

EXERCISE 12.3

1. Three metallic solid cubes whose edges are 3 cm, 4 cm and 5 cm are melted and formed into a single cube. Find the edge of the cube so formed.

Solution:

We know that,

Volume of cube = a^3 , where a = side of cube

According to the question,

Side of first cube, $a_1 = 3$ cm

Side of second cube, $a_2 = 4$ cm

Side of third cube, $a_3 = 5$ cm

Let us assume that the side of cube recast from melting these cubes = a

We know that the total volume of the 3 cubes will be the same as the volume of the newly formed cube,

Volume of new cube = (volume of 1st + 2nd + 3rd cube)

$$\Rightarrow a^3 = a_1^3 + a_2^3 + a_3^3$$

$$\Rightarrow a^3 = (3)^3 + (4)^3 + (5)^3$$

$$\Rightarrow a^3 = 27 + 64 + 125 = 216$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 6 \text{ cm}$$

Therefore, side of cube so formed is 6 cm.

2. How many shots each having diameter 3 cm can be made from a cuboidal lead solid of dimensions 9cm × 11cm × 12cm?

Solution:

Volume of cuboid = $l b h$, where, l = length, b = breadth and h = height

Cuboidal lead:

Length, $l = 9$ cm

Breadth, $b = 11$ cm

Height, $h = 12$ cm

$$\text{Volume of lead} = 9(11)(12) = 1188 \text{ cm}^3$$

Volume of sphere = $\frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$, where r = radius of sphere

Spherical shots,

Diameter = 3 cm

Radius, $r = 1.5$ cm

$$\text{Volume of one shot} = \frac{4}{3} \times \frac{22}{7} \times (1.5)^3 = \frac{99}{7} \text{ cm}^3$$

$$\text{No. of shots can be made} = \frac{\text{Volume of lead}}{\text{Volume of one shot}} = \frac{1188}{\frac{99}{7}} = \frac{1188 \times 7}{99} = 84$$

Hence, the number of bullets that can be made from lead = 84.

3. A bucket is in the form of a frustum of a cone and holds 28.490 litres of water. The radii of the top and bottom are 28 cm and 21 cm, respectively. Find the height of the bucket.

Solution:

According to the question,

The bucket is in the form of frustum of a cone.

We know that,

Volume of frustum of a cone = $\frac{1}{3} \pi h (r_1^2 + r_2^2 + r_1 r_2)$, where, h = height, r_1 and r_2 are the radii ($r_1 > r_2$)

For bucket,

Volume of bucket = 28.490 L

1 L = 1000 cm^3

Volume of bucket = 28490 cm^3

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Radius of top, $r_1 = 28$ cm

Radius of bottom, $r_2 = 21$ cm

Let the height = h .

Substituting these values in the equation to find the volume of bucket,

We have.

$$\text{Volume of bucket} = \frac{1}{3} \pi h [28^2 + 21^2 + 28(21)]$$

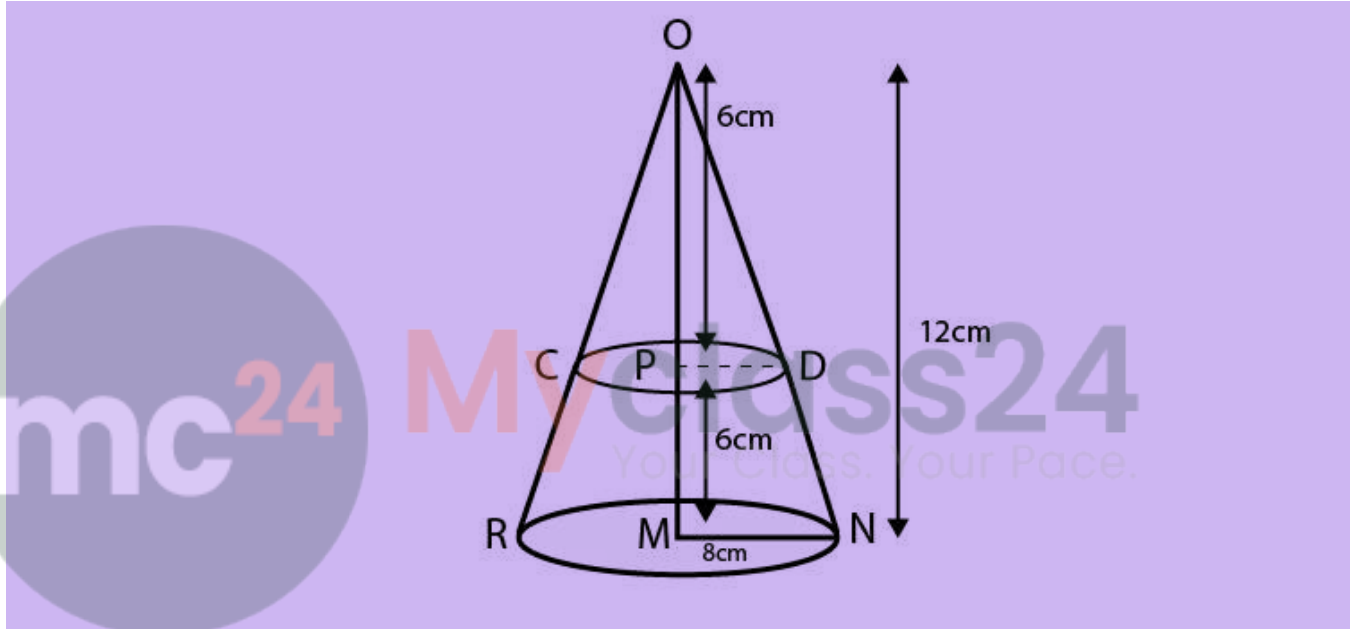
$$28490 = \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{22}{7} \times h (784 + 441 + 588) = \frac{22}{7} \times h \times 1813$$

$$\Rightarrow h = (28490 \times 21) / (22 \times 1813)$$

$$\Rightarrow h = 15$$

4. A cone of radius 8 cm and height 12 cm is divided into two parts by a plane through the mid-point of its axis parallel to its base. Find the ratio of the volumes of two parts.

Solution:



According to the question,

Height of cone = $OM = 12$ cm

The cone is divided from mid-point.

Hence, let the mid-point of cone = P

$$OP = PM = 6 \text{ cm}$$

From $\triangle OPD$ and $\triangle OMN$

$$\angle POD = \angle POM \text{ [Common]}$$

$$\angle OPD = \angle OMN \text{ [Both } 90^\circ]$$

Hence, by the Angle-Angle similarity criterion

We have,

$$\triangle OPD \sim \triangle OMN$$

And

Similar triangles have corresponding sides in equal ratio,

So, we have,

$$PD/MN = OP/OM$$

$$PD/8 = 6/12$$

$$PD = 4 \text{ cm}$$

$$[MN = 8 \text{ cm} = \text{radius of base of cone}]$$

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For First part i.e. cone

Base Radius, $r = PD = 4$ cm

Height, $h = OP = 6$ cm

We know that,

Volume of cone for radius r and height h , $V = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h$

Volume of first part $= \frac{1}{3} \pi (4)^2 6 = 32\pi$

For second part, i.e. Frustum

Bottom radius, $r_1 = MN = 8$ cm

Top Radius, $r_2 = PD = 4$ cm

Height, $h = PM = 6$ cm

We know that,

Volume of frustum of a cone $= \frac{1}{3} \pi h (r_1^2 + r_2^2 + r_1 r_2)$, where, h = height, r_1 and r_2 are radii, ($r_1 > r_2$)

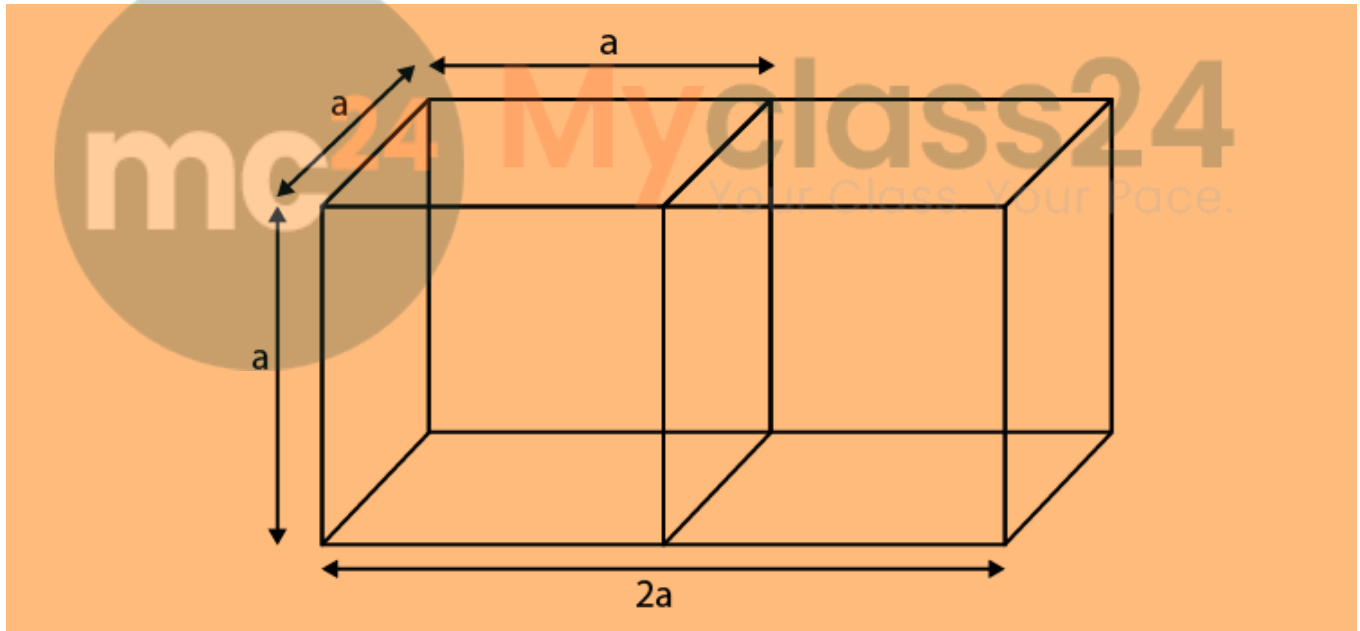
Volume of second part $= \frac{1}{3} \pi (6) [8^2 + 4^2 + 8(4)]$
 $= 2\pi(112) = 224\pi$

Therefore, we get the ratio,

Volume of first part : Volume of second part $= 32\pi : 224\pi = 1 : 7$

5. Two identical cubes each of volume 64 cm^3 are joined together end to end. What is the surface area of the resulting cuboid?

Solution:



Let the side of one cube $= a$

Surface area of resulting cuboid $= 2(\text{Total surface area of a cube}) - 2(\text{area of single surface})$

We know that,

Total surface area of cube $= 6a^2$, where a = side of cube

\Rightarrow Surface area of resulting cuboid $= 2(6a^2) - 2(a^2) = 10a^2$

Also,

According to the question,

Volume of cube $= 64 \text{ cm}^3$

Volume of cube $= a^3$

$64 = a^3$

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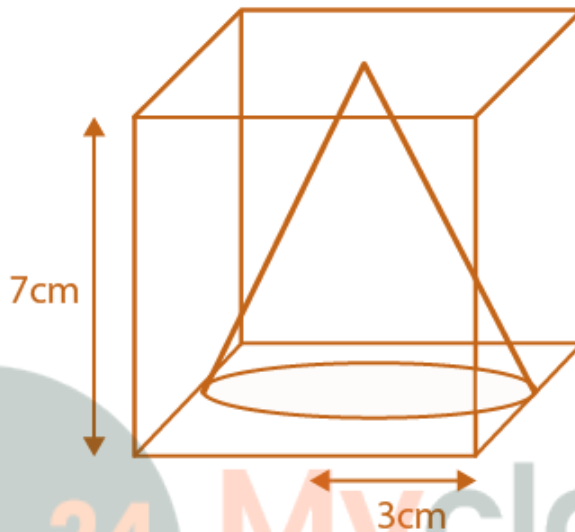
$$a = 4 \text{ cm}$$

Therefore,

$$\text{Surface area of resulting cuboid} = 10a^2 = 10(4)^2 = 160 \text{ cm}^2$$

6. From a solid cube of side 7 cm, a conical cavity of height 7 cm and radius 3 cm is hollowed out. Find the volume of the remaining solid.

Solution:



From the figure, we get,

Volume of remaining solid = volume of cube - volume of cone

For Cube

Side, $a = 7 \text{ cm}$

We know that,

Volume of cube = a^3 , where a = side of cube

$$\text{Volume of cube} = (7)^3 = 343 \text{ cm}^3$$

For cone

Radius, $r = 3 \text{ cm}$

Height, $h = 7 \text{ cm}$

$$\text{Volume of cone} = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h = \frac{1}{3} \pi (3)^2 7 = 3 \times \left(\frac{22}{7}\right) \times 7 = 66 \text{ cm}^3$$

Volume of remaining solid = volume of cube - volume of cone

$$= 343 - 66$$

$$= 277 \text{ cm}^3$$

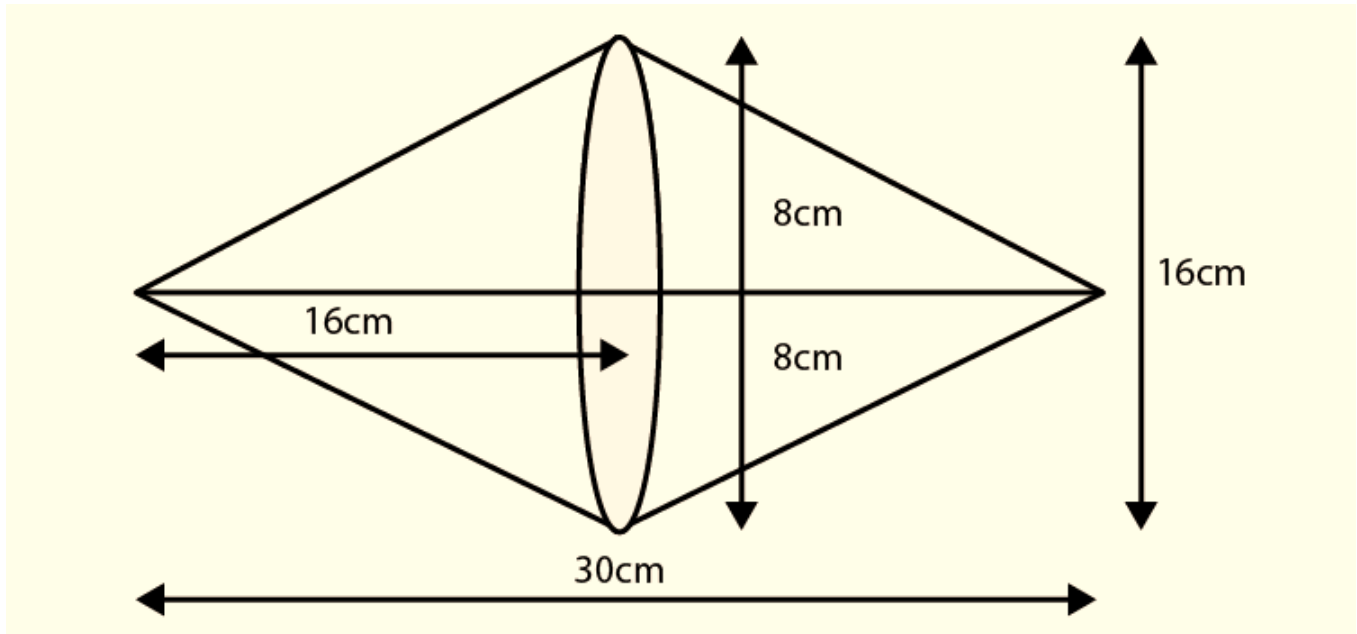
7. Two cones with same base radius 8 cm and height 15 cm are joined together along their bases. Find the surface area of the shape so formed.

Solution:

According to the question,

We get the figure given below,

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We know that,

Total surface area of shape formed = Curved area of first cone + Curved surface area of second cone

Since, both cones are identical,

We have,

Total surface area of shape formed = Curved area of first cone + Curved surface area of second cone
= 2(Surface area of cone)

We also know that,

Surface area of cone = $\pi r l$, where r = radius and l = slant height

And, the total Surface area of shape so formed = $2\pi r l$

Given in the question that,

Radius, $r = 8$ cm

Height, $h = 15$ cm

Therefore,

$$\text{Area} = 2(3.14)(8)(15) = 753.6 \text{ cm}^2$$