

Substituting into Formulae (A)

Worded Problems



Section A

1) The formula for distance is given as $\text{distance} = \text{speed} \times \text{time}$. Use the formula to find:

a. The distance, in km, of a journey which takes 3 hours at a speed of 30 km/h.

b. The distance, in km, of a journey which takes 5 hours at a speed of 120 km/h.

2) A formula for the perimeter of a rectangle is $P = 2w + 2l$, where w is the width and l is the length. Use the formula to find:

a. The perimeter of a rectangle with width 8 cm and length 12 cm.

b. The width of a rectangle with perimeter 42 cm and length 15 cm.

3) A taxi driver uses this formula to work out fares, $F = \text{£}2.50 + \text{£}0.90m$, where F is the fare, and m is the miles covered. Use the formula to work out:

a. The fare for a 9 mile journey.

b. The miles covered in a journey which cost £8.80.

4) The formula for the area of a triangle is $A = \frac{bh}{2}$, where b is the length of the base and h is the height. Use the formula to work out:

a. The area, in cm^2 , of a triangle with base 6 cm and height 11 cm.

b. The height of a triangle with area 25 cm^2 and base 10 cm.

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5) A formula for the volume of a cuboid is given as $V = ab^2$. Use the formula to find:

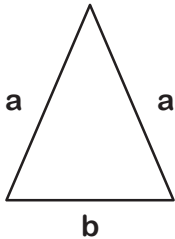
a. The volume of a cuboid with $a = 5$ cm and $b = 4$ cm.

b. The value of a when b is 2 cm and the volume is 24 cm³.

Section B

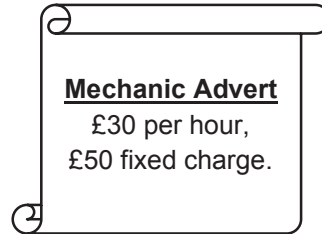
Create a formula for the following.

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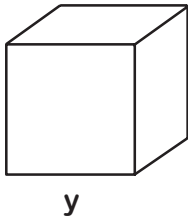
The perimeter of this triangle, where P is the perimeter.

2)



The amount, C , this mechanic charges per hour, h .

3)



The surface area of this cube, where S is the surface area.

Use the formula to work out the surface area of the following cubes.

