

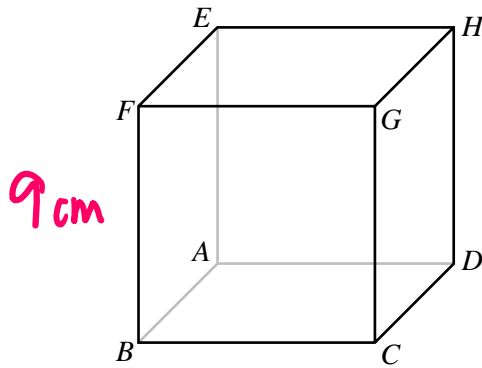


# 3D Trig/Pythagoras



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1 *ABCDEFGH* is a cube.



$$BF = 9 \text{ cm}$$

(a) Work out the length of *AC* giving your answer to 1 decimal place.

$$AC^2 = AB^2 + BC^2$$

$$AC^2 = 9^2 + 9^2$$

$$AC^2 = 162$$

$$AC = \sqrt{162}$$

$$AC = 12.7279\dots$$

..... **12.7** ..... cm  
(2)

(b) Work out the length of *CE* giving your answer to 1 decimal place.

$$CE^2 = AC^2 + CE^2$$

$$CE^2 = (\sqrt{162})^2 + 9^2$$

$$CE^2 = 243$$

$$CE = \sqrt{243}$$

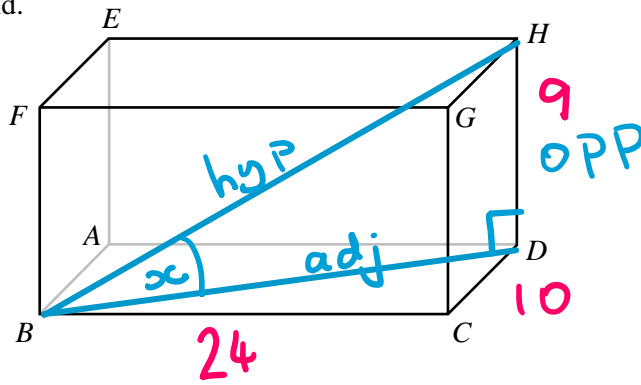
$$CE = 15.5884\dots$$

..... **15.6** ..... cm  
(2)

(Total for Question 1 is 4 marks)



2  $ABCDEFGH$  is a cuboid.



$BC = 24$  cm  
 $CD = 10$  cm  
 $DH = 9$  cm

(a) Work out the length of  $BD$ .

$$BD^2 = BC^2 + CD^2$$

$$BD^2 = 24^2 + 10^2$$

$$BD^2 = 676$$

$$BD = \sqrt{676}$$

..... 26 ..... cm  
(2)

(b) Work out the length of  $BH$  giving your answer to 1 decimal place.

$$BH^2 = BD^2 + DH^2$$

$$BH^2 = 26^2 + 9^2$$

$$BH^2 = 757$$

$$BH = \sqrt{757}$$

$$BH = 27.5136...$$

..... 27.5 ..... cm  
(2)

(c) Work out the size of angle  $DBH$  giving your answer to 1 decimal place.

$$\sin(x) = \frac{9}{27.5...}$$

$$x = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{9}{27.5...}\right)$$

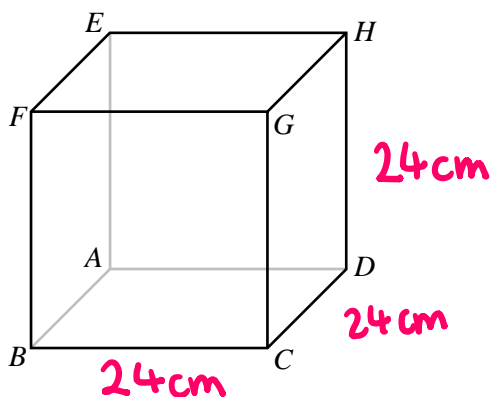
$$x = 19.093...$$

..... 19.1 ..... °  
(2)

(Total for Question 2 is 6 marks)



3  $ABCDEFGH$  is a cube.



The surface area of the cube is  $3456 \text{ cm}^2$

Work out the length of  $EC$  giving your answer to 1 decimal place.

$$3456 \div 6 = 576 \text{ cm}^2 \text{ (area of one face)}$$

$$\sqrt{576} = 24 \text{ cm (length of one edge)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} AC^2 &= AB^2 + BC^2 \\ AC^2 &= 24^2 + 24^2 \\ AC^2 &= 1152 \\ AC &= \sqrt{1152} \\ AC &= 33.94\dots \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} EC^2 &= AC^2 + AE^2 \\ EC^2 &= (\sqrt{1152})^2 + 24^2 \\ EC^2 &= 1728 \\ EC &= \sqrt{1728} \\ EC &= 41.5692\dots \end{aligned}$$

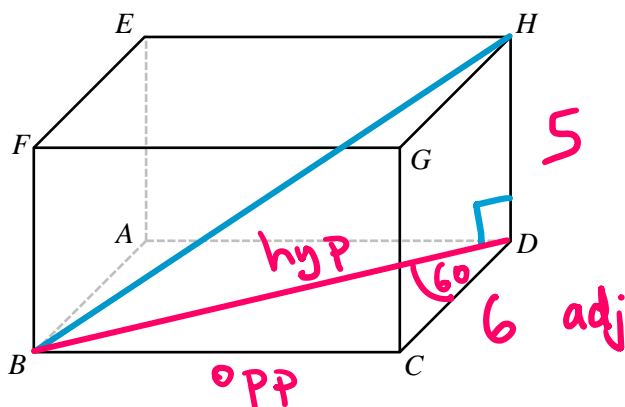
41.6

..... cm

(Total for Question 3 is 5 marks)



4  $ABCDEFGH$  is a cuboid.



$CD = 6 \text{ cm}$   
 $DH = 5 \text{ cm}$   
 $\text{Angle } BDC = 60^\circ$

Work out the perimeter of triangle  $BDH$ .

$$\cos(60) = \frac{6}{BD}$$

$$BD = \frac{6}{\cos(60)}$$

$$BD = \frac{6}{0.5}$$

$$BD = 12 \text{ cm}$$

$$BH^2 = BD^2 + DH^2$$

$$BH^2 = 12^2 + 5^2$$

$$BH^2 = 169$$

$$BH = \sqrt{169}$$

$$BH = 13 \text{ cm}$$

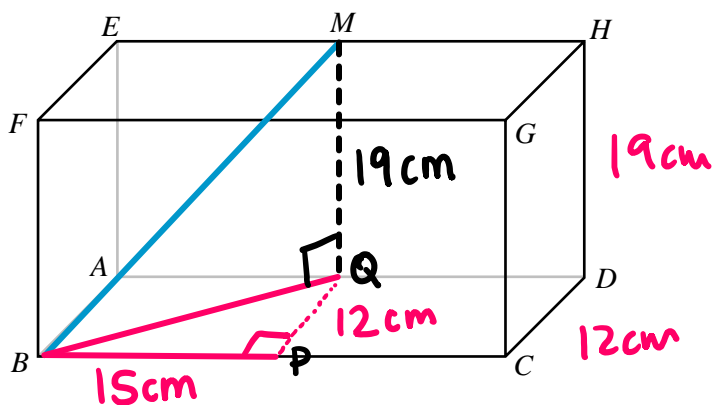
$$\text{Perimeter} = 5 + 12 + 13$$

$$\underline{\hspace{10em} 30 \text{ cm} \hspace{10em}} \text{ cm}$$

(Total for Question 4 is 4 marks)



5  $ABCDEFGH$  is a cuboid.



$M$  is the midpoint of line  $EH$ .

$BC = 30$  cm

$CD = 12$  cm

$DH = 19$  cm

Work out the length of  $BM$  giving your answer to 1 decimal place

$$BQ^2 = BP^2 + PQ^2$$

$$BQ^2 = 15^2 + 12^2$$

$$BQ^2 = 369$$

$$BQ = \sqrt{369}$$

$$BQ = 19.209\dots$$

$$BM^2 = BQ^2 + QM^2$$

$$BM^2 = (\sqrt{369})^2 + 19^2$$

$$BM^2 = 730$$

$$BM = \sqrt{730}$$

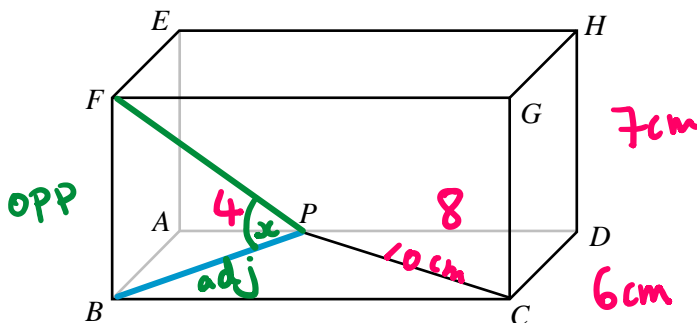
$$BM = 27.0185\dots$$

..... **27.0** ..... cm

(Total for Question 5 is 4 marks)



6  $ABCDEFGH$  is a cuboid.



$CD = 6$  cm  
 $DH = 7$  cm  
 $PC = 10$  cm

$P$  is the point on the line  $AD$  so that  $AP : PD = 1 : 2$

(a) Work out the length of  $BC$  giving your answer to 1 decimal place.

$$PD^2 = PC^2 - CD^2$$

$$PD = \sqrt{10^2 - 6^2}$$

$$PD = 8$$

$$AP = 8 \div 2 = 4$$

$$BC = 4 + 8$$

..... 12 ..... cm  
(3)

(b) Work out the length of  $BP$  giving your answer to 1 decimal place.

$$BP^2 = BA^2 + AP^2$$

$$BP^2 = 6^2 + 4^2$$

$$BP^2 = 52$$

$$BP = \sqrt{52}$$

$$BP = 7.211...$$

..... 7.2 ..... cm  
(2)

(c) Work out the size of angle  $BPF$  giving your answer to 1 decimal place.

$$\tan(x) = \frac{7}{7.211...}$$

$$x = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{7}{7.211...}\right)$$

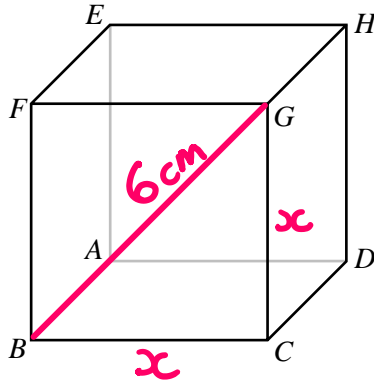
$$x = 44.148...$$

..... 44.1 ..... °  
(2)

(Total for Question 6 is 7 marks)



7  $ABCDEFGH$  is a cube.



$BG = 6 \text{ cm}$

Work out the volume of the cube giving your answer to 1 decimal place.

$$\begin{aligned}
 BG^2 &= BC^2 + CG^2 \\
 6^2 &= x^2 + x^2 \\
 \div 2 \left[ \begin{array}{l} 36 = 2x^2 \\ 18 = x^2 \end{array} \right] \div 2 \\
 x &= \sqrt{18}
 \end{aligned}$$

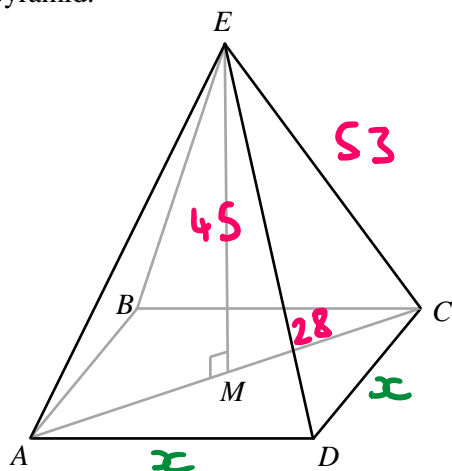
$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Volume} &= \sqrt{18} \times \sqrt{18} \times \sqrt{18} \\
 &= 76.367\dots
 \end{aligned}$$

76.4 .....  $\text{cm}^3$

(Total for Question 7 is 4 marks)



8  $ABCDE$  is a square-based pyramid.



$M$  is the midpoint of the line  $AC$  and  $AC$  is perpendicular to  $ME$ .

$$EC = 53 \text{ cm}$$

$$EM = 45 \text{ cm}$$

Work out the volume of the pyramid.

$$MC^2 = EC^2 - ME^2$$

$$MC^2 = 53^2 - 45^2$$

$$MC^2 = 784$$

$$MC = \sqrt{784}$$

$$MC = 28 \text{ cm}$$

$$AC = 2 \times MC$$

$$= 56 \text{ cm}$$

$$AC^2 = x^2 + x^2$$

$$56^2 = x^2 + x^2$$

$$\div 2 \left[ \begin{array}{l} 3136 = 2x^2 \\ 1568 = x^2 \end{array} \right] \div 2$$

$$x = \sqrt{1568}$$

$$\text{Volume} = \frac{1}{3} \times \sqrt{1568} \times \sqrt{1568} \times 45$$

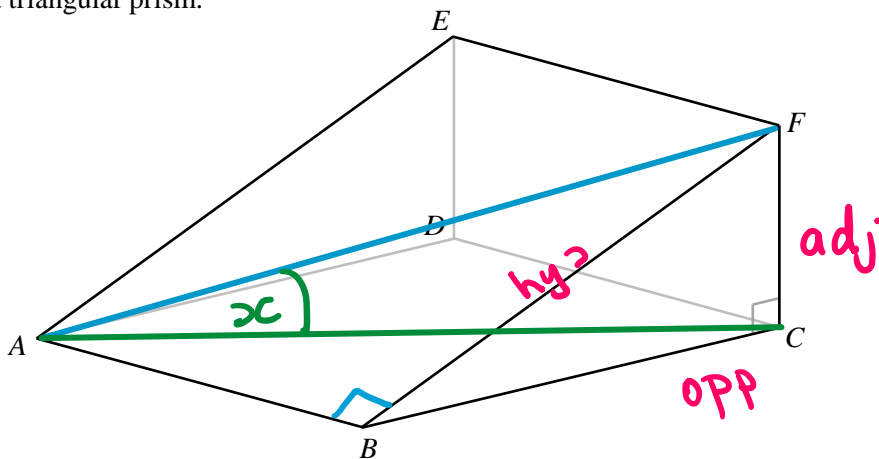
$$\underline{\underline{23520}} \text{ cm}^3$$

(Total for Question 8 is 6 marks)





9  $ABCDEF$  is a triangular prism.



$AB = 18 \text{ cm}$

$BC = 22 \text{ cm}$

Angle  $BFC = 70^\circ$

(a) Work out the length of  $AF$  giving your answer to 1 decimal place.

$$\sin(70) = \frac{22}{BF}$$

$$BF = \frac{22}{\sin(70)}$$

$$BF = 23.411\dots$$

$$AF^2 = AB^2 + BF^2$$

$$AF^2 = 18^2 + 23.4\dots^2$$

$$AF^2 = 872.11757\dots$$

$$AF = \sqrt{872.11757\dots}$$

$$AF = 29.5316\dots$$

$$29.5$$

..... cm

(4)

(b) Work out the size of the angle between  $AF$  and the plane  $ABCD$ .

Give your answer to 1 decimal place.

$$AC^2 = AB^2 + BC^2$$

$$AC^2 = 18^2 + 22^2$$

$$AC^2 = 808$$

$$AC = \sqrt{808}$$

$$\cos(x) = \frac{\sqrt{808}}{29.53\dots}$$

$$\cos(x) = 0.9625\dots$$

$$x = \cos^{-1}(0.9625\dots)$$

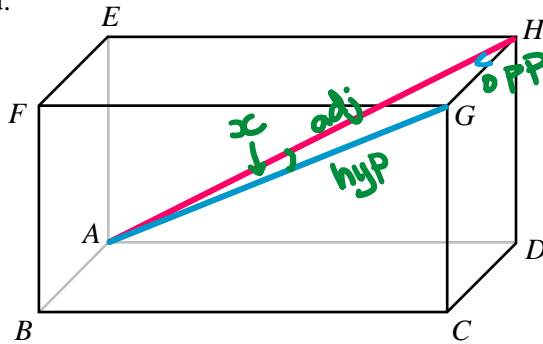
$$15.7$$

.....  
(4)

(Total for Question 9 is 8 marks)



10  $ABCDEFGH$  is a cuboid.



$CD = 3.5$  cm  
 $DH = 4.5$  cm  
 Angle  $HAD = 38^\circ$

(a) Work out the length of  $AG$  giving your answer to 1 decimal place.

$$\sin(38) = \frac{4.5}{AH}$$

$$AH = \frac{4.5}{\sin(38)}$$

$$= 7.309\dots$$

$$AG^2 = AH^2 + HG^2$$

$$AG^2 = 7.309\dots^2 + 3.5^2$$

$$AG^2 = 65.674\dots$$

$$AG = \sqrt{65.674\dots}$$

$$AG = 8.1039\dots$$

8.1

..... cm  
(4)

(a) Work out the size of the angle between  $AG$  and the plane  $ADHE$ .  
Give your answer to 1 decimal place.

$$\sin(x) = \frac{3.5}{8.10\dots}$$

$$\sin(x) = 0.43188\dots$$

$$x = \sin^{-1}(0.43188\dots)$$

$$x = 25.5873\dots$$

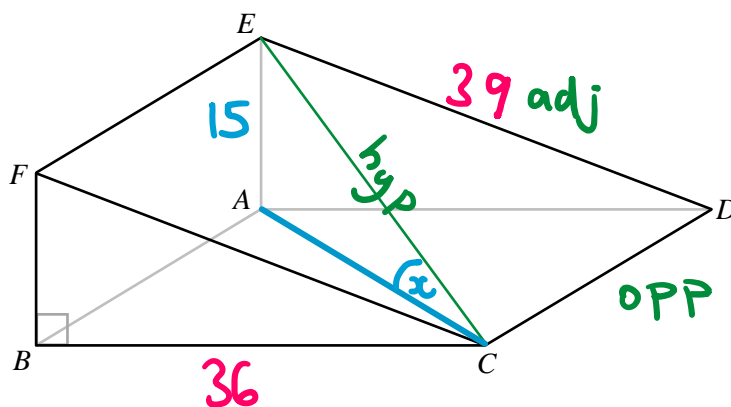
25.6

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(2)

(Total for Question 10 is 6 marks)



11  $ABCDEF$  is a triangular prism.



$BF = 15 \text{ cm}$   
 $\text{Angle } CED = 33^\circ$   
 $BF : BC = 5 : 12$

Work out the size of the angle between  $CE$  and the plane  $ABCD$ .  
 Give your answer to 1 decimal place.

$$BC = \frac{15}{5} \times 12$$

$$= 36 \text{ cm}$$

$$FC^2 = 15^2 + 36^2$$

$$FC^2 = 1521$$

$$FC = \sqrt{1521}$$

$$FC = 39$$

$$FC = ED = 39$$

$$\cos(33) = \frac{39}{EC}$$

$$EC = \frac{39}{\cos(33)}$$

$$EC = 46.502\dots$$

$$\sin(x) = \frac{15}{46.502\dots}$$

$$\sin(x) = 0.3225\dots$$

$$x = \sin^{-1}(0.322\dots)$$

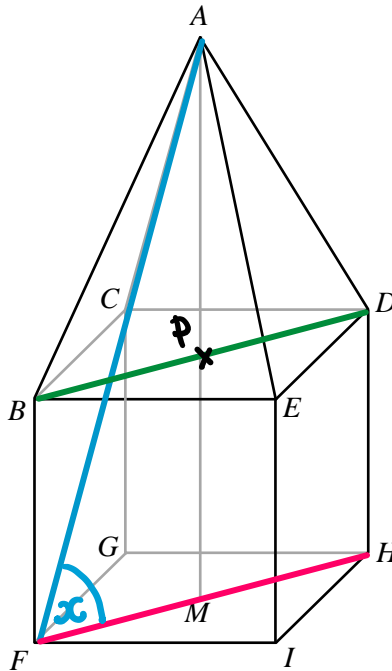
$$x = 18.81815\dots$$

18.8

(Total for Question 11 is 6 marks)



12  $ABCDE$  is a square-based pyramid placed on top of cube  $BCDEFGHI$



$M$  is the midpoint of the line  $FH$  with  $FH$  perpendicular to  $MA$ .

$FI = 12$  cm

$AD = 19$  cm

Work out the size of the angle between  $AF$  and the plane  $FGHI$ .

Give your answer to 1 decimal place.

$$FH^2 = 12^2 + 12^2$$

$$FH^2 = 288$$

$$FH = \sqrt{288}$$

$$MH = \sqrt{288} \div 2$$

$$MH = 8.485\dots$$

$$\tan(x) = \frac{29}{\sqrt{288} \div 2}$$

$$\tan(x) = 3.4176\dots$$

$$PA^2 = 19^2 - PD^2$$

$$PA^2 = 19^2 - 8.485\dots^2$$

$$PA^2 = 289$$

$$PA = \sqrt{289}$$

$$PA = 17 \quad MA = 17 + 12$$

$$MA = 29$$

$$x = \tan^{-1}(3.417\dots)$$

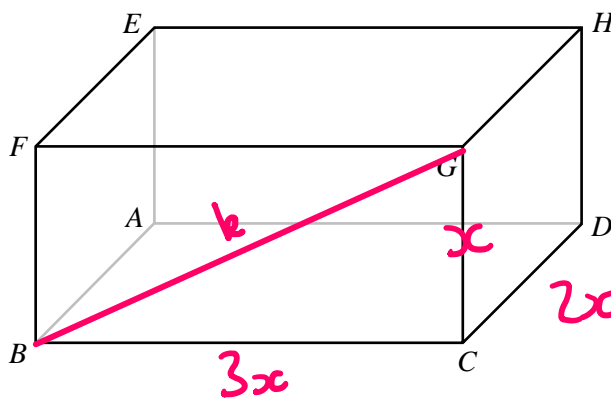
$$x = 73.6907\dots$$

$$\underline{73.7}$$

(Total for Question 12 is 6 marks)



13  $ABCDEFGH$  is a cuboid.



$$CG : CD : CB = 1 : 2 : 3$$

$$BG = k \text{ cm}$$

Show that the volume of the cuboid can be written in the form  $\frac{3\sqrt{a}}{b} k^3$  where  $a$  and  $b$  are integers.

$$x^2 + (3x)^2 = k^2$$

$$x^2 + 9x^2 = k^2$$

$$10x^2 = k^2$$

$$x^2 = \frac{k^2}{10}$$

$$x = \frac{k}{\sqrt{10}}$$

$$x = \frac{k\sqrt{10}}{10}$$

$$\text{Volume} = x \times 2x \times 3x$$

$$= 6x^3$$

$$= 6 \times \left( \frac{k\sqrt{10}}{10} \right)^3$$

$$= 6 \times \frac{k^3 \times 10\sqrt{10}}{1000}$$

$$= \frac{60\sqrt{10} k^3}{1000}$$

$$= \frac{3\sqrt{10}}{50} k^3$$

