

## Exercise - 7.3

- ① Find the volume of a cuboid whose dimensions are
- (i) length = 12 cm, breadth = 8 cm, height = 6 cm
  - (ii) length = 60 m, breadth = 25 m, height = 1.5 m

⇒ (i) given that the cuboid  
length ( $l$ ) = 12 cm, breadth ( $b$ ) = 8 cm, height ( $h$ ) = 6 cm  
volume of the cuboid =  $l b h$  cubic units  
 $= 12 \times 8 \times 6 \text{ cm}^3$   
 $= 576 \text{ cm}^3$

(ii) given that the cuboid.  
length ( $l$ ) = 60 m, breadth ( $b$ ) = 25 m, height = 1.5 m.  
∴ volume of the cuboid =  $l b h$  cubic units  
 $= 60 \times 25 \times 1.5 \text{ m}^3$   
 $= 2250 \text{ m}^3$

- ② The dimensions of a match box are 6 cm  $\times$  3.5 cm  $\times$  2.5 cm  
Find the volume of a packet containing 12 such match boxes.

⇒ given the match box.  
length ( $l$ ) = 6 cm, breadth ( $b$ ) = 3.5 cm, height ( $h$ ) = 2.5 cm.  
∴ volume of the match box  
 $= l b h$  cubic units  
 $= 6 \times 3.5 \times 2.5 \text{ cm}^3$   
 $= 52.5 \text{ cm}^3$

volume of 12 such match box  
 $= 52.5 \times 12 \text{ cm}^3$   
 $= 630 \text{ cm}^3$

- ③ The length, breadth and height of a chocolate box are in the ratio 5:4:3. If its volume is  $7500 \text{ cm}^3$ , then find its dimensions.

$\Rightarrow$  Let the chocolate box length ( $l$ ) =  $5x$   
 " " " " breadth ( $b$ ) =  $4x$   
 " " " " height ( $h$ ) =  $3x$ .

Then, volume of the chocolate box =  $lbh$  cubic units  
 $= 5x \times 4x \times 3x \text{ cm}^3$   
 $= 60x^3 \text{ cm}^3$

now, volume of box =  $7500 \text{ cm}^3$

$$60x^3 = 7500$$

$$x^3 = \frac{7500}{60}$$

$$x^3 = 125$$

The chocolate box length =  $5x = 25 \text{ cm}$   
 " " " breadth =  $4x = 20 \text{ cm}$   
 " " " height =  $3x = 15 \text{ cm}$ .

Therefore, the chocolate box dimensions is  $25 \text{ cm} \times 20 \text{ cm} \times 15 \text{ cm}$

- ④ The length, breadth and depth of a pond are  $20.5 \text{ m}$ ,  $16 \text{ m}$ , and  $8 \text{ m}$  respectively. Find the capacity of the pond in litres.

$\Rightarrow$  now, length ( $l$ ) =  $20.5 \text{ m}$ , breadth =  $16 \text{ m}$ , height ( $h$ ) =  $8 \text{ m}$ .

$\therefore$  volume of the pond =  $lbh$  cubic units  
 $= 20.5 \times 16 \times 8 \text{ m}^3$   
 $= 2624 \text{ m}^3$   
 $= 2624 \times 1000 \text{ litres}$ .

We know that volume of the pond = capacity of the pond.

Thus, the capacity of the pond is  $2624000 \text{ litres}$ .

⑤ The dimensions of a brick are  $24\text{cm} \times 12\text{cm} \times 8\text{cm}$ . How many such bricks will be required to build a wall of  $20\text{m}$  length,  $48\text{cm}$  breadth and  $6\text{m}$  height?

⇒ Given that the wall,

$$\text{length}(l_1) = 20\text{m} = 2000\text{cm}$$

$$\text{breadth}(b_1) = 48\text{cm}, \text{ height}(h_1) = 6\text{m} = 600\text{cm}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Volume of the wall} &= l_1 \times b_1 \times h_1 \text{ cubic units} \\ &= 2000 \times 48 \times 600 \text{ cm}^3 \\ &= 57600000 \text{ cm}^3 \end{aligned}$$

Now, the brick, length ( $l_2$ ) =  $24\text{cm}$ ,

breadth ( $b_2$ ) =  $12\text{cm}$  and height ( $h_2$ ) =  $8\text{cm}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Volume of the brick} &= l_2 \times b_2 \times h_2 \text{ cubic units.} \\ &= 24 \times 12 \times 8 \text{ cm}^3 \\ &= 2304 \text{ cm}^3. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{The number of required bricks} &= \frac{\text{Volume of wall}}{\text{Volume of bricks}} \\ &= \frac{57600000}{2304} = 25000 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the required bricks is  $25000$ .

⑥ The volume of a container is  $1440\text{m}^3$ . The length and breadth of the container are  $15\text{m}$  and  $8\text{m}$  respectively. Find its height.

⇒ Let the height of the container =  $h\text{m}$ .

height ( $l$ ) =  $15\text{m}$  and breadth ( $b$ ) =  $8\text{m}$ .

Then, the volume of container =  $15 \times 8 \times h\text{m}^3$

$$\text{Now, } 15 \times 8 \times h = 1440$$

$$h = \frac{1440}{15 \times 8}$$

$$h = 12\text{m}.$$

Thus, the height of the container is  $12\text{m}$ .

⑦ Find the volume of a cube each of whose side is (i) 5 cm (ii) 3.5 m (iii) 21 cm.

⇒ (i) given that the ~~cube~~ side of cube (a) = 5 cm.

then, the volume of cube =  $a^3$  cubic units.

$$= (5)^3 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$= 125 \text{ cm}^3.$$

(ii) given that the side of cube (a) = 3.5 m

then, the volume of cube =  $a^3$  ~~cm~~<sup>3</sup> cubic units.

$$= (3.5)^3 \text{ m}^3$$

$$= 42.875 \text{ m}^3$$

(iii) given the side of cube (a) = 21 cm

then, the volume of cube =  $a^3$  cubic units

$$= (21)^3 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$= 9261 \text{ cm}^3$$

⑧ A cubical milk tank can hold 125000 litres of milk. Find the length of its side in metres.

⇒ Let the ~~tan~~ length of side of tank = a m.

then, the volume of tank =  $a^3 \text{ m}^3$ .

$$= 1000 a^3 \text{ litres.}$$

to  
now,  $1000 a^3 = 125000$

$$a^3 = 125 = (5)^3$$

$$a = 5$$

Thus, the side of tank is 5 m.