



KS2.M-Y4M2 Perimeter and Area

Calculators not allowed · about 45 minutes

Total Marks

Name: _____ Date: ____ / ____ / ____

Answer ALL questions. Show all your working.

- 1** A rectangle has length 12 cm and width 5 cm. Work out its perimeter.

(1)

- 2** A square has side length 9 cm. Write down its perimeter.

(1)

- 3** The perimeter of a rectangle is 30 cm. One side is 8 cm. Work out the length of the other side.

(2)

- 4** Find the perimeter of the L-shaped figure on a 1 cm square grid. The shape is made from a 5 by 4 rectangle with a 2 by 2 square removed from one corner. Give your answer in centimetres.

(2)

- 5** A rectangle on a square grid measures 7 squares by 3 squares. What is its area in square centimetres if each small square is 1 cm by 1 cm?

(1)

- 6** A shape on a 1 cm grid is made from two rectangles. One is 4 by 3 and the other is 3 by 2. They are joined edge to edge with no overlap, along an edge of length 2 cm. Work out the area of the combined shape in square centimetres.

(2)

- 7** A 3 by 5 rectangle and a 4 by 4 square both use 1 cm squares. Explain whether they could have the same area. Give a reason for your answer.

(2)

- 8** On a 1 cm grid, a shape has outer edge lengths 6, 2, 3, 1, 4 and 3 cm in order around the shape. Find the perimeter of the shape.

(2)

- 9** A square has area 49 cm². What is the length of one side of the square?

(1)

- 10** A rectangle floor is 8 squares by 5 squares. A cupboard covers 2 squares by 3 squares in one corner. How many 1 cm by 1 cm squares of floor are left around the cupboard?

(2)

- 11** A rectangle has length 24 cm and width 2 cm. What is its perimeter?

(1)

12 A rectangle is 9 cm long and 6 cm wide. Work out its area in square centimetres.

(1)

13 A rectangle is 7 cm by 5 cm. The length is increased by 3 cm. Find the new perimeter.

(2)

14 Explain whether two different shapes can have the same perimeter but different areas. Give an example or a reason.

(2)

15 On a 1 cm grid a 4 by 4 square has one corner square removed. What is the area of the remaining shape in square centimetres?

(2)

16 A rectilinear shape has three known side lengths on the outer boundary: 6 cm, 3 cm and 4 cm. The other three outer sides are equal in length. The perimeter is 30 cm. Find the length of each of the three equal sides.

(2)

17 A rectangle measures 6 cm by 4 cm. A boarder 1 cm wide is added all the way around (outside the rectangle). What is the new perimeter of the larger rectangle?

(2)

- 18** A hall measures 3 m by 4 m. School tiles are 1 m by 1 m squares. How many tiles are needed to cover the whole hall? Show your working.

(2)

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- 19** A rectangle has area 24 cm² and one side is 6 cm. Find the length of the other side.

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- 20** Two rectangles are shown. Rectangle A is 6 cm by 3 cm. Rectangle B is 7 cm by 2 cm. Which rectangle has the larger area and which has the larger perimeter? Show working to justify both answers.

(3)

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Question 1

- **B1** Perimeter 34 cm cao
- Answer: **34 cm**

Question 2

- **B1** Perimeter 36 cm cao
- Answer: **36 cm**

Question 3

- **M1** Method to halve 30 and subtract 8, or show $2x + 2 \times 8 = 30$ then solve for x
- **B1** 7 cm cao
- Answer: **7 cm**

Question 4

- **M1** Correct method to follow outer edges or add side lengths of the L shape
- **B1** Perimeter 18 cm cao
- Answer: **18 cm**

Question 5

- **B1** 21 cm² cao
- Answer: **21 cm²**

Question 6

- **M1** Method adding areas $4 \times 3 + 3 \times 2$ or $12 + 6$ (no overlap to subtract, as the rectangles only share a boundary edge)
- **B1** 18 cm² cao
- Answer: **18 cm²**

Question 7

- **B1** Correct statement about areas: $3 \times 5 = 15$ and $4 \times 4 = 16$
- **B1** Reason that areas are not the same because 15 is not equal to 16 cao
- Answer: **No. $3 \times 5 = 15 \text{ cm}^2$ and $4 \times 4 = 16 \text{ cm}^2$, so the areas are different.**

Question 8

- **M1** Correct method to add the given side lengths
- **B1** Perimeter 19 cm cao
- Answer: **19 cm**

Question 9

- **B1** 7 cm cao
- Answer: **7 cm**

Question 10

- **M1** Correctly find floor area $8 \times 5 = 40$ and cupboard area $2 \times 3 = 6$
- **B1** 34 cm² cao
- Answer: **34 cm²**

Question 11

- **B1** 52 cm cao
- Answer: **52 cm**

Question 12

- **B1** 54 cm² cao
- Answer: **54 cm²**

Question 13

- **M1** Correct new length 10 and method to calculate perimeter $2 \times (10 + 5)$
- **B1** 30 cm cao
- Answer: **30 cm**

Question 14

- **B1** Statement that shapes can have same perimeter but different areas
- **B1** Reason or example e.g. 6x2 rectangle (area 12) and 4x3 rectangle (area 12) is equal area example is acceptable; better example: 5x3 (area 15) and 6x2 (area 12) with same perimeter 16 shows different areas
- Answer: **Yes. For example, a 6 by 2 rectangle and a 5 by 3 rectangle both have perimeter 16 cm, but areas 12 cm² and 15 cm² so areas differ.**

Question 15

- **M1** Correct method $4 \times 4 = 16$ then subtract 1
- **B1** 15 cm² cao
- Answer: **15 cm²**

Question 16

- **M1** Method: subtract known sides $6 + 3 + 4 = 13$ from 30 to get 17, then divide by 3
- **B1** Each equal side is $17/3$ cm or $5 \frac{2}{3}$ cm cao
- Answer: **$5 \frac{2}{3}$ cm**

Question 17

- **M1** New dimensions 8 by 6 found by adding 1 cm each side to length and width
- **B1** Perimeter 28 cm cao
- Answer: **28 cm**

Question 18

- **M1** Method to multiply 3×4 to find area in square metres
- **B1** 12 tiles cao
- Answer: **12**

Question 19

- **B1** 4 cm cao
- Answer: **4 cm**

Question 20

- **M1** Correct area calculations: $A = 6 \times 3 = 18$ and $B = 7 \times 2 = 14$, or equivalent
- **M1** Correct perimeter calculations: Perimeter A = $2 \times (6 + 3) = 18$ and Perimeter B = $2 \times (7 + 2) = 18$
- **B1** Answer stating A has larger area ($18 > 14$) and perimeters are equal (18 cm) cao
- Answer: **Rectangle A has larger area; both have equal perimeter 18 cm.**