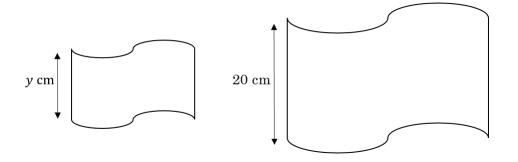
## Similar Shapes Area & Volume Exam Practice



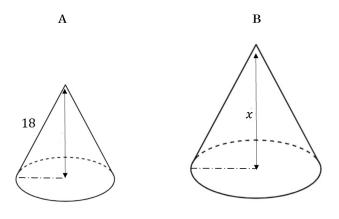
Q1. The following two shapes are similar. The areas of the shapes are  $45 \text{ cm}^2$  and  $281.25 \text{ cm}^2$ . Find the length marked y.



(2 marks)

Q2. Two shapes, A and B shown below, are similar, and the radius and the perpendicular height are in the ratio 3:5.

The volume of the shapes are  $240 \text{ cm}^3$  and  $414.72 \text{ cm}^3$ .



a) Find the length marked x

(4 marks)

b) Find the surface area of shape B to 1 decimal place.

(2 marks)

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- Q3. Three 3-d shapes are similar and can be described as follows: The lengths of P to the lengths of Q are 3:2 The lengths of Q to the lengths of R are 6:11.
  - a) Find the ratio of the volume of shape P to shape R

(2 marks)

b) The volume of shape R is  $450 \text{ cm}^3$ . Find the volume of shape Q to 1 d.p.

(2 marks)

Q4. Let  $S_1, S_2, S_3, \dots$  be similar 3d shapes. The volume of  $S_1$  is 500 cm<sup>3</sup>.

Let  $A_1, A_2, A_3...$  be the surface of these shapes.

Suppose that the surface area of  $\frac{A_{k+1}}{A_k} = c$  where c is a constant for all k.

Given that the surface area of  $A_1$  is 80 cm<sup>2</sup> and the surface area of  $A_7$  is 911.25, find the volume of shape  $S_{12}$  to 1 decimal place.

(5 marks)