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 1a
 Evaluate $\sqrt[3]{\frac{651}{4\pi}}$ correct to four significant figures.
 2

 $\sqrt[3]{\frac{651}{4\pi}} = \sqrt[3]{(651 \div (4 \times \pi))}$ State Mean: 1.70/2

 = 3.72783809 ...
 = 3.728 (to 4 sig. figs.)

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Many candidates wrote down the correct answer without showing any working. Better responses showed the full calculator display followed by the correct rounding to 4 significant figures. By showing this working, candidates still show that they can round to 4 significant figures even if they made an error in their calculator work.

The most common errors included, calculating $\sqrt[3]{\frac{651}{4}} \times \pi$, rounding to 3 significant

figures and rounding to 4 decimal places.

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