

Varied Fluency

Step 9: Calculate Perimeter

National Curriculum Objectives:

Mathematics Year 3: (3M7) [Measure the perimeter of simple 2-D shapes](#)

Differentiation:

Developing Questions to support calculating the perimeter of regular polygons using cm, where all the lengths are given.

Expected Questions to support calculating the perimeter of regular polygons, triangles and rectangles using cm or mm, where not all the lengths are given.

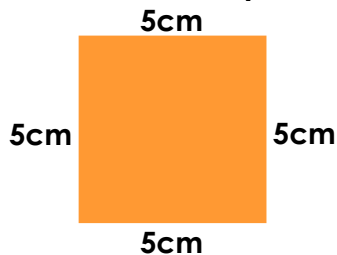
Greater Depth Questions to support calculating the perimeter of regular and irregular polygons where some conversions between mm and cm used, where not all the lengths are given.

More [Year 2 and Year 3 Length Height and Perimeter](#) resources.

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Calculate Perimeter

1a. Complete the calculations to work out the perimeter of the square.



$$5\text{cm} + \square + \square + 5\text{cm} = \square$$

$$5\text{cm} \times \square = \square$$

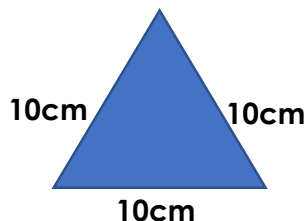
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Calculate Perimeter

1b. Complete the calculations to work out the perimeter of the triangle.



$$\square + \square + 10\text{cm} = \square$$

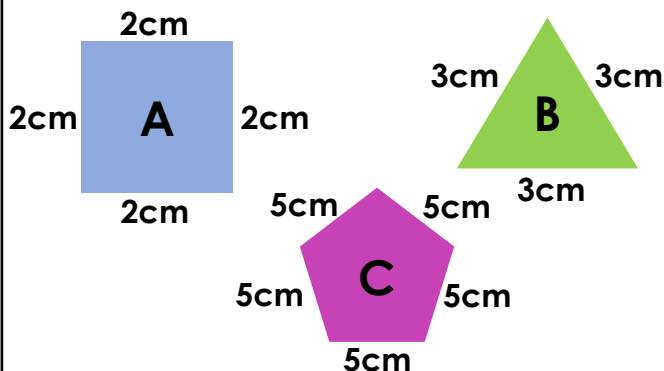
$$10\text{cm} \times \square = \square$$

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2a. Match the shapes to their perimeters.



25cm

9cm

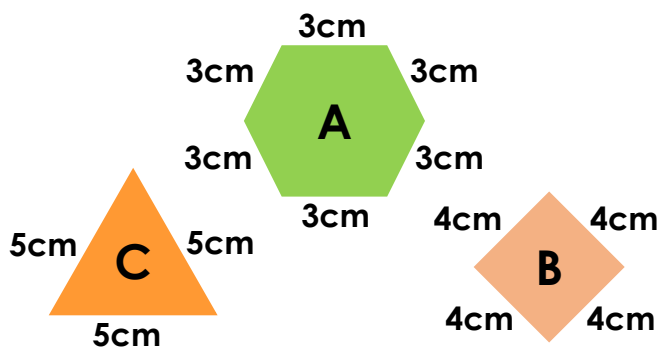
8cm

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2b. Match the shapes to their perimeters.



16cm

18cm

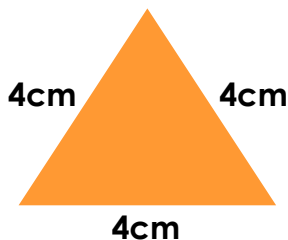
15cm

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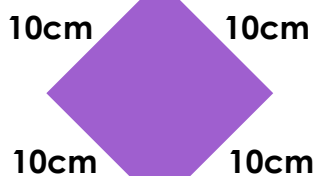
3a. Circle the calculation that does NOT find the perimeter of one of the shapes.



$$10 \times 4$$

$$4 \times 3$$

$$4 + 4 + 4 + 4$$

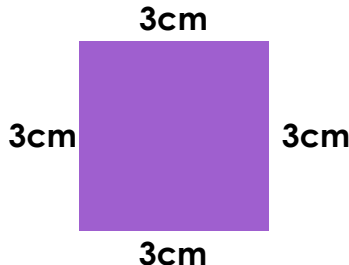


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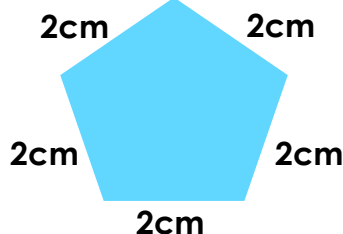


3b. Circle the calculation that does NOT find the perimeter of one of the shapes.



$$2 + 2 + 2 + 2 + 2$$

$$2 \times 3$$



$$3 \times 4$$

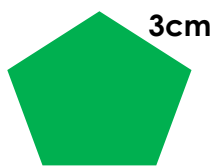
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Calculate Perimeter

4a. Complete the calculations to work out the perimeter of the regular pentagon.



$$3\text{cm} + \square + \square + 3\text{cm} + \square = \square$$

$$3\text{cm} \times \square = \square$$

Not to scale

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4b. Complete the calculations to work out the perimeter of the regular hexagon.



$$20\text{mm} + \square + \square + 20\text{mm} + \square + \square = \square$$

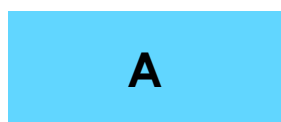
$$20\text{mm} \times \square = \square$$

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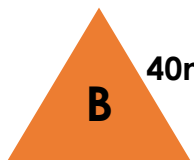


5a. Match the shapes to their perimeters.

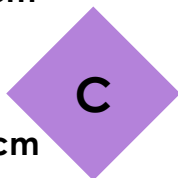


6cm

2cm



40mm



5cm

20cm

120mm

16cm

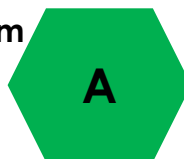
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5b. Match the shapes to their perimeters.

30mm



A

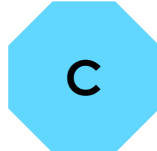
10mm



B

50mm

4cm



C

120mm

32cm

180mm

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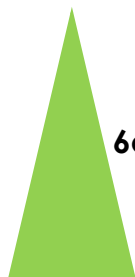


6a. Circle the calculation that does NOT find the perimeter of one of the shapes.



70mm

30mm



6cm

2cm

4×10

$6 + 2$

$6 + 6 + 2$

$70 + 70 + 30 + 30$

6×5

8×4

$8 + 8 + 4 + 4$

100×3



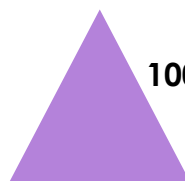
4cm

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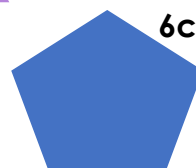
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6b. Circle the calculation that does NOT find the perimeter of one of the shapes.



100mm



6cm

4cm



8cm

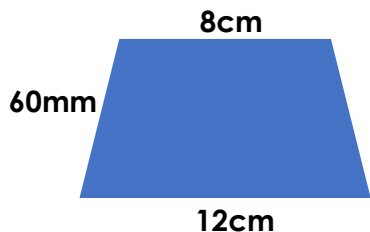
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Calculate Perimeter

7a. Complete the calculations to work out the perimeter of the shape.



$$\square + \square + \square + \square = \square$$

$$2 \times \square + \square = \square$$

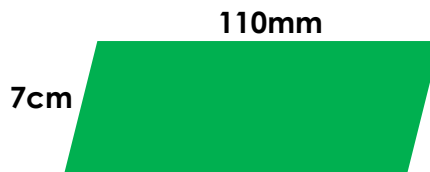
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Calculate Perimeter

7b. Complete the calculations to work out the perimeter of the shape.



$$\square + \square + \square + \square = \square$$

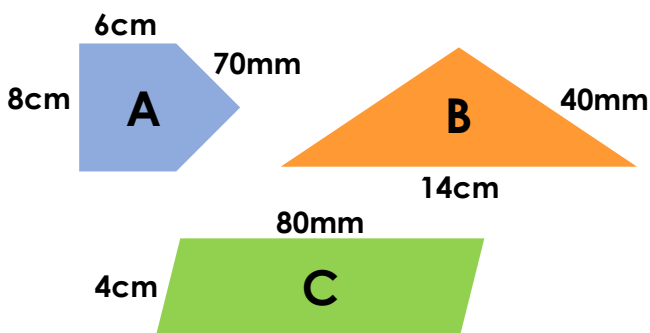
$$2 \times \square + \square = \square$$

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8a. Match the shapes to their perimeters.



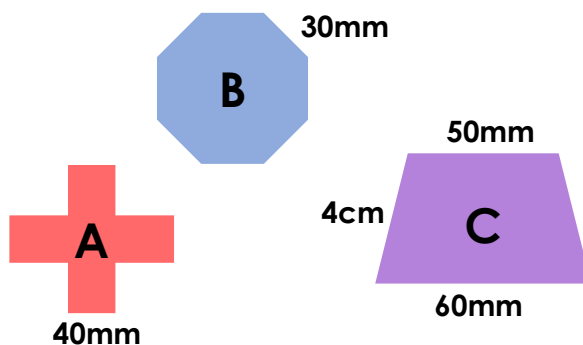
220mm	24cm	34cm
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8b. Match the shapes to their perimeters.



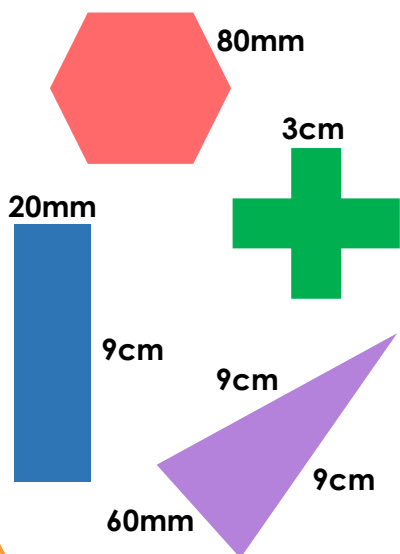
24cm	190mm	48cm
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9a. Circle the calculation that does NOT find the perimeter of one of the shapes.



$$9 + 9 + 2 + 2$$

$$9 + 6 + 9$$

$$8 \times 6$$

$$9 \times 2$$

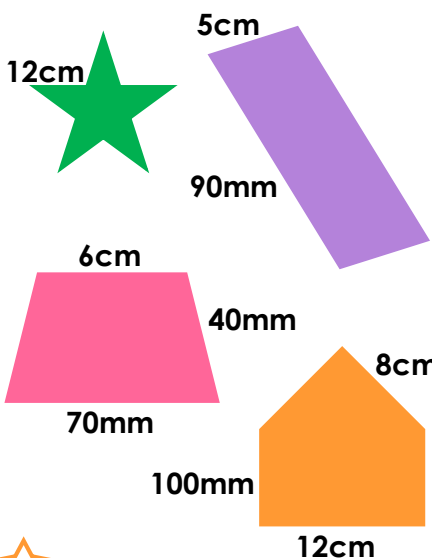
$$3 \times 12$$

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9b. Circle the calculation that does NOT find the perimeter of one of the shapes.



$$70 + 60 + 40 + 40$$

$$9 + 9 + 5 + 5$$

$$8 + 8 + 10 + 10 + 12$$

$$12 \times 10$$

$$90 + 5$$

Not to scale

3 VF



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Developing

1a. $5\text{cm} + 5\text{cm} + 5\text{cm} + 5\text{cm} = 20\text{cm}$, $5 \times 4 = 20\text{cm}$

2a. $A = 8\text{cm}$, $B = 9\text{cm}$, $C = 25\text{cm}$

3a. $4 + 4 + 4 + 4$

Expected

4a. $3\text{cm} + 3\text{cm} + 3\text{cm} + 3\text{cm} + 3\text{cm} = 15\text{cm}$, $3 \times 5 = 15\text{cm}$

5a. $A = 16\text{cm}$, $B = 120\text{mm}$, $C = 20\text{cm}$

6a. $6 + 2$

Greater Depth

7a. $8\text{cm} + 12\text{cm} + 6\text{cm} + 6\text{cm} = 32\text{cm}$, $2 \times 6 + 20 = 32\text{cm}$. Also accept the calculations completed using mm.

8a. $A = 34\text{cm}$, $B = 220\text{mm}$, $C = 24\text{cm}$

9a. 9×2

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Developing

1b. $10\text{cm} + 10\text{cm} + 10\text{cm} = 30\text{cm}$, $10 \times 3 = 30\text{cm}$

2b. $A = 18\text{cm}$, $B = 16\text{cm}$, $C = 15\text{cm}$

3b. 2×3

Expected

4b. $20\text{mm} + 20\text{mm} + 20\text{mm} + 20\text{mm} + 20\text{mm} + 20\text{mm} = 120\text{mm}$, $20 \times 6 = 120\text{mm}$

5b. $A = 180\text{mm}$, $B = 120\text{mm}$, $C = 32\text{cm}$

6b. 8×4

Greater Depth

7b. $7\text{cm} + 7\text{cm} + 11\text{cm} + 11\text{cm} = 36\text{cm}$, $2 \times 7 + 22 = 36\text{cm}$, or $2 \times 11 + 14 = 36\text{cm}$.

Also accept the calculations completed using mm.

8b. $A = 48\text{cm}$, $B = 24\text{cm}$, $C = 190\text{mm}$

9b. $90 + 5$