



SKILL 16: Surface Area of Cylinders

All of a prism's faces are flat. Other three-dimensional objects have circular faces and curved sides. A **cylinder** has two parallel circular bases with the same radius.

You can use a net to see shapes and dimensions of the faces. Then you can use area formulas to calculate surface areas.

Example

Find the surface area of the cylinder. Use $\pi = 3.14$.

Find the area of each part of the net.

First find the area of each circle.

$$A = \pi \times r^2 = 3.14 \times 4^2 = 3.14 \times 4 \times 4 \approx 50.24 \text{ cm}^2$$

The length of the rectangle is equal to the circumference of the circle.

$$C = 2 \times \pi \times r = 2 \times 3.14 \times 4 = 25.12 \text{ cm}$$

The width of the rectangle is equal to the height of the cylinder, 7.

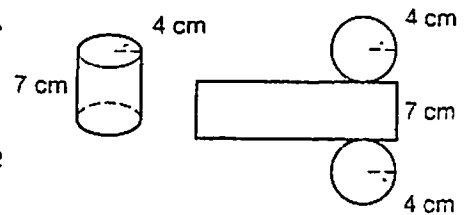
$$A = 25.12 \times 7 = 175.84 \text{ cm}^2$$

Multiply 25.12 by 7.

Add the areas to find the surface area.

$$(2 \times 50.24) \text{ cm}^2 + 175.84 \text{ cm}^2 = 276.32 \text{ cm}^2$$

So, the surface area of the cylinder is 276.32 cm^2 .



Guided Practice

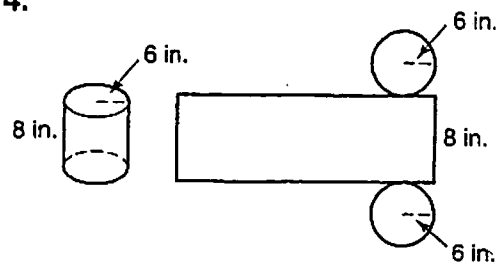
Find the surface area of the cylinder. Use $\pi = 3.14$.

1. Area of each base = $\pi \times r^2$

$$= 3.14 \times \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

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$$= \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \text{ in}^2$$



2. Length of rectangle (circumference of circle) = $2 \times \pi \times r$

$$= 2 \times 3.14 \times \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

$$= \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

3. Width of the rectangle = $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

4. Area of the rectangle = length \times width = $\underline{\hspace{2cm}} \times \underline{\hspace{2cm}} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \text{ in}^2$

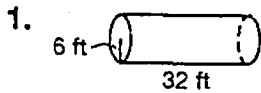
5. Surface area of the cylinder = area of both bases + area of rectangle

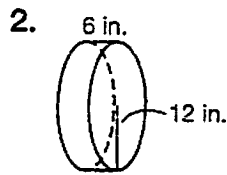
$$= (\underline{\hspace{2cm}} \times 113.04) + \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

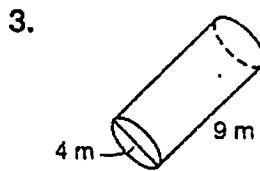
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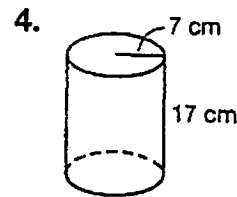
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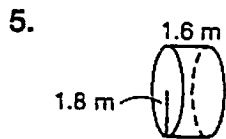
Find the surface area of each cylinder. Use 3.14 for π .

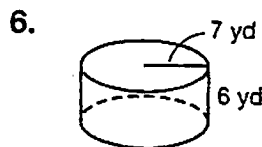


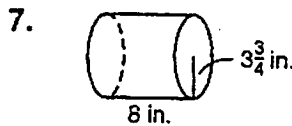


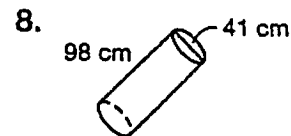












Given the radius and height of each cylinder, find the surface area (SA). Use 3.14 for π . Round to the nearest whole number.

9. $r = 3.8$ ft, $h = 15$ ft

10. $r = 21$ m, $h = 4$ m

11. $r = 12$ in., $h = 13$ in.

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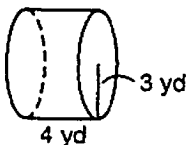
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Solve. Round to the nearest whole number.

12. An oatmeal box has the shape of a cylinder with diameter $3\frac{7}{8}$ in. and height 7 in. What is the surface area of the box?

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13. What is the surface area of the cylinder? Use 3.14 for π .



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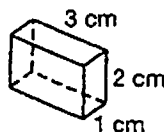
A 75.36 yd²

C 103.62 yd²

B 131.88 yd²

D 150.72 yd²

14. What is the surface area of the prism?



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F 6 cm²

H 18 cm²

G 11 cm²

J 22 cm²