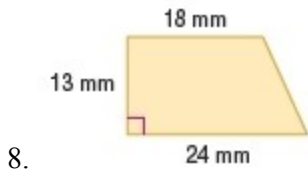


11-2 Areas of Trapezoids, Rhombi, and Kites

ORGANIZE IDEAS Find the area of each trapezoid, rhombus, or kite.



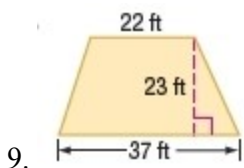
SOLUTION:

$$h = 13, b_1 = 18 \text{ and } b_2 = 24$$

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \frac{1}{2}(b_1 + b_2)h \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(18 + 24)13 \\ &= \frac{13}{2}(42) \\ &= 273 \end{aligned}$$

ANSWER:

$$273 \text{ mm}^2$$



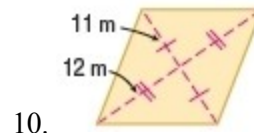
SOLUTION:

$$h = 23, b_1 = 22 \text{ and } b_2 = 37$$

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \frac{1}{2}(b_1 + b_2)h \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(22 + 37)23 \\ &= \frac{23}{2}(59) \\ &= 678.5 \end{aligned}$$

ANSWER:

$$678.5 \text{ ft}^2$$



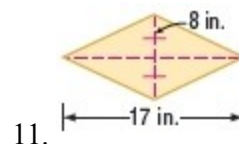
SOLUTION:

$$d_1 = 22 \text{ and } d_2 = 24$$

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \frac{1}{2}(d_1 \times d_2) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(22 \times 24) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(528) \\ &= 264 \end{aligned}$$

ANSWER:

$$264 \text{ m}^2$$



SOLUTION:

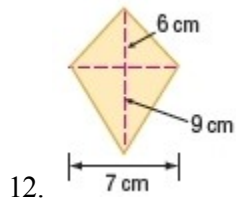
$$d_1 = 16 \text{ in. and } d_2 = 17 \text{ in.}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \frac{1}{2}(d_1 \times d_2) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(16 \times 17) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(272) \\ &= 136 \end{aligned}$$

ANSWER:

$$136 \text{ in}^2$$

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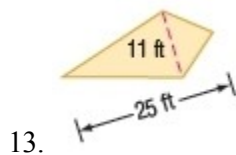
SOLUTION:

$$d_1 = 7 \text{ cm. and } d_2 = 6 + 9 = 15 \text{ cm}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \frac{1}{2}(d_1 \times d_2) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(7 \times 15) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(105) \\ &= 52.5 \end{aligned}$$

ANSWER:

$$52.5 \text{ cm}^2$$



SOLUTION:

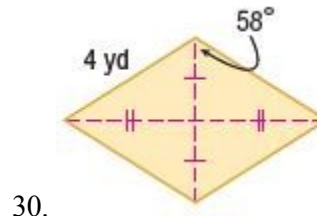
$$d_1 = 11 \text{ ft. and } d_2 = 25 \text{ ft}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \frac{1}{2}(d_1 \times d_2) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(11 \times 25) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(275) \\ &= 137.5 \end{aligned}$$

ANSWER:

$$137.5 \text{ ft}^2$$

DIMENSIONAL ANALYSIS Find the perimeter and area of each figure in feet. Round to the nearest tenth, if necessary.



SOLUTION:

Both diagonals are perpendicular bisectors, so the figure is a rhombus and all four triangles are congruent. All of the sides are 12 feet, so the perimeter is 48 feet.

Use trigonometry to find the lengths of the diagonals.

$$\sin x = \frac{\text{opposite}}{\text{hypotenuse}}$$

$$\sin 58 = \frac{x}{4}$$

$$4 \sin 58 = x$$

$$8 \sin 58 = 2x$$

$$8 \sin 58 = d_1$$

$$\cos y = \frac{\text{adjacent}}{\text{hypotenuse}}$$

$$\cos 58 = \frac{y}{4}$$

$$4 \cos 58 = y$$

$$8 \cos 58 = 2y$$

$$8 \cos 58 = d_2$$

Now find the area.

$$A = \frac{1}{2}d_1d_2$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2}(8 \sin 58)(8 \cos 58)$$

$$A = 14.4 \text{ yd}^2$$

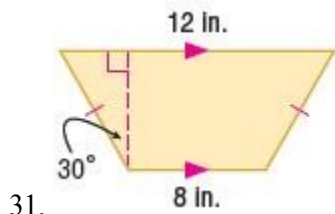
$$A = 14.4 \times 9$$

$$A = 129.4 \text{ ft}^2$$

ANSWER:

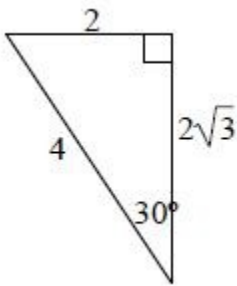
$$48 \text{ ft; } 129.4 \text{ ft}^2$$

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SOLUTION:

Use the 30-60-90 triangle to find the dimensions of the isosceles trapezoid. The base of the triangle is 0.5 (12 - 8) = 2.



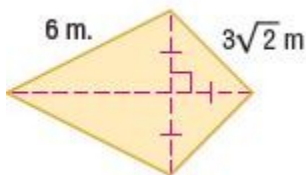
Don't forget to use dimensional analysis to convert the units to feet.

$$\begin{aligned} P &= 2(4) + 8 + 12 \\ &= 28 \text{ in} \\ &= \frac{28}{12} \text{ ft} \\ &\approx 2.3 \text{ ft} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \frac{1}{2}(b_1 + b_2)h \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(12 + 8)(2\sqrt{3}) \\ &= 30\sqrt{3} \\ &= \frac{30\sqrt{3}}{144} \text{ in}^2 \\ &\approx 0.24 \text{ ft}^2 \end{aligned}$$

ANSWER:

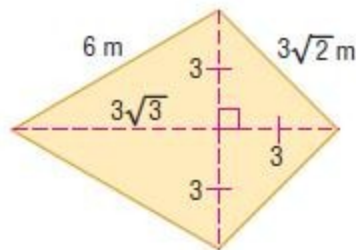
2.3 ft; 0.24 ft²



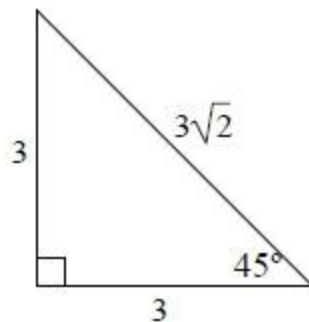
SOLUTION:

The figure is a kite because one of the diagonals is a perpendicular bisector. Find the perimeter. Convert the units to feet.

$$\begin{aligned} P &= 6 + 6 + 3\sqrt{2} + 3\sqrt{2} \\ &= 12 + 6\sqrt{2} \text{ m} \\ &= \frac{12 + 6\sqrt{2} \text{ m}}{1} \cdot \frac{1 \text{ yd}}{3 \text{ m}} \cdot \frac{3 \text{ ft}}{1 \text{ yd}} \\ &\approx 67.6 \text{ ft} \end{aligned}$$



Use the 45-45-90 triangle to find the lengths of the congruent parts of the diagonals.



$$d_1 = 3 + 3 = 6$$

Use the Pythagorean theorem to find the other piece of d_2 .

$$\begin{aligned} a^2 + b^2 &= c^2 \\ 3^2 + b^2 &= 6^2 \\ b^2 &= 6^2 - 3^2 \\ b^2 &= 36 - 9 \\ b &= \sqrt{27} \\ b &= 3\sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

$$d_2 = 3 + 3\sqrt{3}$$

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Now find the area of the kite.

$$A = \frac{1}{2}d_1d_2$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2}(6)(3 + 3\sqrt{3})$$

$$A = 9 + 9\sqrt{3}\text{m}^2$$

$$A = \frac{9+9\sqrt{3}\text{m}^2}{1} \cdot \frac{(1.1)^2\text{yd}^2}{1\text{m}^2} \cdot \frac{3^2\text{ft}^2}{1\text{yd}^2}$$

$$A \approx 267.8$$

ANSWER:

$$67.6 \text{ ft}; 267.8 \text{ ft}^2$$