## Composite Objects Practice

Refer to the following formulas.
Surface Area
$S A=6 x^{2}$
$S A=2 l w+2 w h+2 l h$
$S A=4\left(\frac{1}{2} s x\right)$
$S A=2 \pi r^{2}+2 \pi r h$

Use the following diagram to answer the first question.


An 8-inch cube sits on top of a 12-inch cube.

1. The surface area on the top of the 12 -inch cube (the side where the 8 -inch cube sits) is
A) $60 \mathrm{in}^{2}$
B) $75 \mathrm{in}^{2}$
C) $80 \mathrm{in}^{2}$
D) $98 \mathrm{in}^{2}$

Use the following information to answer the next question.

2. The length of side $A B$ to the nearest cm is $\qquad$ .

Use the following information to answer the next question.

| A math stu | as asked to determine the surface area of the complex object below. <br> Analyze their work. |
| :---: | :---: |
| Step 1 | Determine the surface area of the square based pyramid. $4\left[\frac{(1.0)(1.5)}{2}\right]$ |
| Step 2 | Determine the surface area of the 5 sides of the square based prism that are not connected to the pyramid. $2[(1.0)(1.0)]+3[(1.0)(2.0)]$ |
| Step 3 | Determine the surface area of the side of the square based prism that is connected to the pyramid. $(1.0)(0.5)$ |
| Step 4 | Add the individual parts obtained from steps 1, 2 and 3. |

3. The first error occurred in step
A) 1
B) 2
C) 3
D) 4

Use the following information to answer the next question.

4. The volume of the larger cylinder, to the nearest $\mathrm{cm}^{3}$ is
A) 3393
B) 3452
C) 4109
D) 4435

Use the following diagram to answer the next question.
The composite figure below is made up of a cylinder, with a hemisphere at each end. The length of the cylinder below is 12 ft .

5. Rounded to the nearest cubic foot, the volume of the figure above can be written in the form, Volume $=\mathrm{WKM} \mathrm{ft}^{3}$, where W , K , and M are integers. The values of W , K , and M respectively are $\qquad$ , __, , and $\qquad$ .

Use the following information to answer the next question.
The volume of the square-based pyramid is $127 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ and the total volume of the square-based pyramid added to the volume of the square-based prism is $667 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$.

6. Determine the length $(x)$ of the prism to the nearest cm . Show work.

Use the following diagram to answer the next question.

7. The surface area of this complex object, to the nearest $\mathrm{cm}^{2}$, is
A) 1892
B) 1908
C) 1936
D) 1978
8. Find the volume and surface area of the figure (a cone on top of a cylinder) below. Give answers to the nearest tenth. Show work.


## Composite Objects Practice Solutions

Use the following diagram to answer the first question.


An 8-inch cube sits on top of a 12-inch cube.

1. The surface area on the top of the 12 -inch cube (the side where the 8 -inch cube sits) is
A) $60 \mathrm{in}^{2}$
B) $75 \mathrm{in}^{2}$
C) $80 \mathrm{in}^{2}$
D) $98 \mathrm{in}^{2}$

## Solution

Without the 8 -inch cube, the surface area of the top of the 12 -inch cube is 12 X 12 , or $144 \mathrm{in}^{2}$. The surface area of the bottom of the 8 -inch cube is $8 \times 8$, or $64 \mathrm{in}^{2}$.

The answer is the difference between these two values.
$144-64=80$
The correct answer is C.

Use the following information to answer the next question.

2. The length of side $A B$ to the nearest cm is .

## Solution

We need to use the Pythagorean Theorem.


The hypotenuse in the triangle is 17 cm and the two sides are 8 cm and xcm .
hyp $^{2}=$ side $^{2}+$ side $^{2}$
$17^{2}=8^{2}+x^{2}$
$17^{2}-8^{2}=x^{2}$
$225=x^{2}$
Take the square root of both sides and the value of $x$ is 15 cm . This represents half the length of side AB.

The length of side $A B$ is 30 cm .

Use the following information to answer the next question.

| A math student was asked to determine the surface area of the complex object below. |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Step 1 | Determine the surface area of the square based pyramid. <br> Step 2 |
| $\begin{array}{l}\text { Determine the surface area of the } 5 \text { sides of the square based } \\ \text { prism that are not connected to the pyramid. }\end{array}$ |  |
| $2[(1.0)(1.0)]+3[(1.0)(2.0)]$ |  |

3. The first error occurred in step
A) 1
B) 2
C) 3
D) 4

## Solution

The first 2 steps are correct.

The first error occurs in step 3. The surface area of the side of the square based prism that is connected to the pyramid is (1.0) (1.0).

Then, the areas of these individual parts are added together.
The correct answer is $C$.

Use the following information to answer the next question.

4. The volume of the larger cylinder, to the nearest $\mathrm{cm}^{3}$ is
A) 3393
B) 3452
C) 4109
D) 4435

## Solution

The formula for the volume of a cylinder is $V=\pi r^{2} h$
Volume large cylinder = Volume large cylinder without the hole - Volume small cylinder creating the hole

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\begin{align*}
& =(\pi)(7)^{2}(24)  \tag{2}\\
& =1176 \pi
\end{align*}
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$=3392.92 \ldots$

Use the following diagram to answer the next question.
The composite figure below is made up of a cylinder, with a hemisphere at each end.
The length of the cylinder below is 12 ft .

5. Rounded to the nearest cubic foot, the volume of the figure above can be written in the form, Volume $=\mathrm{WKM} \mathrm{ft}^{3}$, where W , K , and M are integers. The values of $W, K$, and $M$ respectively are _4, 5 , and 2 .

## Solution

The figure above consists of two hemispheres (1 full sphere) and a cylinder.
The formula for the volume of a sphere is $V=\left(\frac{4}{3}\right) \pi r^{3}$
The formula for the volume of a cylinder is $V=\pi r^{2} h$

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\begin{aligned}
\text { Volume composite figure } & =\text { Volume sphere } & + & \text { Volume cylinder } \\
& =\left(\frac{4}{3}\right) \pi\left(3^{3}\right) & & +\pi\left(3^{2}\right)(12) \\
& =36 \pi & & +108 \pi
\end{aligned}
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$=452.389 \ldots$

The values of $\mathbf{W}, \mathrm{K}$, and M respectively are 4, 5, and 2.

Use the following information to answer the next question.
The volume of the square-based pyramid is $127 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ and the total volume of the square-based pyramid added to the volume of the square-based prism is $667 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$.

6. Determine the length $(x)$ of the prism to the nearest cm . Show work.

## Solution

The volume of the composite figure is the sum of the volumes of the square-based pyramid and the square-based prism.

The volume of the prism is $(6)(6)(x)$, or $36 x$.

| Total volume | $=$ | Volume pyramid |  | + |
| ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 667 | $=$ | 127 |  | Volume prism |
| 667 |  |  |  |  |

Subtract 127 from both sides.
$540=36 x$
$15=x$

The length ( x ) of the prism is 15 cm .

Use the following diagram to answer the next question.

7. The surface area of this complex object, to the nearest $\mathrm{cm}^{2}$, is
A) 1892
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Solution
Total Surface Area $=$ SA of 10-inch cube
$+\quad$ SA of 12-inch cube

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\begin{array}{lll}
=5(10 \times 10) & + & 5(16 \times 16)+[(16)(16)-(10)(10)] \\
=500 & + & 1280+156 \\
=500 & + & 1436 \\
=1936 \mathrm{~cm}^{2} & &
\end{array}
$$

The correct answer is $\mathbf{C}$.
8. Find the volume and surface area of the figure (a cone on top of a cylinder) below. Give answers to the nearest tenth. Show work.


Solution
Volume

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\begin{aligned}
\text { Total Volume } & =\mathrm{V}_{\text {cone }}+\mathrm{V}_{\text {cylinder }} \\
& =\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) \pi r^{2} h+\pi r^{2} h \\
& =\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) \pi\left(3^{2}\right)(8)+\pi\left(3^{2}\right)(7) \\
& =24 \pi+63 \pi \\
& =273.318 \ldots
\end{aligned}
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The volume of the figure is $273.3 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$.

## Surface Area

The bottom of the cone and the top of the cylinder are connecting parts that are inside the object, and thus not part of the surface area.

In the formula below for the cone, 'I' represents slant height, and must be determined using the Pythagorean Theorem.

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\begin{aligned}
& \left(I^{2}\right)=(3)^{2}+(8)^{2} \\
& \left(I^{2}\right)=9+64 \\
& \left(I^{2}\right)=73 \\
& l=\sqrt{73} \\
& I=8.544 \ldots \\
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& \\
& \text { Total Surface Area }
\end{aligned}
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The surface area of the figure is $240.7 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$.

