



Exercise 13A

Question 13:

Volume of a cuboid = 1536 m^3

Length of the cuboid = 16 m

Let the breadth and height of the cuboid be $3x$ and $2x$.

\therefore Volume of cuboid = $l \times b \times h$

$$\Rightarrow 1536 = (16 \times 3x \times 2x)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1536 = 96x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = \frac{1536}{96} = 16$$

$$\therefore x = \sqrt{16} = 4 \text{ m.}$$

$$\therefore \text{Breadth of the cuboid} = 3x = 3 \times 4 = 12 \text{ m}$$

$$\text{And height of the cuboid} = 2x = 2 \times 4 = 8 \text{ m}$$

Question 14:

Surface area of a cuboid = 758 cm^2

Length = 14 cm

Breadth = 11 cm

Let the height of the cuboid = $h \text{ cm}$

\therefore Surface area of cuboid = $2(lb + bh + lh)$

$$\Rightarrow 758 = 2(14 \times 11 + 11 \times h + 14 \times h)$$

$$\Rightarrow 758 = 2(154 + 11h + 14h)$$

$$\Rightarrow 758 = 2(154 + 25h)$$

$$\Rightarrow 758 = 308 + 50h$$

$$\Rightarrow 50h = 758 - 308$$

$$\therefore h = \frac{450}{50} = 9 \text{ cm.}$$

\therefore The height of the cuboid = 9 cm

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