

EXAM 3_1 (Geometry-Trigonometry)

1. The diagram shows the side view of a swimming pool being filled with water.Calculate the length x.(1.5 points)



- b) Find the length of the side of the pentagon.
- c) Calculate the area of the pentagon.



4. Find the height of a rectangular box of length 8 cm, width 6 cm and where the length of the diagonal is 11 cm. (1.5 points)





SOLUTION

1. The diagram shows the side view of a swimming pool being filled with water. Calculate the length x.



Triangles ABD and CDE are similar, they have congruent angles.

BD _	15	2.5 _	15	$\frac{15}{15} \rightarrow 2.5 \text{ y} = 15.18 \rightarrow \text{ y} = 10.8 \text{ y}$
CD -	CE	1.8	$\frac{1}{X} \rightarrow L.5 \times = 15^{11}$	\rightarrow 2.5X = 15 1.6 \rightarrow X = 10.6 M

2. In the following diagram, find the length x.



Angle A=180-150=30°

 $\tan 40 = \frac{8}{y} \rightarrow y = \frac{8}{\tan 40} = 9.53$

$$\tan 30 = \frac{8}{x + y} \rightarrow x + 9.53 = \frac{8}{\tan 30} \rightarrow x + 9.53 = 13.86 \rightarrow x = 4.33 \text{ cm}$$

The length of x is 4.33 cm



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- 3. A regular pentagon is inscribed in a circle of radius 7 cm.
- a) Find the angle a.

Angle a: 360:5 =72°

b) Find the length of the side x.

$$\sin 36 = \frac{x}{7} \rightarrow x = 7 \cdot \sin 36 = 4.11$$

Side of pentagon: $2 \cdot 4.11 = 8.22$ cm

c) Calculate the area of the pentagon.

 $A = \frac{P \cdot ap}{2}$; Perimeter $P = 5 \cdot 8.22 = 41.11$ cm



$$ap \rightarrow cos \ 36 = \frac{ap}{7} \rightarrow ap = 7 \cdot cos \ 36 = 5.66 \ cm; \ A = \frac{P \cdot ap}{2} = \frac{41.11 \cdot 5.66}{2} = 116.34 \ cm^2$$

4. Find the height of a rectangular box of length 8 cm, width 6 cm and where the length of the diagonal is 11 cm.



Pythagorean Theorem:

$$y^2 = 8^2 + 6^2 = 100 \rightarrow y = 10 \text{ cm}$$

 $x^{2} = 11^{2} - y^{2} = 121 - 100 = 21 \rightarrow x = 4.58 \text{ cm}$

The height of the box is 4.58 cm

5. Solve:

a)
$$\frac{(x+1)^2}{16} - \frac{1+x}{2} = \frac{(x-1)^2}{16} - \frac{2+x}{4} \rightarrow x^2 + 2x + 1 - 8 - 8x = x^2 - 2x + 1 - 8 - 4x$$

$$2x + 1 - 8 - 8x = -2x + 1 - 8 - 4x \rightarrow 2x - 8x + 2x + 4x = 1 - 8 - 1 + 8 \rightarrow 0x = 0$$

Solution: all real numbers



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b)
$$\sqrt{2x} + \sqrt{5x - 6} = 4 \rightarrow \sqrt{5x - 6} = 4 - \sqrt{2x} \rightarrow (\sqrt{5x - 6})^2 = (4 - \sqrt{2x})^2$$

 $5x - 6 = 16 - 8\sqrt{2x} + 2x \rightarrow 5x - 6 - 16 - 2x = -8\sqrt{2x} \rightarrow 3x - 22 = -8\sqrt{2x}$
 $(3x - 22)^2 = (-8\sqrt{2x})^2 \rightarrow 9x^2 - 132x + 484 = 64 \cdot 2x \rightarrow 9x^2 - 260x + 484 = 0$

$$x = \frac{260 \pm \sqrt{260^2 - 4 \cdot 9 \cdot 484}}{18} = \frac{260 \pm 224}{18} = \sqrt{\frac{242}{9}}$$

Checking:

$$\sqrt{2x} + \sqrt{5x - 6} = 4 \rightarrow \sqrt{2 \cdot \frac{242}{9}} + \sqrt{5 \cdot \frac{242}{9} - 6} = 4 \rightarrow \frac{22}{3} + \frac{34}{3} = 4 \rightarrow \frac{56}{3} = 4$$
 NO!
$$\sqrt{2x} + \sqrt{5x - 6} = 4 \rightarrow \sqrt{2 \cdot 2} + \sqrt{5 \cdot 2 - 6} = 4 \rightarrow 2 + 2 = 4 \rightarrow 4 = 4$$
 YES!
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