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# TB(1B) Ch. 8 Areas and Volumes (I) Conventional Questions

### 1. [11-12 Standardized Test 2 Q4]

In Figure 3, AC = 6 cm, BC = 3 cm, CD = 8 cm, IJ = 1 cm and JD = 3 cm. AGD and IJD are straight lines. CDEF is a parallelogram.  $AC \perp BD$ ,  $ID \perp BD$  and  $GJ \perp ID$ . Find the area of polygon ABDEFG. (4 marks)





# 2. [11-12 Standardized Test 2 Q8]

**Figure 6** shows a right prism with volume  $357 \text{ cm}^3$  and total surface area  $410 \text{ cm}^2$ . (a) Find its base area.

(**b**) Find the value of *y*.



(2 marks) (3 marks)

# 3. [11-12 Final Exam Q7]

- (a) Figure 3(a) shows pentagon *ABFED* which is divided by *GF* into two trapeziums *ABFG* and *GFED*. *GF* intersects *HC* at *I*. If  $\angle A = \angle AGF = \angle D = 90^\circ$ , *AH* = 12 cm, *HB* = 8 cm, *AG* = *GD* = 10 cm, *DC* = 13 cm, *CE* = 12 cm and *GF* = 18 cm, find the area of the pentagon *HCEFB*. (3 marks)
- (b) If pentagon *HCEFB* is the base of a prism with a length of 20 cm as shown in Figure 3(b), find the volume of the prism. (2 marks)



Figure 3(a)

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4. [12-13 Standardized Test 2 Q2]



(**b**) Find the volume of the prism.



(2 marks)

#### 5. [12-13 Standardized Test 2 Q7]

Figure 5a shows a rectangular open tank with an outer dimension of 20 m  $\times$  10 m  $\times$  10 m and the thickness of the wall is 1 m.



- (a) If the tank is fully-filled with water, find the volume of water. (2 marks)
- (b) If the water in the tank is all pumped to the swimming pool shown in **Figure 5b** in which trapezium *ABCD* is a uniform cross-section, find the depth of water measured along *AB*.

(3 marks)

# 6. [12-13 Final Exam Q11]

Figure 4a shows a container in the shape of a right prism with water inside. Figure 4b shows the same container put in an upright position. Find

- (a) the volume of water in the container;
- (b) the height of water in the container in Figure 4b.



(3 marks) (2 marks)

Figure 4b

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- 7. [13-14 Standardized Test 2 Q2] Find the total surface area of the right prism shown in Figure 1. (2 marks)
- 8. [13-14 Standardized Test 2 Q7]





Figure 6(a) shows a closed rectangular tank *ABCDHEFG* 

of length 3 m, width 3 m and height 4 m. The tank is halfly filled with water.

- (a) Find the volume of water in the tank. (1 mark)
- (b) The tank is tilted and placed with edge *AD* on the table as shown in Figure 6(b). If the deepest water level in the tank is 2.4 m, find the area of the water surface *BCHE*. (3 marks)



#### 9. [13-14 Final Exam Q10]

The hollow cube in **Figure 6** has sides 7 cm.  $\triangle ABC$  is a right-angled triangle with AB = 3 cm, BC = 4 cm and AC = 5 cm. Find

- (a) the volume of the hollow cube; (2 marks)
- (b) the total surface area of the hollow cube.

(3 marks)



# 10. [14-15 Mid-Year Exam Q9]

**Figure 1** shows a metallic trapezoidal prism with AB = 3 cm,

BC = 8 cm, DC = 6 cm and AE = 4 cm.

- (a) Find the area of triangle *ACD*. (1 mark)
- (b) Find the volume of the prism. (2 marks)

(c) The metallic prism is melted and recast into two identical rectangular prisms, each of length 5 cm and height 6 cm. Find the width of the rectangular prism. (2 marks)



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### 11. [14-15 Mid-Year Exam O12]

The base area, the total surface area and the volume of a triangular prism are  $24 \text{ cm}^2$ ,  $168 \text{ cm}^2$ and 120 cm<sup>3</sup> respectively.

- **(a)** Find the height of the prism.
- The lengths of three sides of the triangular base are three consecutive even numbers. Find **(b)**

the length of the longest side.

#### 12. [14-15 Final Exam Q9]

In Figure 4(a), prism A is melted and recast into prism B as shown in Figure 4(b).

- Find the value of *h*. **(a)**
- **(b)** Betty claims that the total surface area of prism B is greater than that of prism A. Do you agree? Explain briefly. (3 marks)



#### 13. [15-16 Mid-year Q10]

A shop has made a metal souvenir in the shape of a rectangular prism as shown in Figure 2(a). All the surfaces of the souvenir will be painted with paints  $cost $ 10 per cm^2$ .

- (a) Find the cost of painting the souvenir in Figure 2(a).
- (b) The shop used the same volume of metal to make another souvenir in the shape of a prism whose base is a trapezium as shown in Figure 2(b).
  - (i) Find the value of h.

# (ii) The shopkeeper claims that since both souvenirs have the same volume, the costs of painting both souvenirs are also the same. Do you agree? Explain your answer.



(2 marks)

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(1 mark)

#### 15. [15-16 Final Exam, #11]

Figure 6(a) shows a closed rectangular tank with a square base *ABQP*. Each side of the square base is 12 cm and the height of the tank is 20 cm. The tank contains water of 8 cm in depth.

- (a) Find the volume of water in the tank.
- (b) The tank in Figure 6(a) is rotated about BQ as shown in Figure 6(b) so that BCRQ becomes the base. Find the depth of water level after rotation. (2 marks)



Figure 6(a)

Figure 6(b)

(c) The tank is tilted so that AP remains on the horizontal ground as shown in Figure 6(c). The deepest water level in the tank is 9.6 cm. Find the area of water surface *EBQF*. (2 marks)



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