

High School Mathematics Test 2014

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Area

Non Calculator
Section

Skills and Knowledge Assessed:

- Find ~~perimeters and~~ areas of parallelograms, trapeziums, rhombuses and kites (ACMMG196)
- Investigate the relationship between features of circles such as ~~circumference~~, area, radius and diameter. Use formulas to solve problems involving ~~circumference and~~ area (ACMMG197)
- Choose appropriate units of measurement for area ~~and volume~~ and convert from one unit to another (ACMMG195)
- Establish the formulas for areas of rectangles, triangles and parallelograms and use these in problem solving (ACMMG159)

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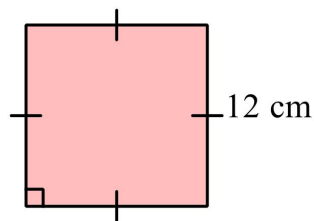
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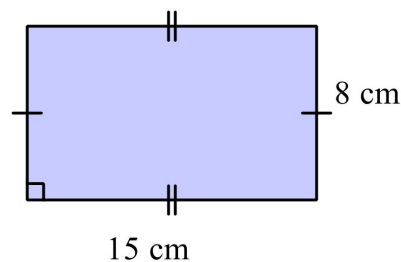
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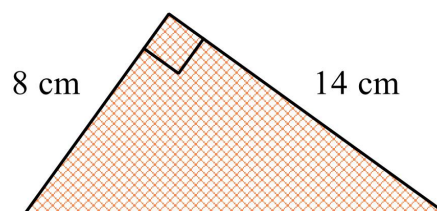
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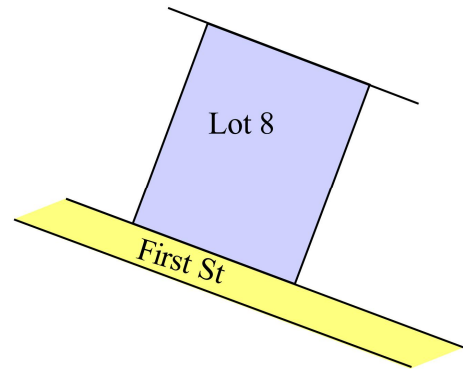


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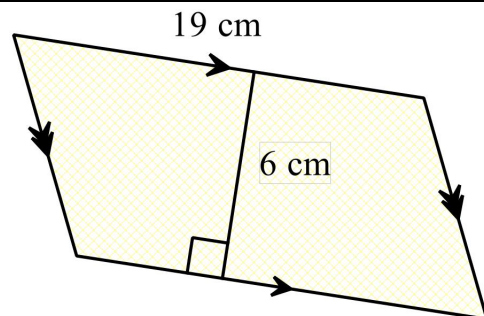


5. What is the area of the block of land in hectares?

Area = hA.

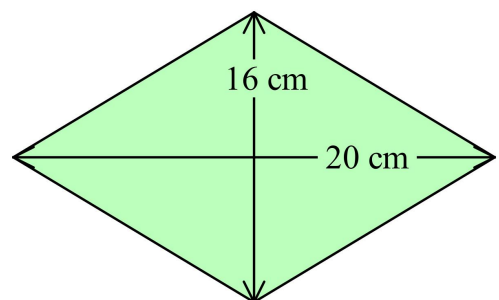
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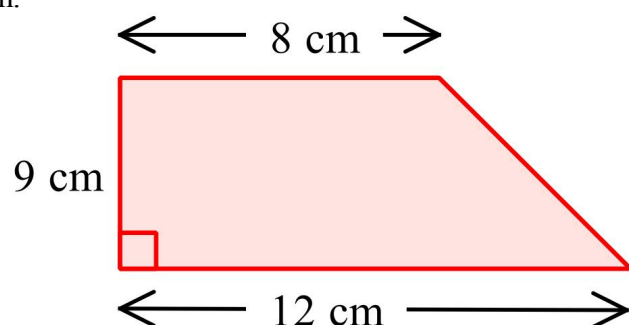
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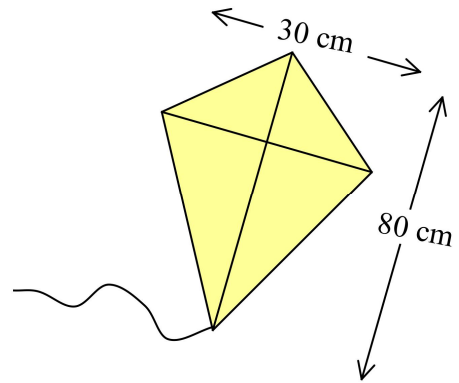
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9. Tempe builds a kite from sticks and fabric in the dimensions shown.

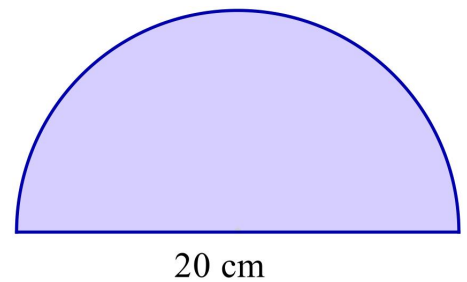
What area of fabric is needed?

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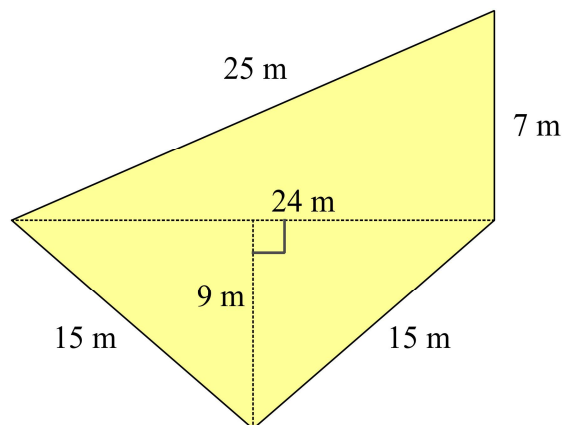
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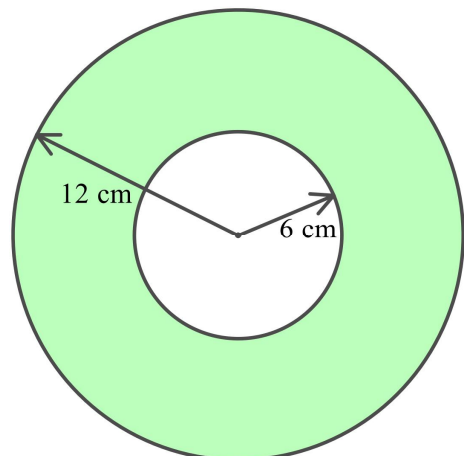
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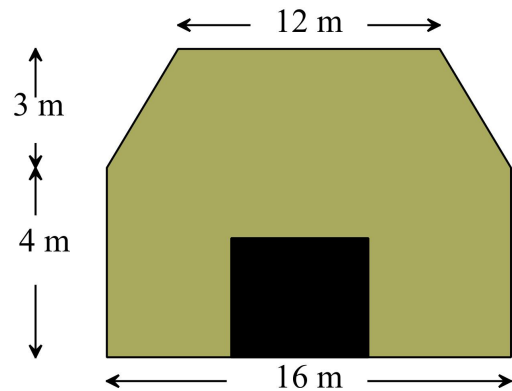
12. What is the area between the two circles?

- ☐ $36\pi \text{ cm}^2$
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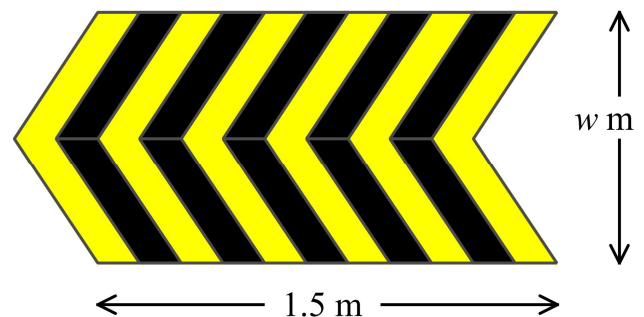
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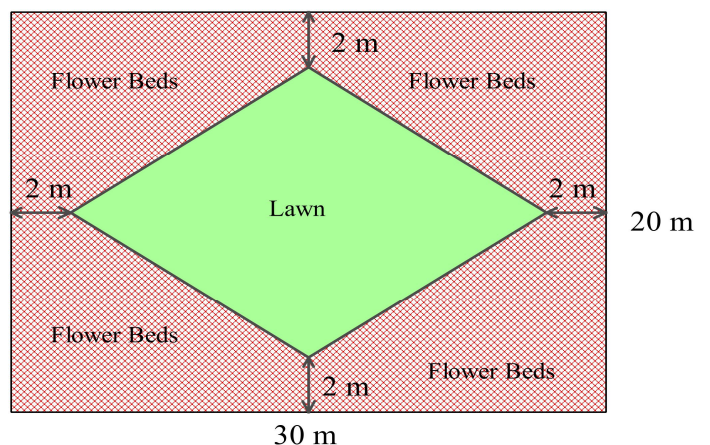
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The length of one edge of the sign is 1.5 m and it has an area of 1.8 m².
What is the width of the sign (marked w)?

Width = m



15. A rectangular garden which measures 20 m by 30 m has flower beds which surround a diamond shaped lawn.
What is the area of flower beds?

Area = m².



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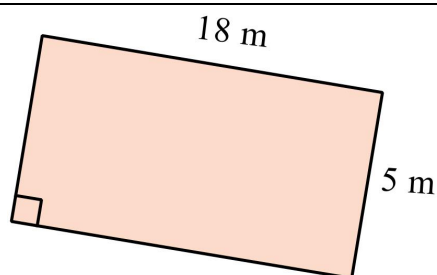
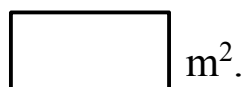
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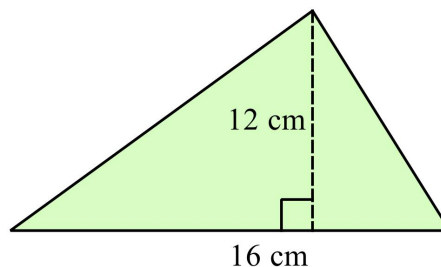
- ☐ 48 m
☐ 96 m
☐ 288 m
☐ 576 m

2. What is the area of this rectangle?



3. Find the area of this triangle.

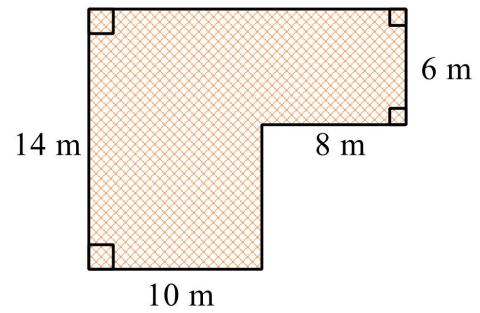
- ☐ 28 cm^2
☐ 36 cm^2
☐ 96 cm^2
☐ 192 cm^2



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What is the area of this shape?

- ☐ 38 m²
☐ 172 m²
☐ 188 m²
☐ 252 m²



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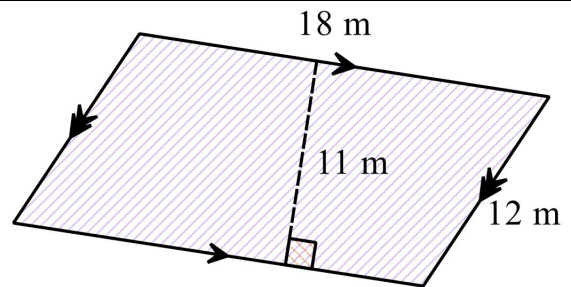
How many square metres are there in a square kilometre?

- ☐ 1 000 m²
☐ 10 000 m²
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- ☐ 198 m²
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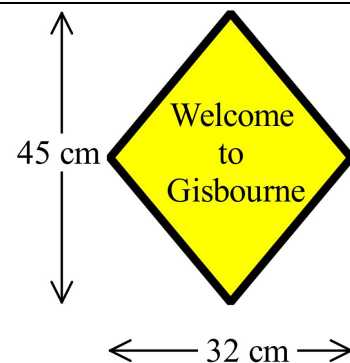


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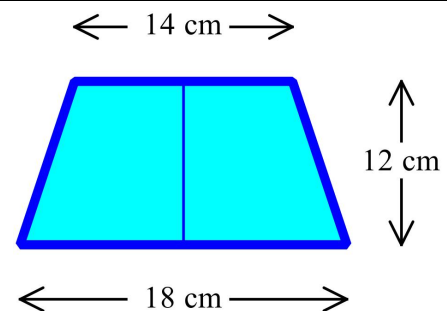
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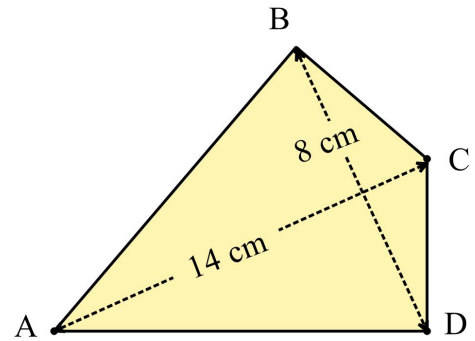
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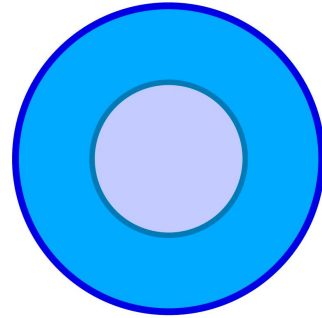
Area = cm^2 .



10. The circular plate has a diameter of 18 cm.

What is its area?

- ☐ 127 cm^2
☐ 254 cm^2
☐ 509 cm^2
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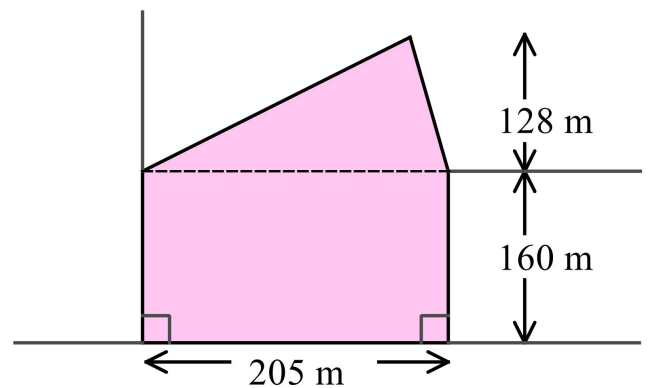


11. A circle has an area of 18 m^2 .
What is its radius, correct to the nearest half centimetre?

Radius = cm

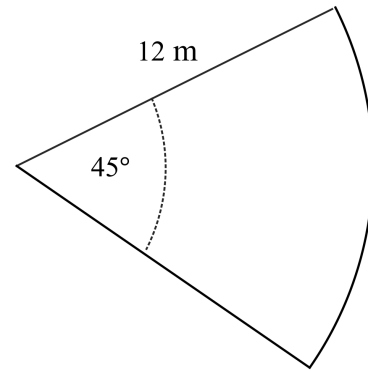
12. Find the area of the plot of land which is shaded (to the nearest tenth of a hectare).

Area = ha



13. What is the area of this sector of a circle (correct to one decimal place)?

- ☐ 56.5 cm²
☐ 113.1 cm²
☐ 226.2 cm²
☐ 453.4 cm²



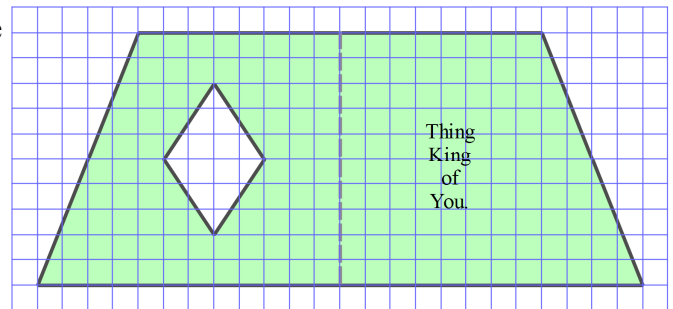
14. A greeting card is moulded in the shape of a trapezium with a rhomboid window in it.

The card is shown as it is produced, before folding along the line indicated.

It is shown overlaid by a 1 cm grid.

What is the area of the card?

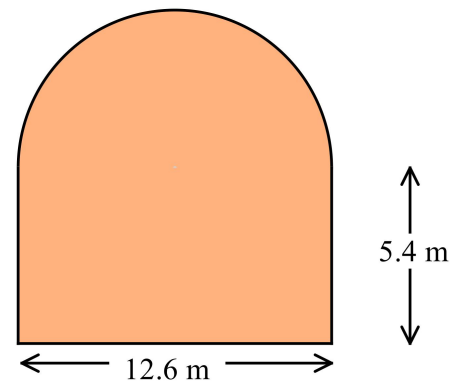
Area = cm².



15. The rear wall of a chapel is in the shape shown.

What is the area of the wall (correct to two decimal places)?

- ☐ 62.34 m²
☐ 68.04 m²
☐ 124.69 m²
☐ 130.38 m²



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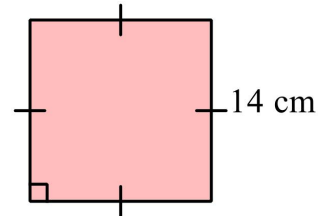
Non Calculator Section (1 mark each)

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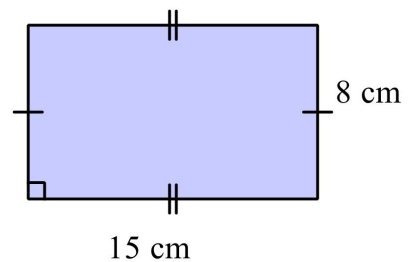
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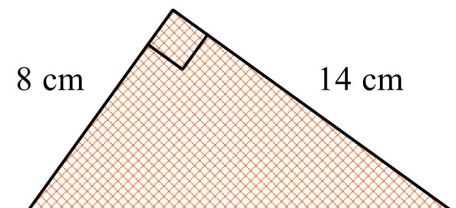


3. What is the area of the triangle?

$$A = \frac{1}{2} \times 8 \times 14 = 56 \text{ cm}^2$$

56

 cm^2 .

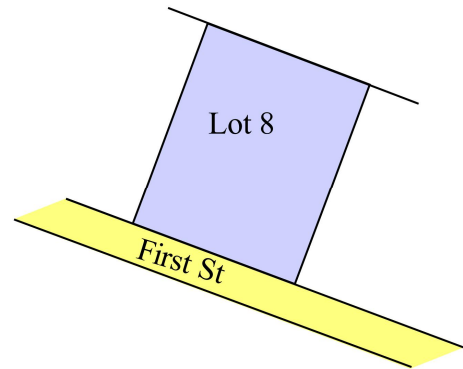


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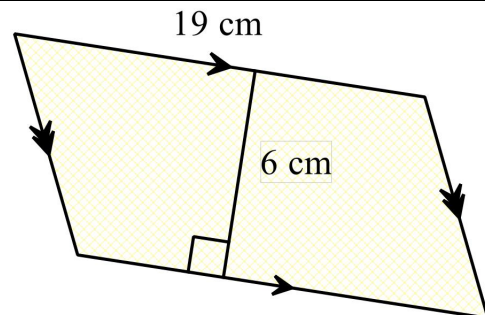
$$A = 25000 \div 10\,000 = 2.5 \text{ hA}$$

Area = 2.5 hA.

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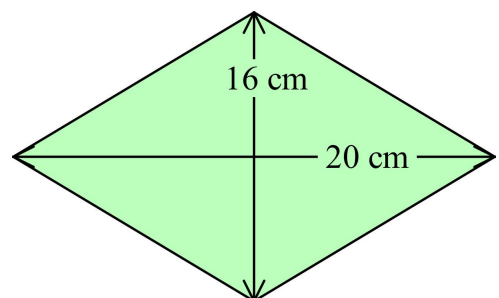
$$A = 6 \times 19 = 114 \text{ cm}^2$$

Area = 114 cm².



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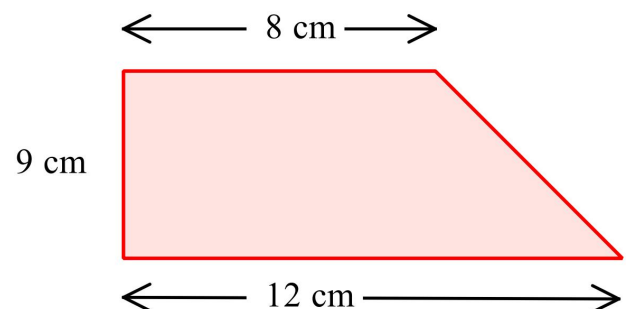
- ☐ 80 cm²
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☐ 320 cm² $= 160 \text{ cm}^2$
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8. A trapezium has the dimensions shown.

What is its area? $A = \frac{1}{2} \times 9(8 + 12)$

- ☐ 45 cm² $= \frac{1}{2} \times 9 \times 20$
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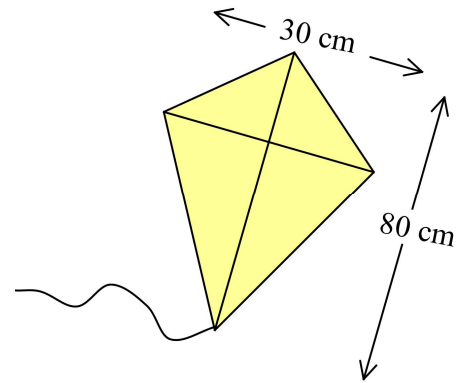


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What area of fabric is needed?

$$\boxed{1\,200} \text{ cm}^2.$$

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \frac{1}{2} \times 30 \times 80 \\ &= 30 \times 40 \\ &= 1200 \text{ cm}^2 \end{aligned}$$



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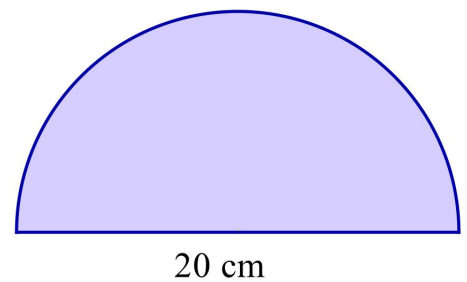
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$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area} &= \frac{\pi r^2}{2} \\ &= \frac{\pi \times 10^2}{2} \\ &= \frac{100\pi}{2} \\ &= 50\pi \end{aligned}$$



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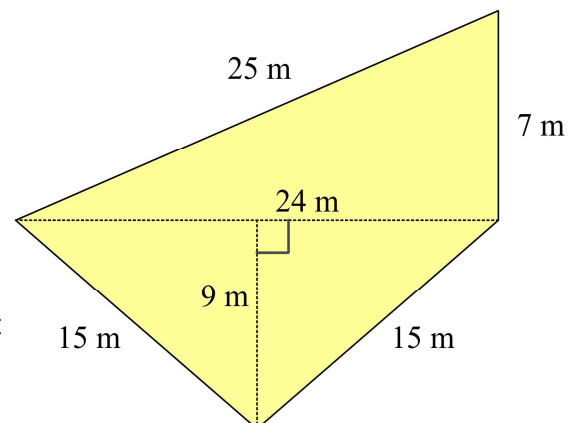
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$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area} &= \frac{1}{2} \times 24 \times 7 + \frac{1}{2} \times 24 \times 9 \\ &= 84 + 108 \\ &= 192 \text{ m}^2 \end{aligned}$$



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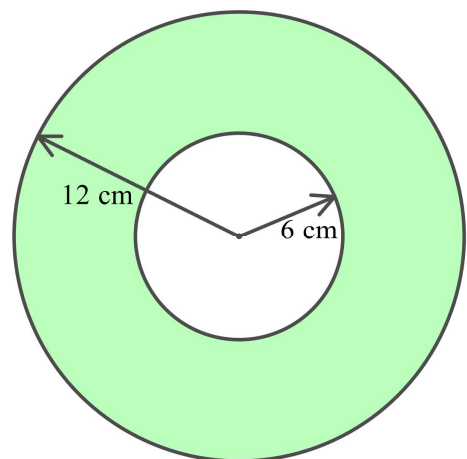
☐ $36\pi \text{ cm}^2$

☐ $72\pi \text{ cm}^2$

☒ $108\pi \text{ cm}^2$

☐ $180\pi \text{ cm}^2$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area} &= \pi \times 12^2 - \pi \times 6^2 \\ &= 144\pi - 36\pi \\ &= 108\pi \end{aligned}$$



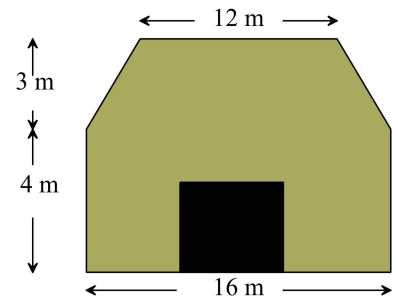
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What is the area to be painted? $\text{Area} = 4 \times 16 + \frac{3}{2}(12 + 16)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & - 2 \times 2.5 \\
 & = 64 + 42 - 5 \\
 & = 101 \text{ m}^2
 \end{aligned}$$

Area = 101

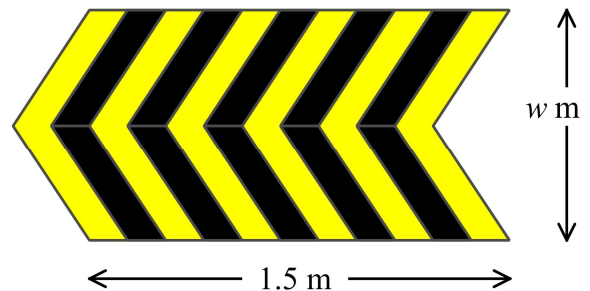


14. A warning sign is in the shape of an arrow made up of two parallelograms, as shown.

The length of one edge of the sign is 1.5 m and it has an area of 1.8 m^2 .

What is the width of the sign (marked w)?

Width = 1.2 m



$$\text{Area parallelogram} = \frac{1.8}{2} = 0.9$$

$$0.9 = 1.5 \times x \text{ (where } x \text{ is } \frac{w}{2})$$

$$x = \frac{0.9}{1.5} = \frac{9}{15} = \frac{3}{5} = 0.6$$

$$w = 0.6 \times 2 = 1.2 \text{ m}$$

15. A rectangular garden which measures 20 m by 30 m has flower beds which surround a diamond shaped lawn.

What is the area of flower beds?

$$\text{Lawn } d_1 = 30 - 2 \times 2 = 26$$

$$\text{Lawn } d_2 = 20 - 2 \times 2 = 16$$

$$\text{Area Lawn} = \frac{1}{2} \times 16 \times 26$$

$$= 8 \times 26 = 208 \text{ m}^2$$

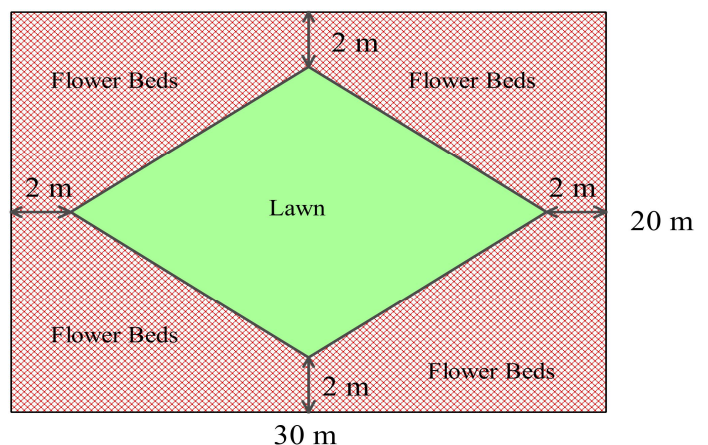
$$\text{Area whole garden} = 30 \times 20$$

$$= 600 \text{ m}^2$$

$$\text{Area Beds} = 600 - 208$$

$$= 392 \text{ m}^2$$

Area = 392 m^2 .



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Calculator Allowed Short Answer Section (1 mark each)

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What is the length of the sides of the field?

☒ 48 m

☐ 96 m

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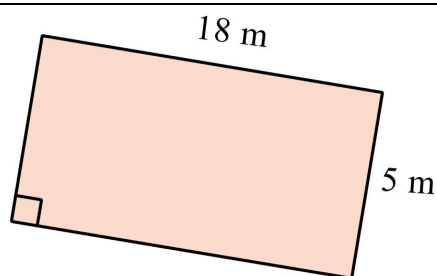
☐ 576 m

$$s = \sqrt{2304} = 48\text{ m}$$

2. What is the area of this rectangle?

$$A = 18 \times 5 = 90\text{ m}^2$$

90

 m^2 .


3. Find the area of this triangle.

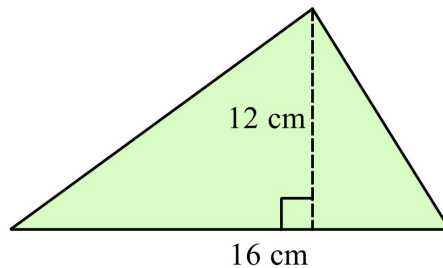
☐ 28 cm^2

☐ 36 cm^2

☒ 96 cm^2

☐ 192 cm^2

$$A = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{16}{12} = 96\text{ cm}^2$$



4. What is the area of this shape?

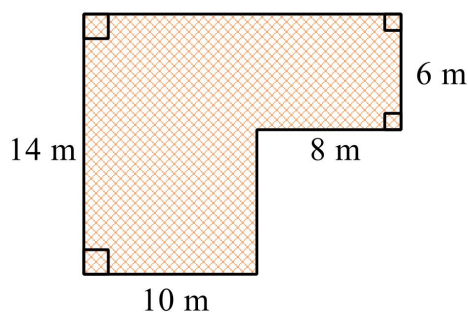
☐ 38 m^2

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☒ 188 m^2

☐ 252 m^2

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area} &= 14 \times 10 + 8 \times 6 \\ &= 140 + 48 \\ &= 188\text{ m}^2 \end{aligned}$$



5.

How many square metres are there in a square kilometre?

- ☐ 1 000 m²
☐ 10 000 m²
☐ 100 000 m²
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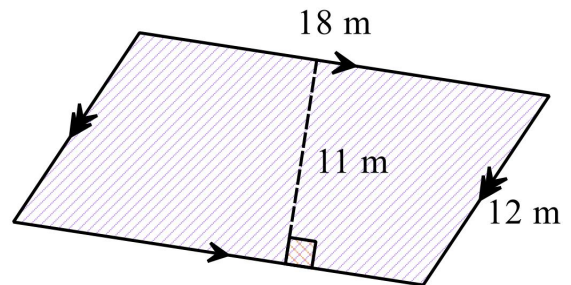
$$\begin{aligned}
 1 \text{ km}^2 &= 1000\text{m} \times 1000\text{m} \\
 &= 1\,000\,000 \text{ m}^2
 \end{aligned}$$

6.

What is the area of the parallelogram shown?

- ☒ 198 m²
☐ 216 m²
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☐ 2 376 m²

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Area} &= 18 \times 11 \\
 &= 198 \text{ m}^2
 \end{aligned}$$



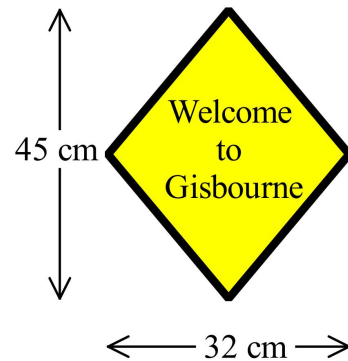
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What is its area?

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 \text{Area} &= \frac{1}{2} \times 45 \times 32 \\
 &= 720 \text{ cm}^2
 \end{aligned}$$



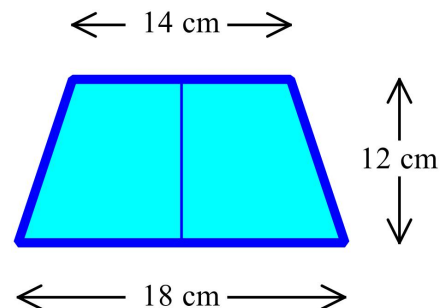
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The window shown is

What is its area?

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Area} &= \frac{12}{2} (14 + 18) \\
 &= 6(32) \\
 &= 192 \text{ cm}^2
 \end{aligned}$$

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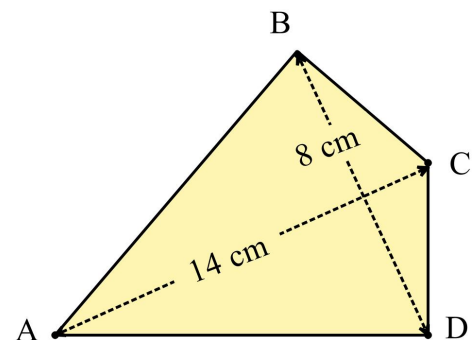


9.

What is the area of the kite ABCD?

$$\text{Area} = \boxed{126} \text{ cm}^2.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Area} &= \frac{1}{2} \times 14 \times 8 \\
 &= 56 \text{ cm}^2
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10. The circular plate has a diameter of 18 cm.
What is its area?

☐ 127 cm²

☒ 254 cm²

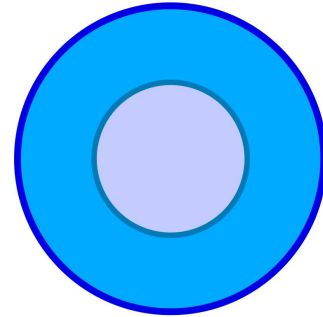
☐ 509 cm²

☐ 1 018 cm²

$$d = 18 \text{ so } r = 9$$

$$\text{Area} = \pi \times 9^2$$

$$= 254.46 \text{ cm}^2$$



11. A circle has an area of 18 cm².
What is its radius, correct to the nearest half centimetre?

Radius = 2.5 cm

$$\text{Area} = \pi r^2$$

$$18 = \pi \times r^2$$

$$r^2 = \frac{18}{\pi} = 5.729 \dots$$

$$r = 2.393$$

$$= 2.5 \text{ cm (nearest half cm)}$$

12. Find the area of the plot of land which is shaded (to the nearest tenth of a hectare).

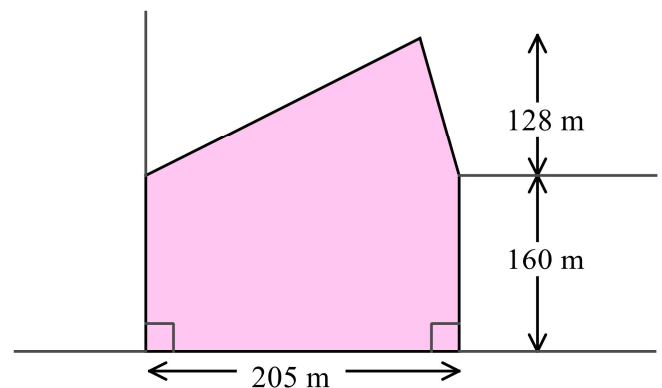
$$\text{Area} = 205 \times 160 + \frac{1}{2} \times 205 \times 128$$

$$= 32800 + 13120$$

$$= 45920 \text{ m}^2$$

$$= 4.6 \text{ hA}$$

Area = 4.6 ha



13. What is the area of this sector of a circle (correct to one decimal place)?

☒ 56.5 cm²

☐ 113.1 cm²

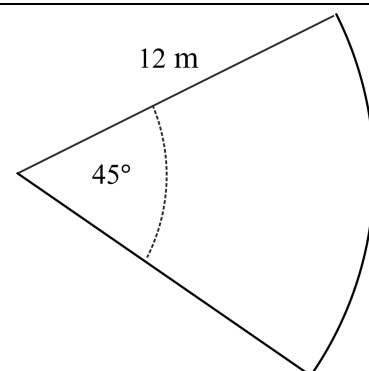
☐ 226.2 cm²

☐ 453.4 cm²

$$\text{Sector of } 45^\circ = \frac{1}{8} \text{ of circle}$$

$$\text{Area} = \frac{1}{8} \times \pi \times 12^2$$

$$= 56.548 \text{ m}^2$$



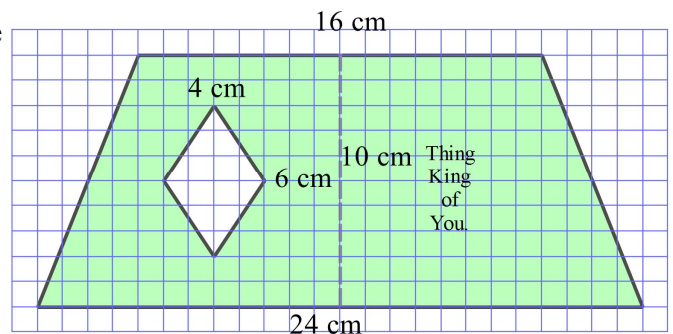
14. A greeting card is moulded in the shape of a trapezium with a rhomboid window in it.

The card is shown as it is produced, before folding along the line indicated.

It is shown overlaid by a 1 cm grid.

What is the area of the card?

$$\text{Area} = \boxed{188} \text{ cm}^2.$$



Count grid to get dimensions shown.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area} &= \frac{10}{2}(16 + 24) - \frac{1}{2} \times 6 \times 4 \\ &= 5(40) - 12 \\ &= 200 - 12 \\ &= 188 \text{ cm}^2 \end{aligned}$$

15. The rear wall of a chapel is in the shape shown.

What is the area of the wall (correct to two decimal places)?

☐ 62.34 m^2

☐ 68.04 m^2

☐ 124.69 m^2

☒ 130.38 m^2

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area} &= 12.6 \times 5.4 + \frac{1}{2} \times \pi \times 6.3^2 \\ &= 68.04 + 62.344 \\ &= 130.38 \text{ m}^2 \end{aligned}$$

