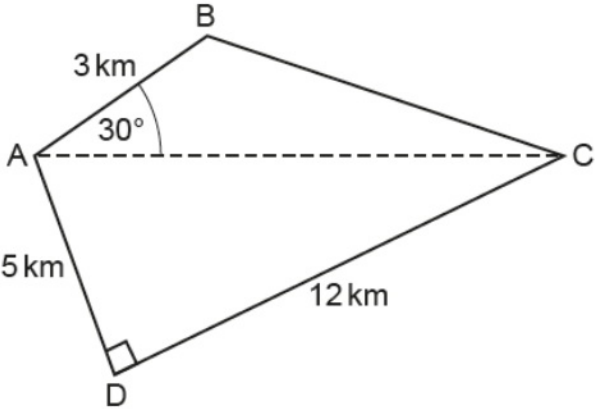


## G59...Trigonometry - Area of a Triangle

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20 The diagram shows some land in the shape of a quadrilateral, ABCD.



Not to scale

AB = 3 km, AD = 5 km, CD = 12 km and angle BAC = 30°.

The land is sold for £10 million per square kilometre.

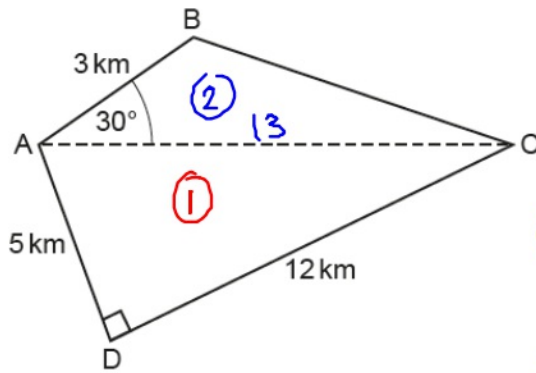
Calculate the total cost of the land.

£ ..... million [7]

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$$\textcircled{1} \frac{B \times H}{2} = \frac{12 \times 5}{2} = \frac{60}{2} = 30 \text{ km}^2$$

$$\textcircled{2} \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C$$

$$\begin{aligned} AC^2 &= 12^2 + 5^2 \\ &= 144 + 25 \\ &= 169 \end{aligned}$$

$$AC = \sqrt{169} = 13$$

Area

$$\frac{1}{2} ab \sin C$$



$$\frac{1}{2} (3)(13) \sin 30^\circ$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (3)(13) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$13 \times 3 = 39$$

$$\div 2 = 19.5$$

$$\div 2 = 9.75 \text{ km}^2$$

$$\text{Total} = 39.75 \text{ km}^2 \times 10$$

$$397.5 \checkmark$$

£ ..... million [7]

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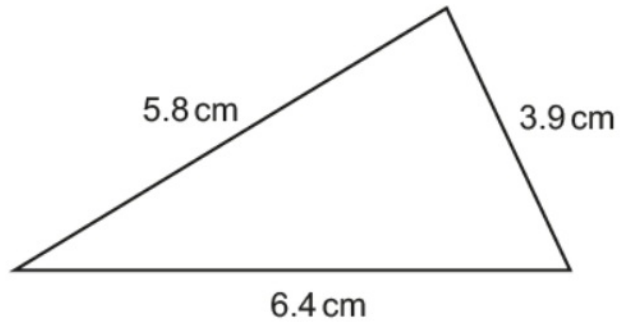
The land is sold for £10 million per square kilometre.

Calculate the total cost of the land.

$$\sin 30^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{1}}{2} = \frac{1}{2} = 0.5$$

18 Calculate the area of this triangle.

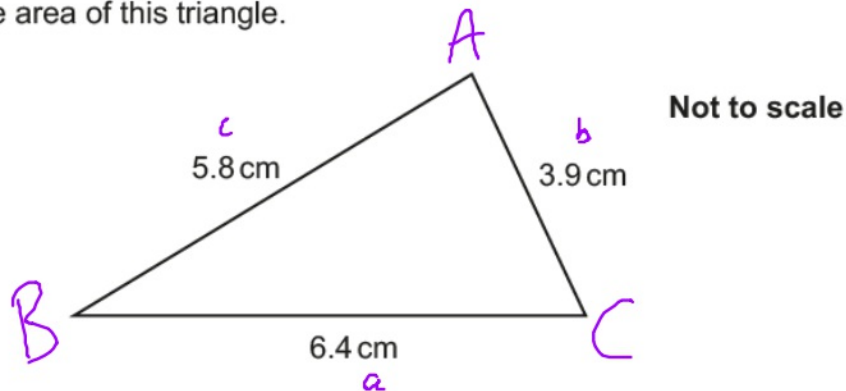
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..... cm<sup>2</sup> [6]

18 Calculate the area of this triangle.



$$\cos A = \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc} = \frac{3.9^2 + 5.8^2 - 6.4^2}{2(3.9)(5.8)}$$

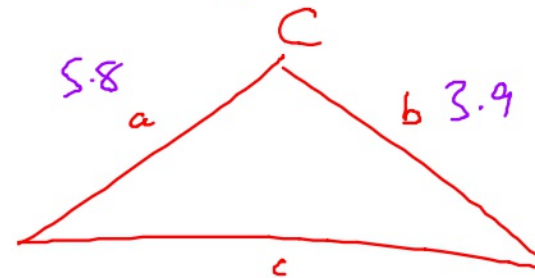
$$\cos A = 0.1744$$

$$A = \cos^{-1} 0.1744$$

$$A = 79.95607107^\circ$$

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$$\text{Area} = \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C$$



$$\text{Area} = \frac{1}{2} (5.8)(3.9) \sin 79.95$$

$$= 11.14 \text{ cm}^2$$



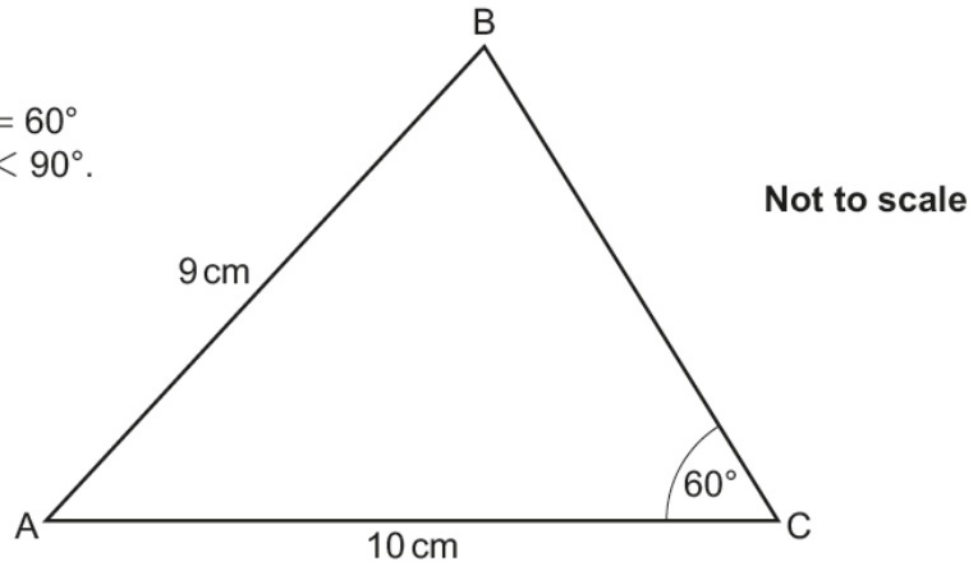
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19 In this triangle:

- $AB = 9\text{ cm}$
- $AC = 10\text{ cm}$
- $BC > 5\text{ cm}$
- $\text{angle } BCA = 60^\circ$
- $\text{angle } ABC < 90^\circ$ .

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Calculate the area of triangle ABC.

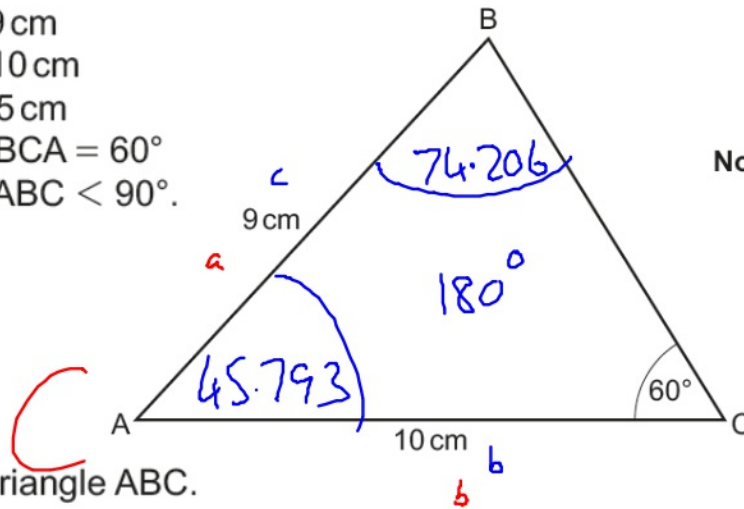
.....  $\text{cm}^2$  [6]

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- AB = 9 cm
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Not to scale

$$\frac{\sin B}{b} = \frac{\sin C}{c}$$

$$\frac{\sin B}{10} = \frac{\sin 60}{9}$$

x

$$\sin B = 0.962$$

$$B = \sin^{-1} 0.962$$

$$B = 74.206^\circ$$

Calculate the area of triangle ABC.

$$\frac{1}{2} ab \sin C$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area} &= \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (9)(10) \sin 45.793 \end{aligned}$$

=

$$\underline{\underline{32.257 \text{ cm}^2}} \quad \text{cm}^2 [6]$$

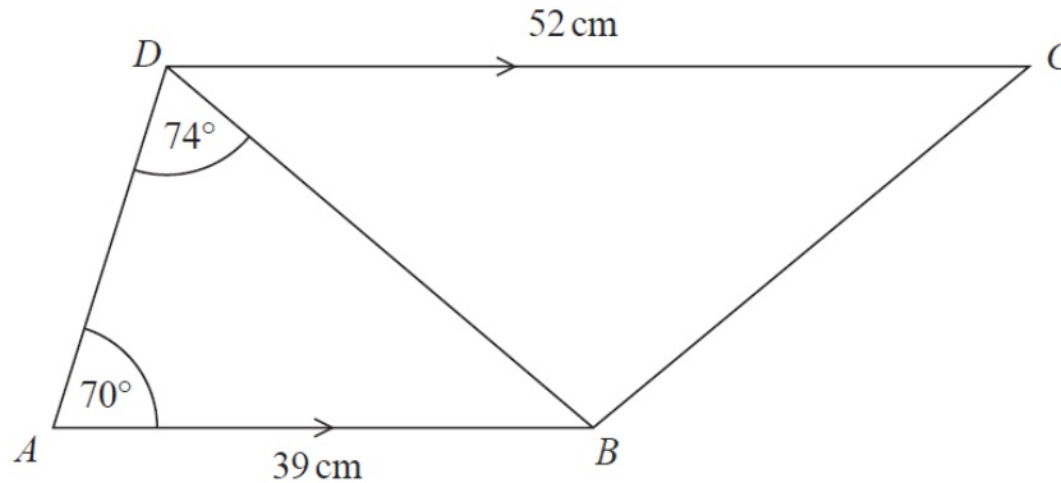


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15 Here is trapezium  $ABCD$ .

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$AB$  and  $DC$  are parallel.

Work out the area of triangle  $BCD$ .

Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.

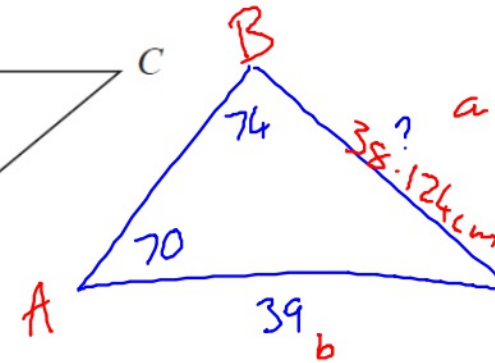
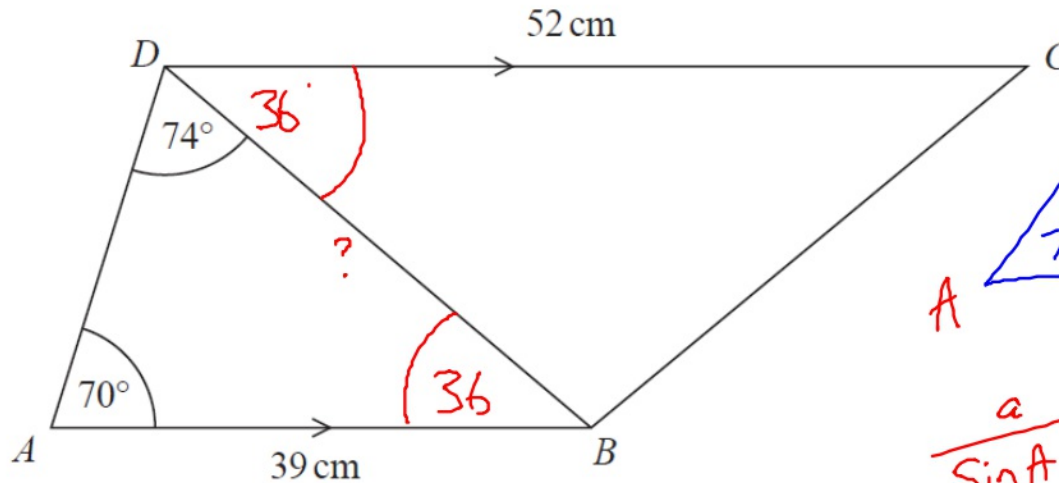
..... $\text{cm}^2$

**(Total for Question 15 is 5 marks)**

15 Here is trapezium  $ABCD$ .

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$$\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B}$$

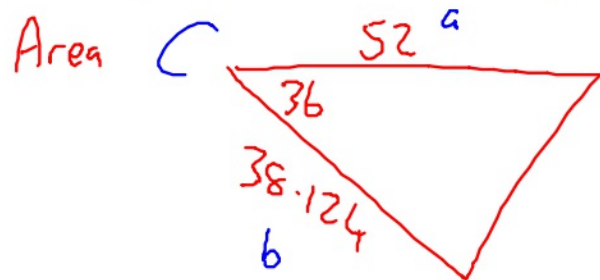
$$= \frac{a}{\sin 70} = \frac{39}{\sin 74}$$

$$a = 38.124 \text{ cm}$$

$AB$  and  $DC$  are parallel.

Work out the area of triangle  $BCD$ .

Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.



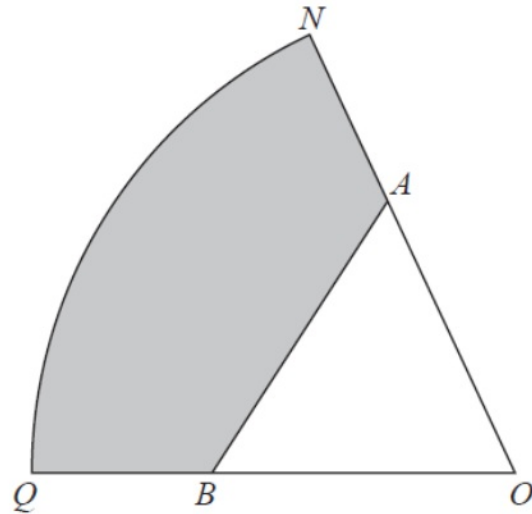
$$= \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \times (38.124) \times (52) \times \sin 36 = 583 \text{ cm}^2$$

(Total for Question 15 is 5 marks)

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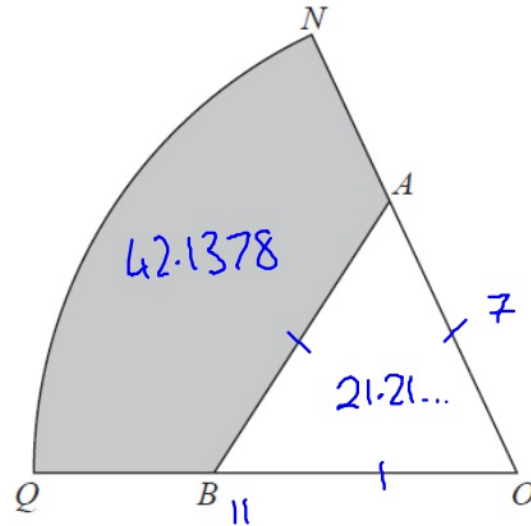
$ONQ$  is a sector of a circle with centre  $O$  and radius  $11$  cm.

$A$  is the point on  $ON$  and  $B$  is the point on  $OQ$  such that  $AOB$  is an equilateral triangle of side  $7$  cm.

Calculate the area of the shaded region as a percentage of the area of the sector  $ONQ$ .  
Give your answer correct to 1 decimal place.

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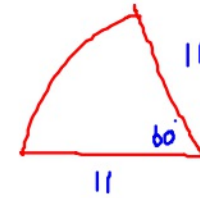
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$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area} & \dots R^2 \times \pi \\ & 11^2 \times \pi \div 6 \\ & = 63.35545185 \text{ cm}^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Area of } \Delta = \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C$$

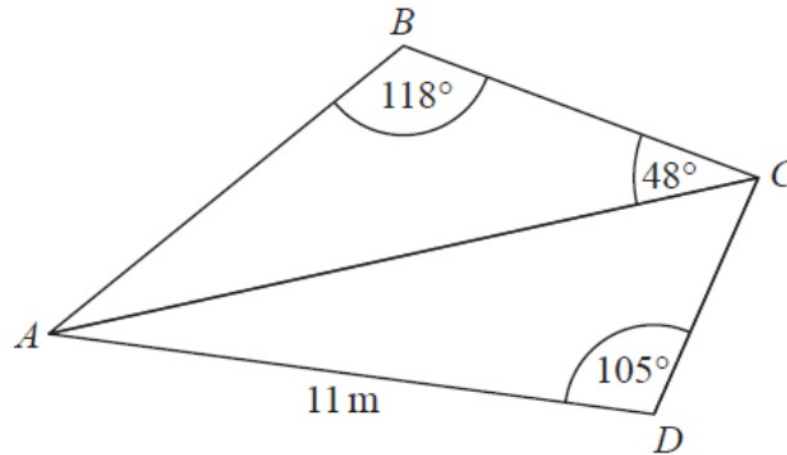
$$\begin{aligned} & = \frac{1}{2} (7)(7) \sin 60 \\ & = 21.21762239 \text{ cm}^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{42.1378}{63.35545} & = 0.6651 \\ & = 66.51\% \end{aligned}$$

.....%

(Total for Question 17 is 5 marks)

17  $ABC$  and  $ADC$  are triangles.



The area of triangle  $ADC$  is  $56\text{ m}^2$

Work out the length of  $AB$ .

Give your answer correct to 1 decimal place.

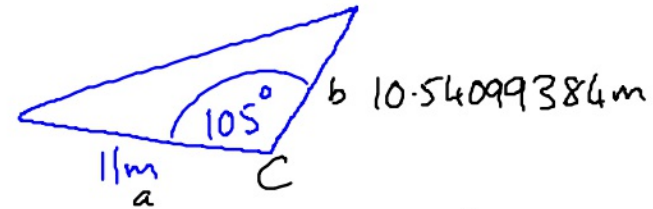
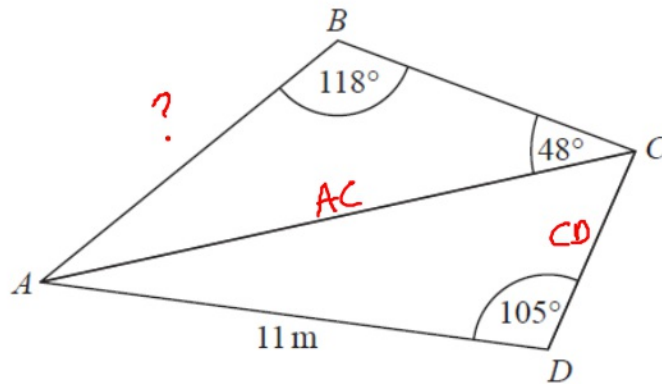
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Angle  $\rightarrow$  opposite Side  
Sine Rule



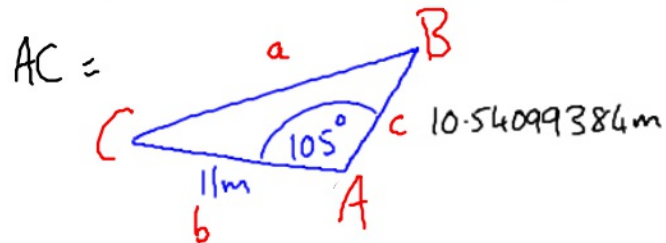
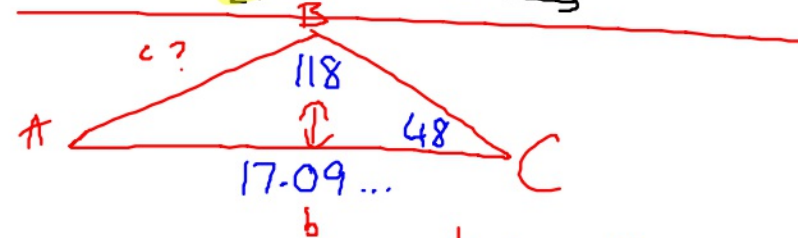
$$\frac{1}{2} ab \sin C = 56 \text{ m}^2$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (11) b \sin 105 = 56$$

The area of triangle  $ADC$  is  $56 \text{ m}^2$

Work out the length of  $AB$ .

Give your answer correct to 1 decimal place.



$$a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A$$

$$a^2 = 232.1125511 - -60.020...$$

$$a^2 = 292.133$$

$$a = \sqrt{292.133}$$

$$a = 17.09190365$$

$$\frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C}$$

$$\frac{17.09}{\sin 118} = \frac{c}{\sin 48}$$

$$14.4 \checkmark \text{ m}$$

(Total for Question 17 is 5 marks)

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25 The diagram shows a logo.

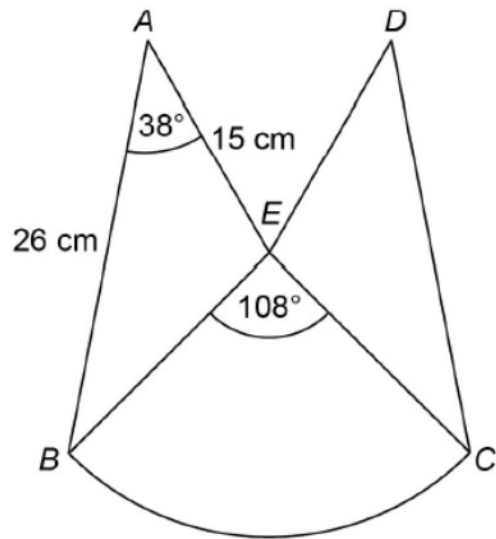
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$ABE$  and  $DCE$  are congruent triangles.

$BCE$  is a sector of a circle, centre  $E$ .



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Show that the area of the logo is  $510 \text{ cm}^2$  to 2 significant figures.

[5 marks]

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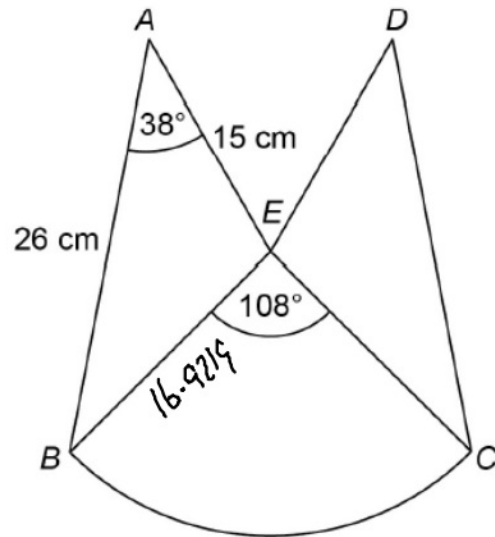
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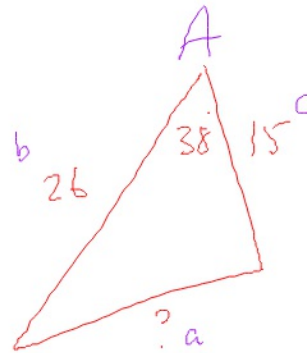
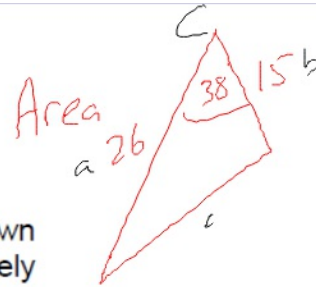
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$$= \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C = \frac{1}{2} (26)(15) \sin 38$$

$$120.05 \text{ cm}^2$$

$$2 \text{ triangles} = 120.05 \times 2$$

$$= 240.1079754 \text{ cm}^2$$

$$a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A$$

$$a^2 = 26^2 + 15^2 - 2(26)(15) \cos 38$$

$$a^2 = 901 - 614.64$$

$$a^2 = 286.36$$

$$a = \sqrt{286.36}$$

$$a = 16.9219 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{Total} = 240.1079754 + 269.879$$

$$= 509.9869754 \text{ cm}^2 = 510 \text{ cm}^2$$

Show that the area of the logo is  $510 \text{ cm}^2$  to 2 significant figures.

$$\text{Area of sector} = R^2 \times \pi \div 360 \times 108$$

$$= 269.879 \text{ cm}^2$$

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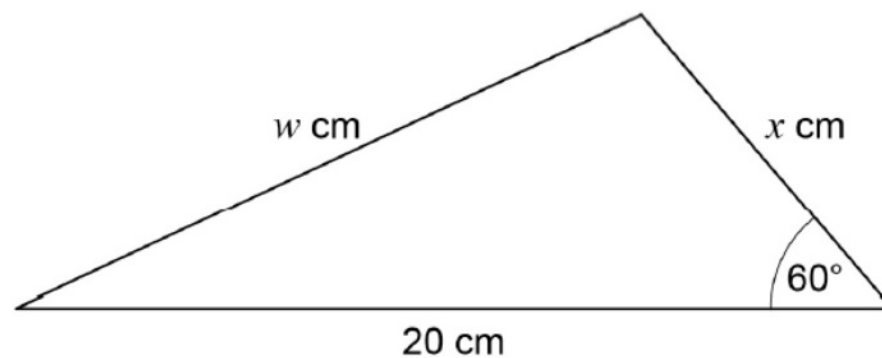
The area of this triangle is  $25\sqrt{3}$  cm<sup>2</sup>

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accurately



Work out the value of  $w$ .

Give your answer in the form  $a\sqrt{b}$  where  $a$  and  $b$  are integers greater than 1

[5 marks]

Answer \_\_\_\_\_

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The area of this triangle is  $25\sqrt{3} \text{ cm}^2$ 

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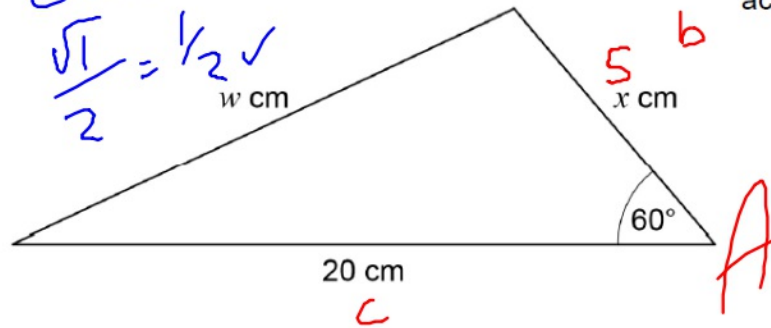
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$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$



$$\cos A = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{3}$$



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$$a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A$$

$$a^2 = 25 + 400 - 2(100)^{1/2}$$

$$a^2 = 425 - 100$$

$$a^2 = 325$$

$$a = \sqrt{325}$$

$$a = \sqrt{25} \sqrt{13}$$

$$a = 5\sqrt{13}$$

Work out the value of  $w$ .Give your answer in the form  $a\sqrt{b}$  where  $a$  and  $b$  are integers greater than 1

$$\frac{1}{2}ab \sin C = 25\sqrt{3}$$

$$\frac{1}{2}(x)(20) \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = 25\sqrt{3}$$

$$(x) \frac{10\sqrt{3}}{2} = 25\sqrt{3}$$

$$x = 25\sqrt{3} \div \frac{10\sqrt{3}}{2} \quad x = 5$$

$$\frac{25\sqrt{3}}{1} \times \frac{2}{10\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\frac{50}{10}$$

Answer \_\_\_\_\_