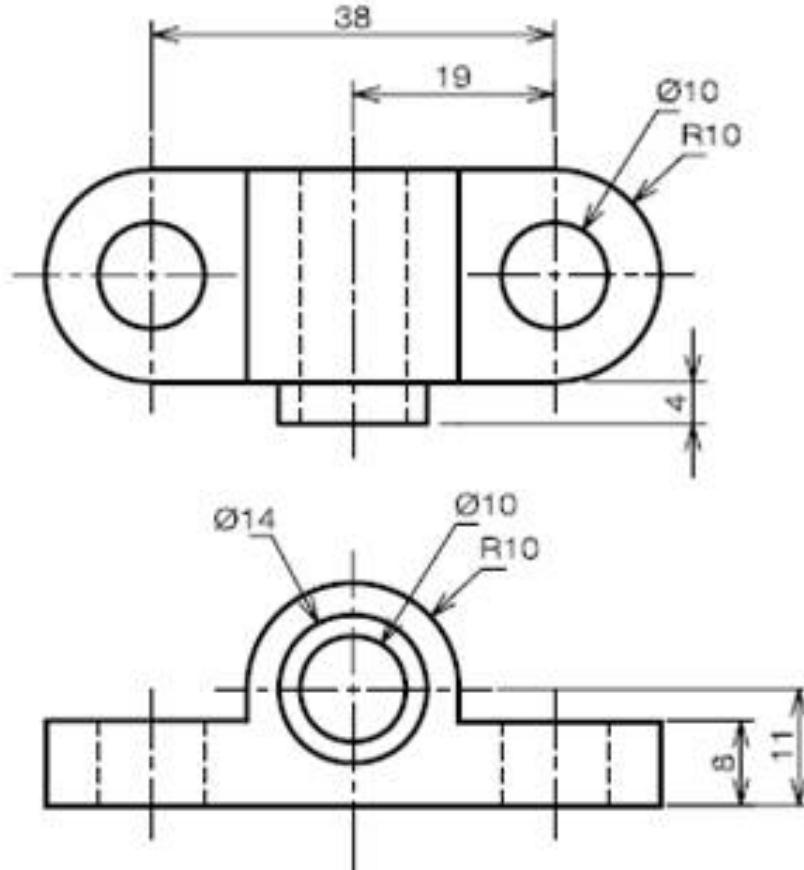
- ❖ This picture doesn't preserve true measurements and shapes. This type of projections are often used where visual appeal is important.

Realistic 3D view



What is Engineering Drawing?

- Engineering drawing is a type of technical drawing that engineers **use to communicate design ideas and technical information about a product or structure.**



Engineering Drawing - Why? (Language of Engineers)

- All Engineered components worldwide rely on Engineering drawings to translate design concepts into manufacturable products.
- An Engineering drawing is essential for the fabrication of any component, as it provides comprehensive visual information, including geometry, dimensions, tolerances, and other critical specifications.
- The process of representing a three-dimensional object through multiple two-dimensional views—typically the front, top, and side—is known as *orthographic projection*.

Applications of Engineering Drawing

- Engineering drawings are essential across all manufacturing processes to ensure components are produced within specified dimensions and tolerances.

From small scale to larger scale products

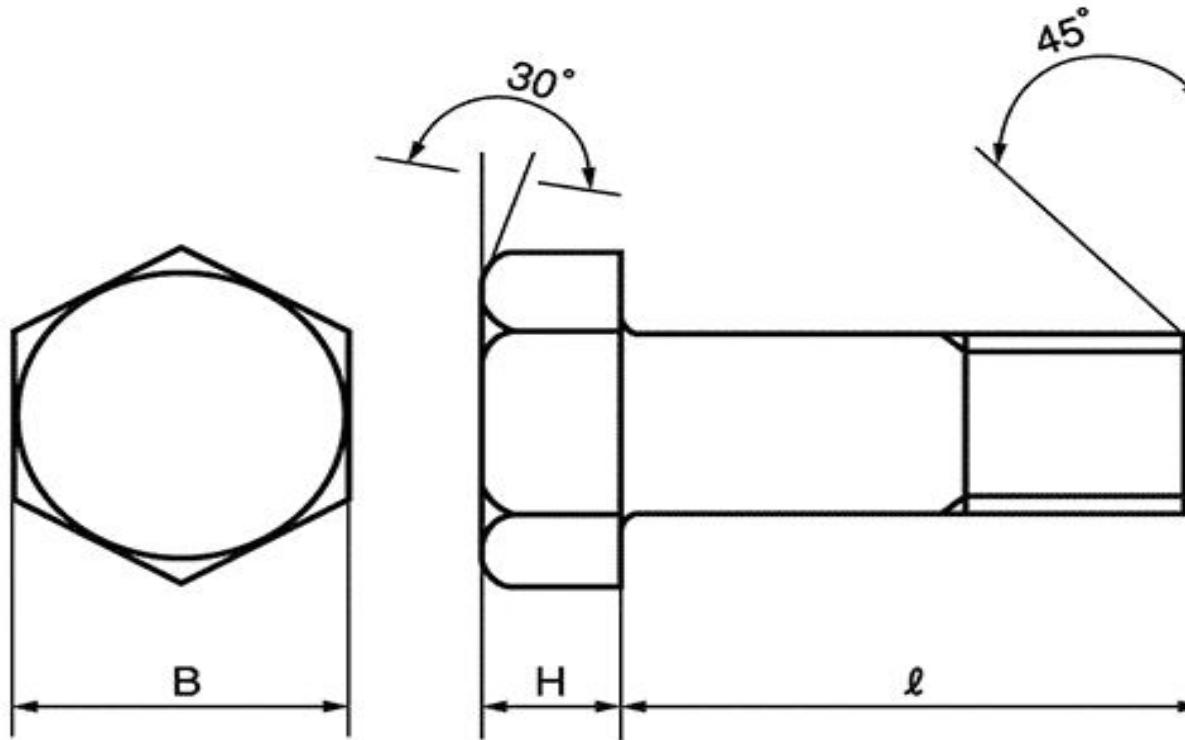


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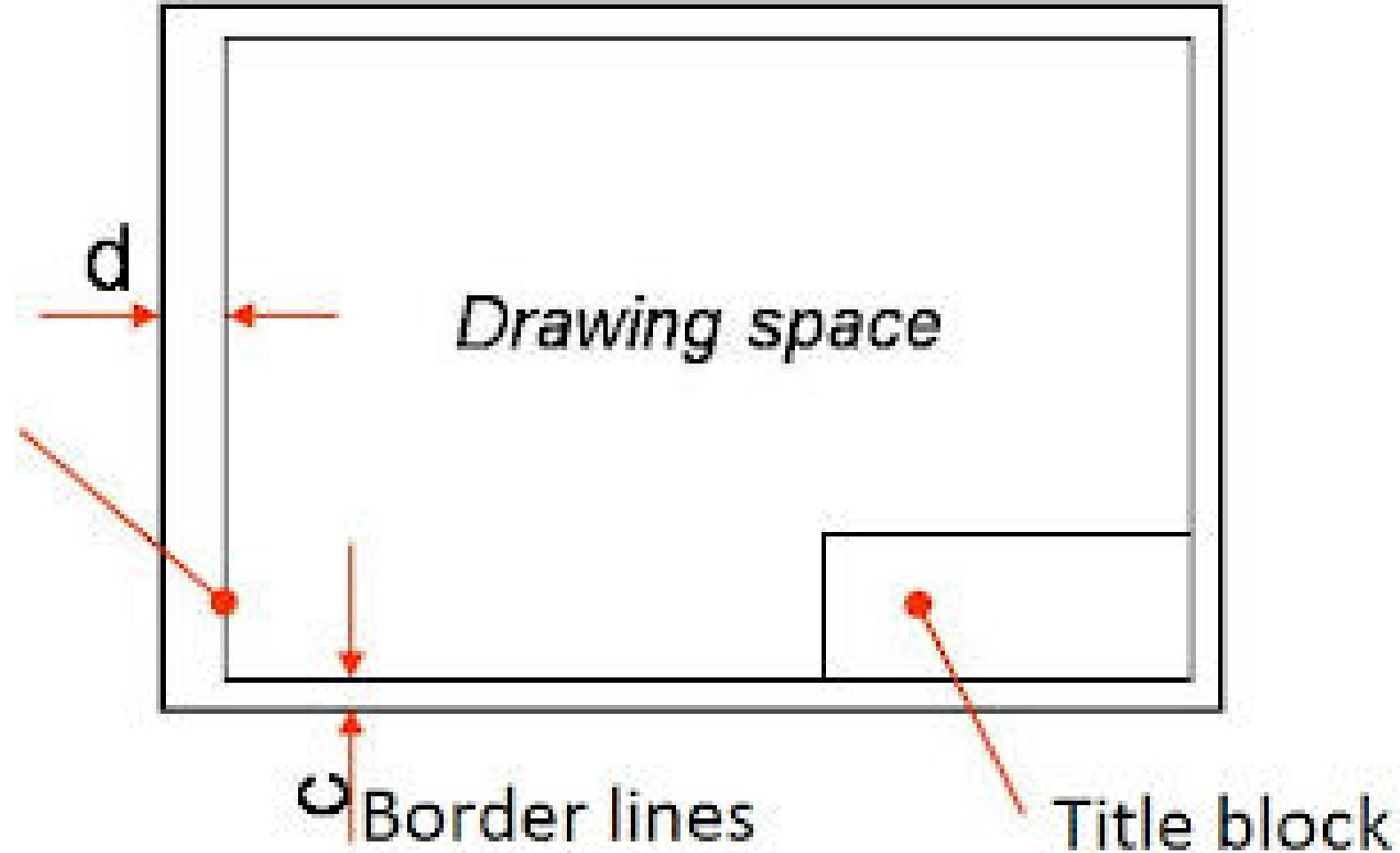
Engineering Drawing - Example



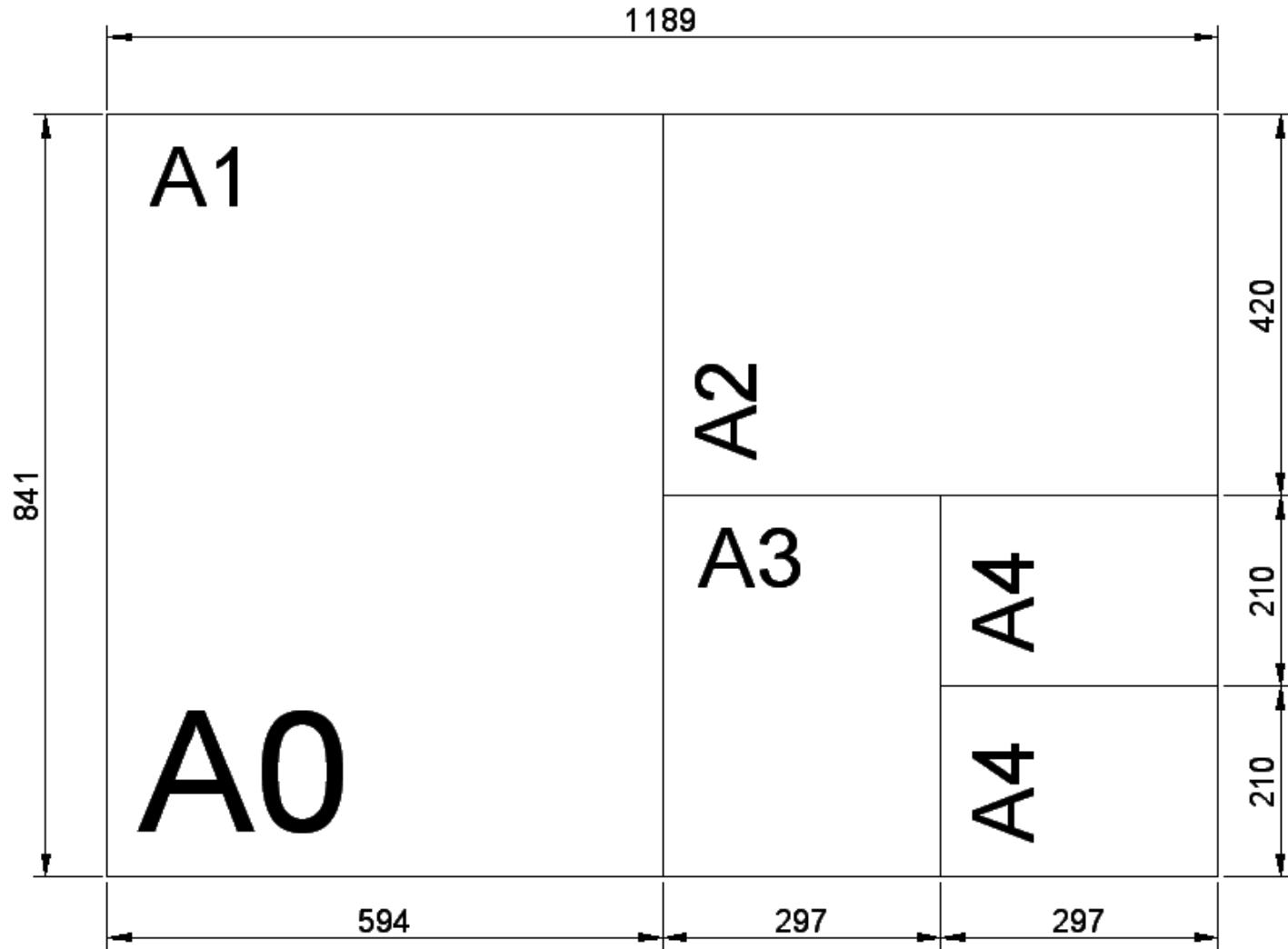
Nominal Diameter	M20
$B \times H$	30×13
Pitch	2.5
Threaded Portion	50



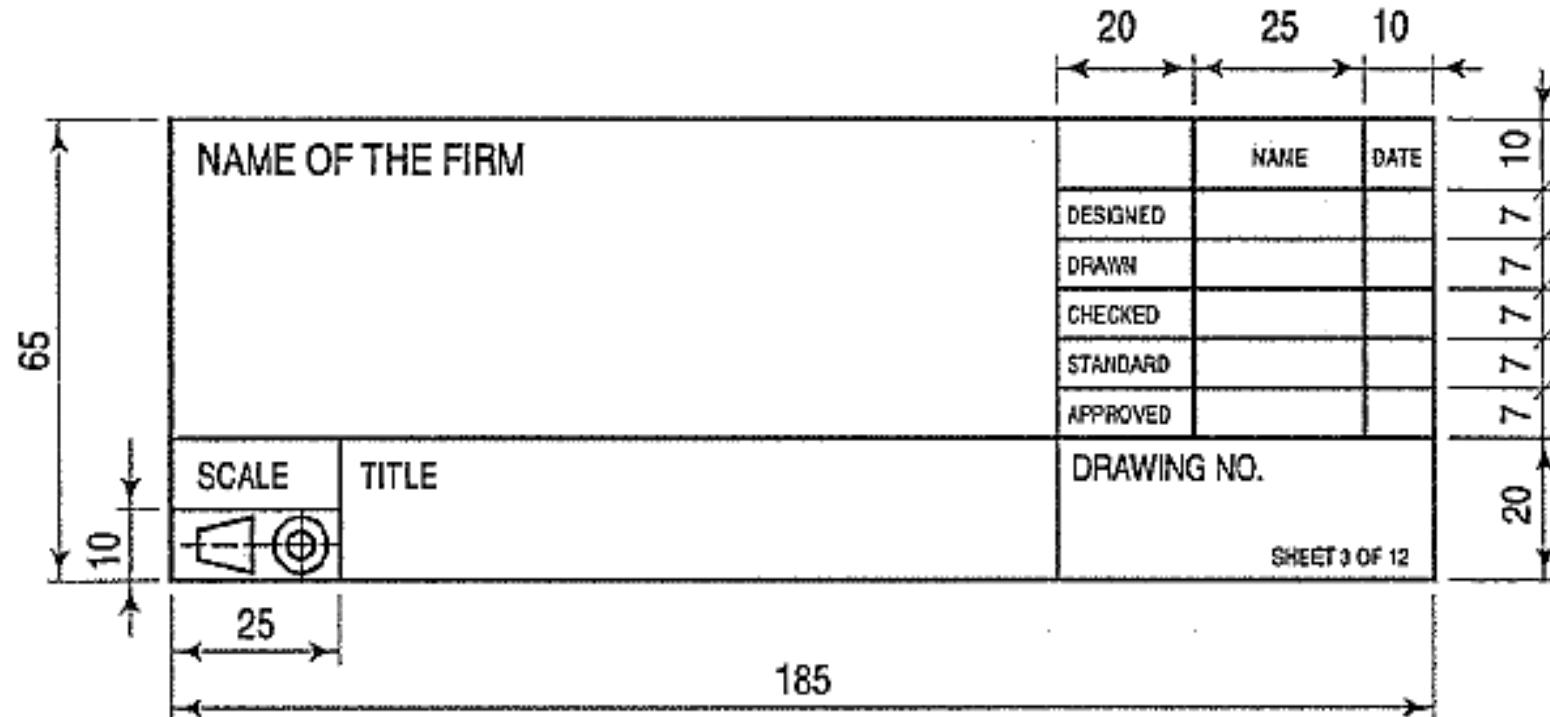
Drawing Sheet - Layout



Standard sizes of Drawing sheets as per BIS



Title Block Details



Key Functions of a Title Block:

- Identifies the drawing (title, number, revision)
- Shows ownership (company name, designer, approver)
- Provides scale and projection method
- Tracks revisions and dates
- Lists material and technical details
- Ensures standardization and compliance
- Helps with drawing organization (sheet numbers, references)

Manual Draft to CAD Migration

Before the invention of CAD, 1950-1980

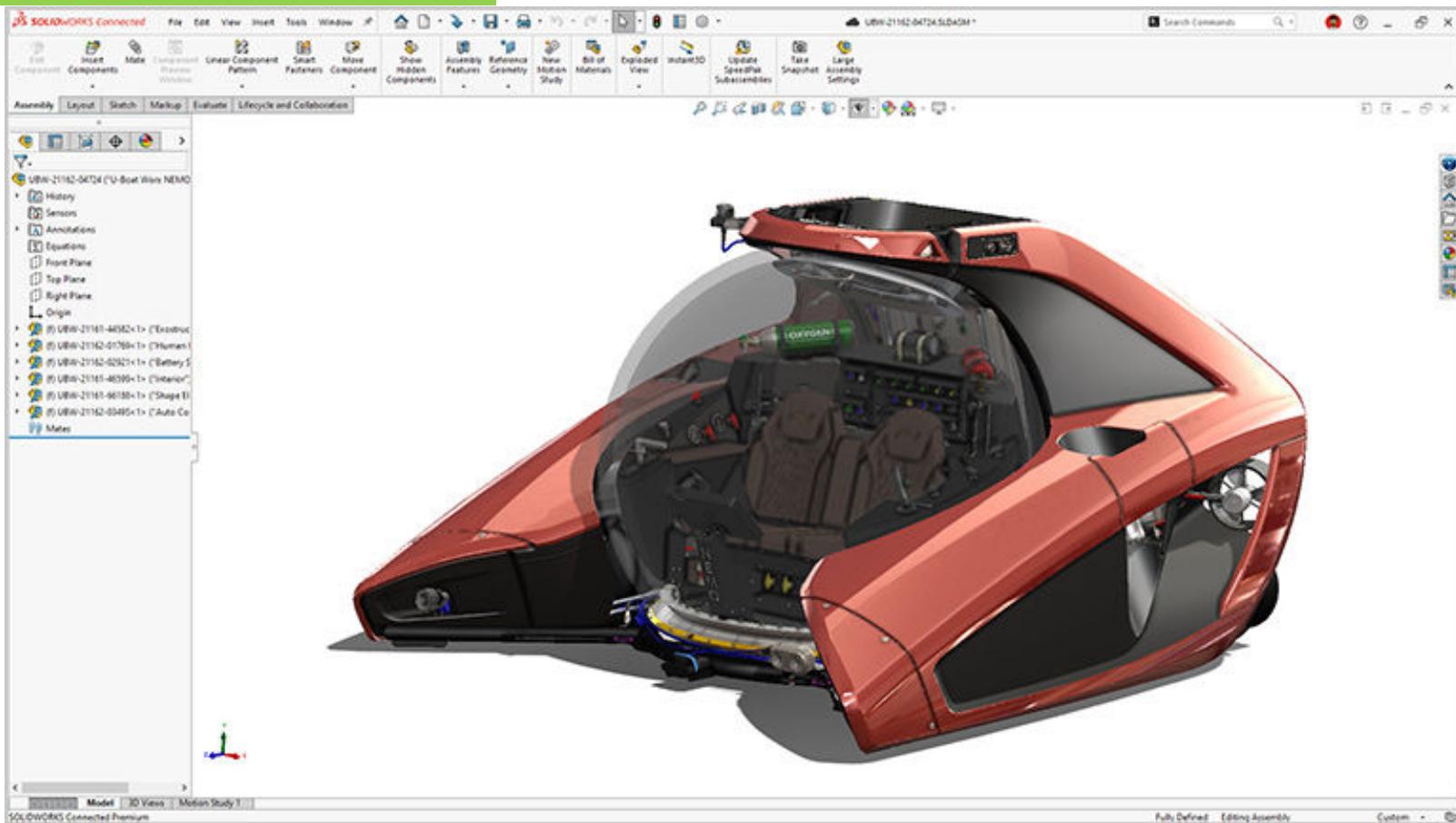
General Motors Technical Center in Warren Michigan.



Source: <https://rarehistoricalphotos.com/life-before-autocad-1950-1980/>

Manual Draft to CAD Migration

Today's world of Design



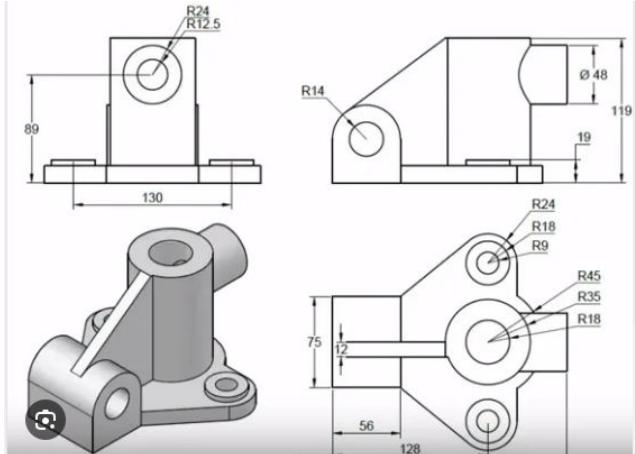
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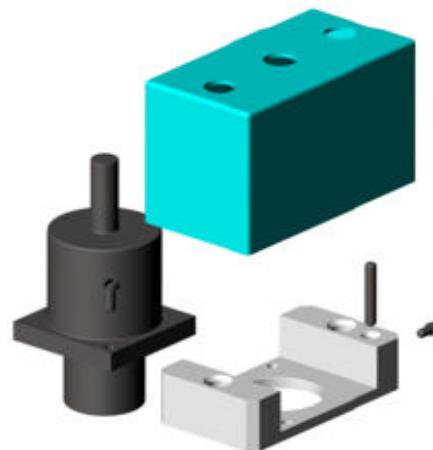
Applications of CAD

- Computer Aided Drafting
- Geometric modelling
- Computer Aided Assembly
- Computer Aided Simulation & Analysis
- Optimization
- Collaborative design
- CAD/CAM integration

Applications of CAD



Drafting



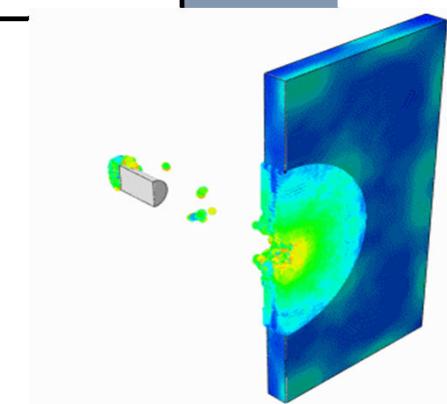
Modelling & Assembly



Optimization



CAM



Simulation



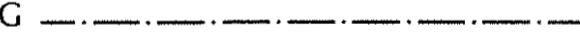
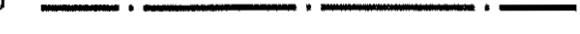
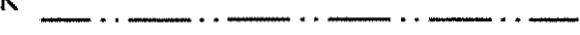
3D Printing

Types of Lines

A 	Continuous thick or Continuous wide	Visible outlines, visible edges; crests of screw threads; limits of length of full depth thread, lines of cuts and section arrows; parting lines of moulds in views; main representations in diagrams, maps, flow charts; system lines (structural metal engg.)
B 	Continuous thin (narrow) (straight or curved)	Imaginary lines of intersection; grid, dimension, extension, projection, short centre, leader, reference lines; hatching; outlines of revolved sections; root of screw threads; interpretation lines of tapered features; framing of details; indication of repetitive details;
C 	Continuous thin (narrow) freehand	Limits of partial or interrupted views and sections, if the limit is not a chain thin line
D 	Continuous thin (narrow) with zigzags (straight)	Long-break line
E 	Dashed thick (wide)	Line showing permissible of surface treatment

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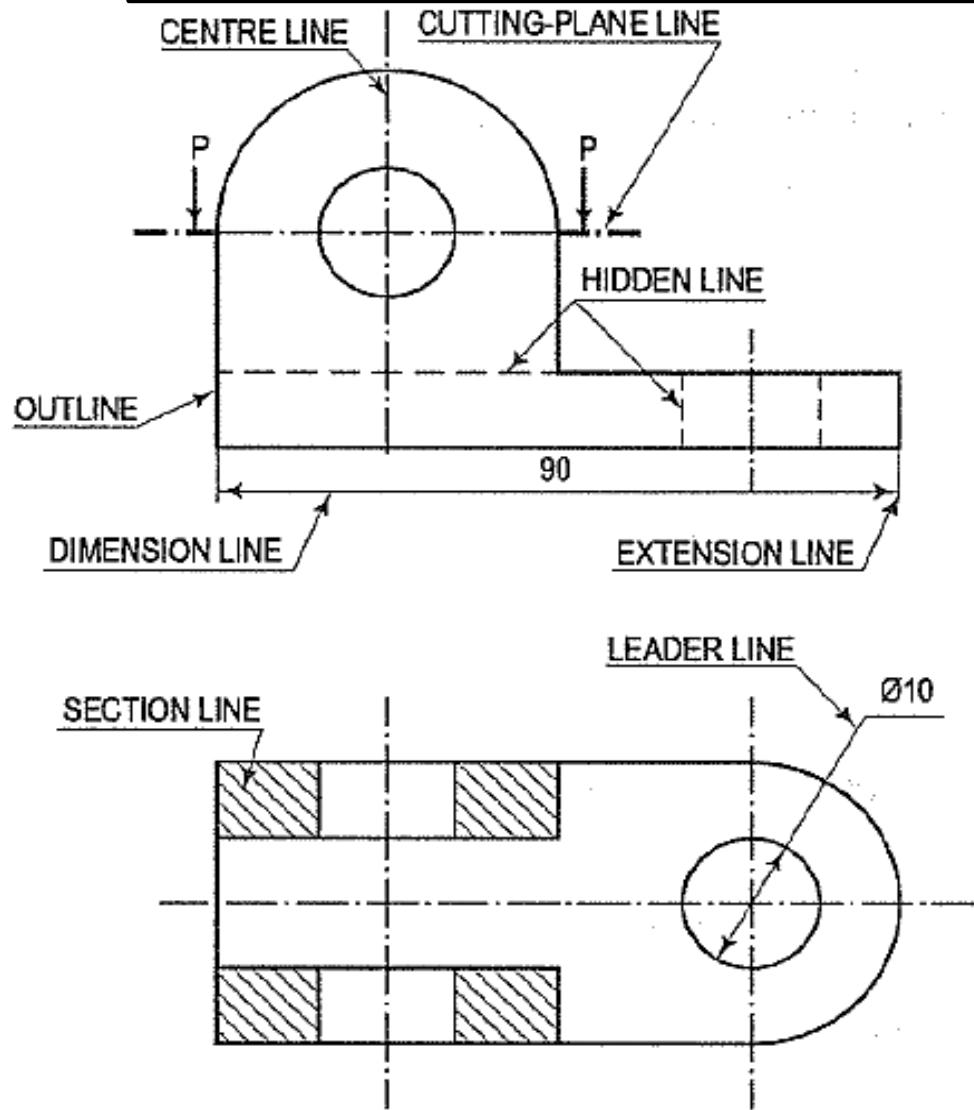
F 	Dashed thin (narrow)	Hidden outlines; hidden edges
G 	Chain thin Long-dashed dotted (narrow)	Centre line; lines of symmetry; trajectories; pitch circle of gears, pitch circle of holes,
H 	Chain thin (narrow) with thick (wide) at the ends and at changing of position	Cutting planes
J 	Chain thick or Long-dashed dotted (wide)	Indication of lines or surfaces to which a special requirement applies
K 	Chain thin double-dashed or long-dashed double-dotted (narrow)	Outlines of adjacent parts Alternative and extreme positions of movable parts Centroidal lines Initial outlines prior to forming Parts situated in front of the cutting plane



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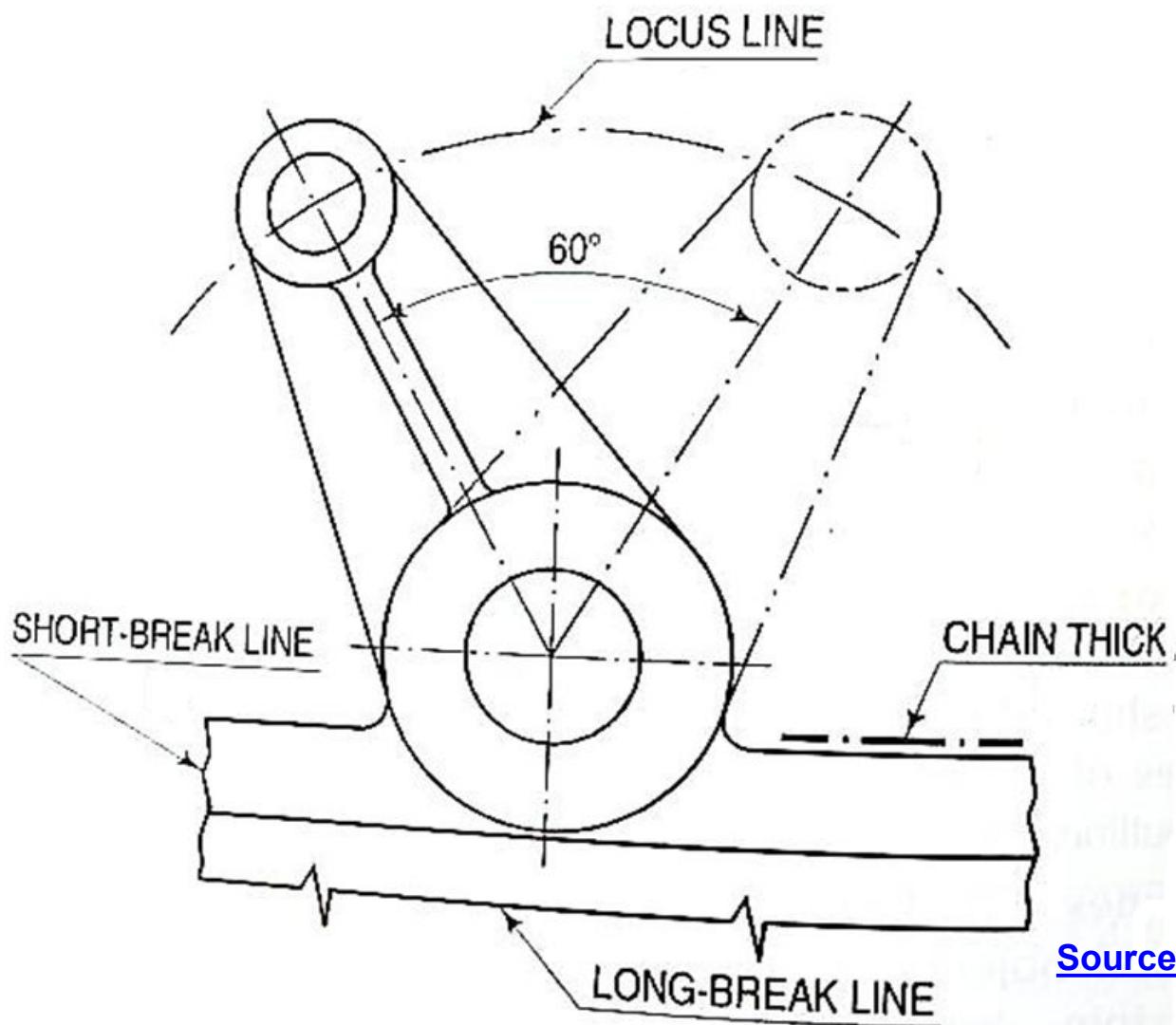
**Thick Lines – HB
Thin Lines – 2H**

Types of Lines



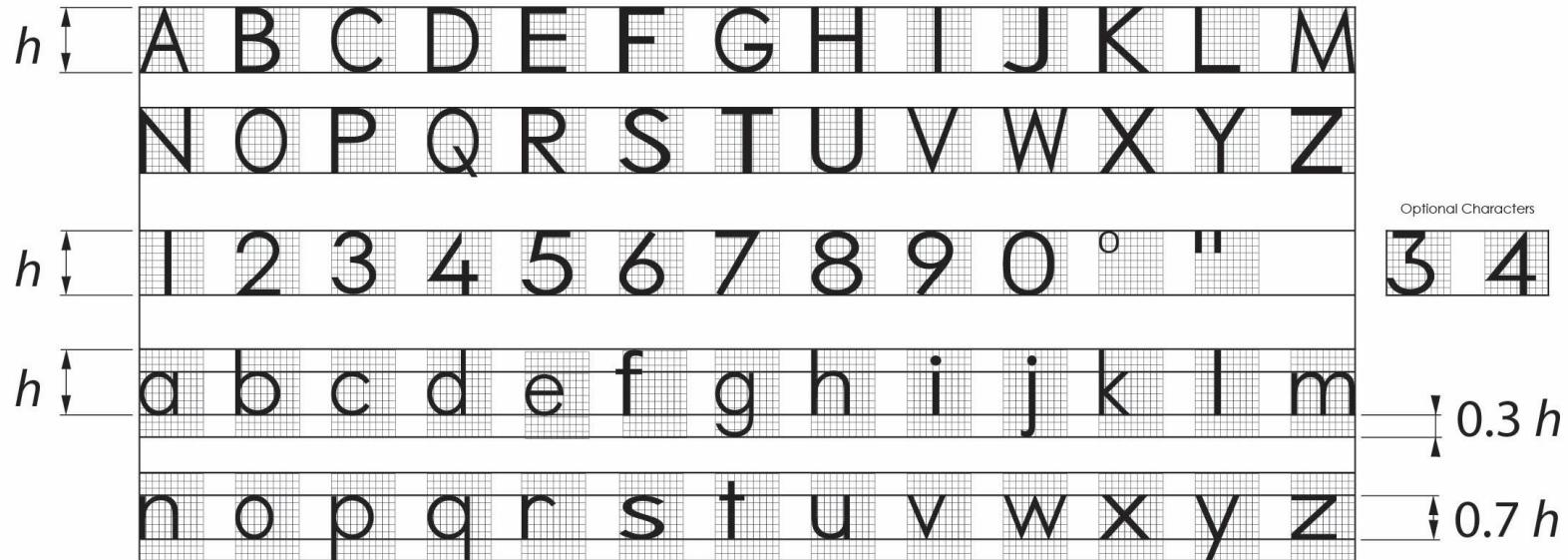
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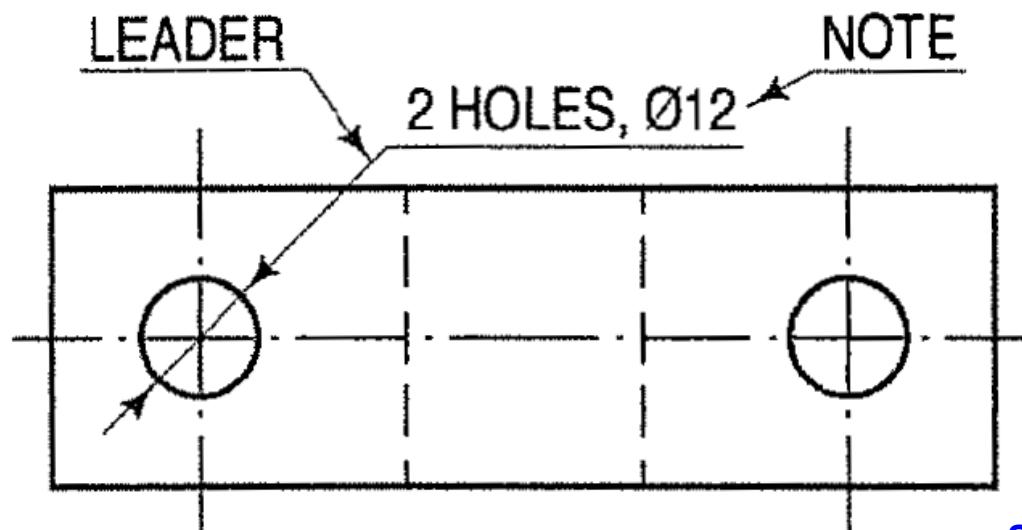
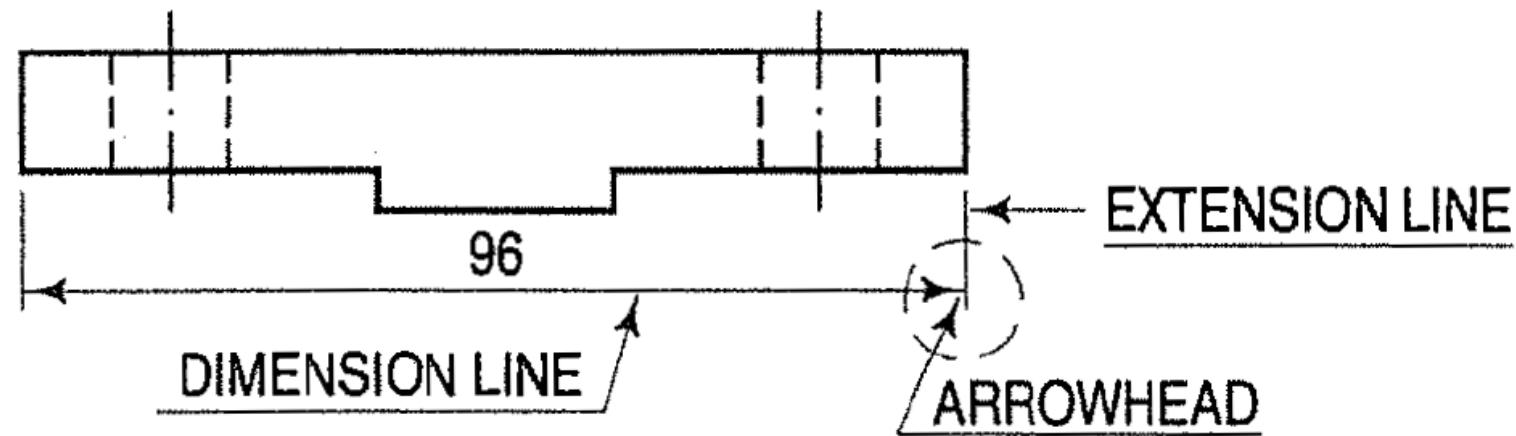
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Lettering Standard



- Lettering is generally done in capital letters. Different sizes of letters are used for different purposes.
- The main titles are generally written in 6 mm to 8 mm size, sub-titles in 3 mm to 6 mm size, while notes, dimension figures etc. in 3 mm to 5 mm size.
- The drawing number in the title block is written in numerals of 10 mm to 12 mm size.

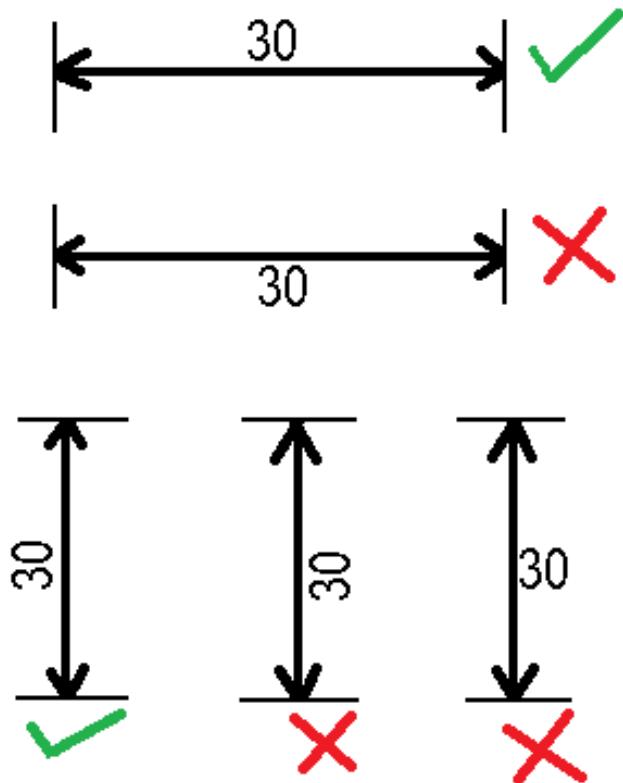
Elements of Dimensioning



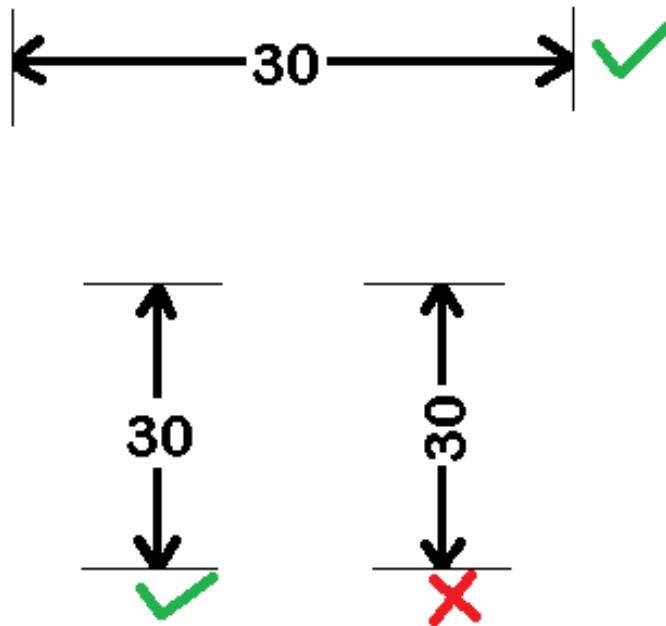
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Two systems of dimensioning

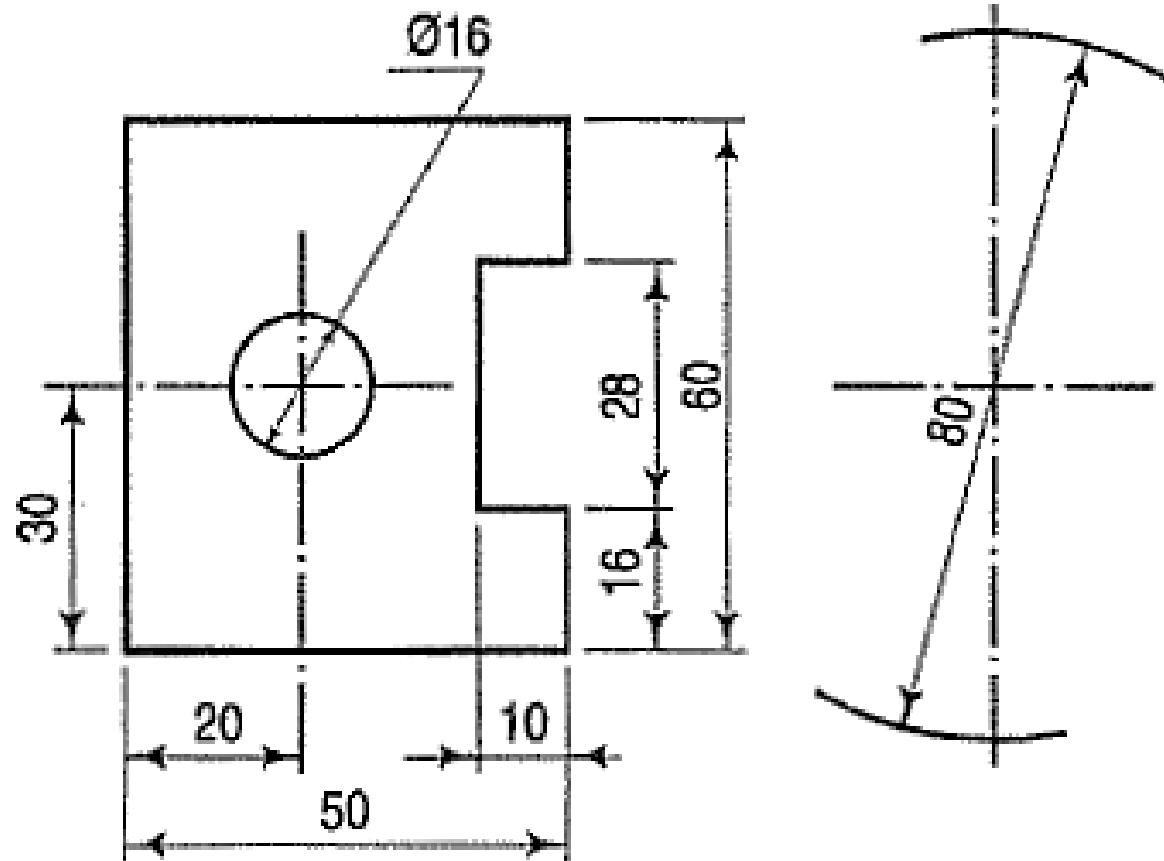
Aligned System



Unidirectional System



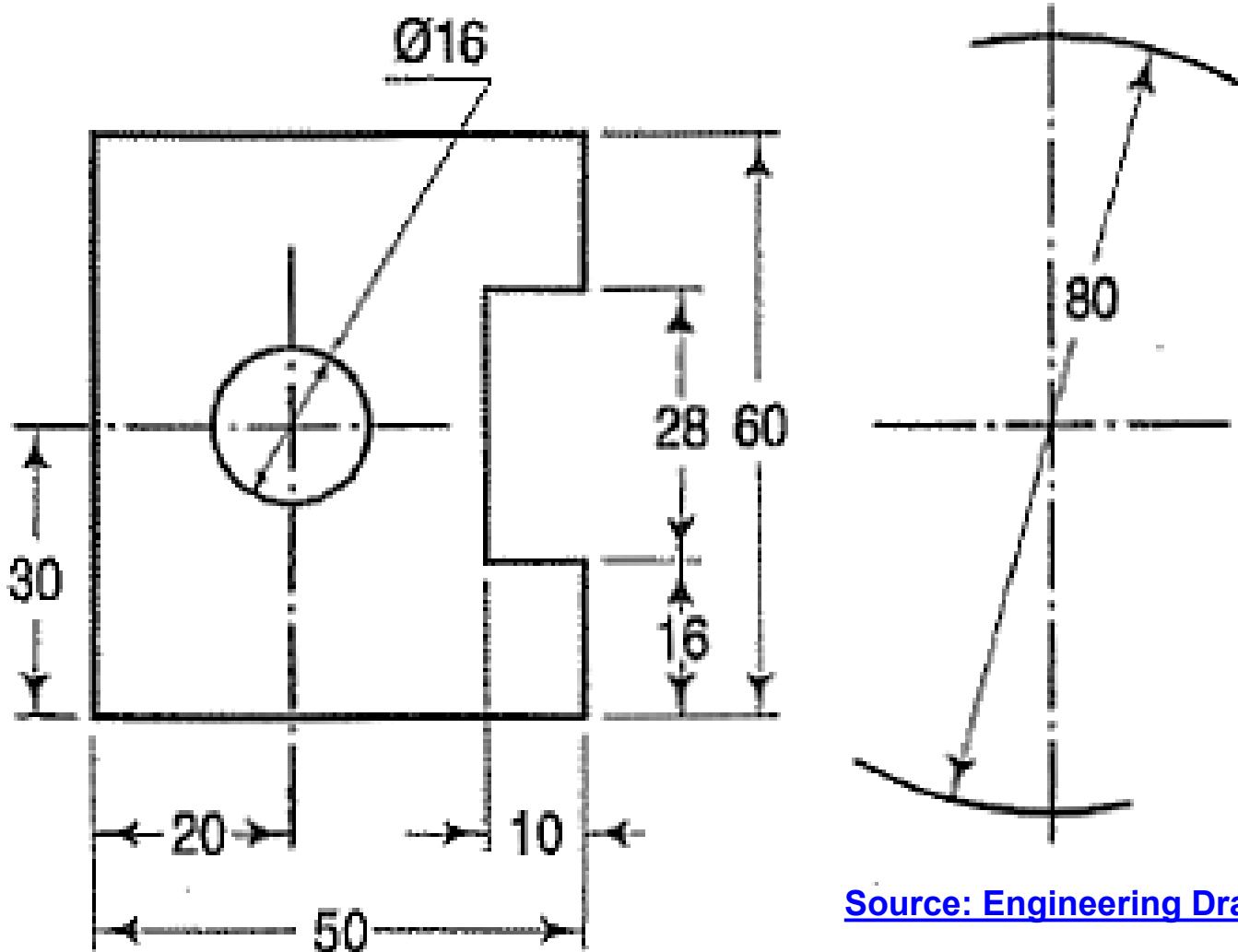
Aligned system



Generally, Aligned system of dimensioning is recommended.

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Unidirectional system



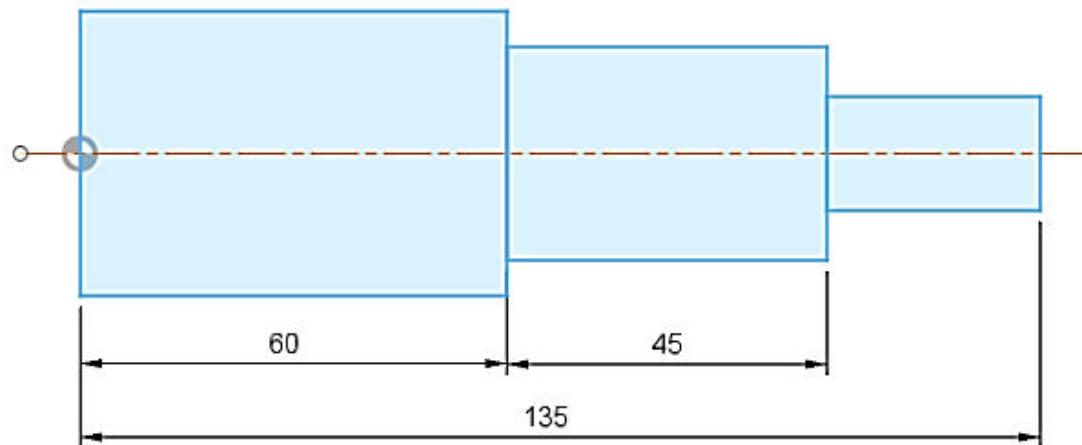
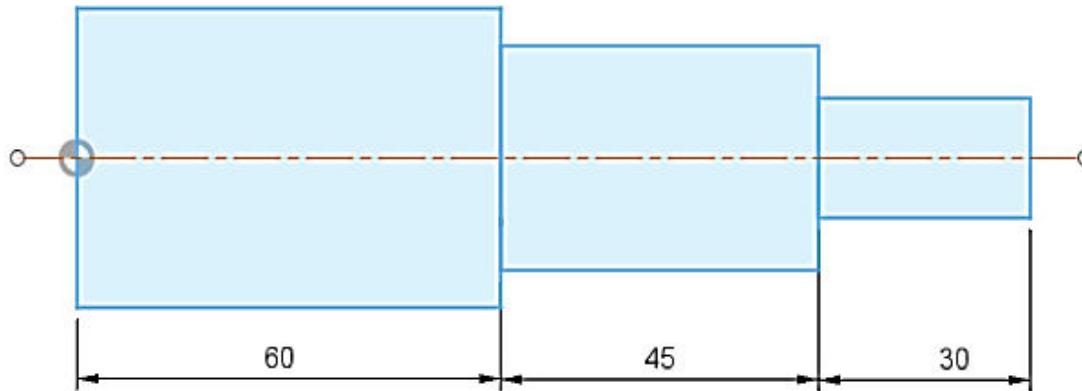
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General Rules for Dimensioning

- Dimensioning should be done so completely that further calculation or assumption of any dimension, or direct measurement from the drawing is not necessary.
- None of the dimension should be mentioned more than once.
- Dimension should be placed on the view where its use is shown more clearly.
- Mutual crossing of dimension lines and dimensioning between hidden lines should be avoided.
- An object line or a centre line should never be used as a dimension line.

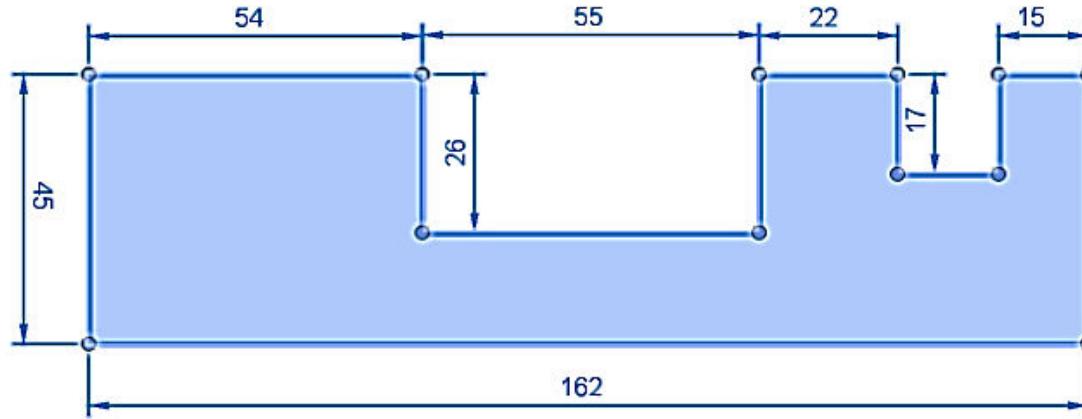
Hints on Dimensioning

- Dimension lines should be drawn at least 8 mm away from the outlines and from each other.

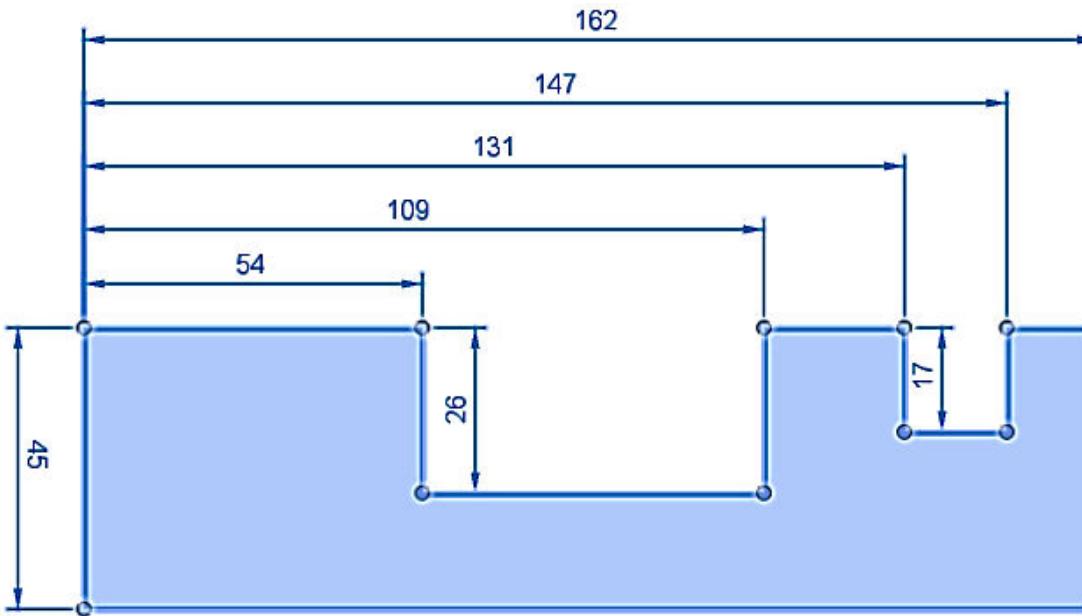


Hints on Dimensioning

Continuous or Chain Dimensioning



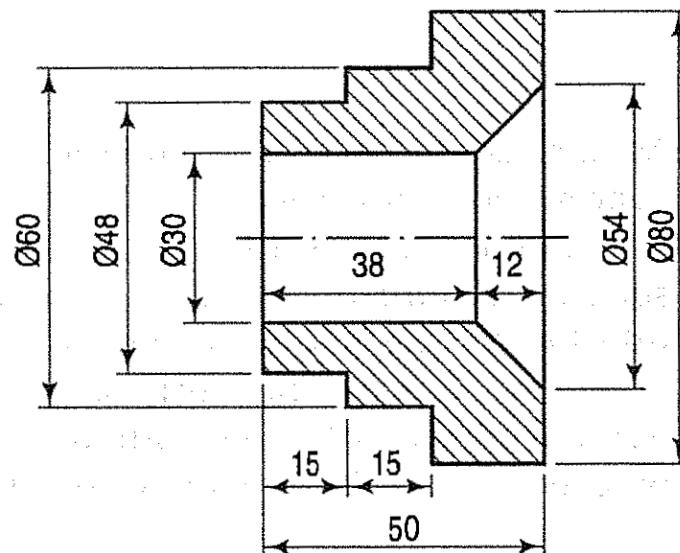
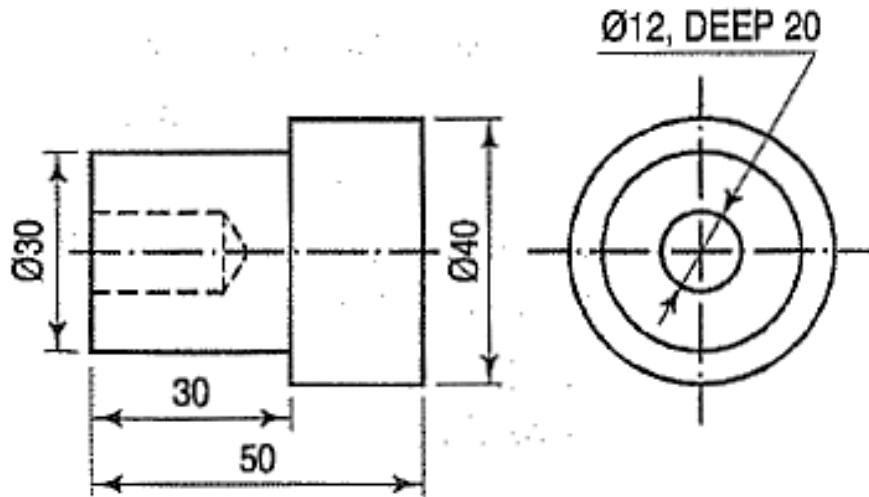
Progressive or Parallel Dimensioning



Cumulative error is avoided by this method.

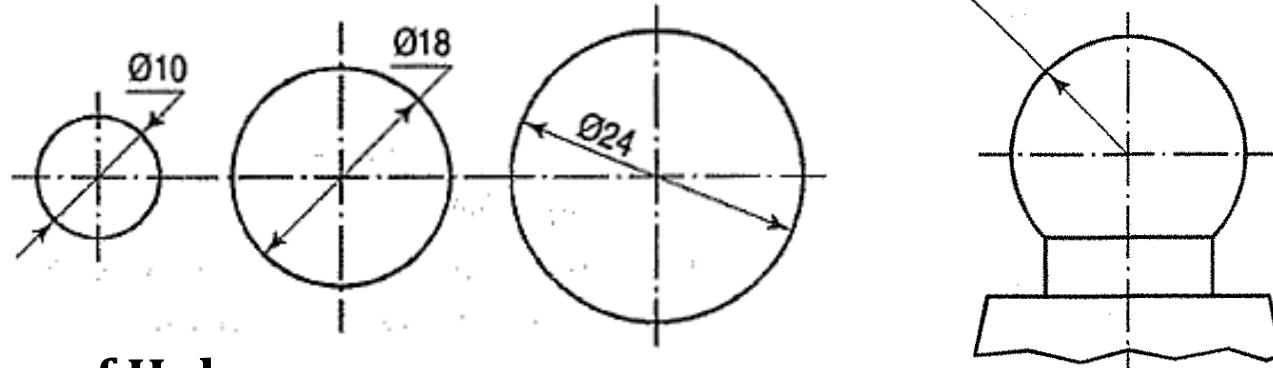
Hints on Dimensioning

- Smaller dimensions should be placed nearer the view and the larger further away so that extension lines do not cross dimension lines.
- Arrowheads should ordinarily be drawn within the limits of the dimensioned feature. They may be placed outside when the space is too narrow.
- Dimensions of cylindrical parts should as far as possible be placed in the views in which they are seen as rectangles. Diameter should always be preceded by a symbol \varnothing .



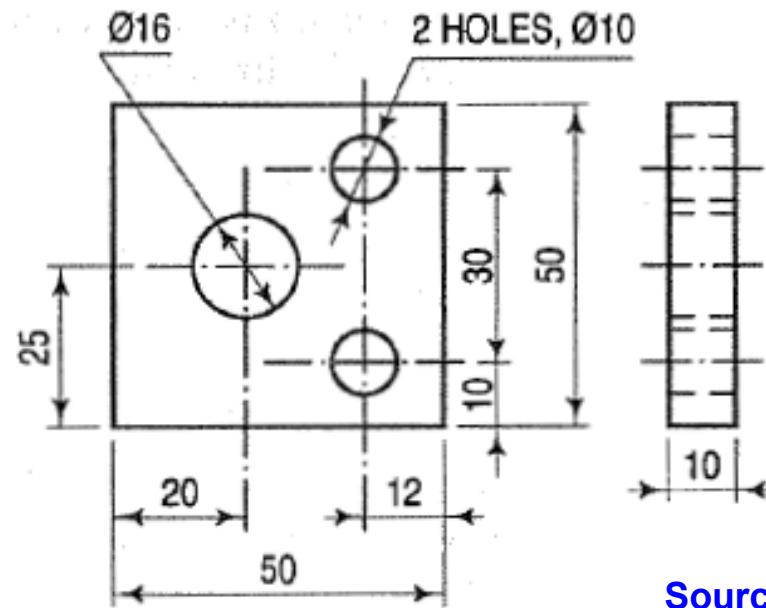
Hints on Dimensioning

Dimensioning of Circle



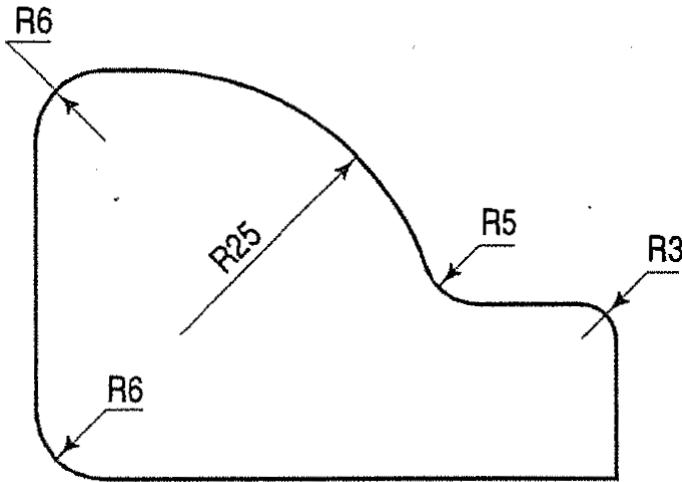
SPHERE R20

Dimensioning of Holes

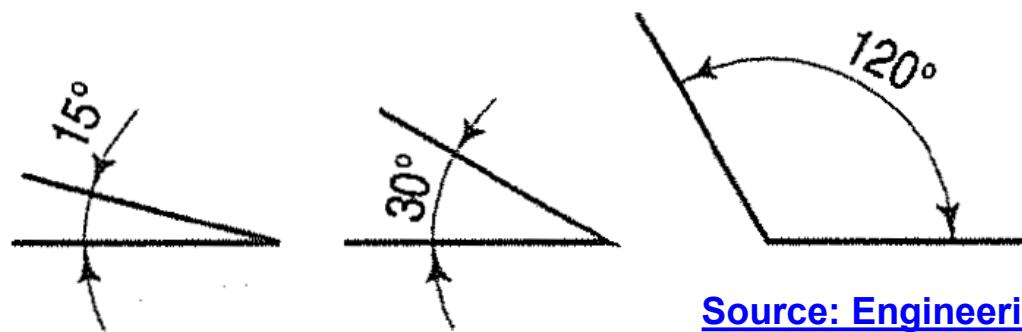


Hints on Dimensioning

Dimensioning of Arcs



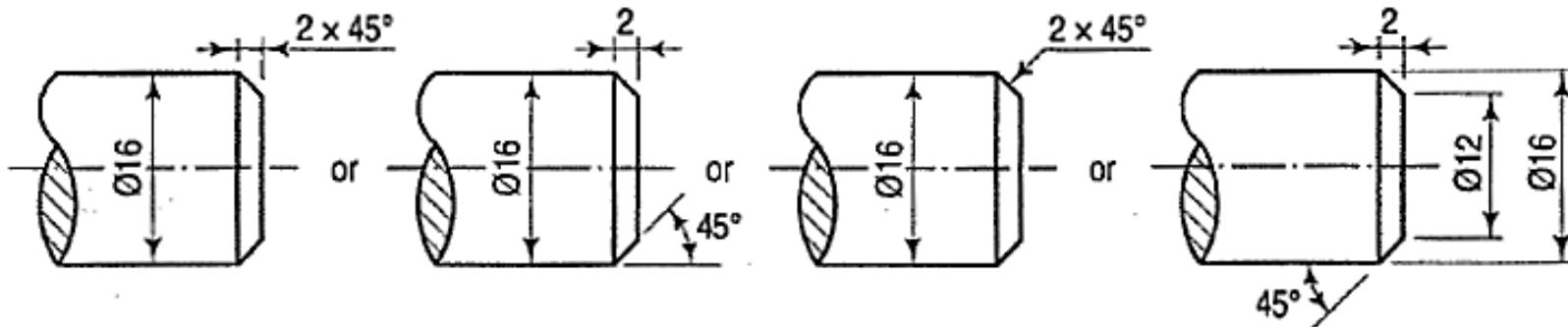
Dimensioning of Angles



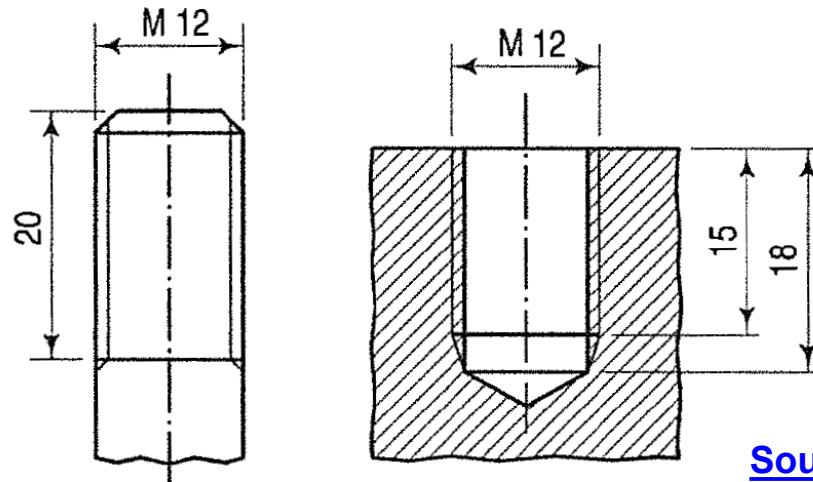
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Hints on Dimensioning

Dimensioning a chamfer

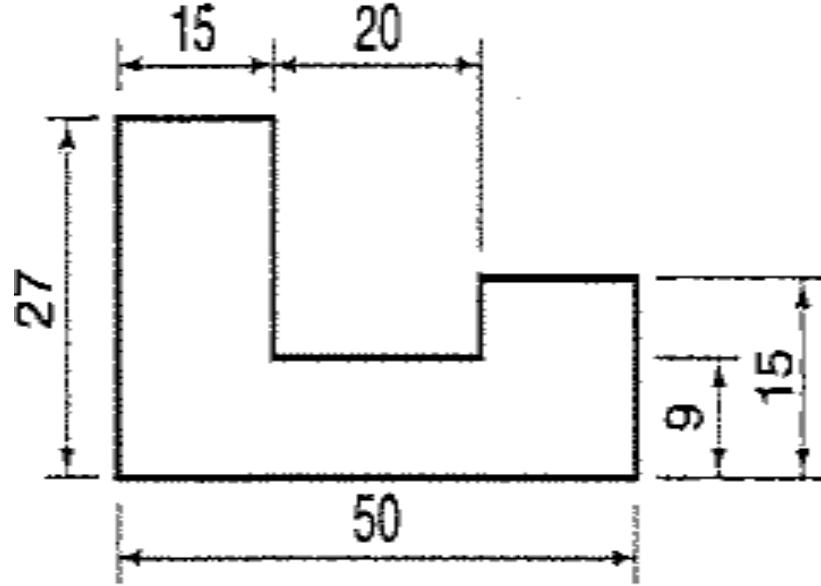
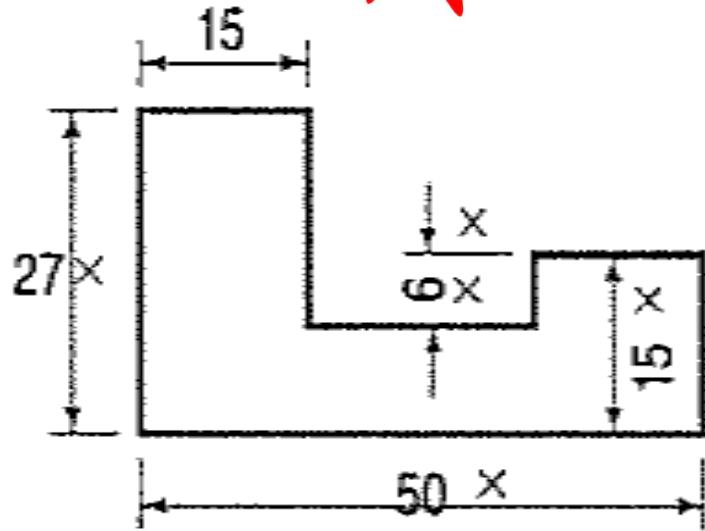


Dimensioning of external and internal threads



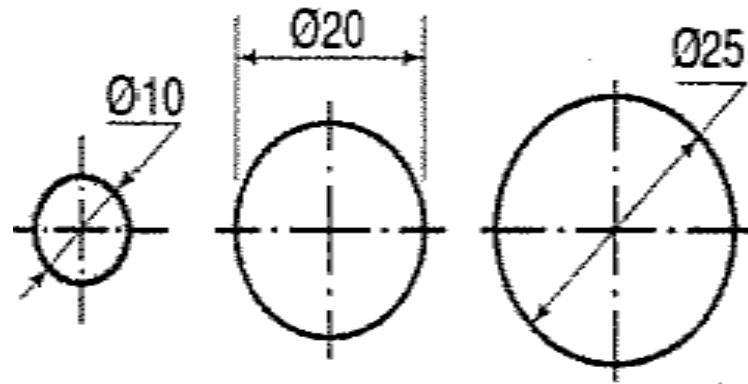
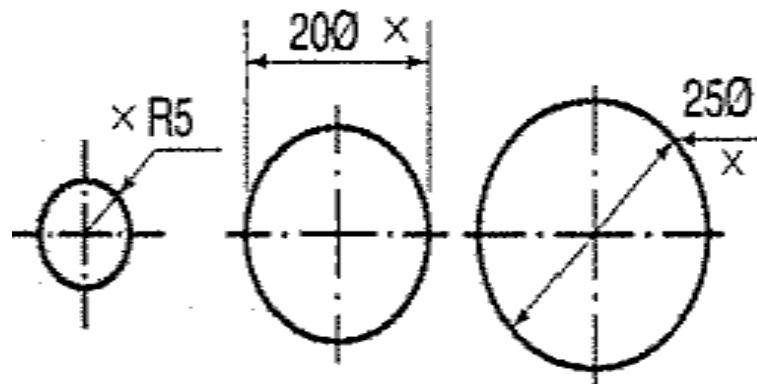
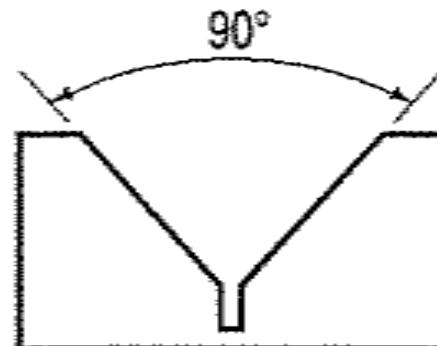
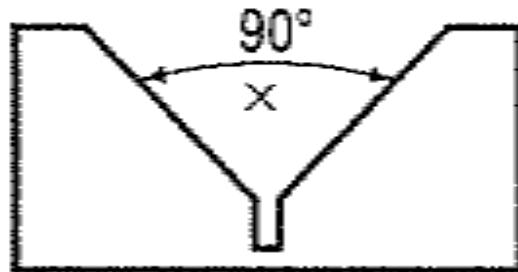
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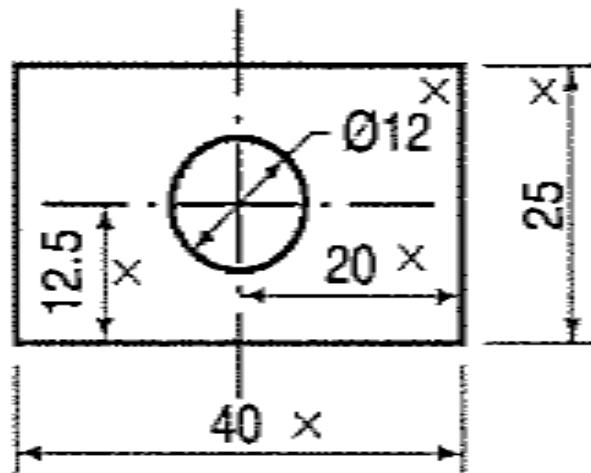


- Dimension lines are used as extension.
- Dimensions are placed inside the view.
- Dimension 27 and 50 not written according to aligned system.

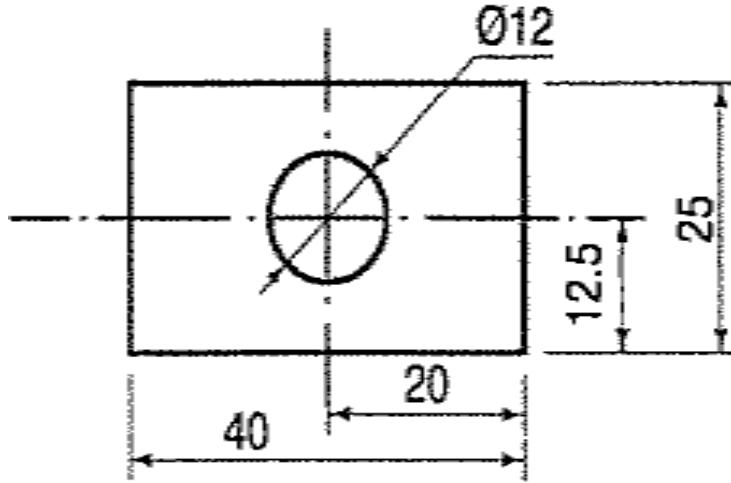
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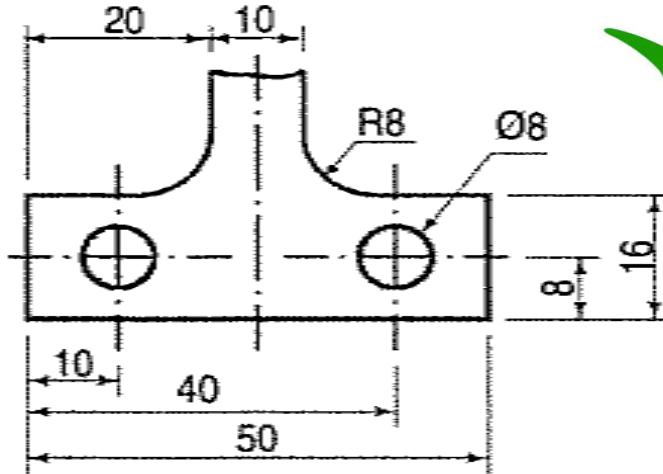
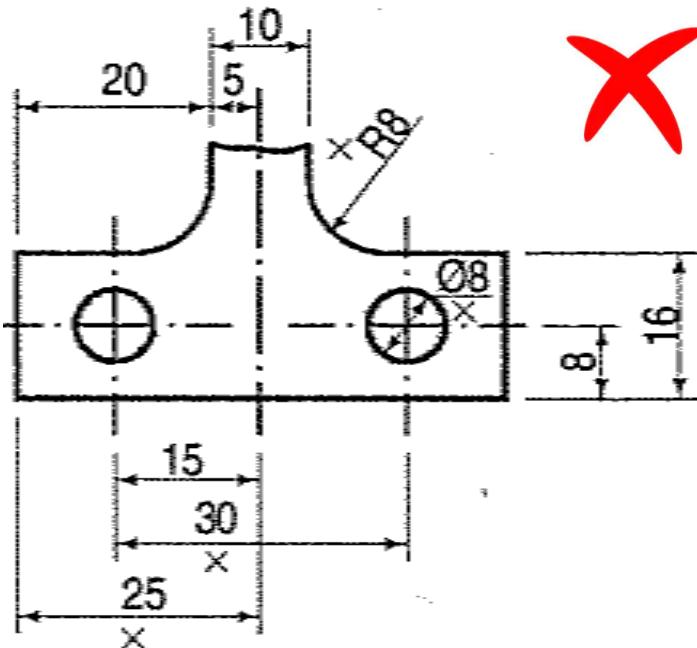


- Arrow head not proportionate.
- Hole dimension shown in figure. Leader line not ends horizontally.
- Dimension '40' is too close.
- Placing dimensions methods mix. Dimension '40' is according to aligned method.



Dimensions should be placed outside view

Hints on Dimensioning

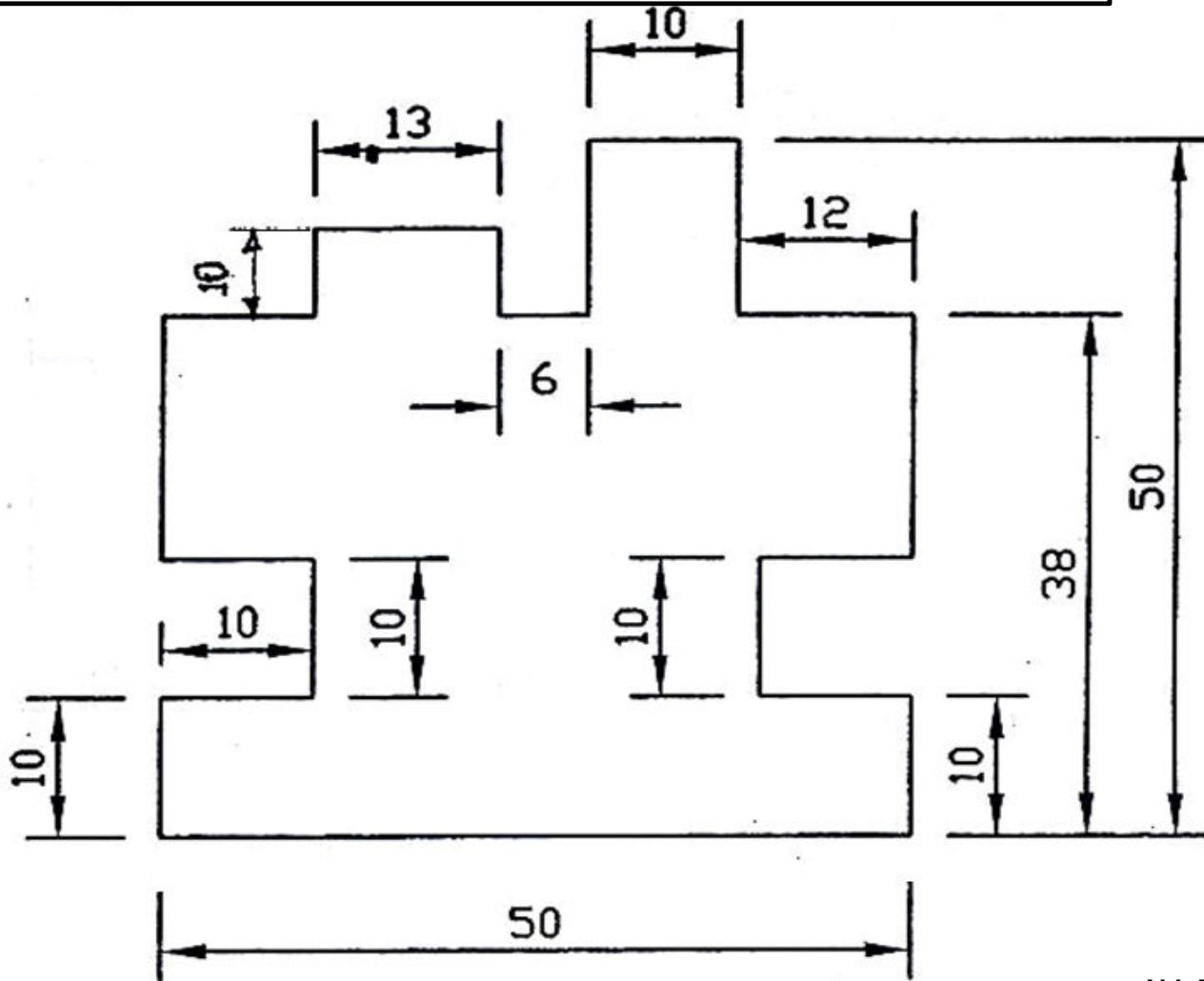


Dimensions should be given from the outlines (finished surface) or a centre line of a hole

- Dimensions are given from the mid-line of the object.
- Dimensions of holes are shown inside the figure.
- Dimensions are shown in vertical line.
- Smaller dimensions (25 mm) precedes the larger dimensions (30 mm).
- Fillet radius is not shown.

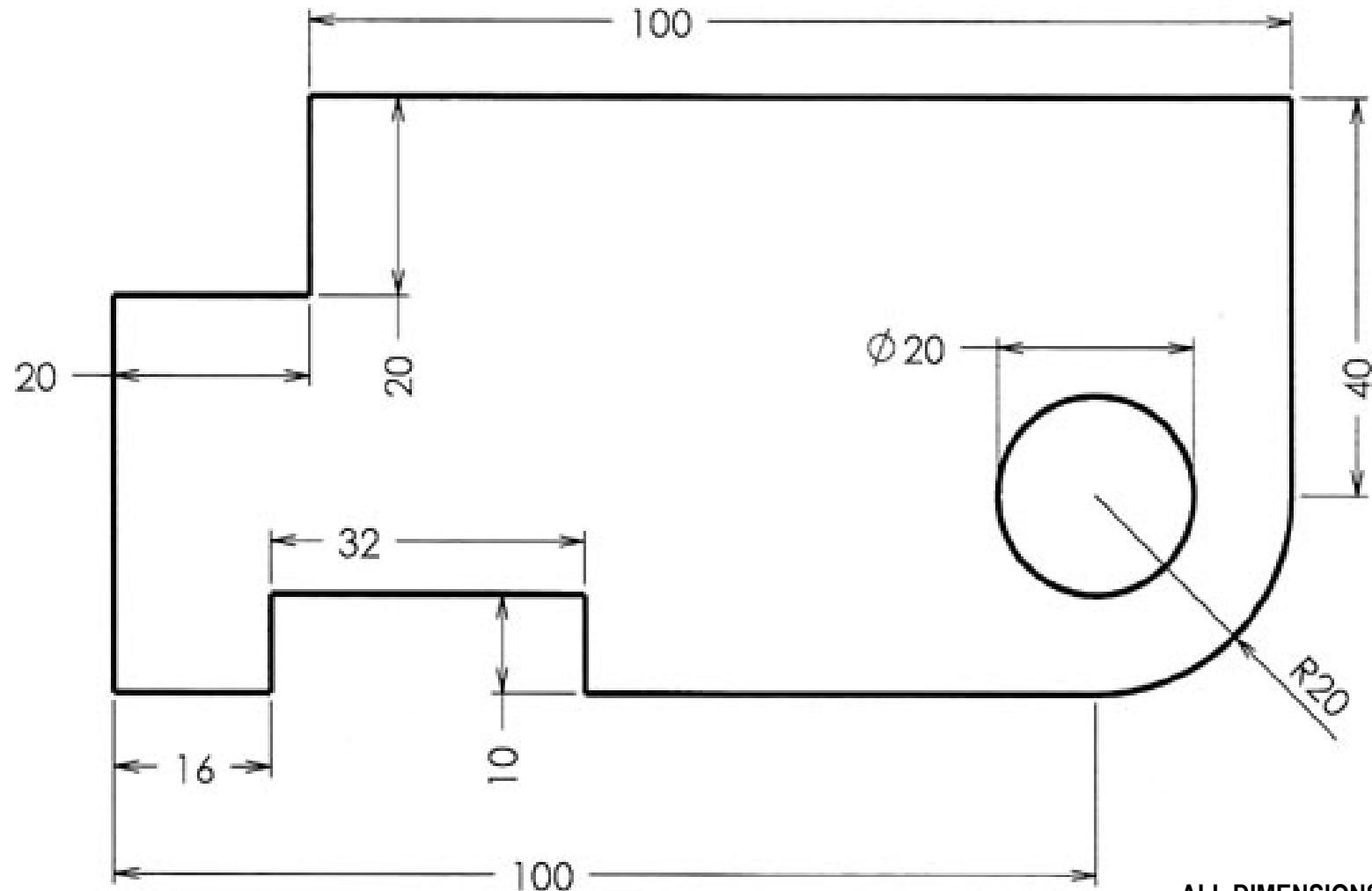
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Sketching & Dimensioning Practice



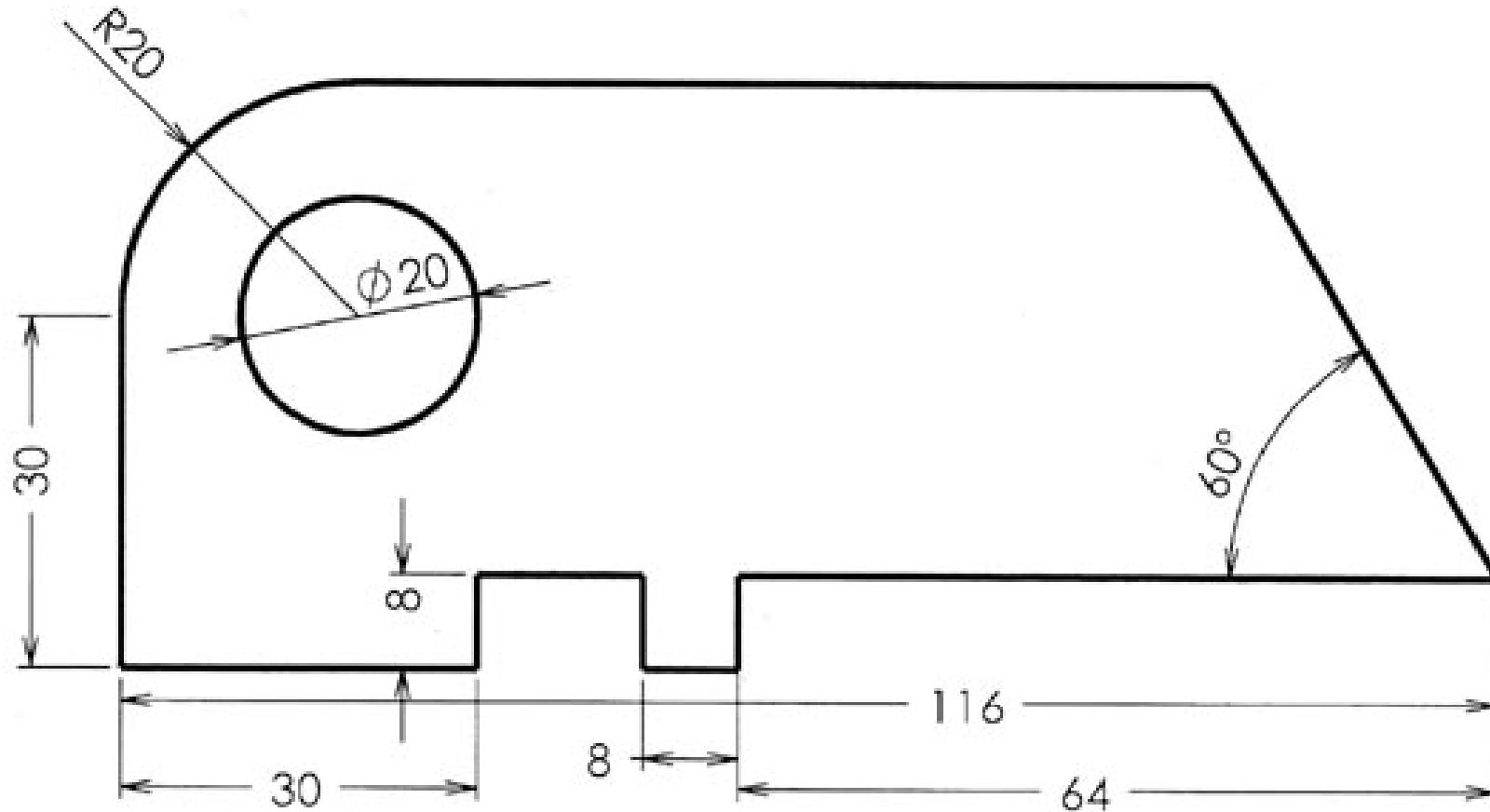
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Sketching & Dimensioning Practice



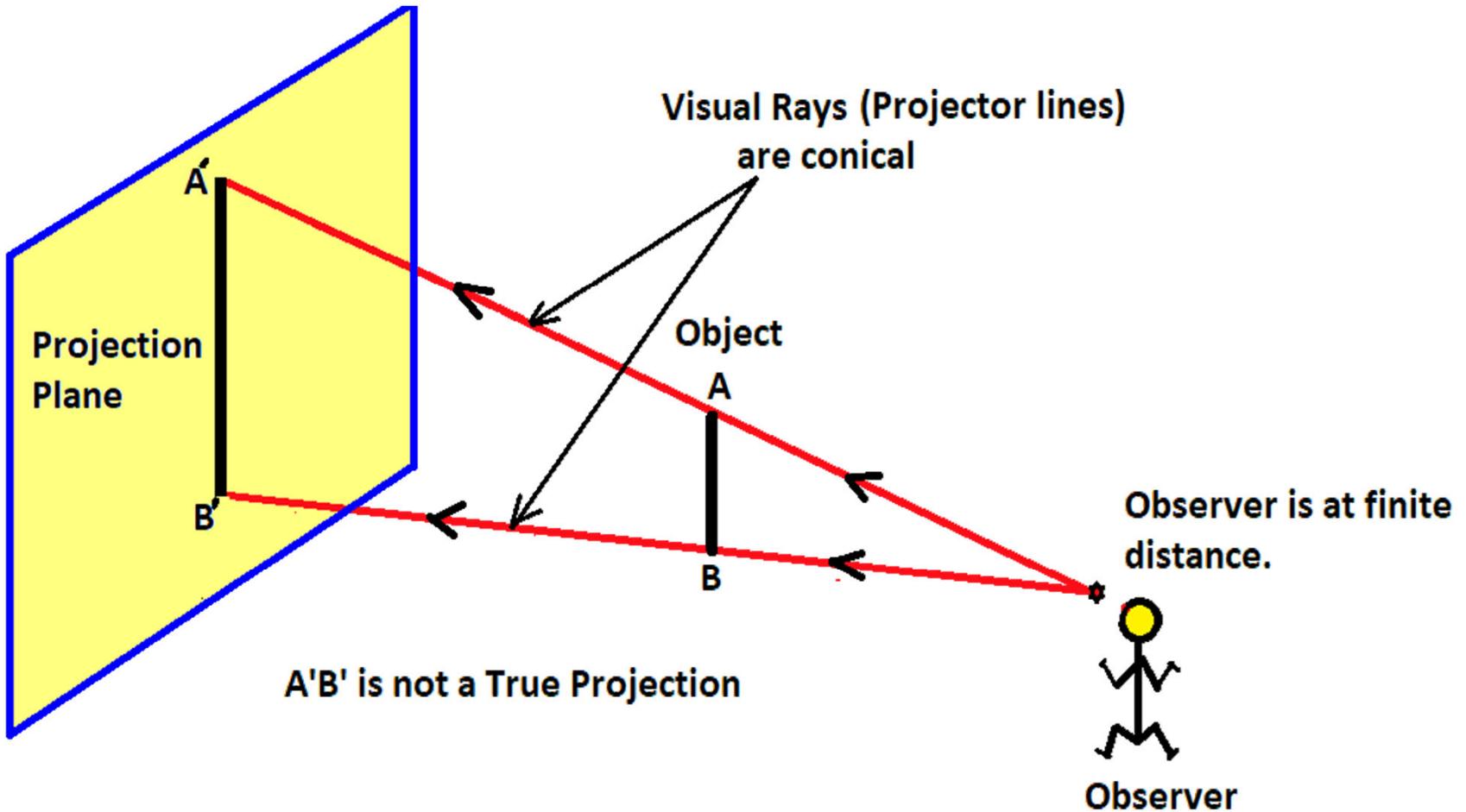
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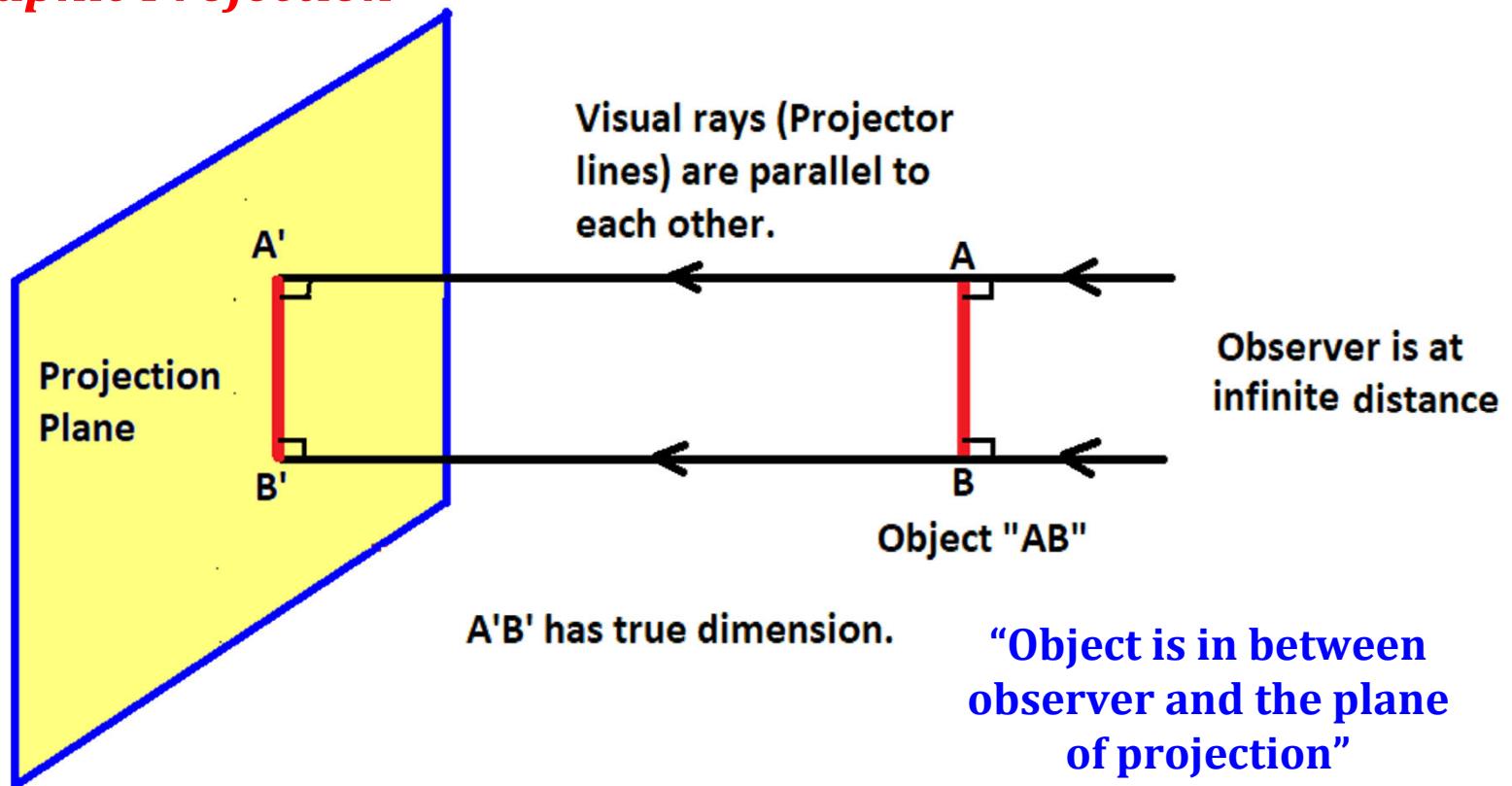
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Projection of an Object



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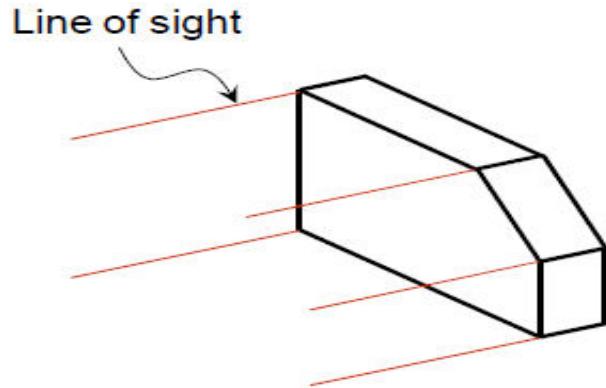
Orthographic Projection



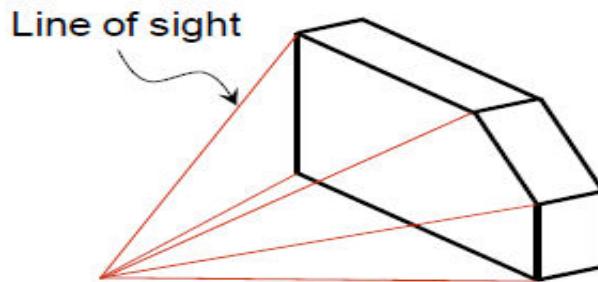
- When the projectors are parallel to each other and also perpendicular to the plane, the projection is called “**orthographic projection**”.

Projection of an Object

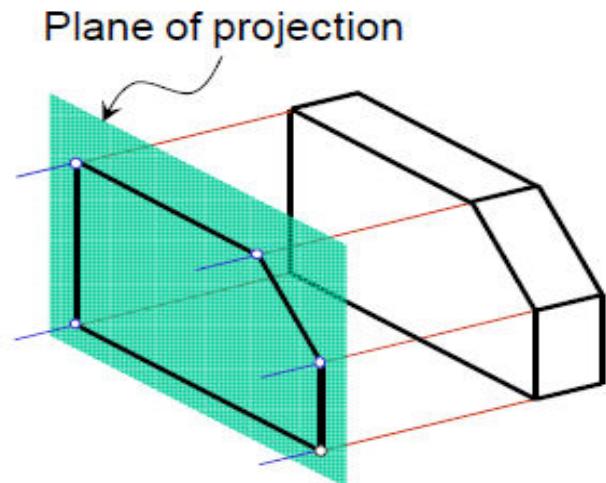
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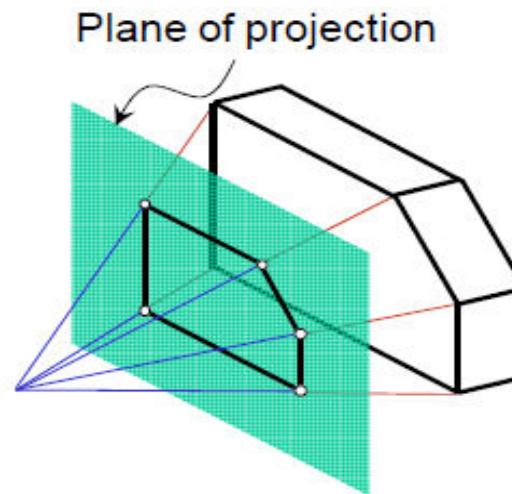
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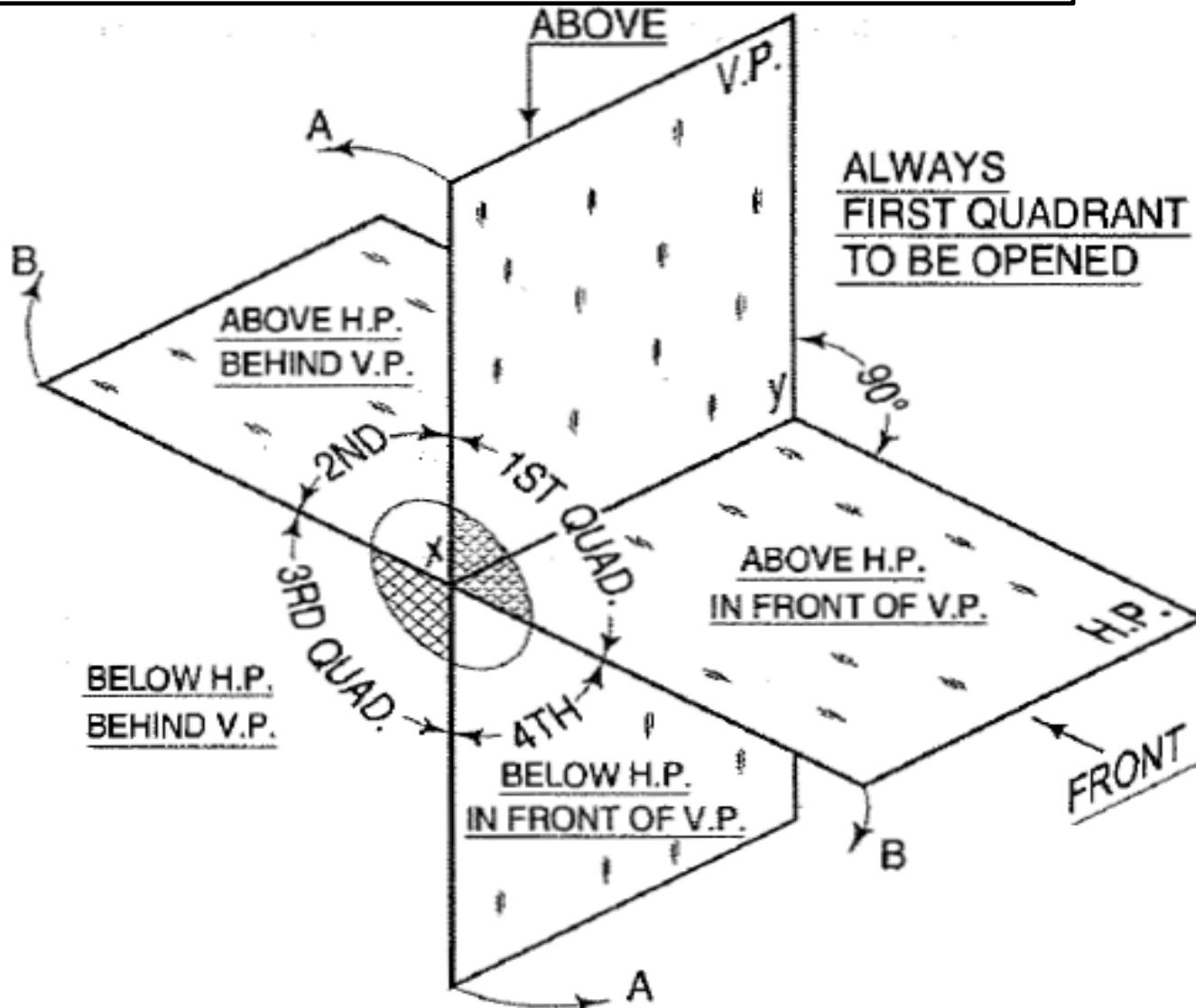
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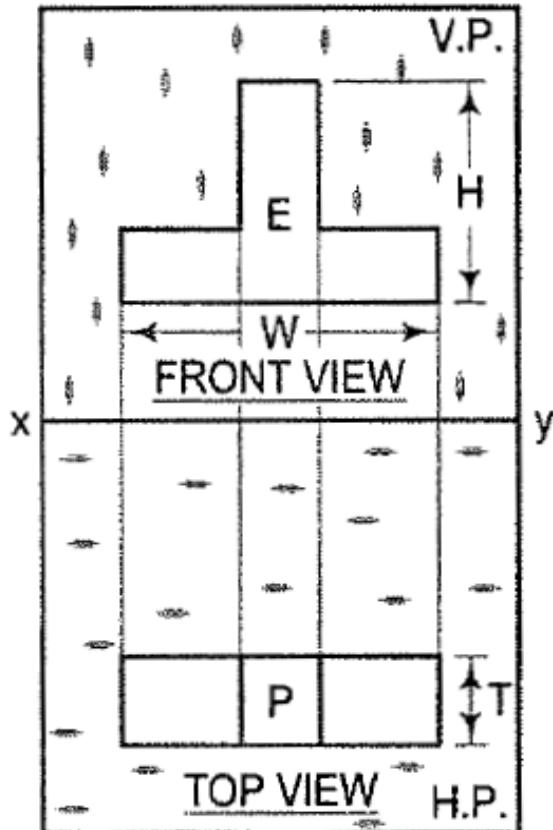
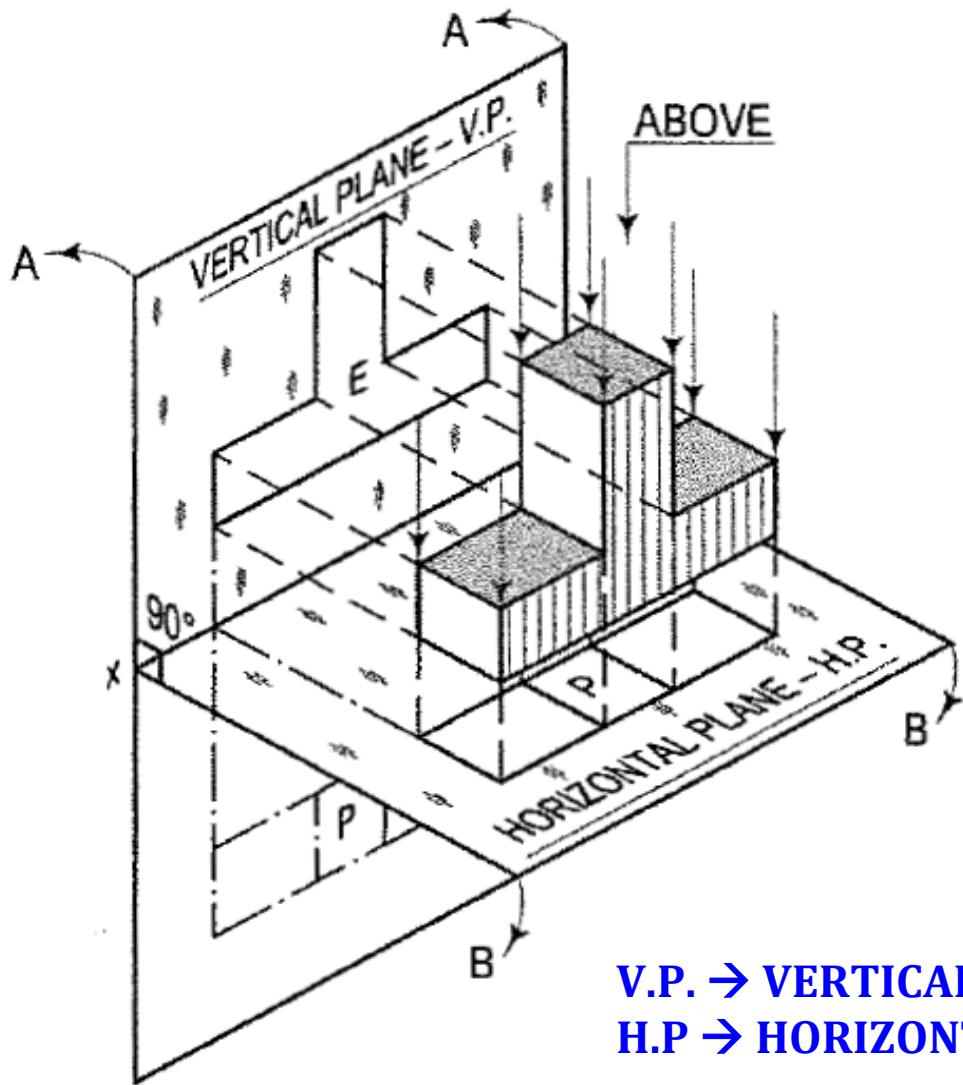
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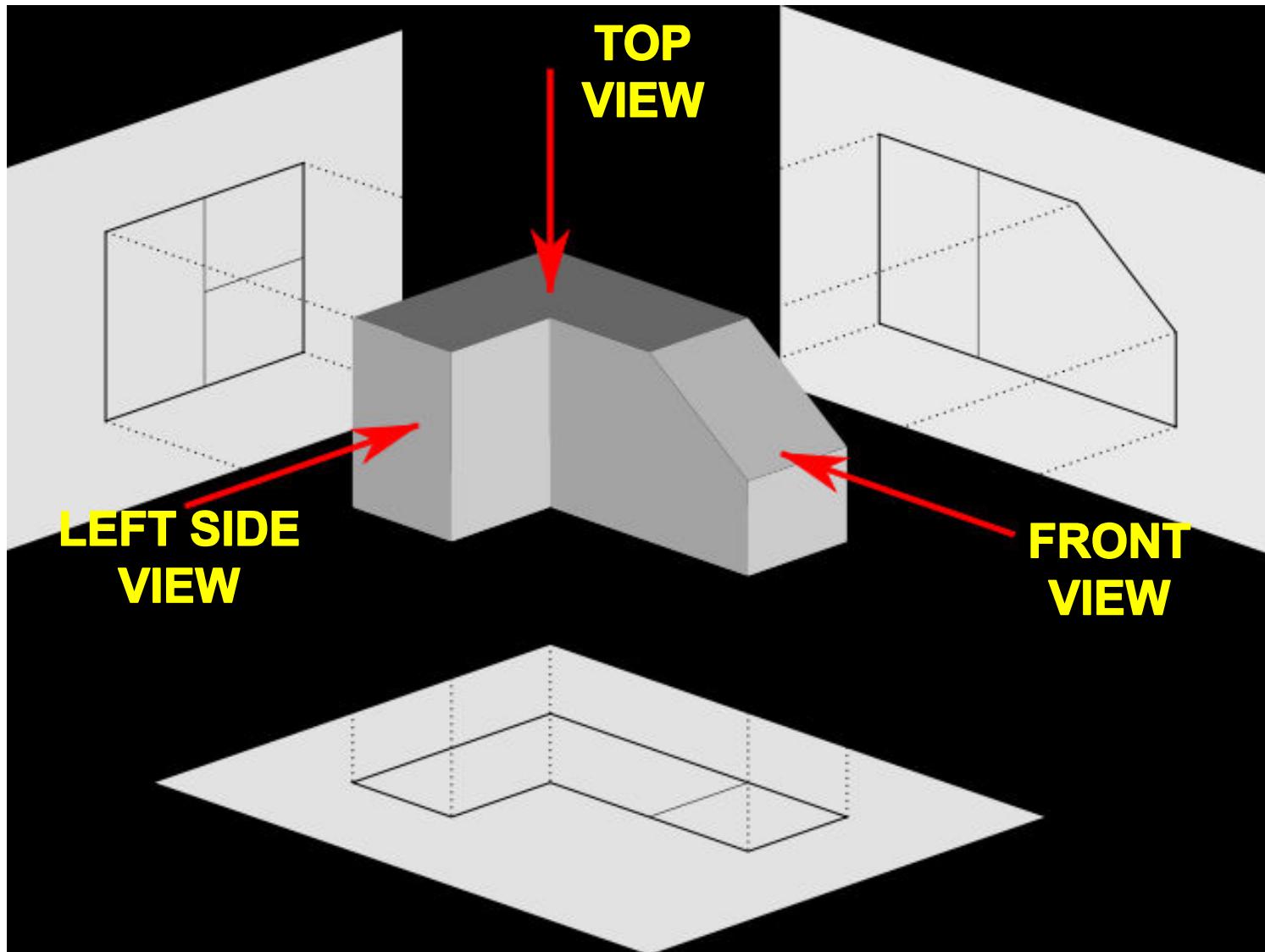
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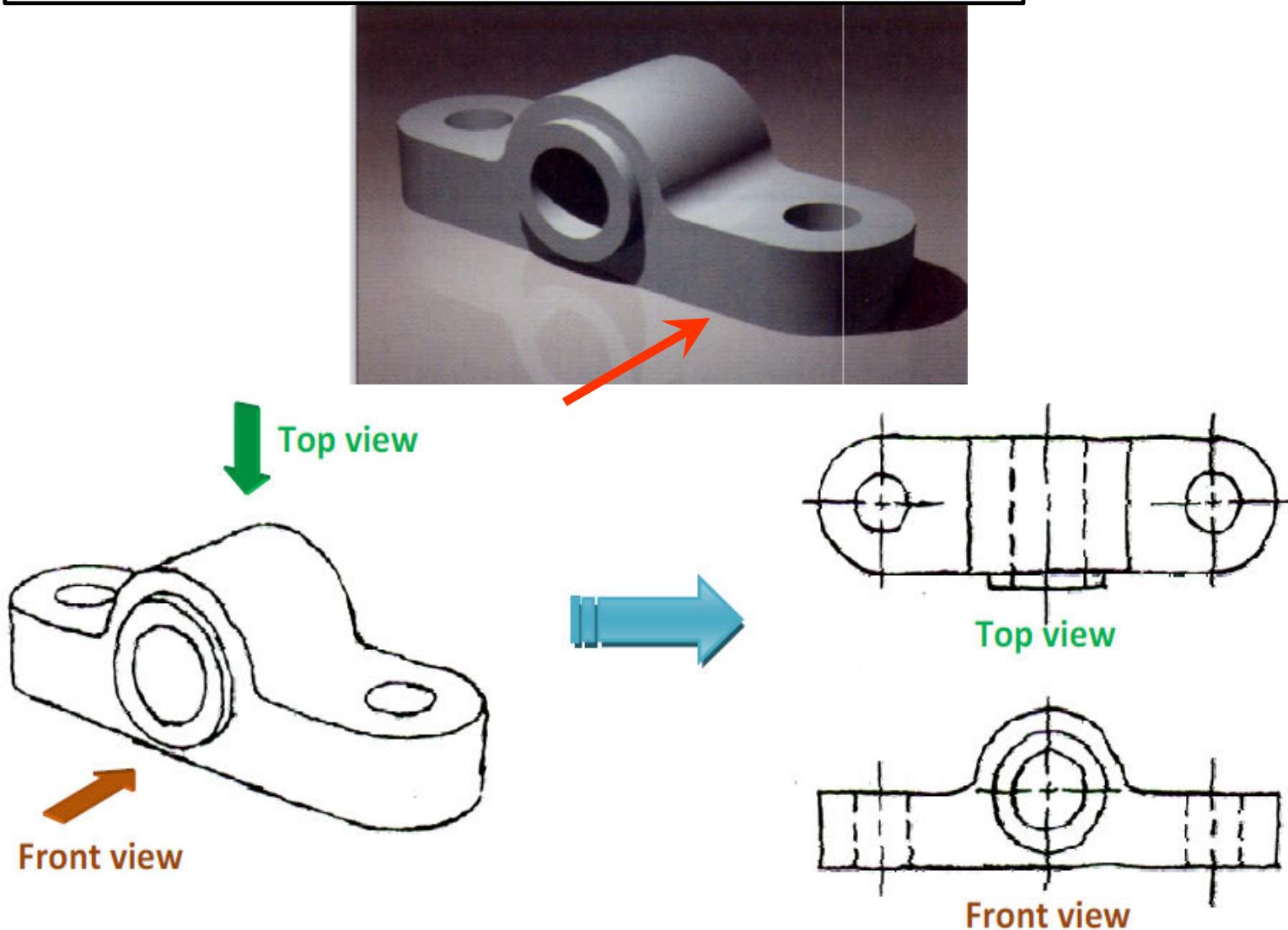
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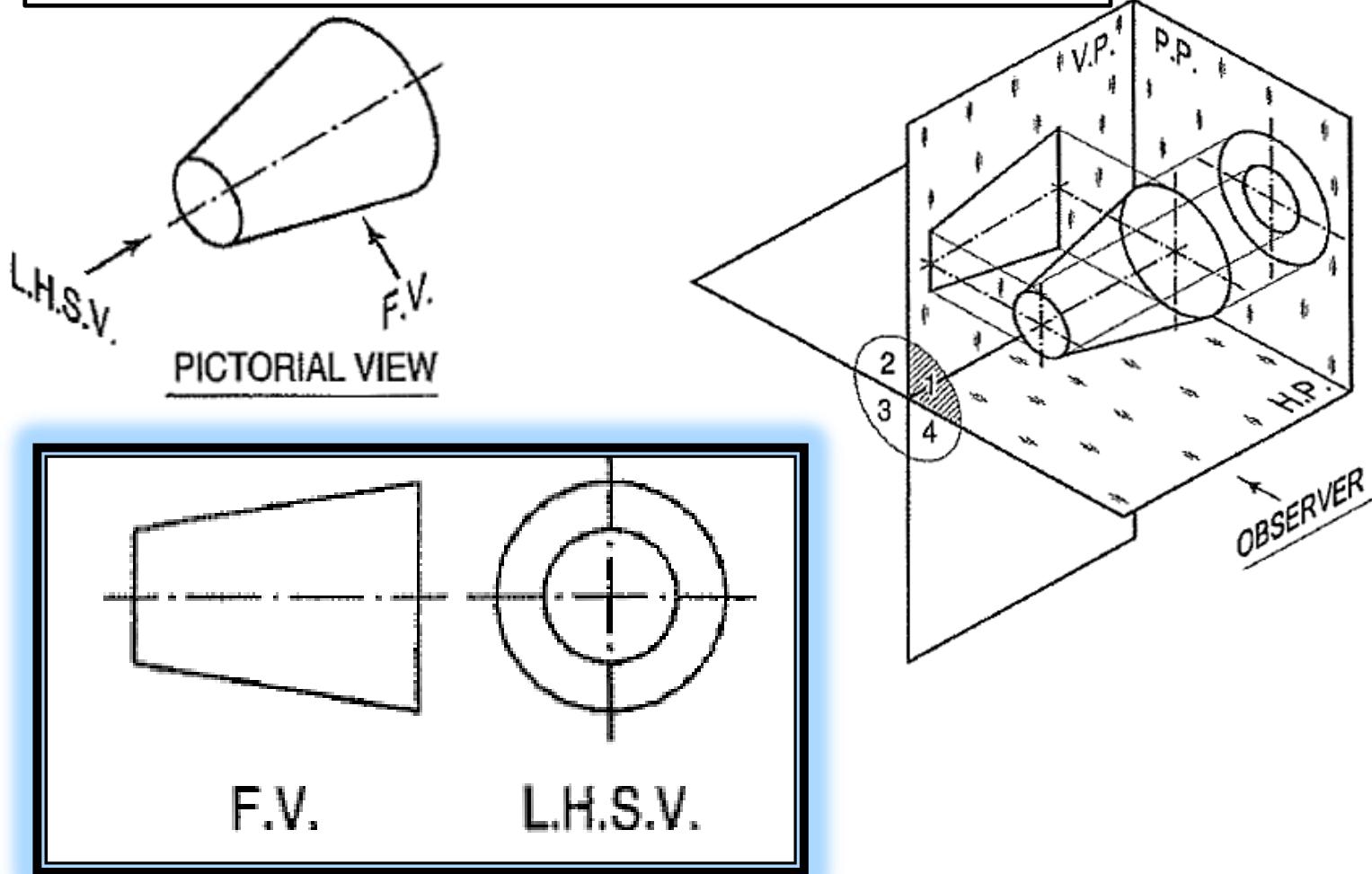
Planes of Projection



Orthographic Projection of a Product

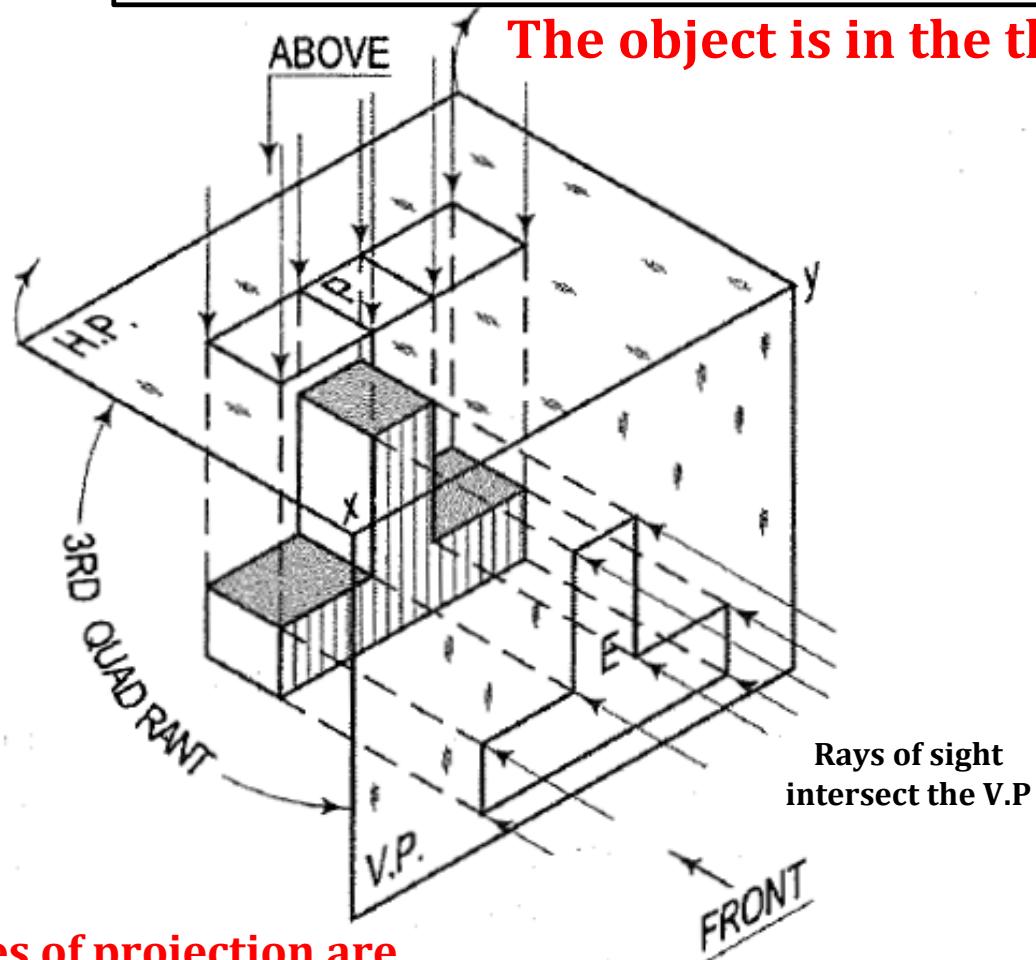


GRAPHICAL SYMBOL OF FIRST ANGLE PROJECTION



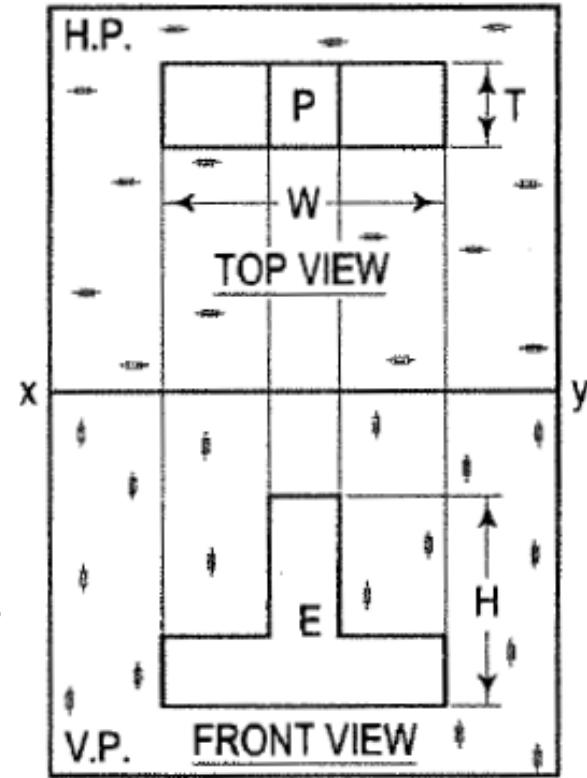
Third Angle Projection

The object is in the third quadrant.



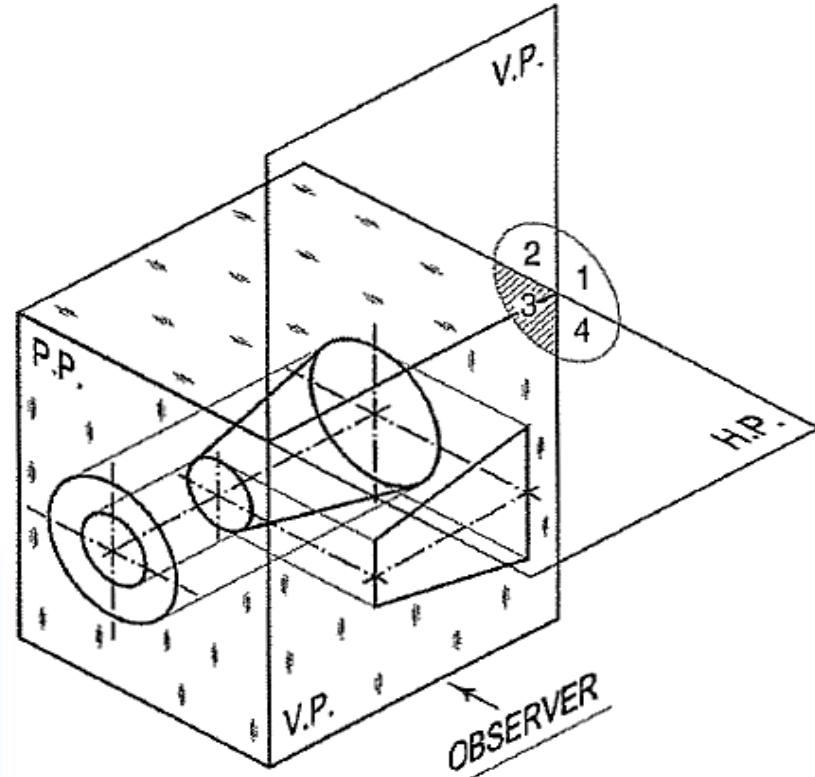
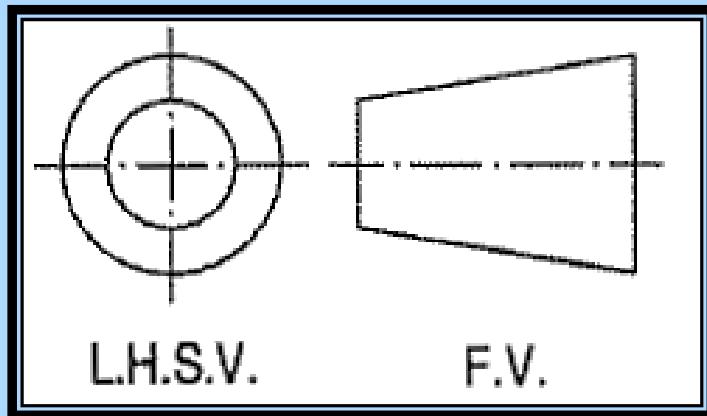
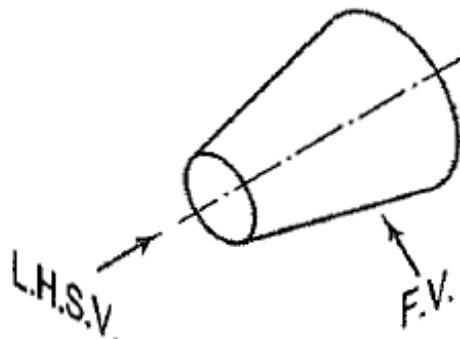
Rays of sight
intersect the V.P.

Planes of projection are
assumed to be transparent



Top view comes above the front view.

Graphical Symbol of Third Angle Projection

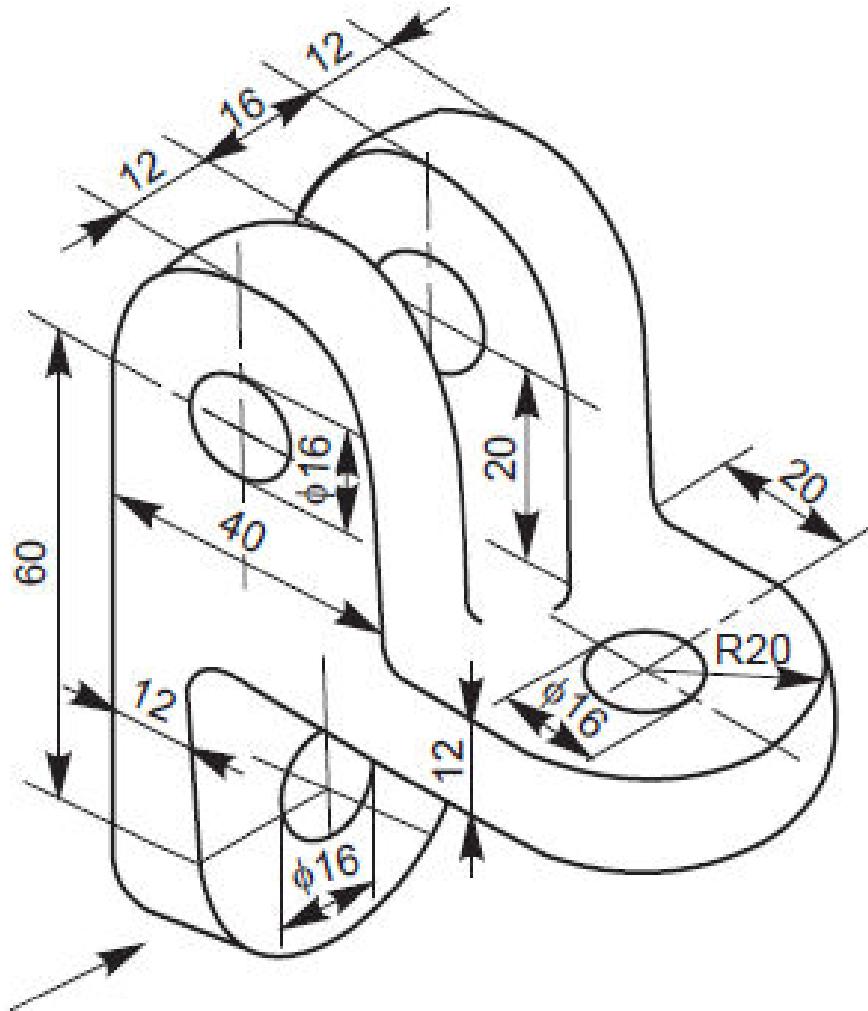


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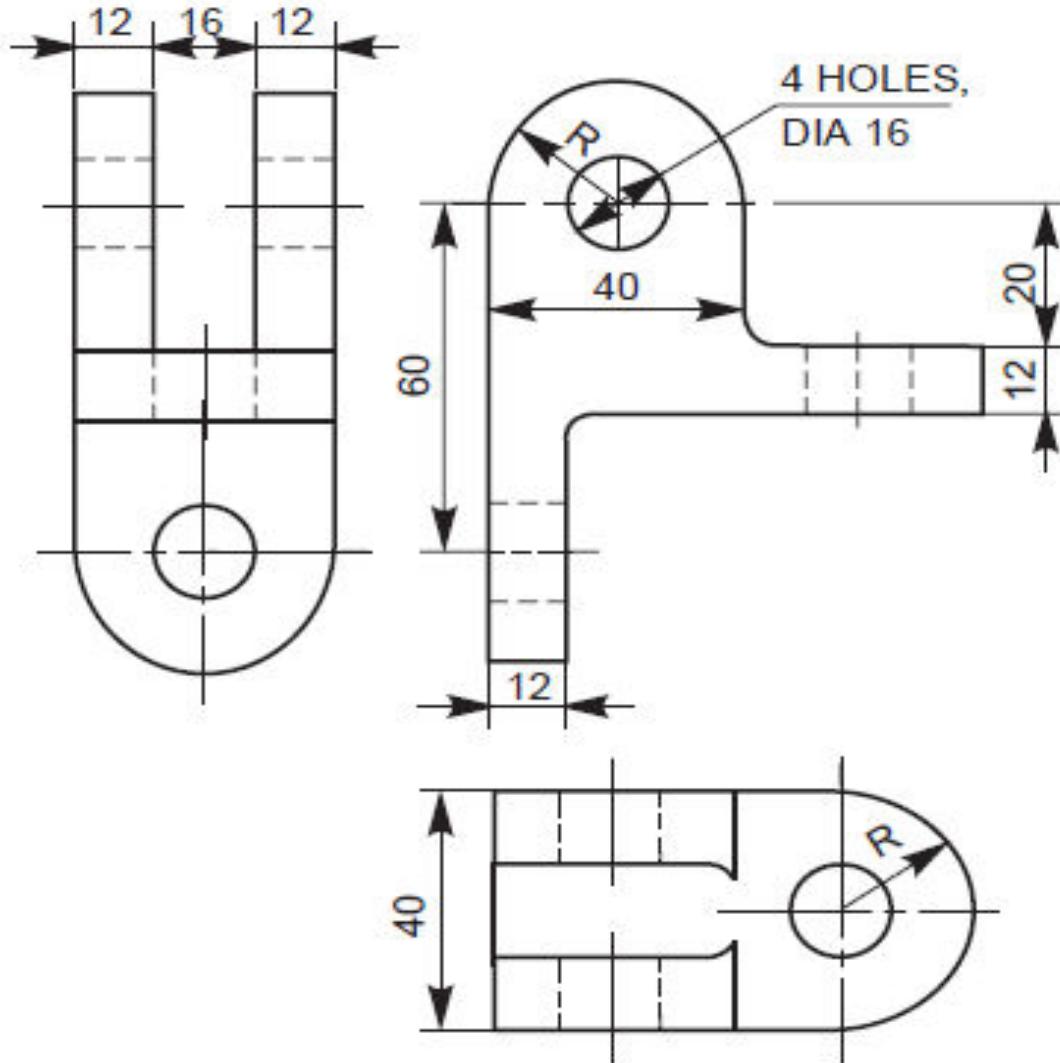
1st & 3rd Angle Projection – Comparison

First Angle Projection	Third Angle Projection
The object is kept in the first quadrant.	The object is assumed to be kept in the third quadrant.
The object lies between the observer and the plane of projection.	The plane of projection lies between the observer and the object.
The plane of projection is assumed to be non-transparent.	The plane of projection is assumed to be transparent.
The top view (plan) comes below the Front view (elevation).	The top view (plan) comes above the Front view (elevation).
The view of the object as observed from the left-side is drawn to the right of elevation.	Left hand side view is drawn to the left hand side of the elevation.
This method of projection is now recommended by the "Bureau of Indian Standards' from 1991.	This method of projection is used in U.S.A. and also in other countries.

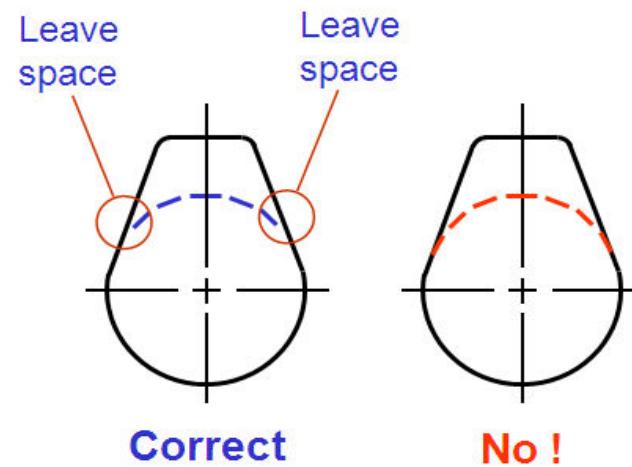
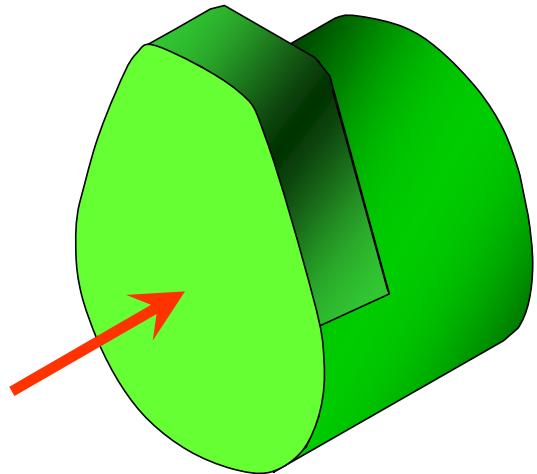
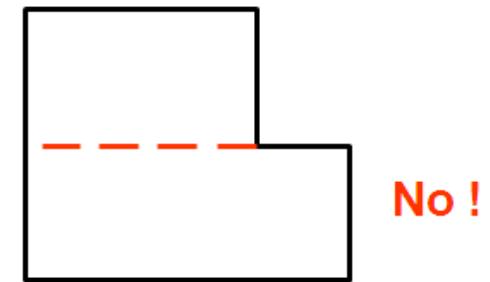
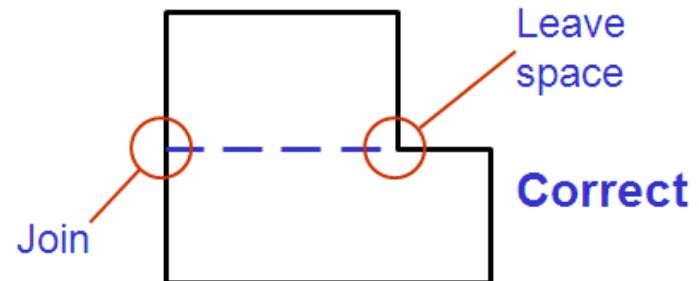
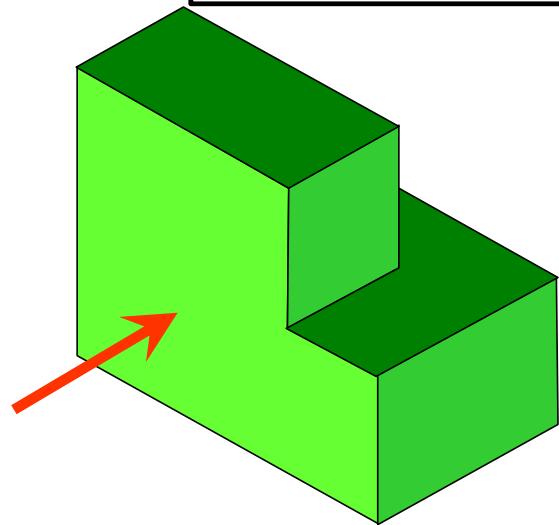
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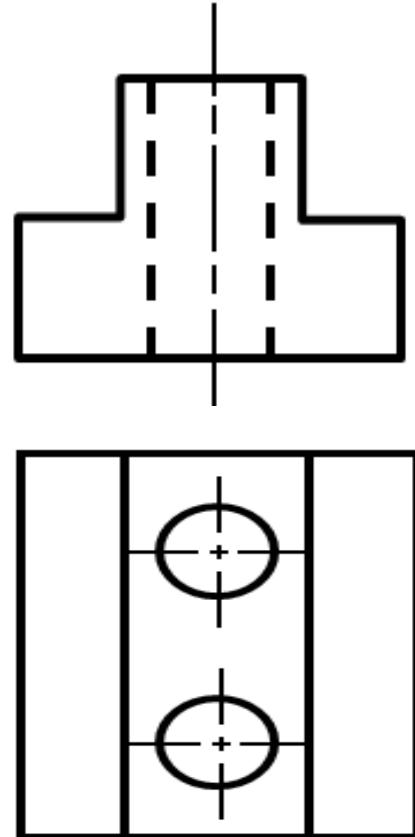
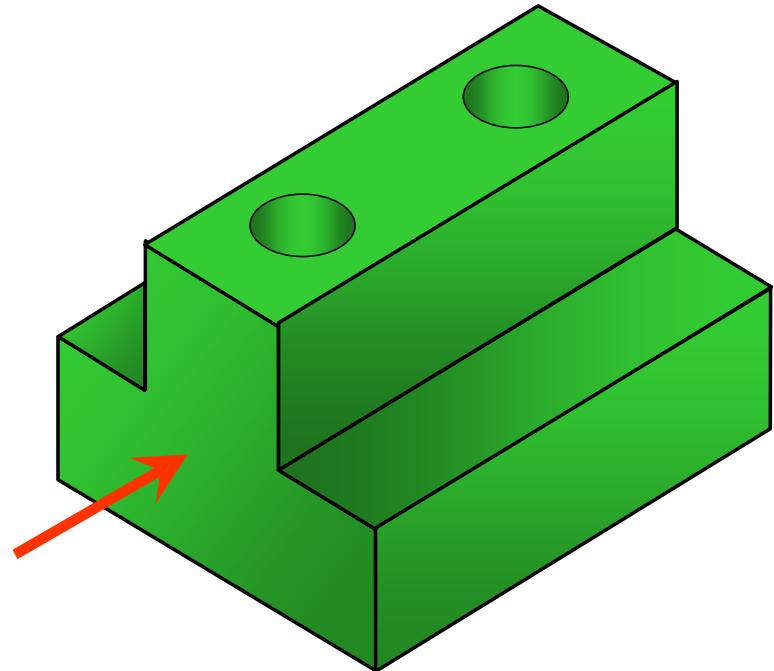
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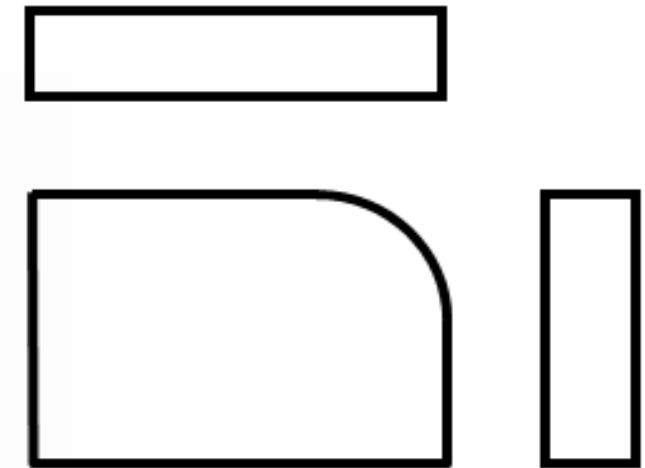
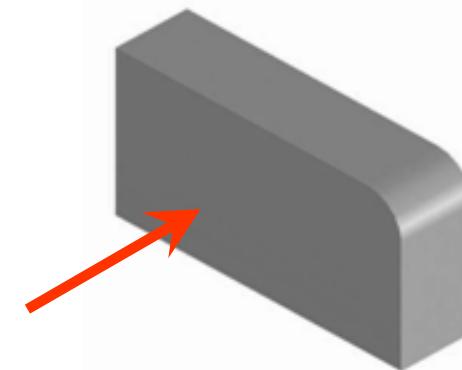
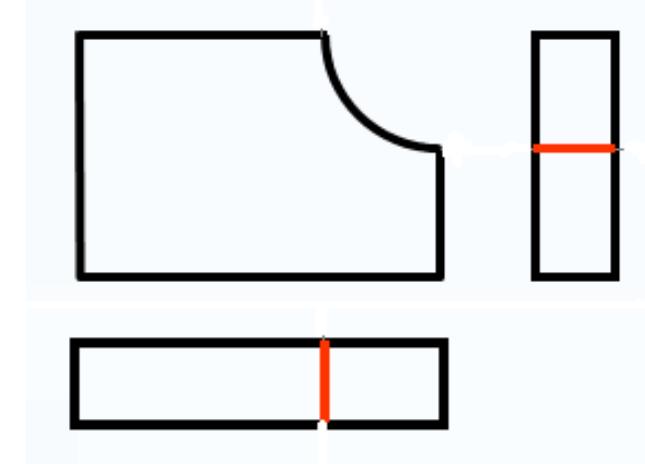
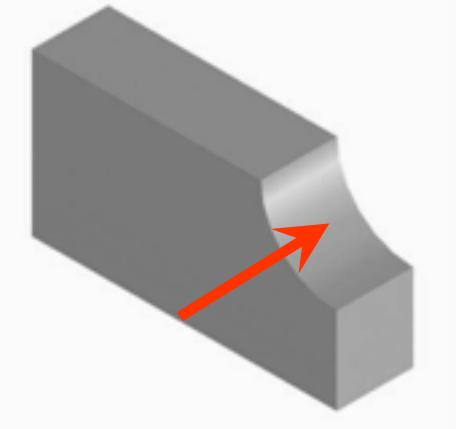
Hidden Edge Representation



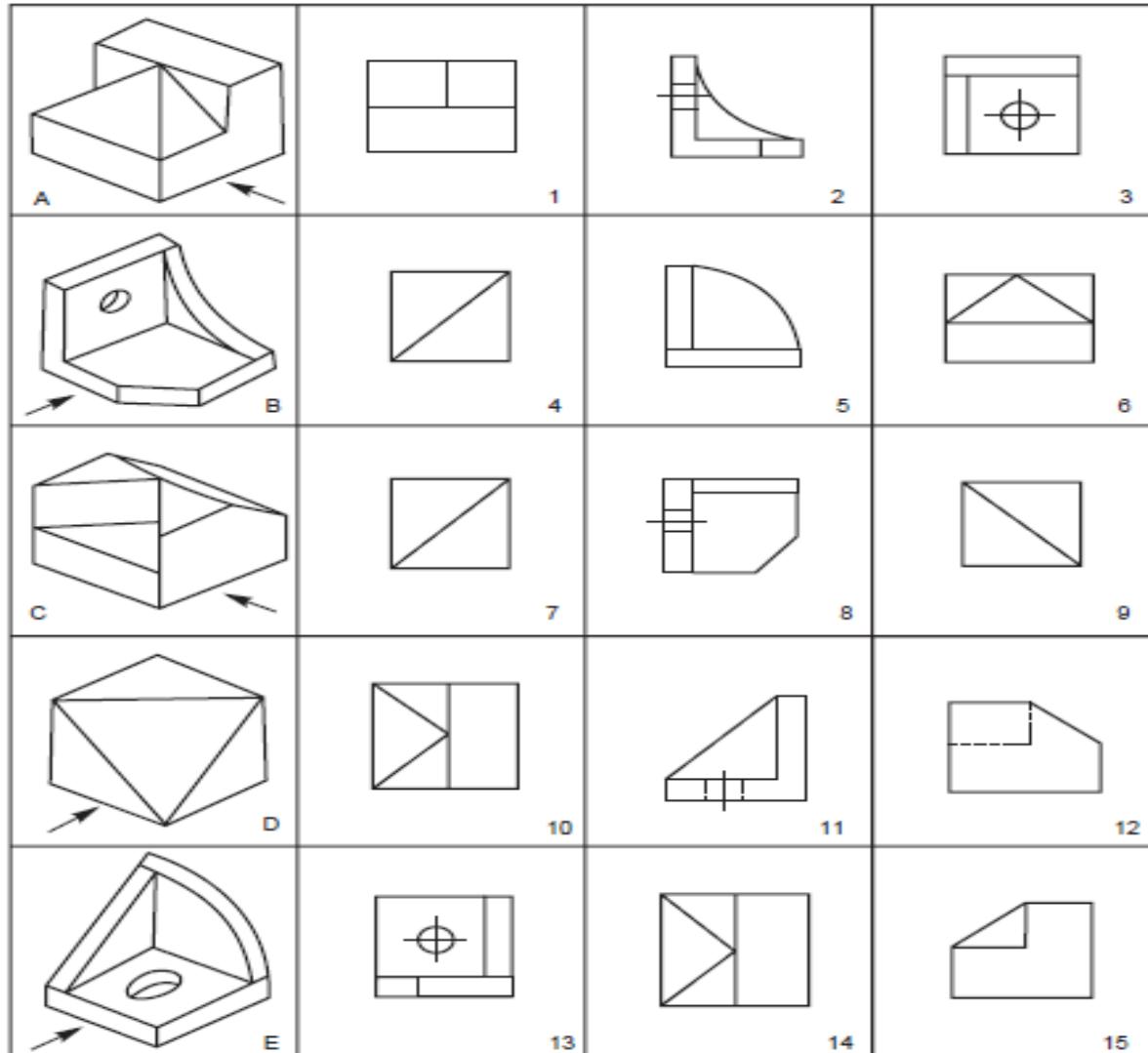
Representation of Holes



Representation of Edges and Fillets

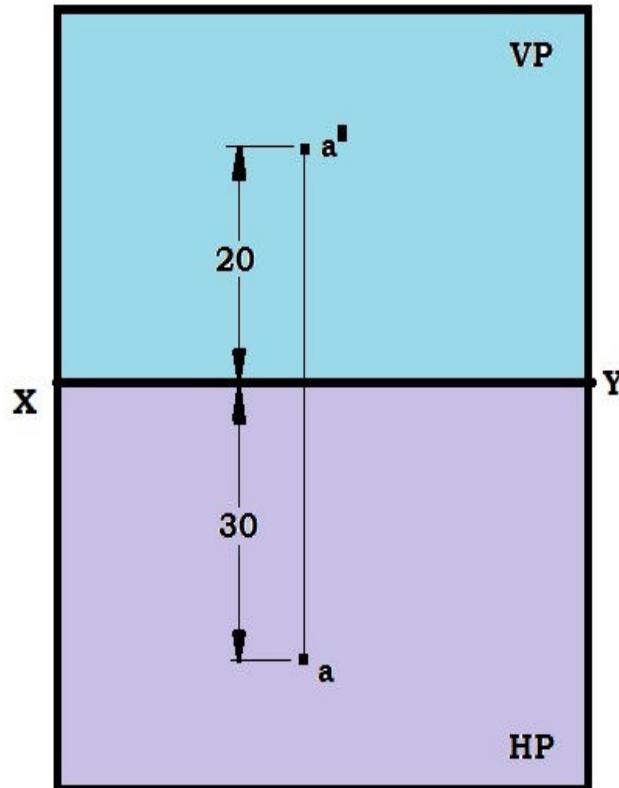


Identify the appropriate orthographic views

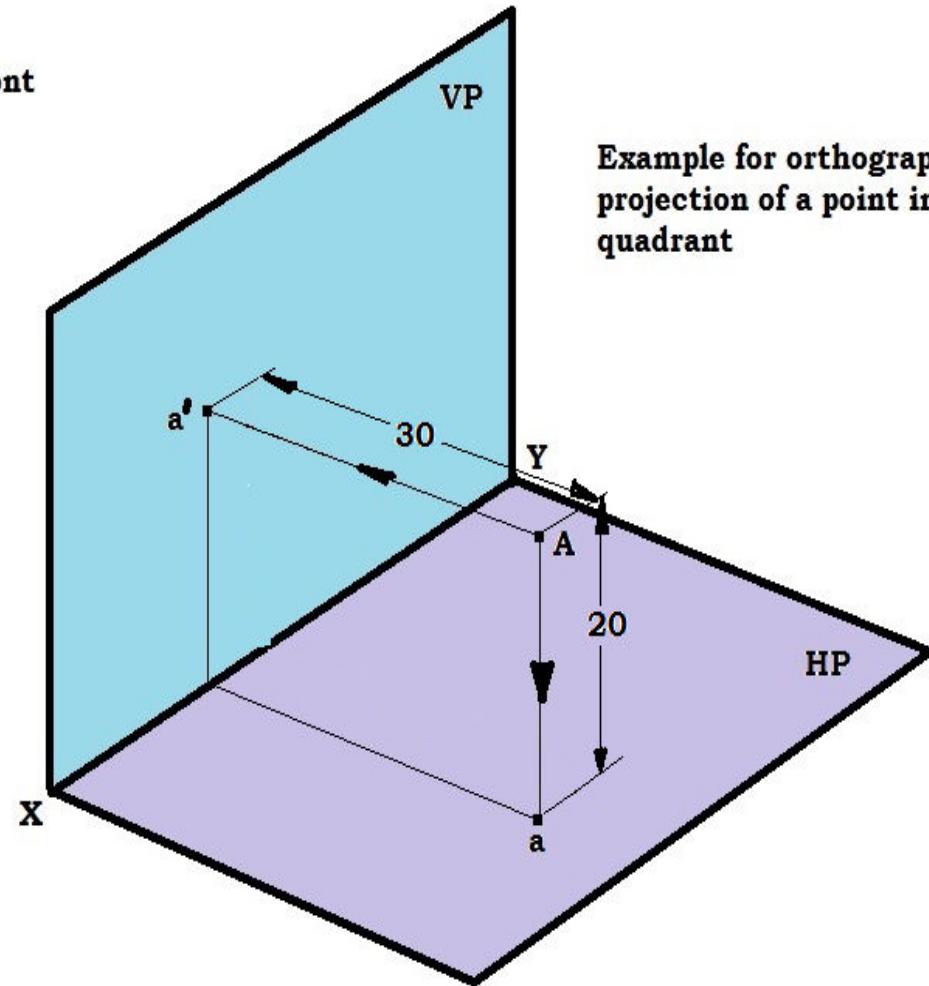


PROJECTION OF POINTS – Ist QUADRANT

point A, 20 mm above HP & 30 mm in front of VP

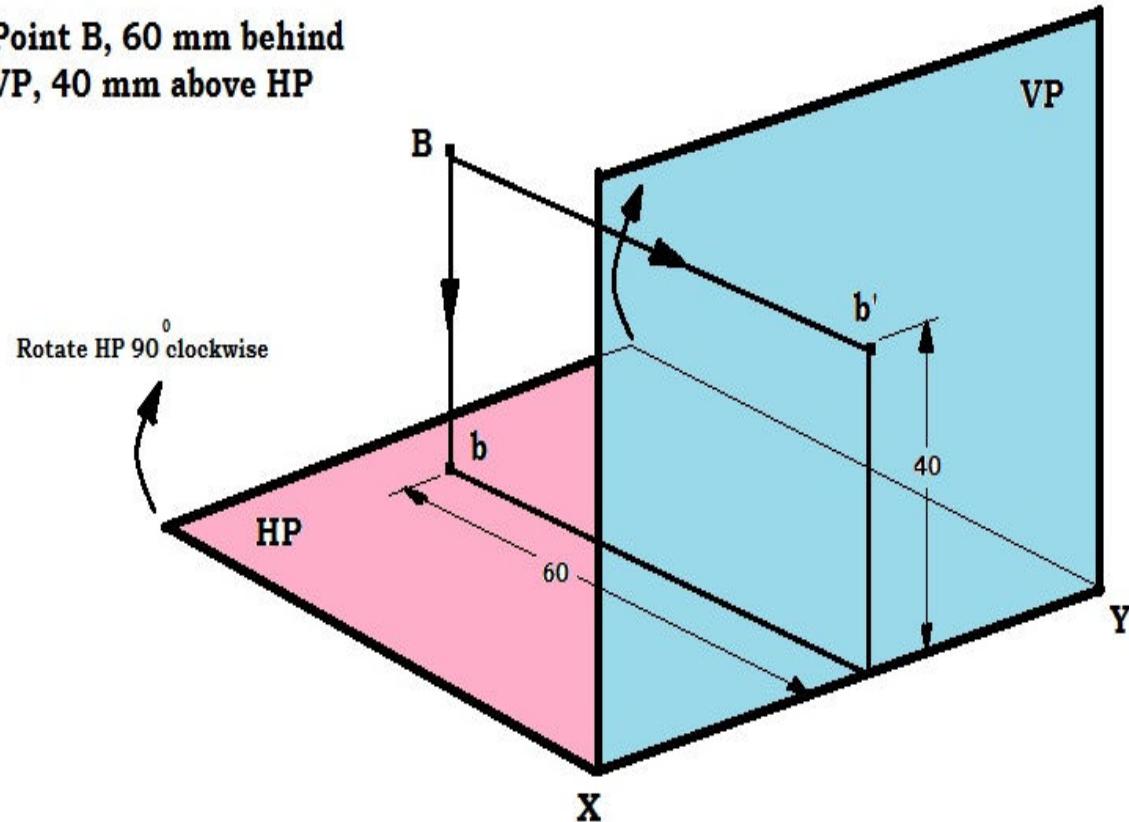


Example for orthographic projection of a point in Ist quadrant

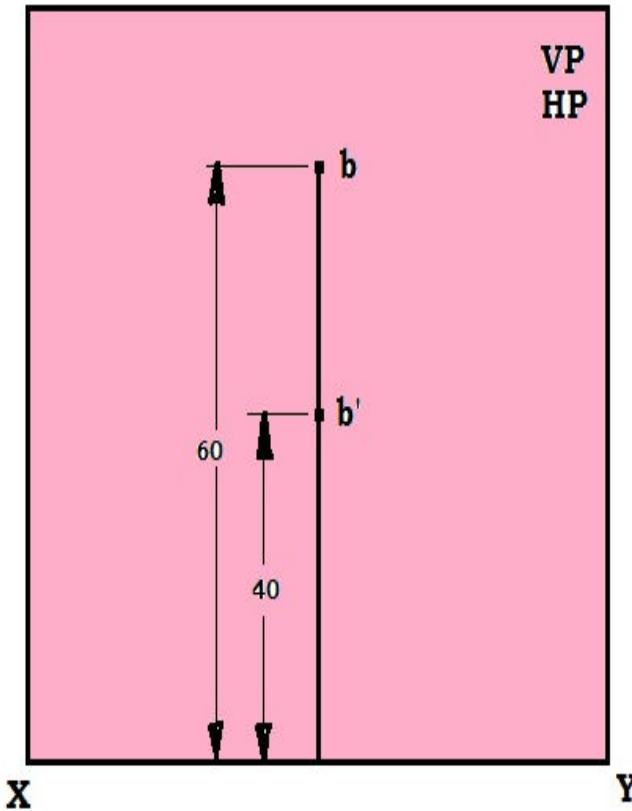


Projection Of Points – IInd QUADRANT

Point B, 60 mm behind VP, 40 mm above HP

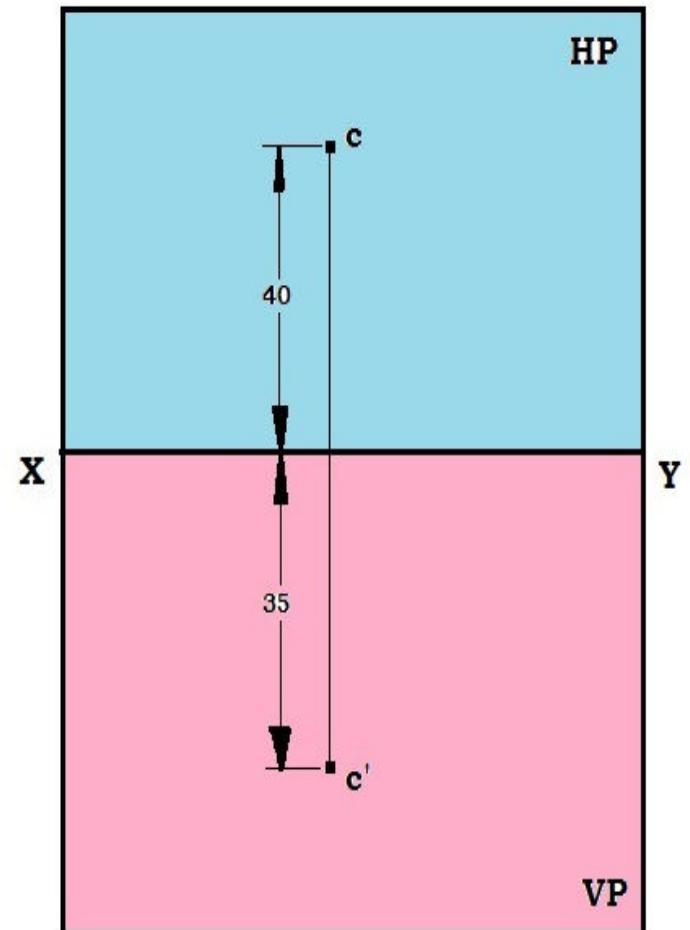
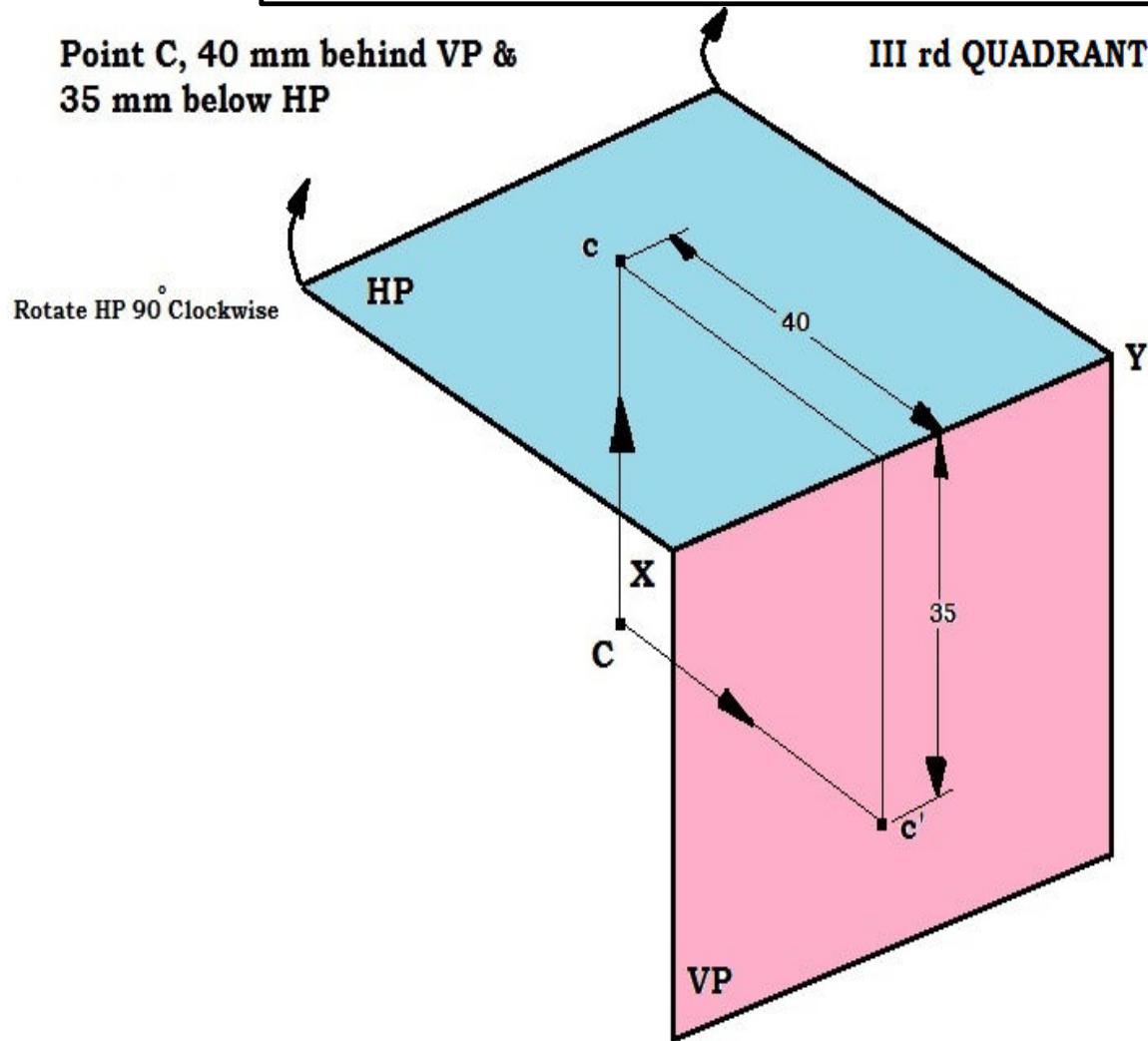


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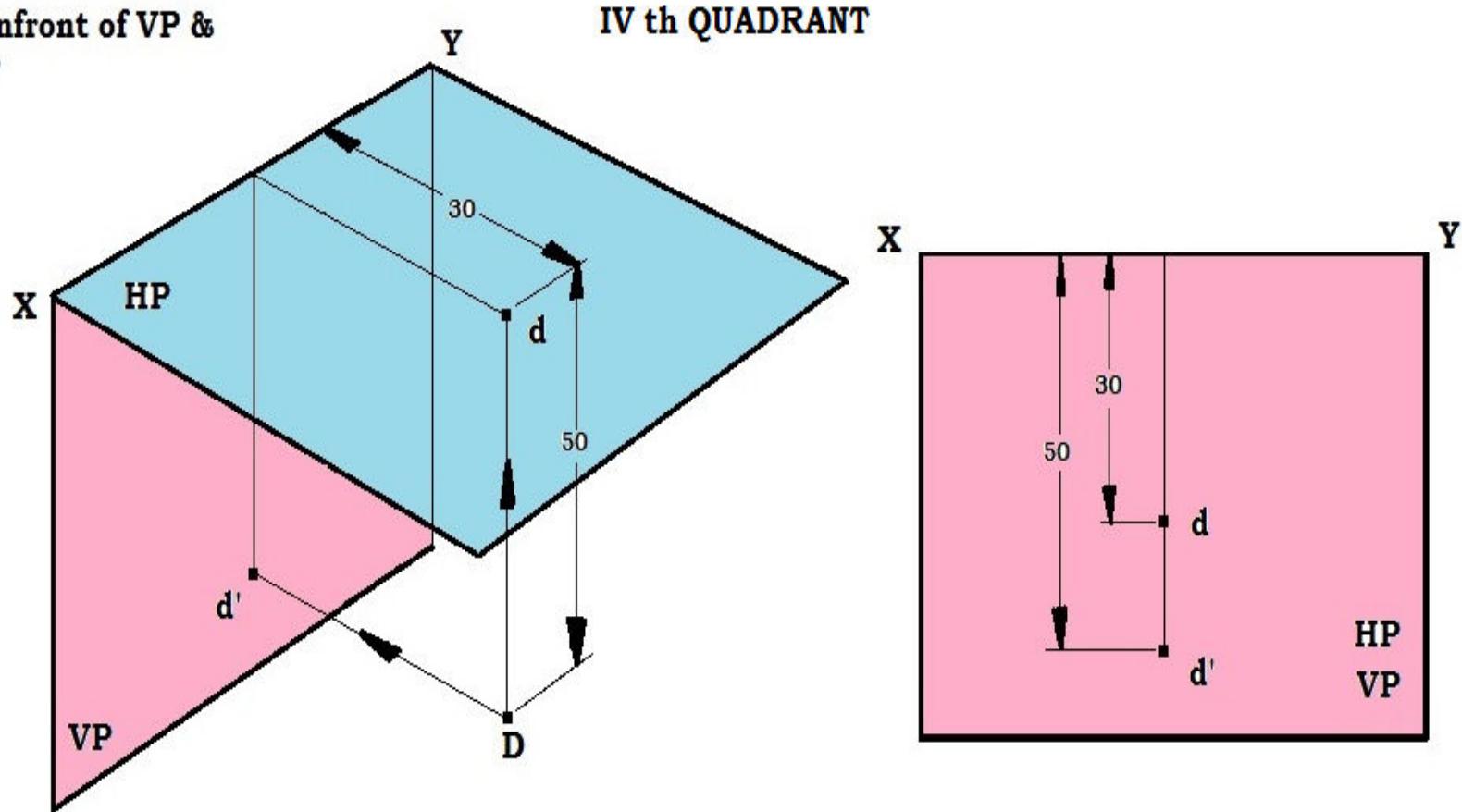
Projection Of Points – IIIrd QUADRANT

Point C, 40 mm behind VP &
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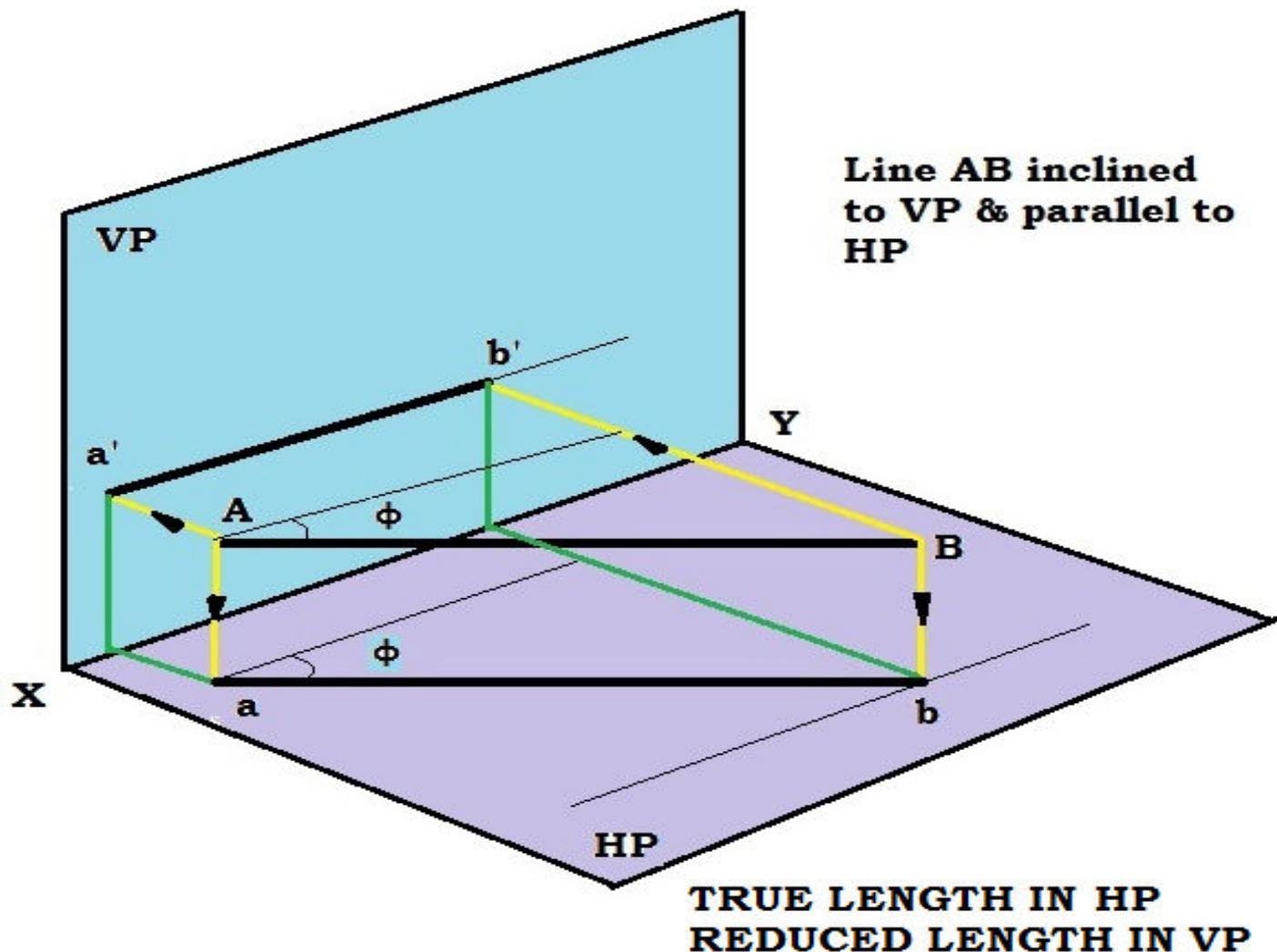


Projection Of Points – IVth QUADRANT

Point D, 30mm infront of VP &
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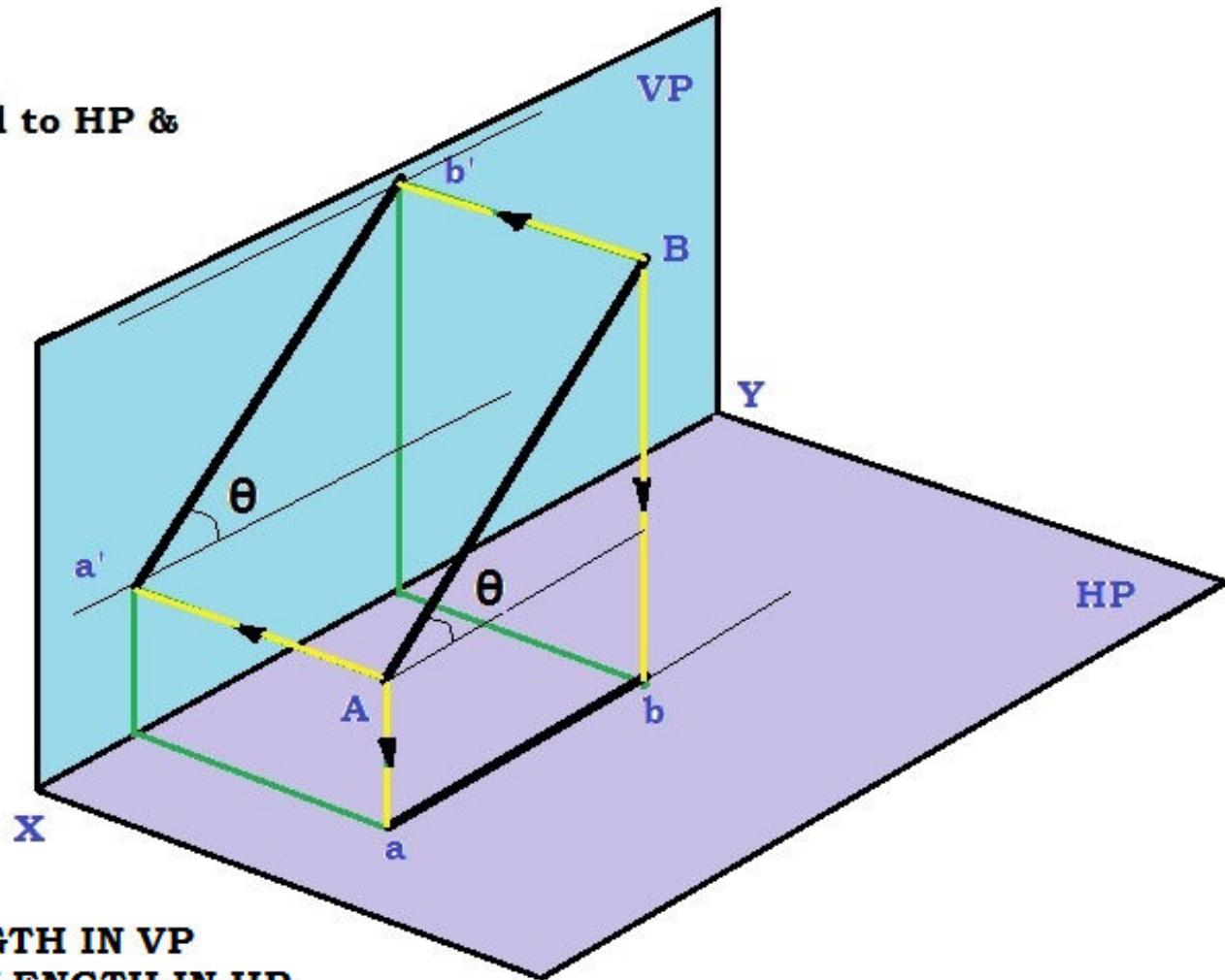


Projection of Straight Line – 1st QUADRANT



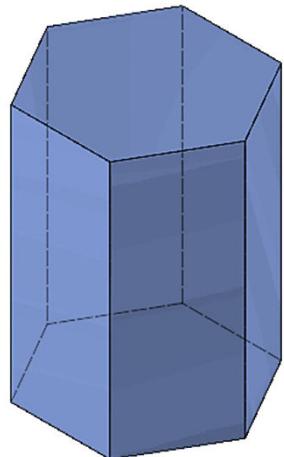
Projection of Straight Line – 1st QUADRANT

**Line AB inclined to HP &
Parallel to VP**

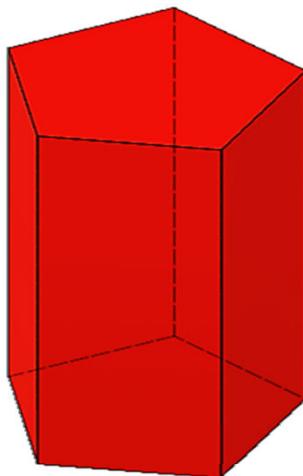


Regular Solids

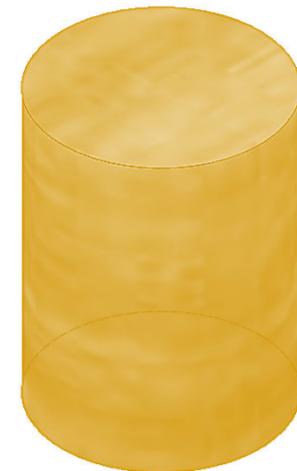
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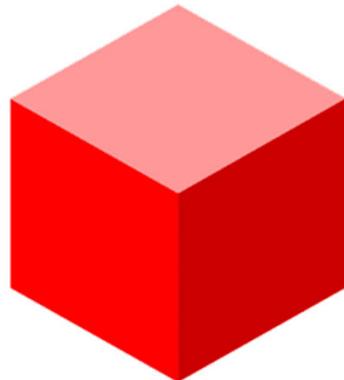
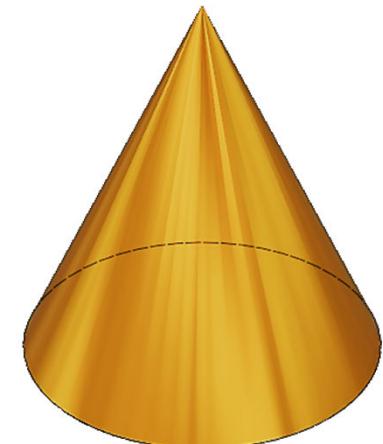
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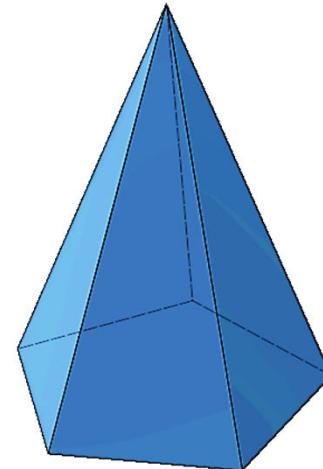
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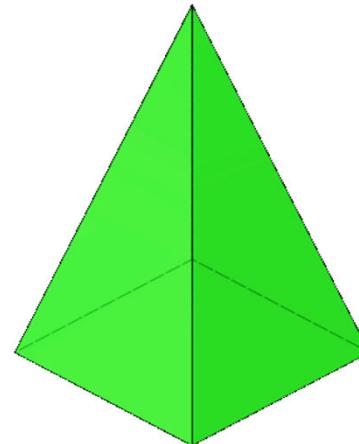
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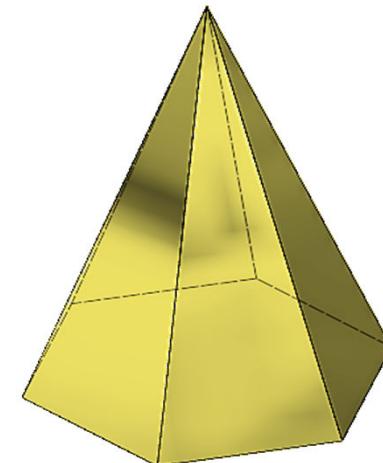
Cube



Pentagonal Pyramid



Square Pyramid



Hexagonal Pyramid

Types of Solids

Solids are divided into two main groups.

- **Polyhedra** – A solid bounded by planes called faces.

Examples: Prisms, Pyramids, Cube, Tetrahedron, octahedron etc.

- **Solids of Revolution** – A solid generated by the revolution of rectangle or right angle triangle or semi-circle with respect to axis are known as solids of revolution. They are axisymmetric solids.

Examples: Cylinder, Cone, Sphere.

Importance of Regular Solids in Engineering Drawing

- Regular solids are used in engineering drawing because their simple, symmetrical shapes make it easy to understand and practice drawing 3D objects accurately.
- They help teach visualization, projection, and standard drawing techniques clearly and consistently.
- Many complex mechanical parts and surfaces are based on or approximated using regular solids.

Using them in drawings helps:

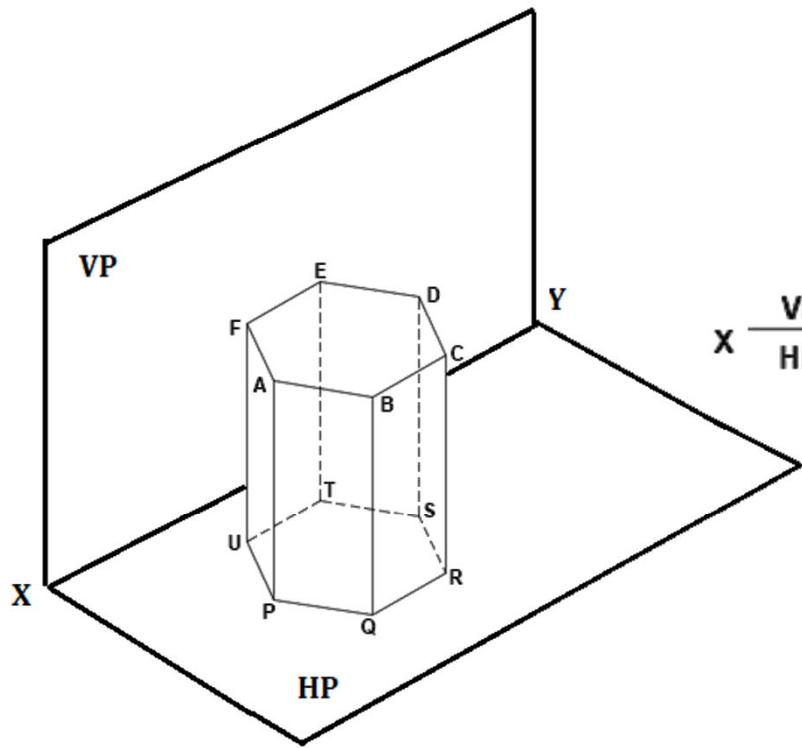
- Break down complex shapes into simpler elements
- Apply geometric transformations like rotation, translation, and scaling

Regular Solid Approximations in real world applications

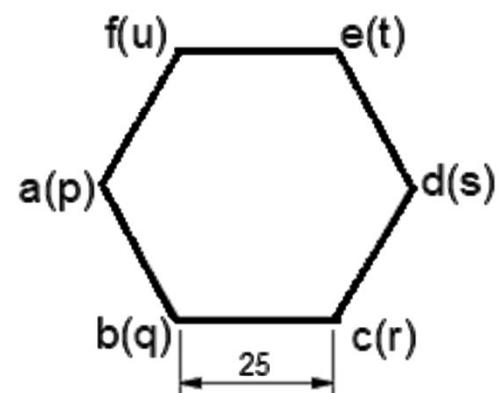
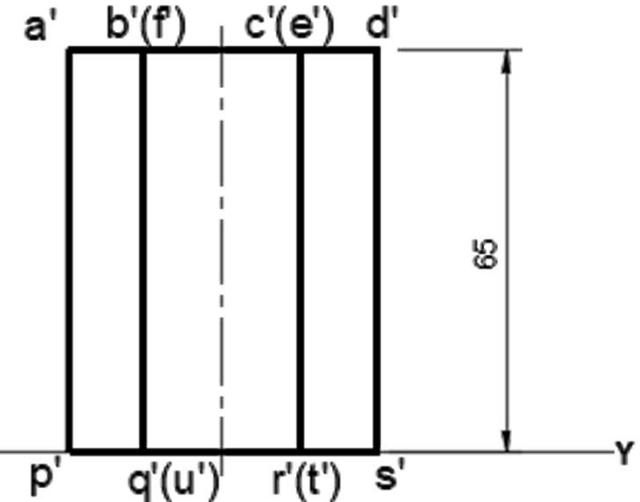


Numerical

Q. A hexagonal prism of base side 25 mm and height 65 mm is resting on HP on its base with one of its base edges parallel to VP. Draw its projections.



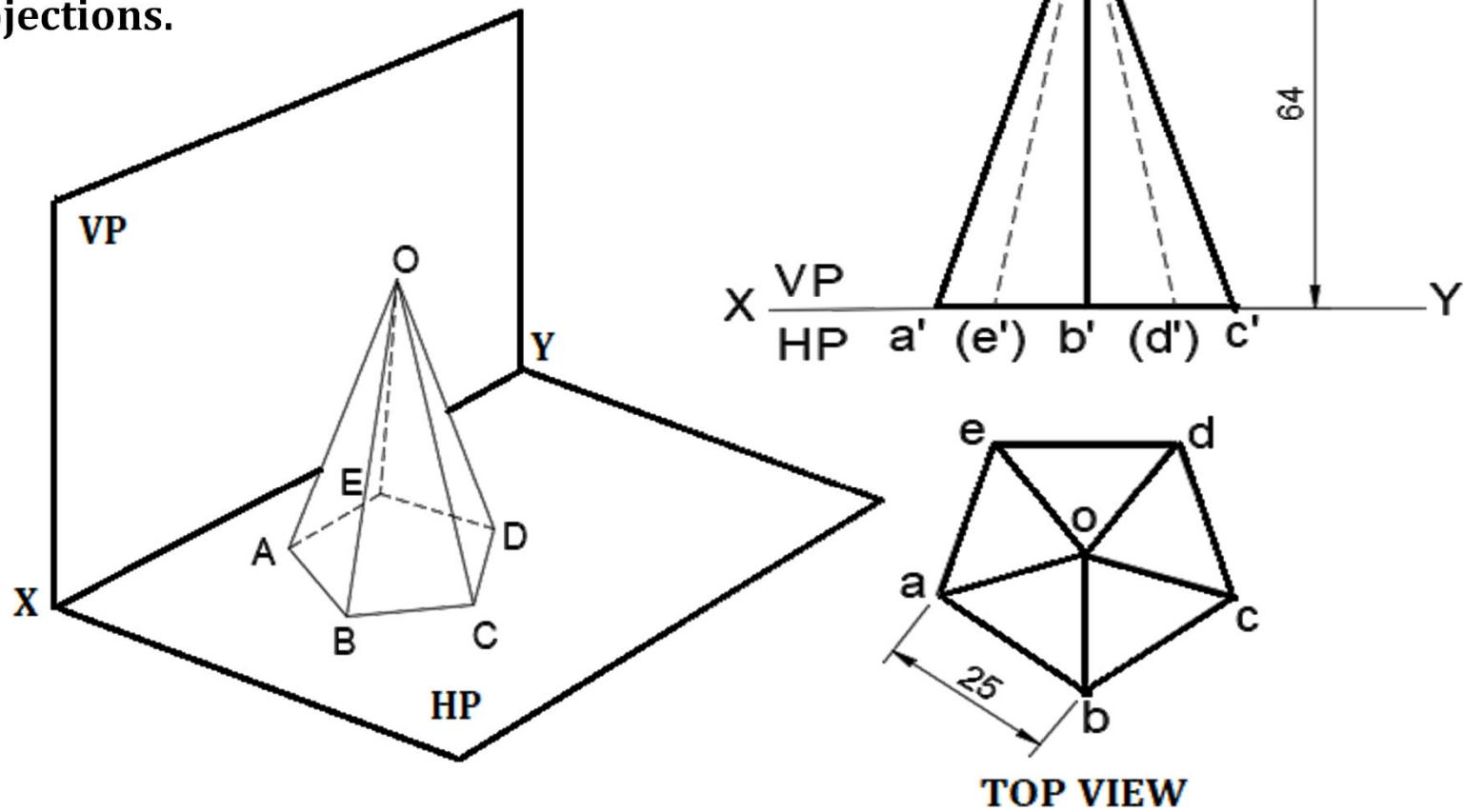
FRONT VIEW



TOP VIEW

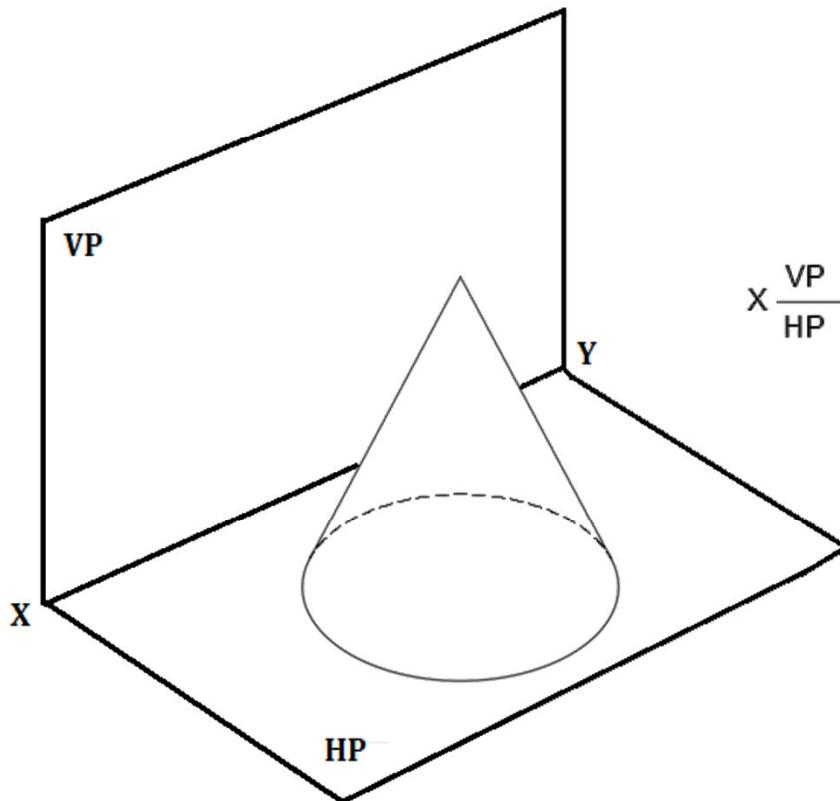
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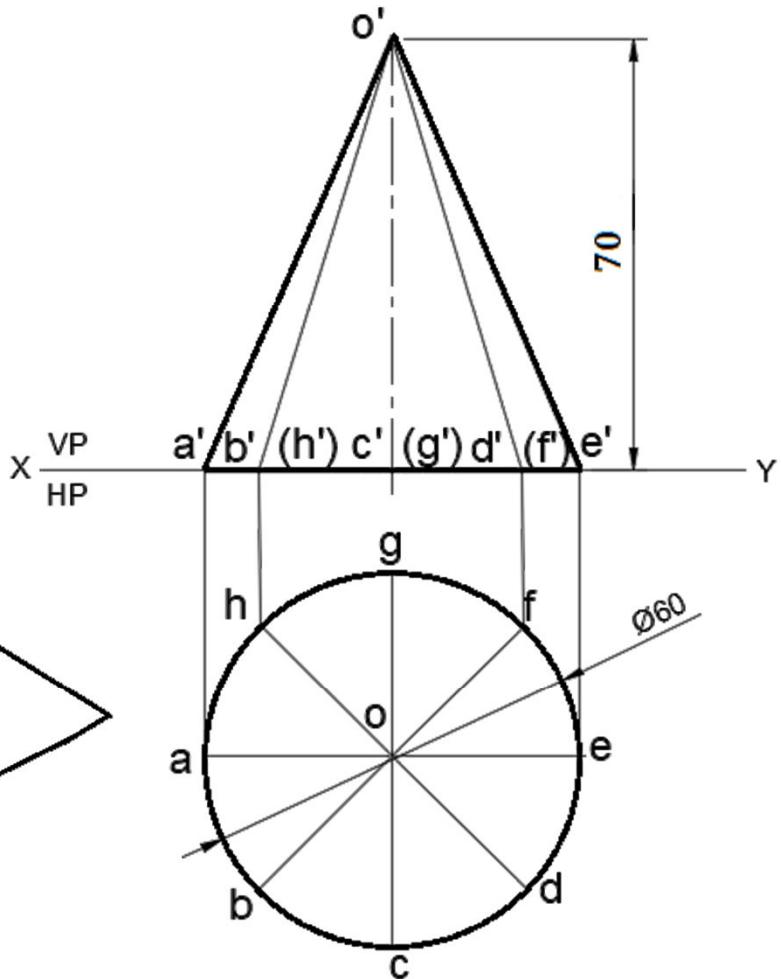


Numerical

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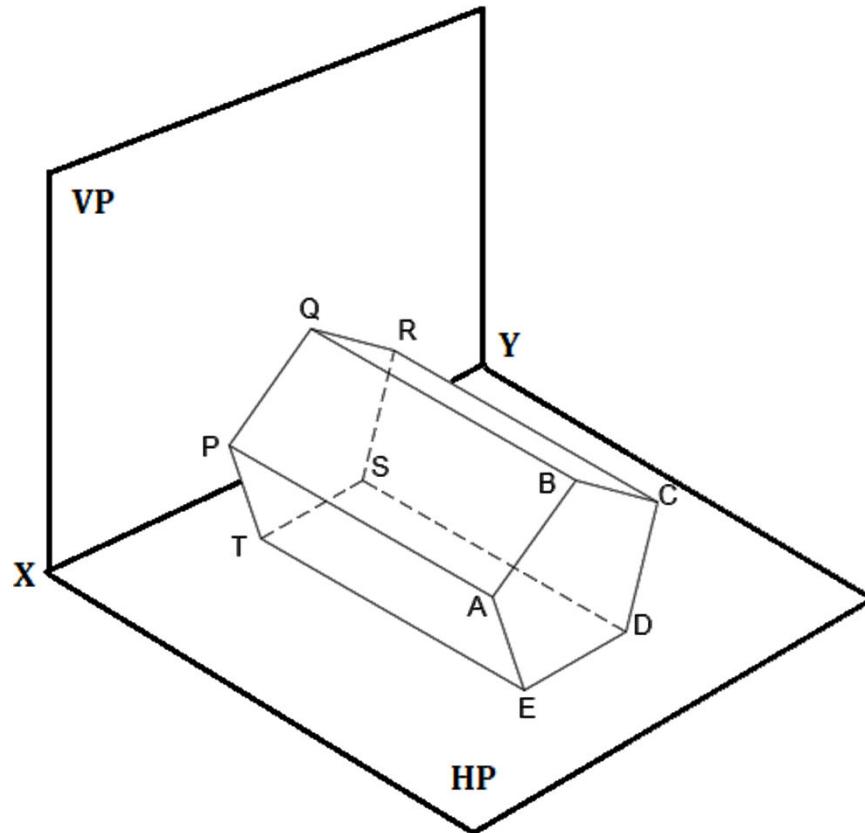
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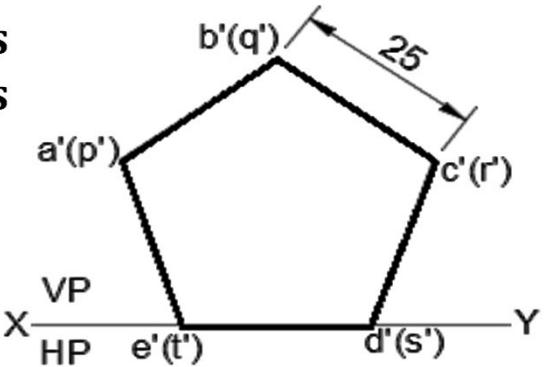
TOP VIEW

Numerical

Q. A pentagonal prism of base side 25mm and height 65 mm is resting on HP on one of its rectangular faces with its axis parallel to HP and perpendicular to VP. Draw its projections.



FRONT VIEW



TOP VIEW

Projection of Solids – Exercise Problems

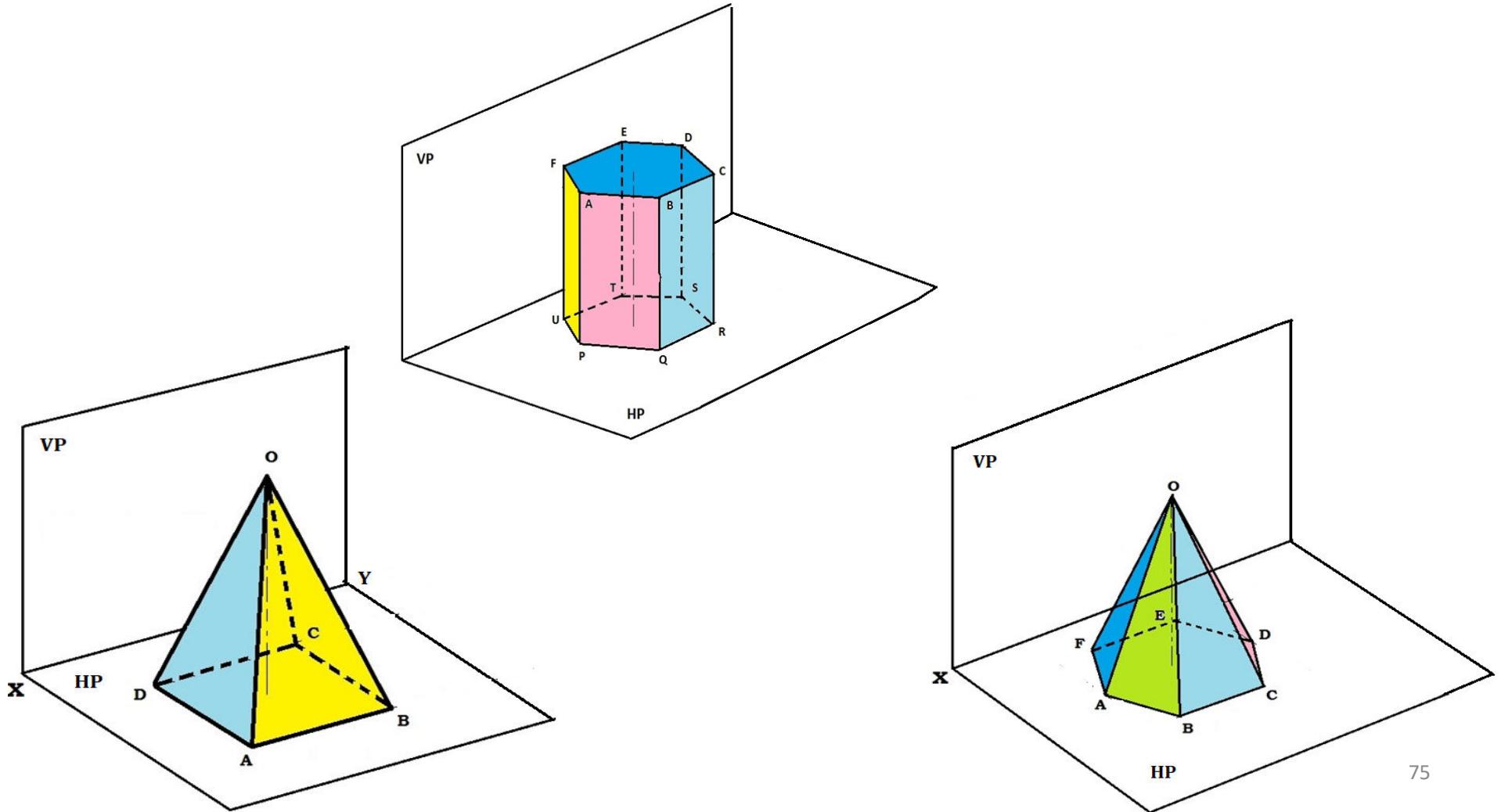
Q. A hexagonal pyramid of base side 20mm and height 65 mm is resting on H.P on its base with one of its base edges 30° inclined to V.P. The axis of the pyramid is parallel to V.P and perpendicular to H.P. Draw its projections.

Q. A cylinder of diameter 65 mm and height 70 mm is resting on H.P on one of its generators with its axis parallel to H.P and perpendicular to V.P. Draw its projections.

Q. A cube of side 40 mm is resting on HP on one of its square faces in such a way that two of its vertical faces are equally inclined to VP. The vertical edge nearer to VP is at a distance of 25 mm from it. Draw its projections.

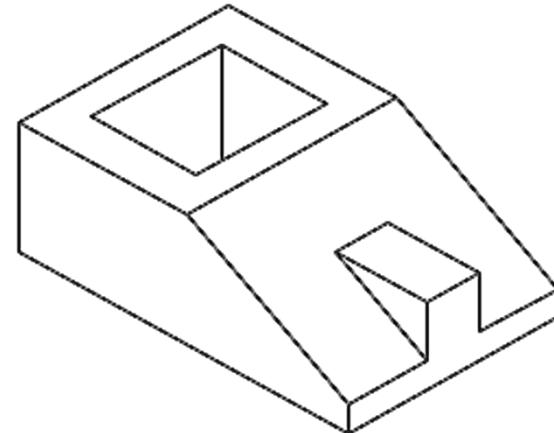
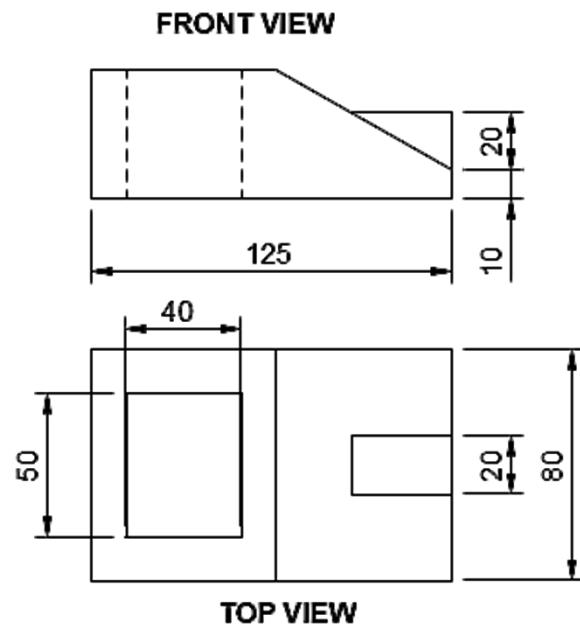
Q. A square pyramid of base side 40 mm and height 60 mm is resting on HP on its base with one of its base edges 35° inclined to VP. The base corner nearer to VP is at a distance of 20 mm from it. Draw its projections.

Define the position of the solids resting in first quadrant.



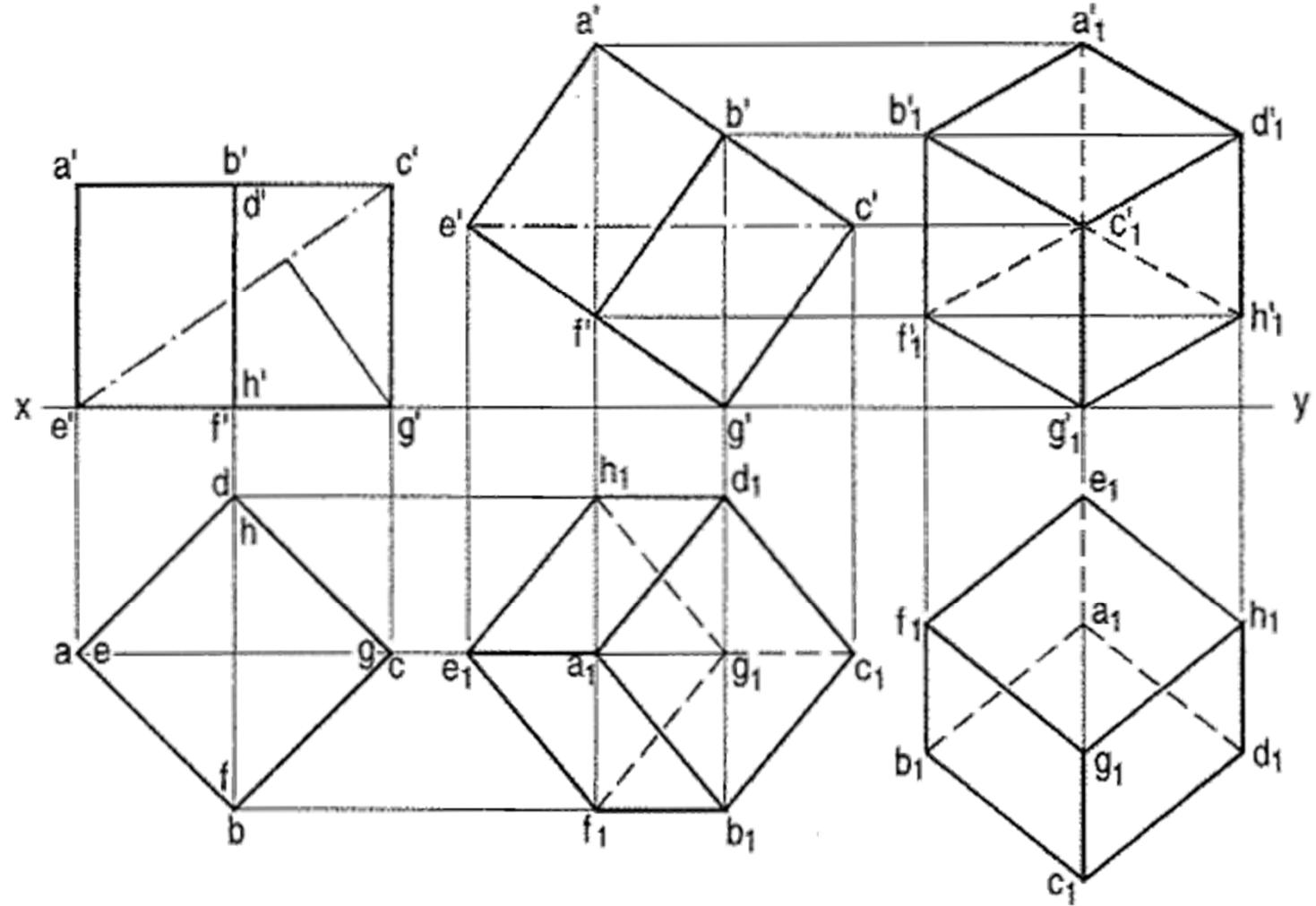
Isometric Projection

- Orthographic projection, including front, top, and side views, can be difficult to interpret as it requires good spatial imagination to visualize the object. However, it is essential for manufacturing, as it provides accurate dimensions and details for production.
- In contrast, isometric projection is a three-dimensional pictorial view that shows all three dimensions in a single image. It helps in easily understanding the shape and structure of the object, making it useful for visualization.

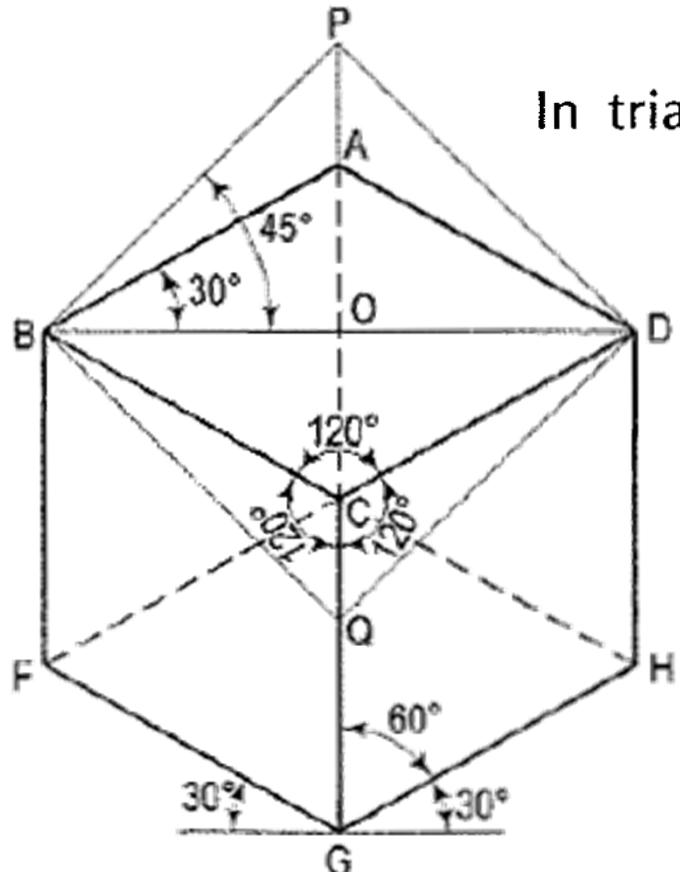


ISOMETRIC VIEW

Isometric Projection of a Cube



Isometric Length & True Length Relation



$$\text{In triangle } ABO, \frac{BA}{BO} = \frac{1}{\cos 30^\circ} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\text{In triangle } PBO, \frac{BP}{BO} = \frac{1}{\cos 45^\circ} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{1}$$

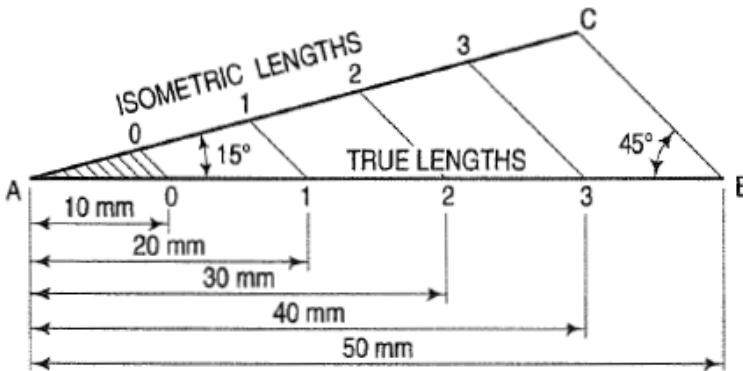
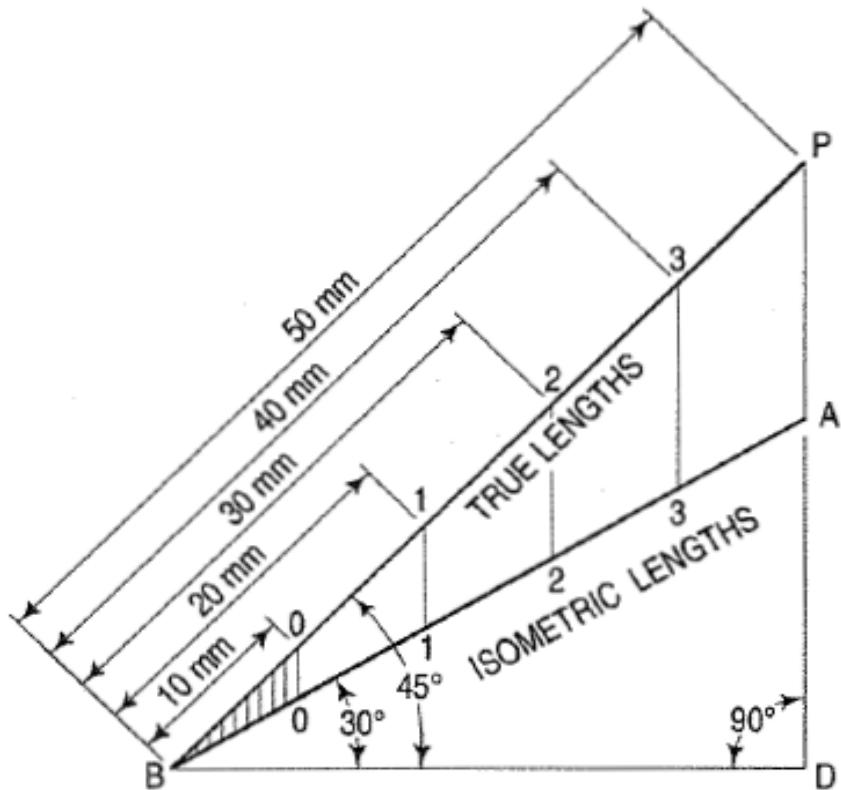
$$\frac{BA}{BP} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}} = 0.815$$

The ratio, $\frac{\text{isometric length}}{\text{true length}} = \frac{BA}{BP}$

$$\frac{BA}{BP} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}} = 0.815 \text{ or } \frac{9}{11}$$

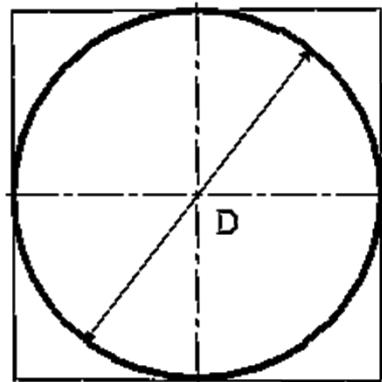
Isometric Length & True Length Relation

- While drawing Isometric projection, it is necessary to convert true lengths into isometric lengths for measuring and marking the sizes.
- This is conveniently done by constructing and make use of an isometric scale.

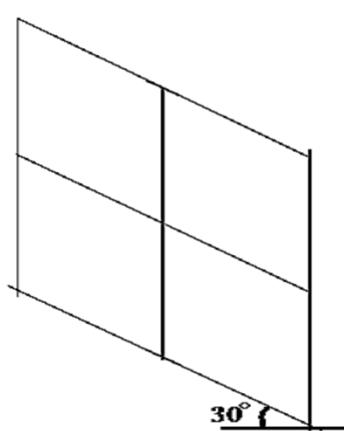


Isometric view of a circle

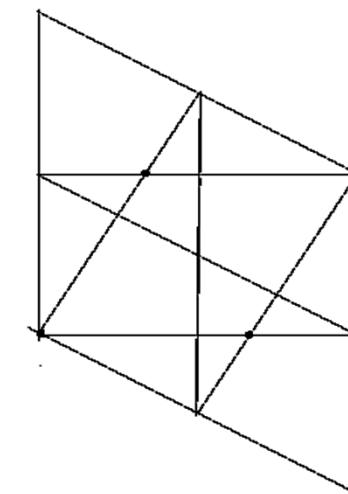
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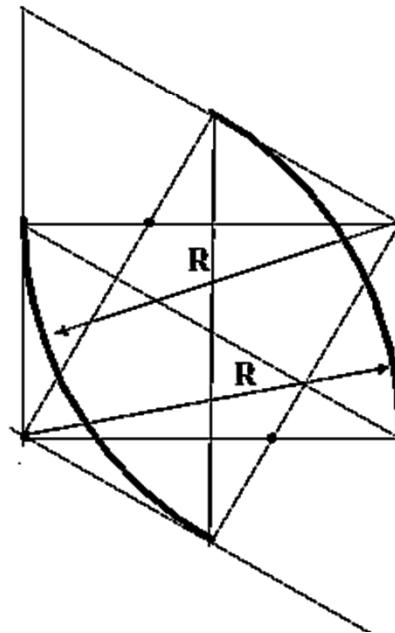
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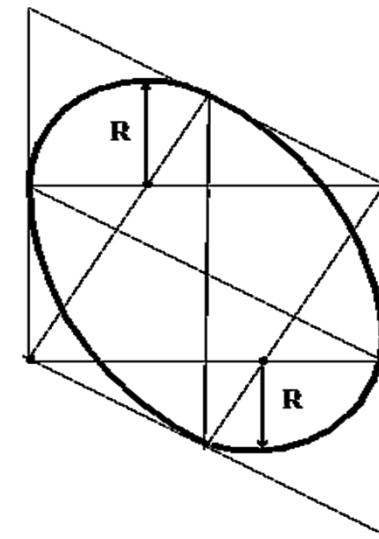
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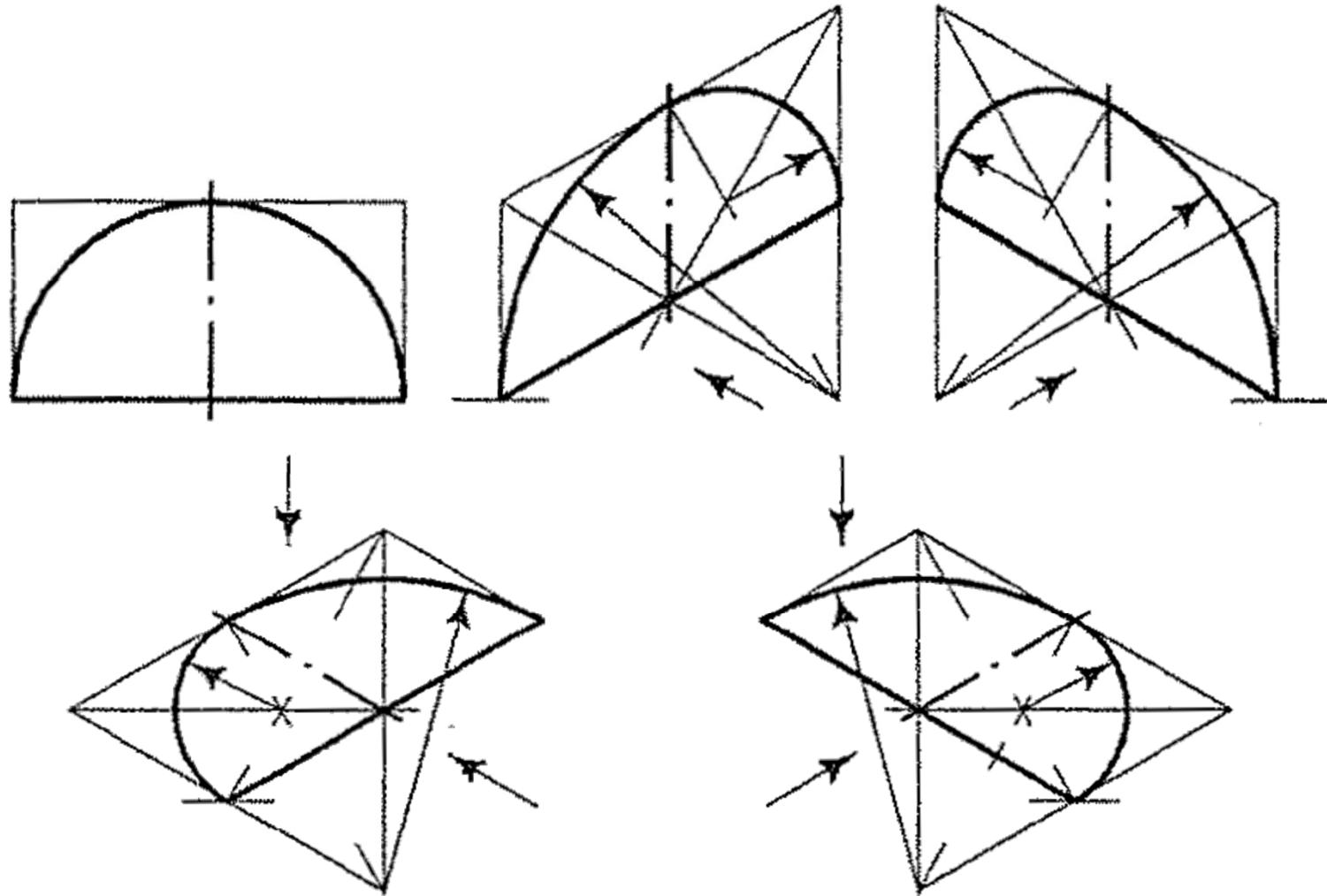
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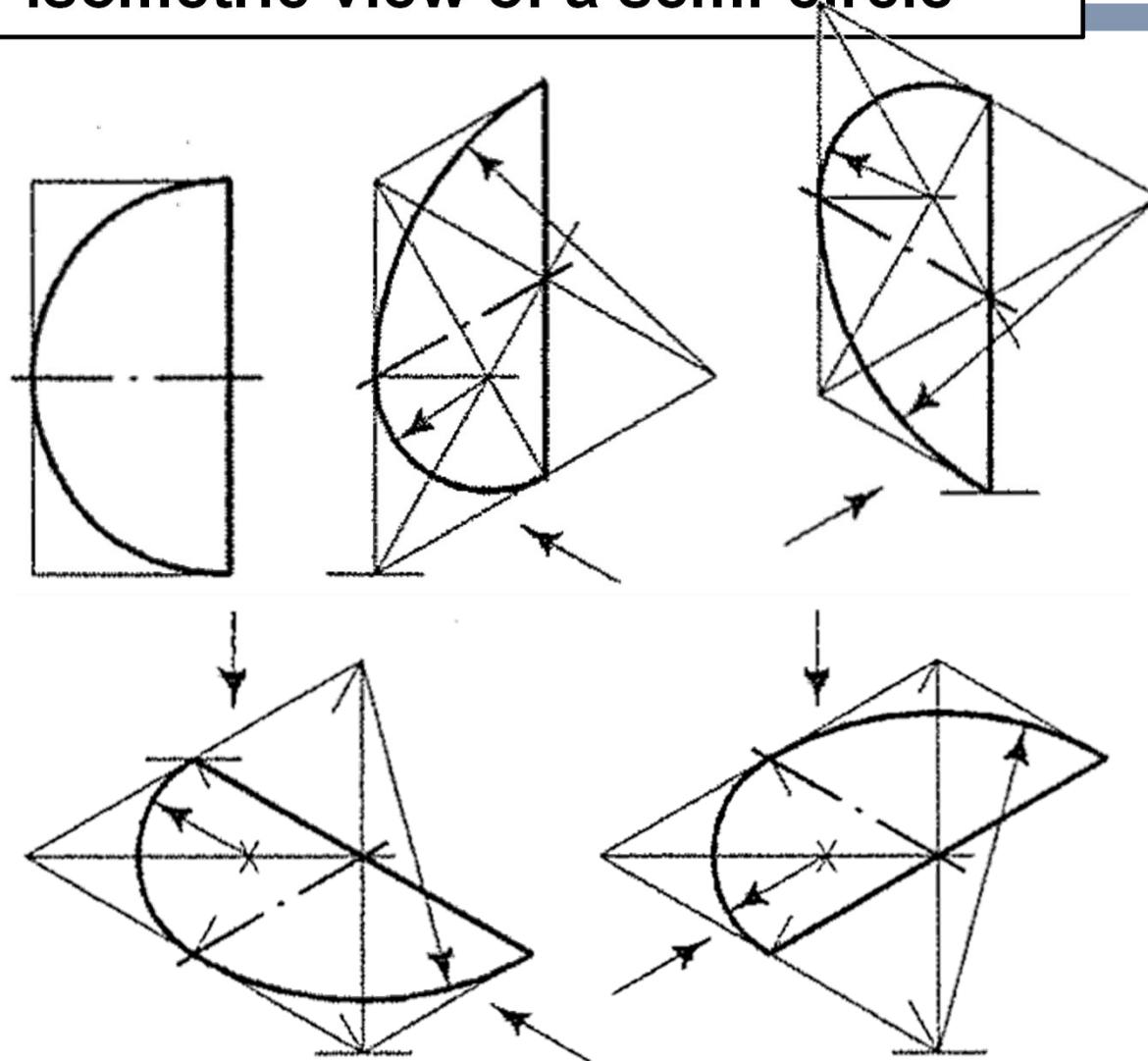
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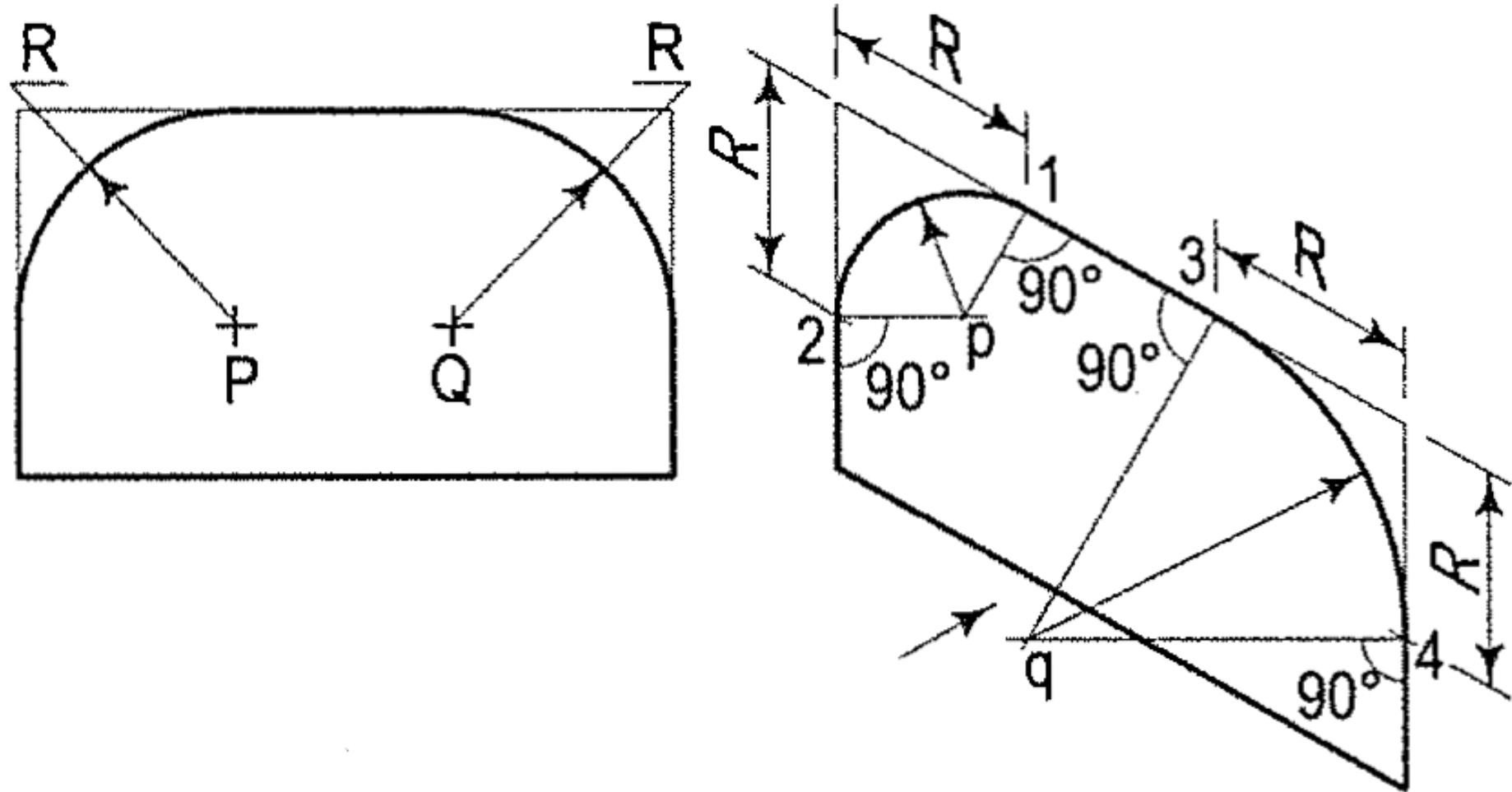
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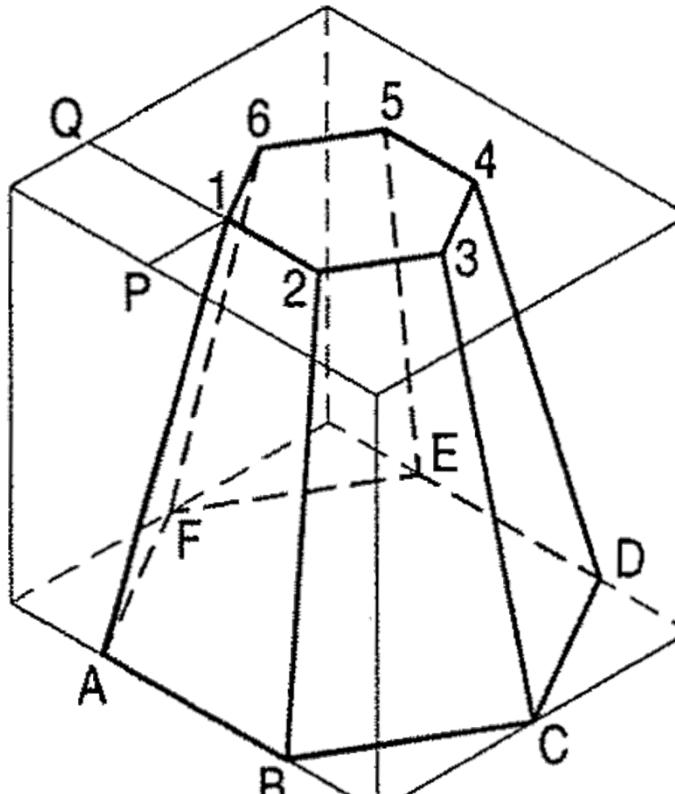
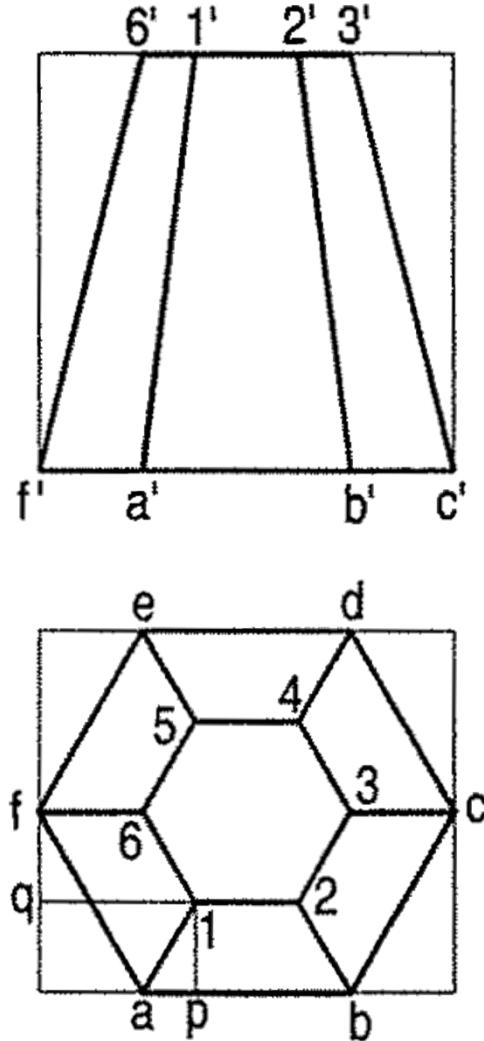
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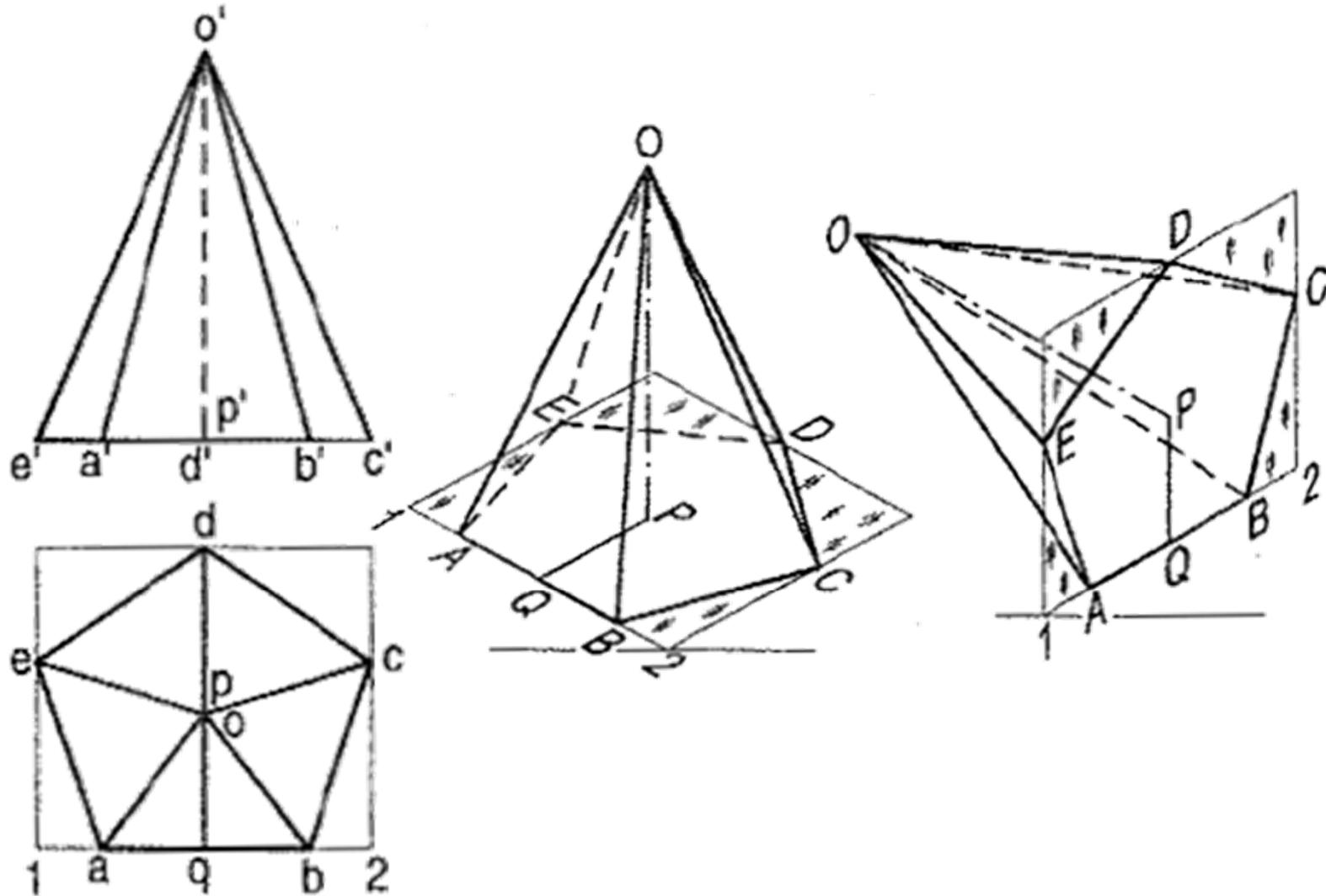
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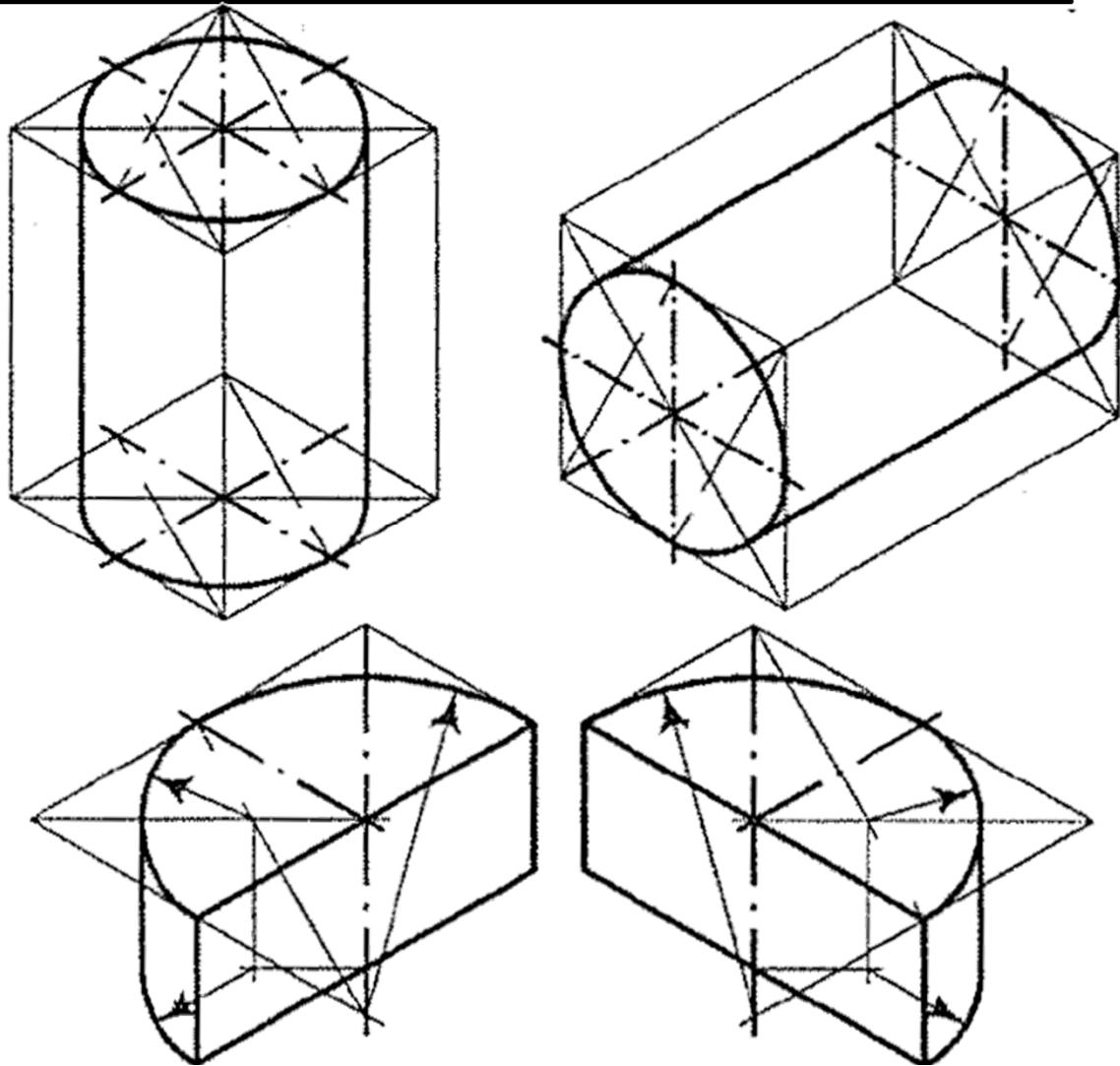
Isometric view of the frustum of a hexagonal pyramid



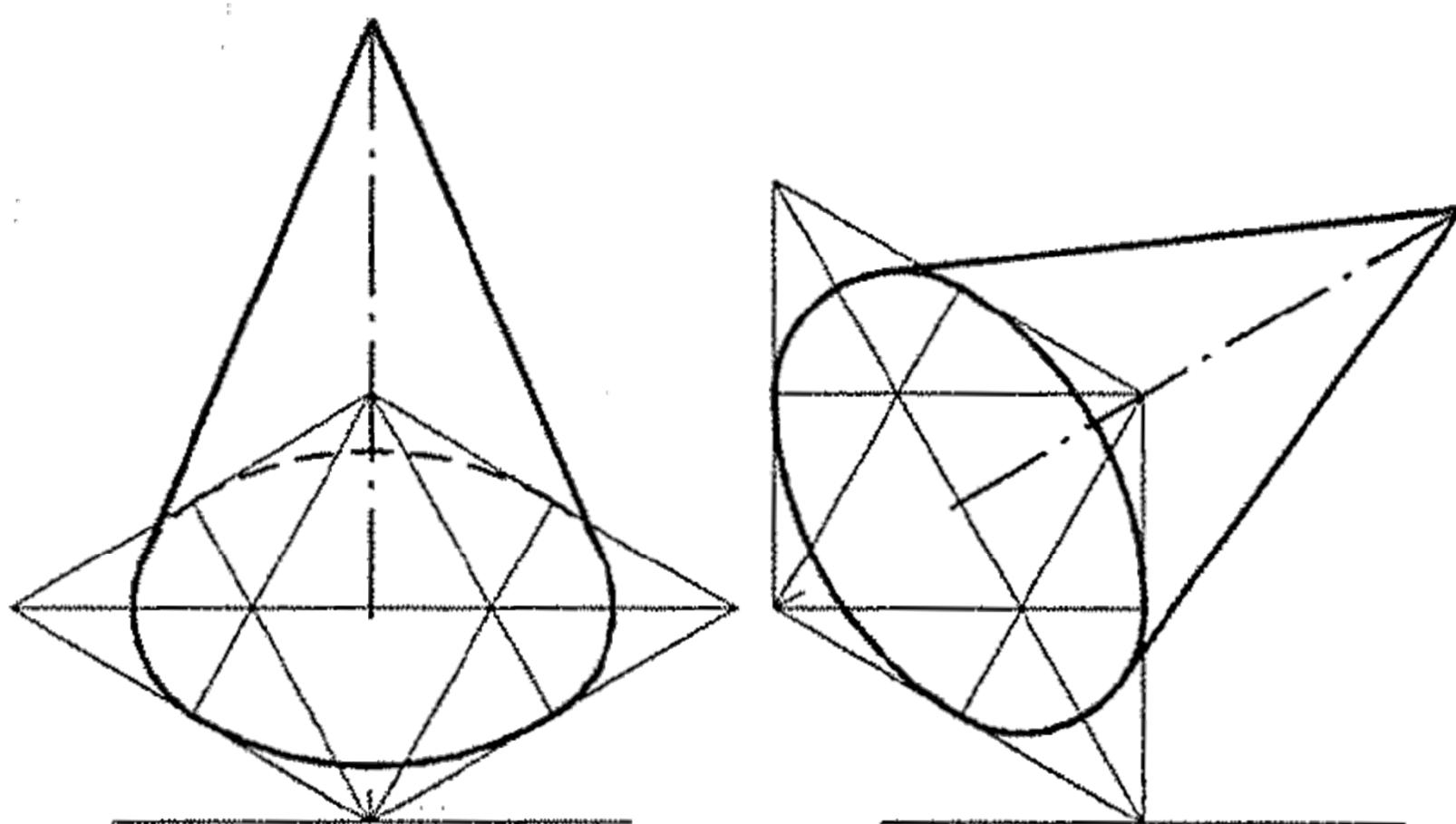
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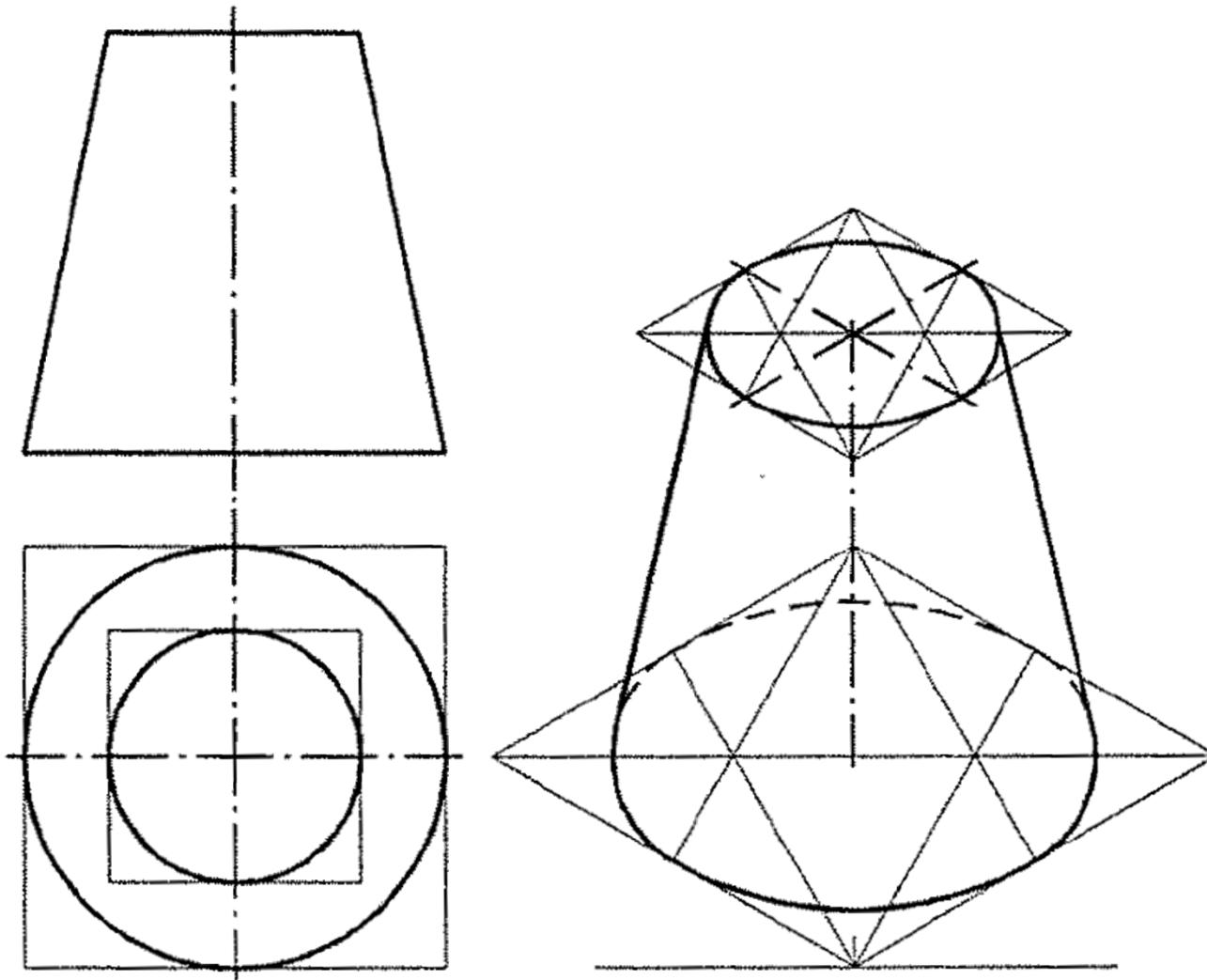
Isometric view of the cylinder and semi-circular disc



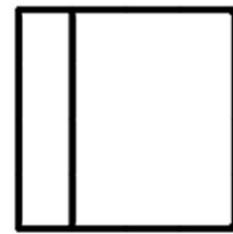
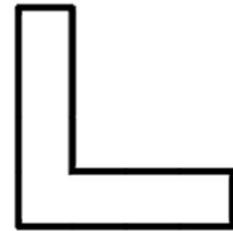
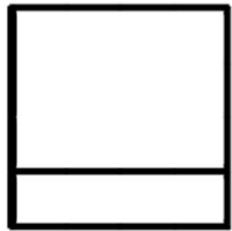
Isometric view of the cone



Isometric view of the frustum of a cone



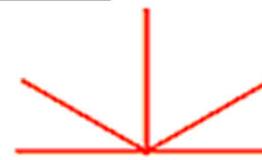
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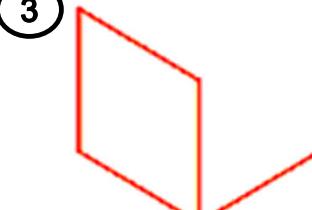
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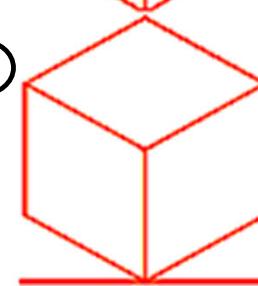
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