

Problem of the Week: Week 4 (Sum2): Year 10: Geometry: Area and perimeter

- identify and apply circle definitions and properties, including: centre, radius, chord, diameter, circumference, tangent, arc, sector and segment
- calculate arc lengths, angles and areas of sectors of circles
- calculate surface areas and volumes of spheres, pyramids, cones and composite solids

Useful formulae:

$$\text{Volume of a sphere} = \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3$$

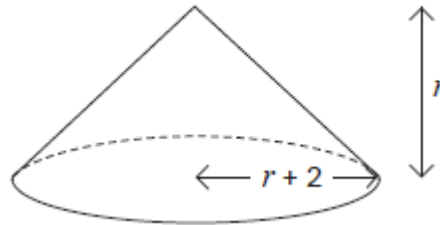
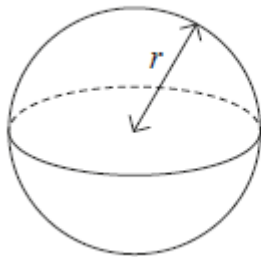
$$\text{Volume of a cone} = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h$$

(where h is the perpendicular height of the cone and r is the radius of the cone)

$$\text{Volume of a pyramid} = \frac{1}{3} \times \text{base area} \times \text{height}$$

Equal Volumes

The volume of the sphere is equal to the volume of the cone.



Work out the value of r .

Do **not** use trial and improvement.

You **must** show your working.

Hint

Make sure you use the correct radius for the cone according to the diagram

Pyramid Length

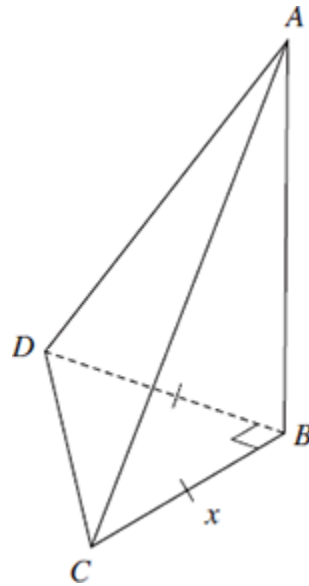
$ABCD$ is a triangular based pyramid.
The base BCD is a right-angled triangle.

A is directly above B .

$$BC = BD$$

$$AB = 2 \times BC$$

The volume of the pyramid is 72 cm^3 .



Calculate the length of BC , labelled x in the diagram