Square Roots and Surface Area

Chapter 1

• Determine the square roots of fractions and decimals that are perfect squares

• Approximate the square roots of fractions and decimals that are non-perfect squares

Determine the surface areas of composite 3-D objects to solve problems.



This playground has an area of 400 m².

What length of fence is required to surround the playground?

A square root is a number which when multiplied by itself, results in another number (called a square)

Ex. $5 \times 5 = 25$ $\sqrt{25} = 5$

Without using your calculator, make a list in your notebook of the squares of all whole numbers between 1 and 20:

Square Root	Square
1	1
2	4
3	9

The square of the side length of a square give us the area:

A = bh or $A = s^2$

What is the area of a square with a side length of 11 cm?

What is the side length of a square with an area of 11 cm²

Calculator Check! Know how to use square root and square buttons! What about with a fraction?





A square can be either **perfect** or **non-perfect**. A square is perfect if it's square root is a rational number.*

*Rational numbers include integers, fractions, and all decimal numbers that either "end" or have repeating sequences



Also, a fraction in simplest form is a PERFECT SQUARE if it can be written as a product of 2 equal fractions.



Also, if the numerator is a perfect square AND the denominator is a perfect square, then the entire fraction is a perfect square! (Also called rational numbers)

Which of the following are perfect squares?

Is it possible for a square to be smaller than it's square root? Working with decimals:

- When you square a decimal, the product is smaller: 0.5 x 0.5 = 0.49 WRONG! What is the correct answer?

0.8 x 0.8 = 0.64

- Decimal numbers follow the same patterns as non-decimals:

3 x 3 = 9	0.3 × 0.3 = 0.09	0.03 × 0.03 × 0.009	300 × 300 = 90000
√ 9 = 3	√ 0.09 = 0.3	√ 0.009 = 0.03	√ 90000 = 300

Arrange the square roots on the number line without using your calculator:



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- 3, 5, 7, 8 (a-f), 9 (bdfh), 10(d), 13, 14, 18, 19

Use the answers on Page 468 to self- assess *(if you are not getting the correct answer try and work with a partner to figure out why)* Set yourself up for success! LABEL and DATE your page and ORGANIZE your work.

What happens when you try to find the square root of 5.5 on your calculator?

√ 5.5 = ?

To find the square root of a non-perfect square, we can benchmarks & estimates, or use a calculator!

Benchmarking & Estimating Calculator $\sqrt{27} = ?$ $\sqrt{\frac{10}{26}} = ?$ $\sqrt{\frac{31}{8}} = ?$ $\sqrt{0.38} = ?$

The **Pythagorean Theorem** often involves non-perfect squares:

 $a^2 + b^2 = c^2$



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Steps:

- 1. Identify the hypotenuse (c²)
- 2. Replace known variables
- Solve for the unknown using your mad square root skills!



A 5 m ladder is placed against a wall. The base of the ladder is 1.5 m from the wall. How far up the wall does the ladder reach?

Find the value of the unknown side



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- Practice Page 18-20
- Start with → 4(ab), 5(abc), 6(ab), 7(ac), 9(ac), 10(abd), 13, 17
- Keep Going \rightarrow 14
- Challenge Yourself \rightarrow 16b, 19ab, 20b

Use the answers on Page 469 to self- assess Set yourself up for success! LABEL and DATE your page and ORGANIZE your work.

1.2 Square Roots of Non-Perfect Squares • Section 1.1 and 1.2 QUIZ on Friday • If you want to review (or maybe even practice some questions that will be on the quiz (hint hint) look at page 21 in MMS.

Using a piece of graph paper, make a 2D drawing of the front, back, top, bottom, left side, and right side of your model.

Tips to make it easier:

 Make you drawing so that one square on the graph paper equals one block

- You may write "front", "back" etc on your model as long as you erase it after

When finished, assume one face of each cube has an area of 1 unit² and calculate the surface area of the model you were given.

There are several different strategies to determine the surface area of composite objects made from rectangular prisms:

- 1. Count the squares on all 6 views of the object.
- 2. Count the square faces of **all** the cubes and subtract those that overlap.
- 3. Determine the total surface area of each block and subtract the overlapping areas.



Method #1: Count the squares on all 6 views of the object.



Top, Bottom, Front, Back, Left, Right





Method #2: Count the square faces of all the cubes. There are 5 cubes, each with 6 faces, so that's $5 \times 6 = 30$ faces. Now subtract 2 faces for each place that the squares are joined, or overlap. There are 5 places they are joined, so $5 \times 2 = 10$ overlapping faces.



• Method 3 – Determine the total surface area and subtract overlapping areas.





Method 1:

Method 2:

Sometimes you have to combine different stragtegies:



How would it change if this part was added?



What if it was a building and had 4 m by 15 m door... and only the outside walls needed to be painted?



- Practice Pages 30 32
 - Questions \rightarrow 4, 5, 6, 7, 8(ab), 10, 11, 12
 - Just for Fun \rightarrow Question 17

Use the answers on page 470 to self-assess

A composite object is an object made up of or composed of more than one object. It
may be composed of more than one of the same type of object such as a 'train' of
cubes or it could be composed of different types of objects.

Examples:









Review of Area formulas:

Area of a Rectangle: A = bh

Area of a Triangle: A = bh 2

Area of a Circle: $A = \pi r^2$

Also, circumference will be important: $c = \pi d$ or $c = 2\pi r$

Determine surface area of this object.



Step 1: What objects make up this whole object?

└→ a triangular prism
 └→ a rectangular prism



Step 2: Find the surface area of each object.





1.4 Surface Areas of Other Composite Objects **Triangular** Prism 10 cm 6 cm cm 8 cm

- └ surface area of triangular prism
- = 2 triangles + 3 different rectangles = $2\left(\frac{b \times h}{2}\right) + (l \times w) + (l \times w) + (l \times w)$ = $2\left(\frac{8 \times 6}{2}\right) + (8 \times 3) + (6 \times 3) + (3 \times 10)$
- = 48 + 24 + 18 + 30= 120 cm²

Rectangular Prism





└ surface area of rectangular prism

= 2 × front + 2 × right side + 2 × top = $2(l \times w) + 2(l \times w) + 2(l \times w)$ = $2(8 \times 4) + 2(4 \times 3) + 2(3 \times 8)$ = 64 + 24 + 48= 136 cm^2

Step 3: Find the area of the overlap. Don't forget to double it!

$$0 \text{verlap} = (l \times w)$$

= (8 × 3)
= 24 × 2 = 48 cm²

Total surface area = SA of triangular prism + SA of rectangular prism – overlap = 120 + 136 – 48 = 208 cm²



SA of rectangular prism – SA of cylinder - Overlap

1. Find the surface area of this object.



1. Surface Area of Rectangular Prism

Front, Back, Top, Bottom = $4(12 \times 15) = 720 \text{ cm}^2$ Left, Right = $2(12 \times 12) = 288 \text{ cm}^2$ Total : 1008 cm^2

Surface Area of Cylinder

Top, Bottom = 2 × Area of circle = 2 (π r²) = 2 × π × 2² = 25.12 cm² Curved Surface = 2 π r × h = 2 × π × 2 × 10 = 125.6 cm² Total: 150.72 cm²

Area of Overlap

Area of a Circledon't forget to double it! $2 \times \text{Area of circle} = 2 (\pi r^2) = 2 \times \pi \times 2^2 = 25.12 \text{ cm}^2$

Total Surface Area of the Composite Object

SA of rectangular prism + SA of cylinder – area of overlap 1008 + 150.72 – 25.12 = 1133.6 cm²



One last one... and it's a tough one! Excluding the bow how many cm² of icing is required for this cake? (There is icing on the top of each layer, but not the bottom)





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Perfect Squares

When a fraction can be written as a product of two equal fractions, the fraction is a perfect square. For example, $\frac{144}{25}$ is a perfect square because $\frac{144}{25} = \frac{12}{5} \times \frac{12}{5}$; and $\sqrt{\frac{144}{25}} = \frac{12}{5}$ When a decimal can be written as a fraction that is a perfect square, then the decimal is also a perfect square. The square root is a terminating or repeating decimal.

For example, 12.25 is a perfect square because $12.25 = \frac{1225}{100}$, and $\sqrt{\frac{1225}{100}} = \frac{35}{10}$, or 3.5

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Non-Perfect Squares

A fraction or decimal that is not a perfect square is a non-perfect square. To estimate the square roots of a non-perfect square, use perfect squares as benchmarks or use a calculator. For example, $\sqrt{\frac{143}{25}} \doteq \sqrt{\frac{144}{25}}$, which is $\frac{12}{5}$, or 2.4 And, $\sqrt{6.4} \doteq 2.5$ to the nearest tenth



Surface Area of a Composite Object

This is the sum of the surface areas of the objects that make up the composite object, minus the overlap. The objects that make up the composite object can be:

- A right rectangular prism with
 Surface area = 2 × area of top face + 2 × area of front face
 + 2 × area of side face
- A right triangular prism with Surface area = 2 × area of base + areas of 3 rectangular faces







Unit 1 – Review Questions

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 - All 6 Questions
 - If you don't know how to do something please ask, these are all examples of questions you will find on your Unit test.

