

Unit 5

L3 Areas of Prisms and Cylinders

For every solid we can find two types of areas:

- Lateral area ( $A_L$ ): area of lateral faces-no base(s)
- Total area ( $A_T$ ): area of lateral faces and base(s)

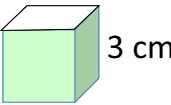
Formulas:

|           | $A_L$<br>(Lateral Area) | $A_T = A_L + 2A_b$<br>(Total Area) |
|-----------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Cubes     |                         |                                    |
| Prisms    |                         |                                    |
| Cylinders |                         |                                    |

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|       | $A_L$<br>(Lateral Area) | $A_T = A_L + 2A_b$<br>(Area total) |
|-------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Cubes | $4w^2$                  | $6w^2$                             |

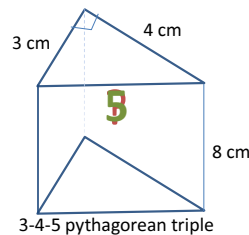
Ex 1: Find the total area



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|        | $A_L$<br>(Lateral Area) | $A_T = A_L + 2A_b$<br>(Area total) |
|--------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Prisms | $P_b h$                 | $P_b h + 2A_b$                     |

Ex 2: Find the total area:



$$A_T = P_b h + 2A_b$$

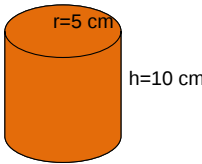
$$P_b = 3 + 4 + 5 = 12$$

$$A_b = (3)(4)/2 = 6$$

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|           | $A_L$<br>(Lateral Area) | $A_T = A_L + 2A_b$<br>(Area total) |
|-----------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Cylinders | $2\pi r h$ or $\pi d h$ | $2\pi r h + 2\pi r^2$              |

Ex 3: Find the total surface area of the cylinder



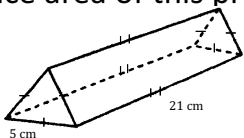
$$A_T = 2\pi r h + 2\pi r^2$$

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|        | $A_L$<br>(Lateral Area) | $A_T = A_L + 2A_b$<br>(Area total) |
|--------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Prisms | $P_b h$                 | $P_b h + 2A_b$                     |

Ex 4: Find the total surface area of this prism

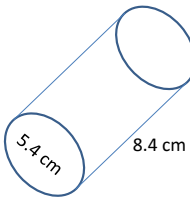
$$A_T = P_b h + 2A_b$$



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|           | $A_L$<br>(Lateral Area) | $A_T = A_L + 2A_b$<br>(Area total) |
|-----------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Cylinders | $2\pi r h$ or $\pi d h$ | $2\pi r h + 2\pi r^2$              |

Ex 5: Find the total area:



If  $d = 5.4$  cm  
Then  $r = 2.7$  cm

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