

small data set average problems by Don Steward

averages and range (positive integers)

1) 3 numbers:
mean = 3
mode = 2

2) 3 numbers:
mean = 7
mode = 10

3) 3 numbers:
mean = 8
median = 10
range = 8

4) 3 numbers:
mean = 6
median = 7
range = 11

5) 3 numbers:
mode = 7
median = 7
mean = 6

6) 3 numbers:
mean = 13
range = 8

find three sets

7) 4 numbers:
mean = 4
mode = 1
median = 2

8) 4 numbers:
mean = 9
mode = 6
median = 7

9) 4 numbers:
mean = 6
median = $6\frac{1}{2}$
range = 11

10) 4 numbers:
mean = $7\frac{1}{2}$
mode = 6
median = 7

11) 4 numbers:
mean = 10
range = 12
mode = 13

12) 4 numbers:
mean = 8
range = 8
median = 7

find three sets

13) 4 numbers:
mean = 4
range = 6
median = 3

find two sets

14) 5 numbers:
range = 5
mean = 6
median = 7
mode = 8

15) 5 numbers:
range = 9
mean = 4
mode = 3

find two sets

16) 5 numbers:
range = 6
mean = 4
mode = 2

find two sets

17) 5 numbers:
range = 5
mean = 4
median = 3

find three sets

18) 5 numbers:
range = 10
mean = 7
mode = 7

find three sets

19) 5 numbers:
range = 5
mean = 5
mode = 5
median = 5

find two sets

20) 5 numbers:
range = 10
mean = 10
mode = 10
median = 10

find three sets

21) 5 numbers:
range = 10
mean = 4
mode = 1
median = 2

22) 6 numbers:
range = 10
mean = 4
mode = 1
median = 2

23) range = 10
mean = 4
median = 2
mode = 1

- a) 4 numbers
- b) 5 numbers
- c) 6 numbers

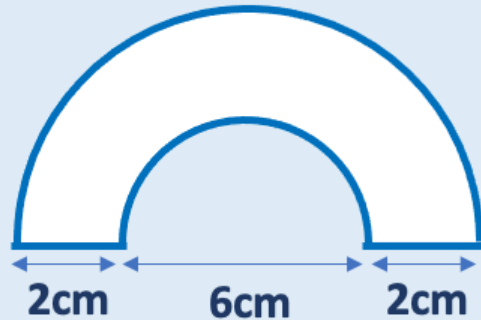
24) 5 numbers:
2, 5, n, 2n, 5n
mean =
 $2 \times \text{median} - 1$

find n

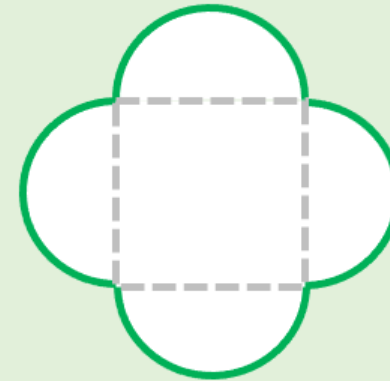
Which shapes have the same perimeter?



HEART: square with lengths of 8cm and 2 semi-circles



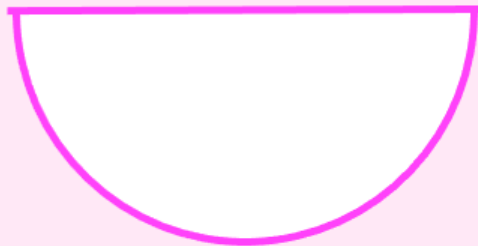
ARCH: 2 concentric semi-circles



FLOWER: square with lengths of 4cm and 4 semi-circles



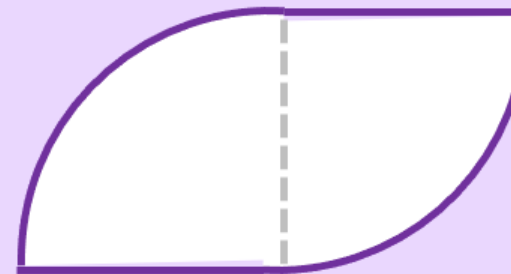
SEMI-CIRCLE: with diameter of 16cm



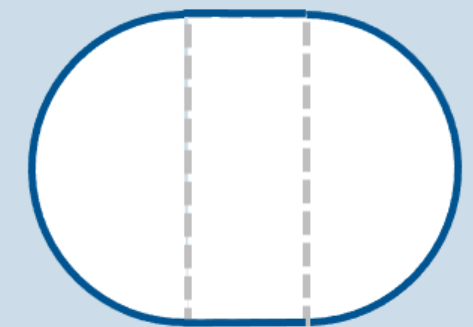
BOWL: with diameter of 8cm



CIRCLE: with diameter 8cm



LEAF: Two quarter circles with radius of 4cm



RACETRACK: 2 semi-circles with diameter of 8cm and a rectangle 8cm by 2cm

Shape times Shape by NRICH

The coloured shapes stand for eleven of the numbers from 0 to 12.

Each shape is a different number.

Can you work out what they are from the multiplications below?

$$\square \times \square \times \square = \text{semicircle}$$

$$\text{rectangle} \times \text{rectangle} = \text{star}$$

$$\square \times \text{oval} = \text{semicircle}$$

$$\square \times \text{star} = \text{hexagon}$$

$$\text{rectangle} \times \text{oval} = \text{circle}$$

$$\text{rectangle} \times \text{diamond} = \text{rectangle}$$

$$\text{rectangle} \times \square = \text{triangle}$$

$$\text{diamond} \times \text{hexagon} = \text{hexagon}$$

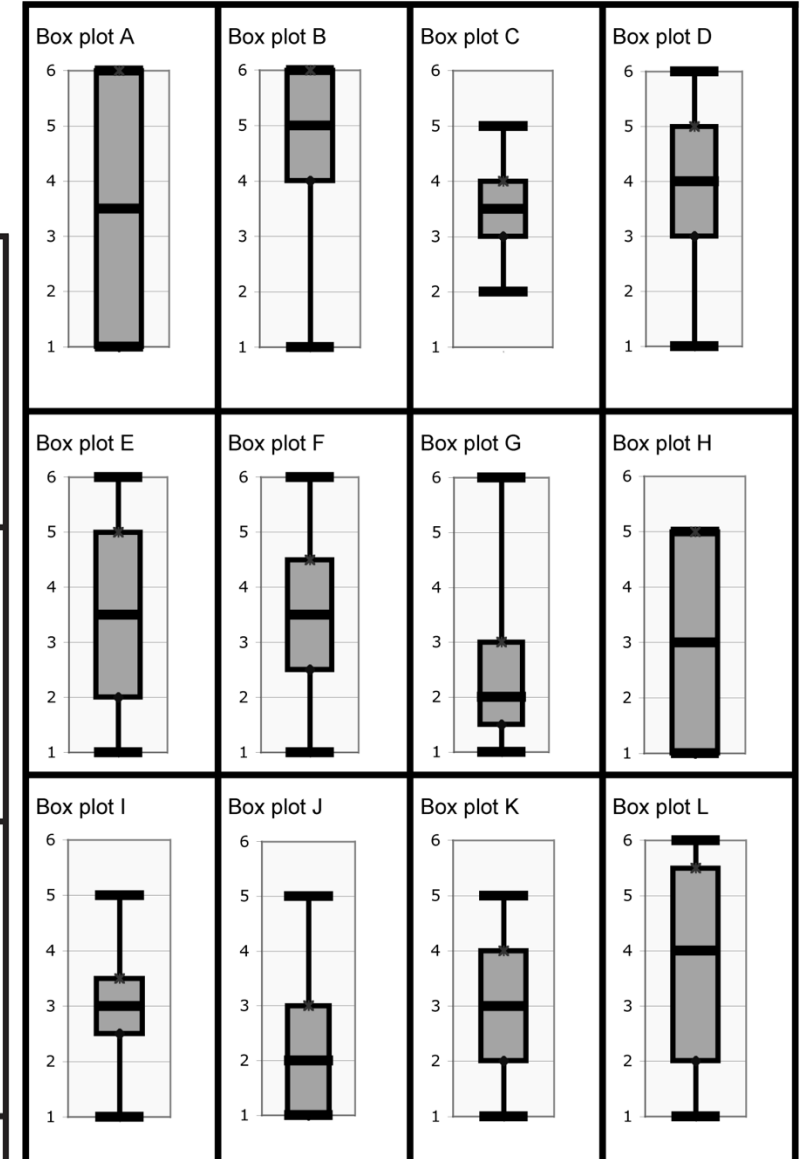
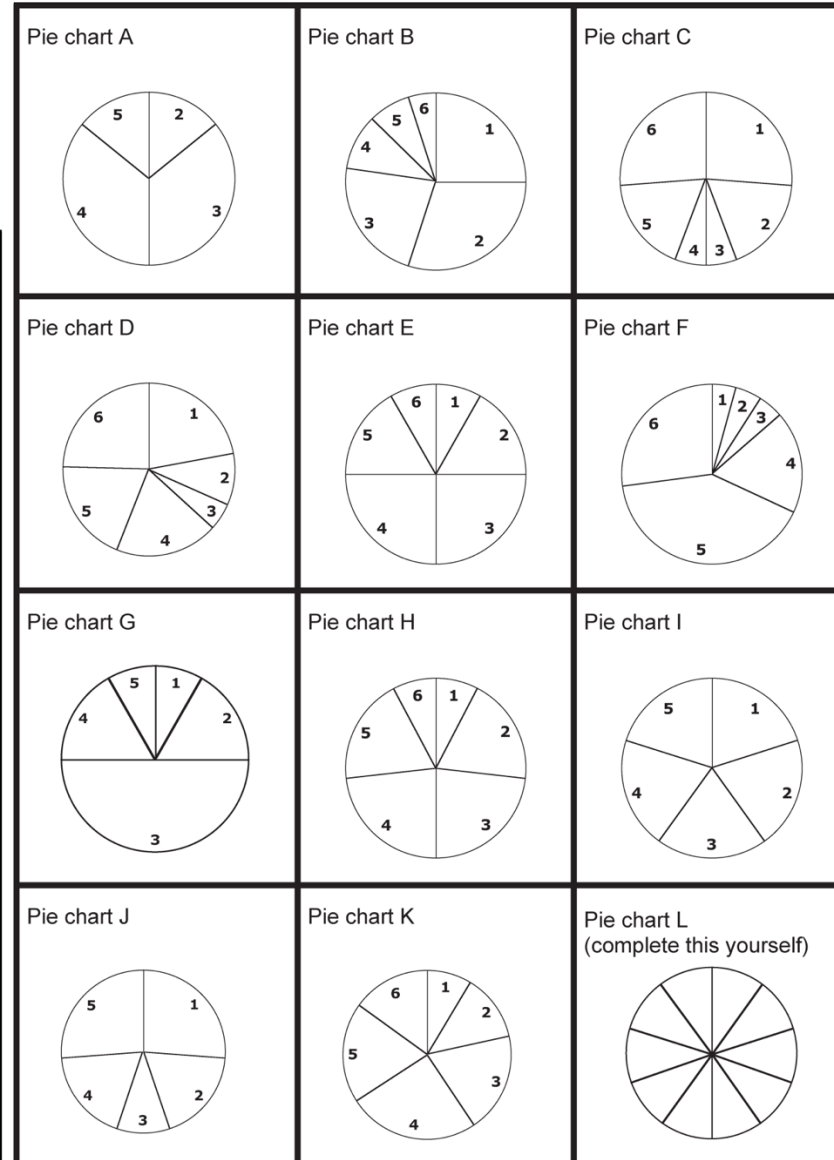
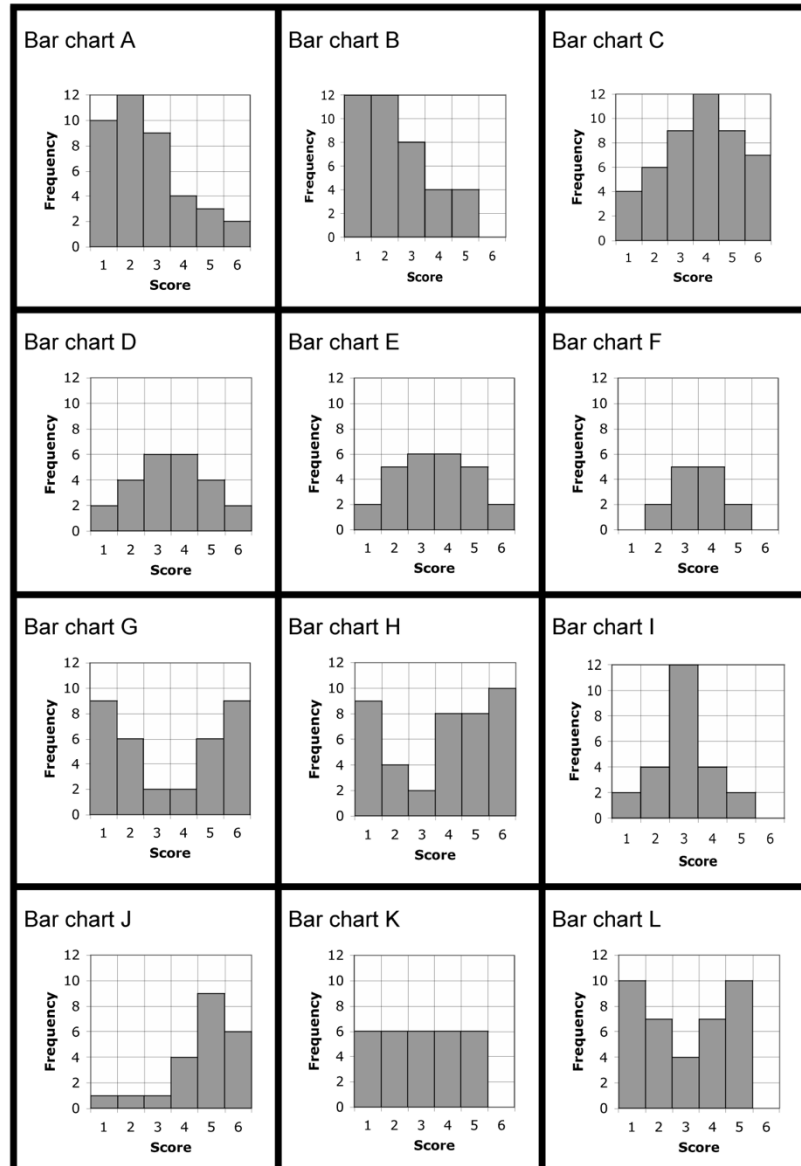
$$\text{triangle} \times \square = \text{circle}$$

$$\square \times \text{inverted triangle} = \text{inverted triangle}$$

$$\square \times \square = \text{oval}$$

$$\text{inverted triangle} \times \text{semicircle} = \text{inverted triangle}$$

Match the card from each set.



Using the numbers 1 to 20, at most one time each, fill in the boxes to create equivalent expressions.

$$\left(2^{\square}\right)^{\square} = \frac{\left(2^{\square}\right)^{\square}}{\left(2^{\square}\right)^{\square}} = 2^{\square} \times 2^{\square} = \frac{2^{\square}}{2^{\square}}$$

Use these 12 numbers, once each, in the gaps below.

10, 20, 25, 35, 40, 50, 60, 70, 75, 80, 90, 100

£ _____ increased by _____ % = £ _____

£ _____ increased by _____ % = £ _____

£ _____ decreased by _____ % = £ _____

£ _____ decreased by _____ % = £ _____

Checkpoint 13: Equivalent fractions

- a) Complete the missing boxes to find fractions equivalent to $\frac{3}{21}$.

$$\frac{3}{21} = \frac{5}{\square}$$

$$\frac{3}{21} = \frac{6}{\square}$$

- b) Which did you find easier to do? Why?

- c) Find three more fractions equivalent to $\frac{3}{21}$. What is your strategy?

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$3 \times 97 = 291$. Use this fact to find these equivalent fractions:

$$\frac{3}{291} = \frac{10}{\square}$$

$$\frac{3}{4} = \frac{291}{\square}$$

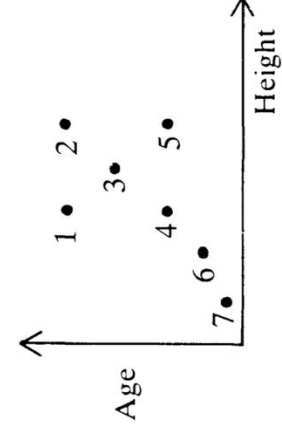
A1 INTERPRETING POINTS

As you work through this booklet, discuss your answers with your neighbours and try to come to some agreement.

1. The Bus Stop Queue

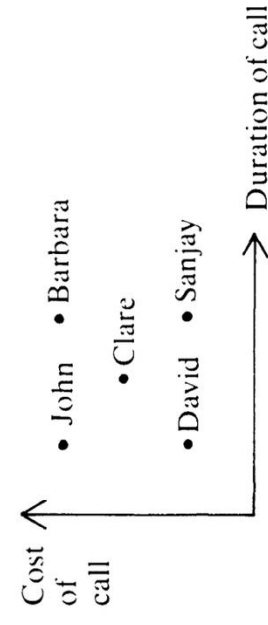
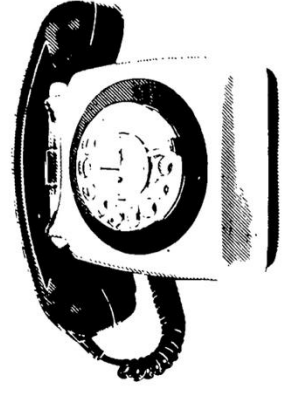
Who is represented by each point on the scattergraph, below?

Alice Brenda Cathy Dennis Errol Freda Gavin



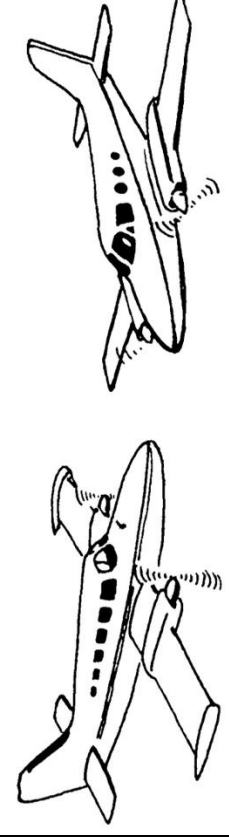
3. Telephone Calls

One weekend, Five people made telephone calls to various part of the country. They recorded both the cost of their calls, and the length of time they were on the telephone, on the graph below:

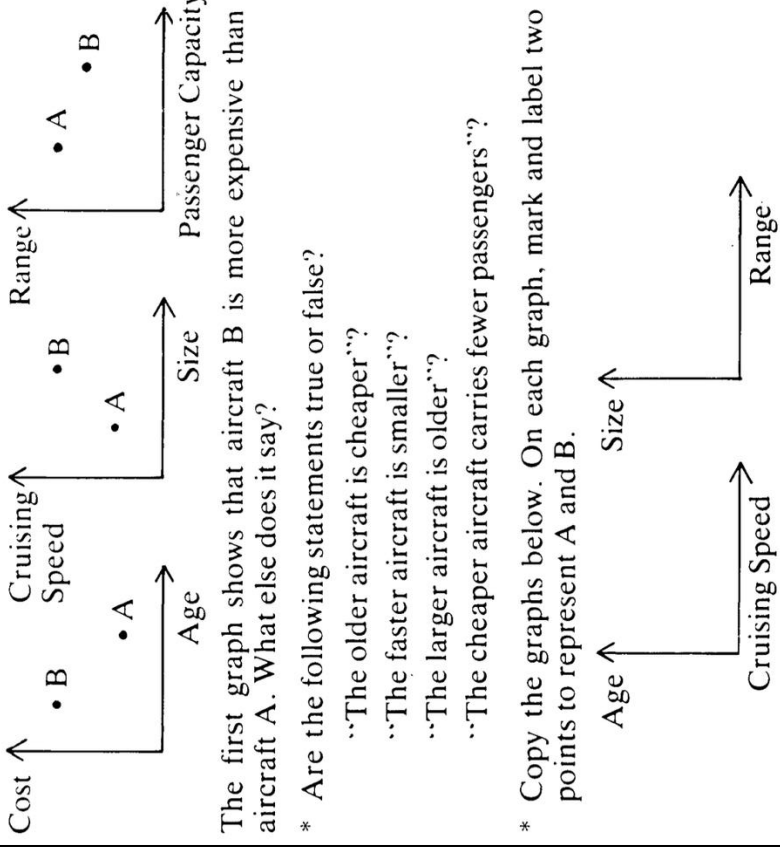


- * Who was ringing long-distance? Explain your reasoning carefully.
- * Who was making a local call? Again, explain.
- * Which people were dialling roughly the same distance? Explain.
- * Copy the graph and mark other points which show people making local calls of different durations.
- * If you made a similar graph showing every phone call made in Britain during one particular week-end, what would it look like? Draw a sketch, and clearly state any assumptions you make.

2. Two Aircraft



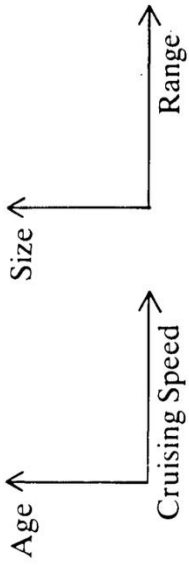
The following quick sketch graphs describe two light aircraft, A and B: (note: the graphs have *not* been drawn accurately)



The first graph shows that aircraft B is more expensive than aircraft A. What else does it say?

- * Are the following statements true or false?
 - "The older aircraft is cheaper"
 - "The faster aircraft is smaller"
 - "The larger aircraft is older"
 - "The cheaper aircraft carries fewer passengers"

* Copy the graphs below. On each graph, mark and label two points to represent A and B.

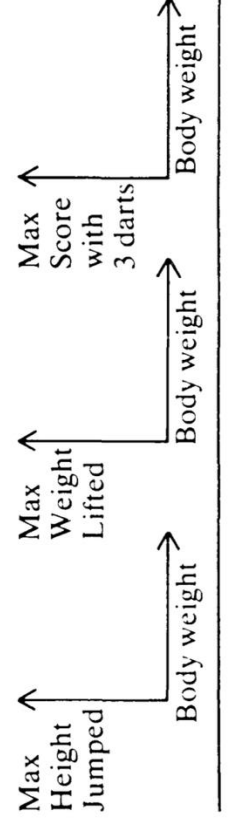


4. Sport

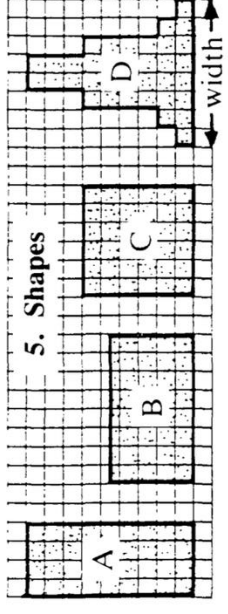
Suppose you were to choose, at random, 100 people and measure how heavy they are. You then ask them to perform in 3 sports;

High Jumping, Weight Lifting and Darts.

Sketch scattergraphs to show how you would expect the results to appear, and explain each graph, underneath. Clearly state any assumptions you make . . .



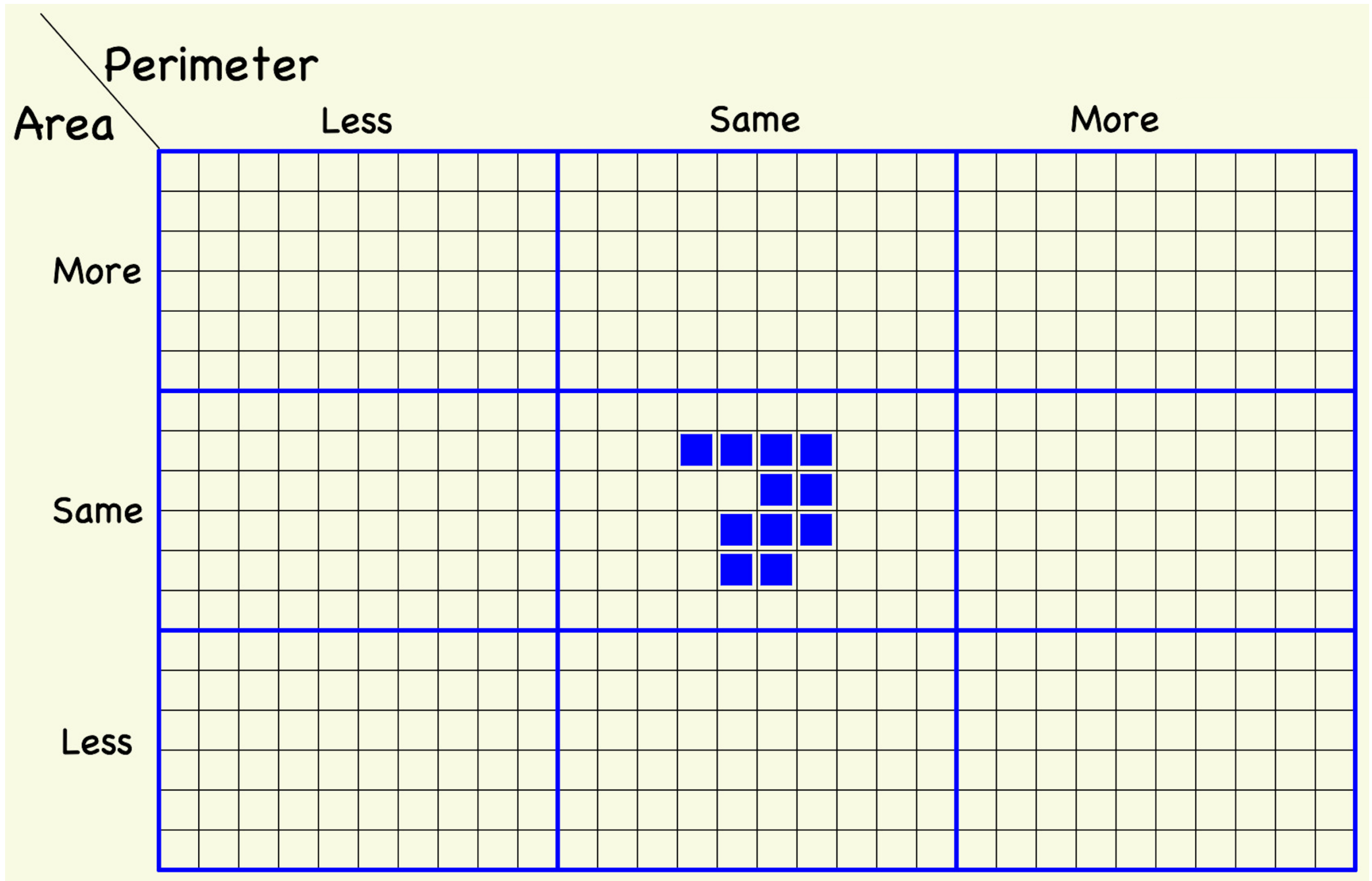
5. Shapes



These four shapes each have an area of 36 square units.

- * Label four points on the graph below, with the letters A, B, C and D.
- * Can you draw a fifth shape, with an area of 36 square units, to correspond to the other point? Explain.
- * Draw a scattergraph to show every rectangle with an area of 36 square units.
- * Finally, what happens if you include *all* shapes, with the same area, on your graph?

More or Less Perimeter and Area Grid by John Mason



Which is bigger, $3n$ or $n + 3$?

$2^1 = 2$	$2^{11} = 2,048$	$2^{21} = 2,097,152$
$2^2 = 4$	$2^{12} = 4,096$	$2^{22} = 4,194,304$
$2^3 = 8$	$2^{13} = 8,192$	$2^{23} = 8,388,608$
$2^4 = 16$	$2^{14} = 16,384$	$2^{24} = 16,777,216$
$2^5 = 32$	$2^{15} = 32,768$	$2^{25} = 33,554,432$
$2^6 = 64$	$2^{16} = 65,536$	$2^{26} = 67,108,864$
$2^7 = 128$	$2^{17} = 131,072$	$2^{27} = 134,217,728$
$2^8 = 256$	$2^{18} = 262,144$	$2^{28} = 268,435,456$
$2^9 = 512$	$2^{19} = 524,288$	$2^{29} = 536,870,912$
$2^{10} = 1024$	$2^{20} = 1,048,576$	$2^{30} = 1,073,741,824$

Without using a calculator or paper, can you mentally compute these expressions?

1. 32×16

2. $4 \times 64 \times 1024$

3. $4 \times 16 \times 32 \times 64$

4. $1024 \div 64$

5. $1\,048\,576 \div 32\,768$

6. $1\,073\,741\,824 \div 64$

7. 128^2

8. 1024^3

9. $\sqrt{65\,536}$

10. $\sqrt[3]{134\,217\,728}$

11. $\sqrt[5]{1\,073\,741\,824}$

12. $(1\,048\,576)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

13. $(262\,144)^{\frac{2}{3}}$

14. $\frac{524\,288}{(16\,384)^{\frac{1}{2}}}$

15. $\frac{(67\,108\,864)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{16^3(256)^{\frac{1}{4}}}$

16. $\frac{1}{4}(65\,536)$

9 Four Fours

Using exactly four **4**s and no other digits, we can make **0**:

$$0 = 44 - 44$$

$$0 = (4 - 4) (4! + .4)$$

$$0 = 4^{\sqrt{4}} - \sqrt{4}^4$$

$$0 = \log_4 4 - \frac{4}{4}$$

Using exactly four **4**s, can you make **1**? **2**? **3**? **4**? **5**? **...**?

Source: Martin Gardner

[Play With Your Math.com](https://playwithyourmath.com)

Which equation matches which graph?

$$y = 6x - 3x^2 - 3$$

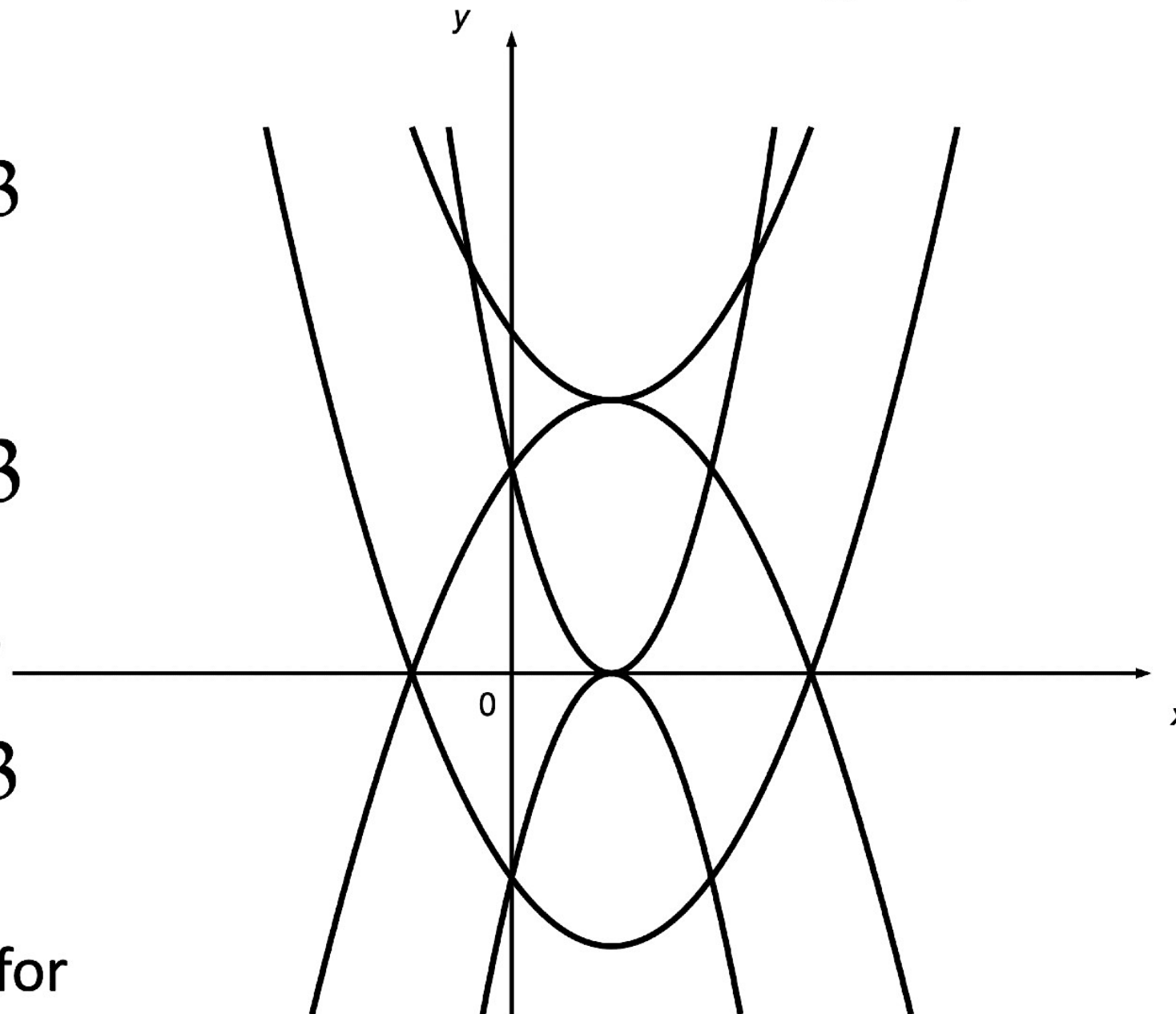
$$y = x^2 - 2x + 5$$

$$y = x^2 - 2x - 3$$

$$y = 2x - x^2 + 3$$

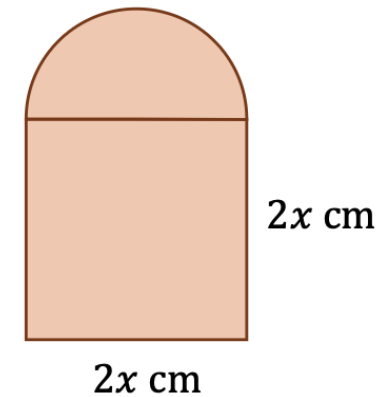
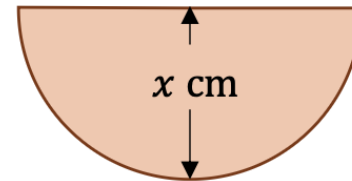
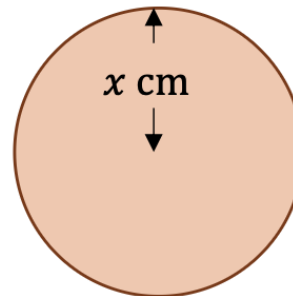
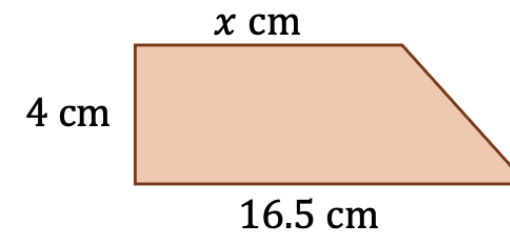
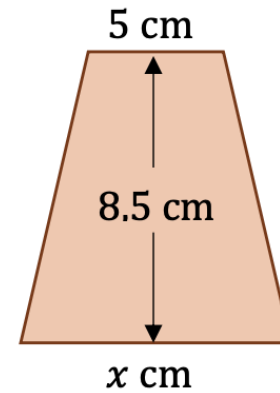
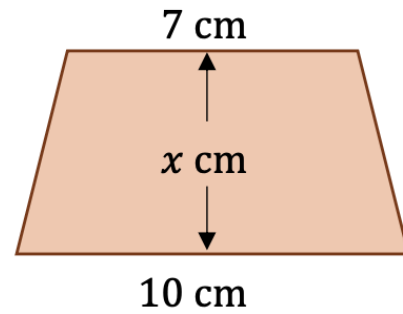
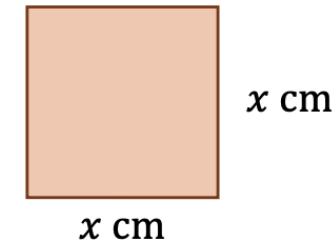
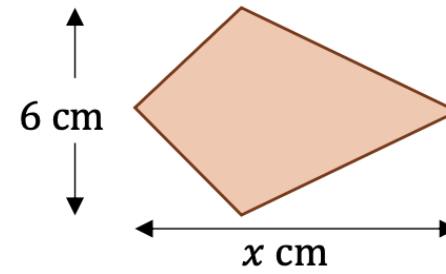
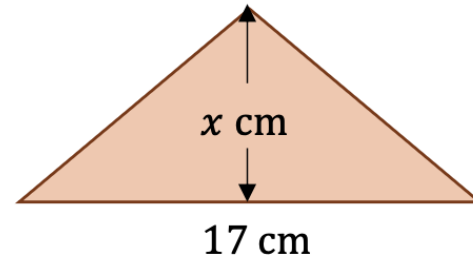
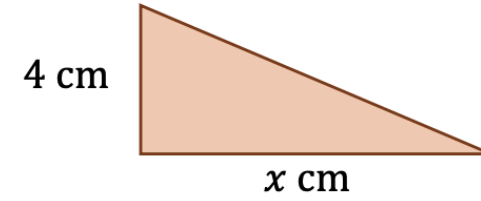
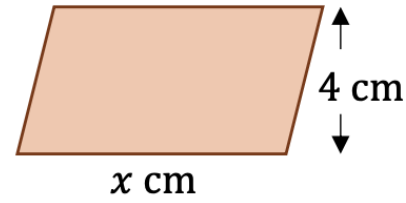
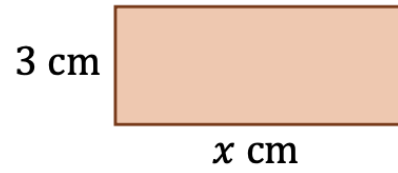
$$y = 3x^2 - 6x + 3$$

Explain the reasons for your choices



Each of these 2D shapes has an area of 51 cm^2 .

Find the value of the missing length x in each case.



$$\text{Circumference: } C = \pi d$$

$$\text{Area: } A = \pi r^2$$

1. Each of these calculations would find the perimeter or area of a shape involving part of a circle.

Sketch a fully-labelled shape that matches each calculation

a) $A = \pi \times 2^2$

b) $A = \frac{1}{2} \times \pi \times 3^2$

c) $P = \frac{1}{2} \times \pi \times 6 + 6$

d) $A = \frac{1}{2} \times \pi \times 3^2 + 8 \times 6$

e) $P = \frac{1}{2} \times \pi \times 6 + 5 + 5$

f) $P = \frac{1}{2} \times \pi \times 6 + 8 + 6 + 8$

g) $P = \frac{1}{4} \times \pi \times 6 + 7 + 5$

h) $A = \frac{1}{2} \times \pi \times 3^2 + \frac{1}{2} \times 6 \times 4$

i) $A = 4 \times 8 - \frac{1}{4} \times \pi \times 4^2$

j) $P = \frac{1}{4} \times \pi \times 8 + 8 + 4 + 4$

2. Draw as many possible shapes that you can with

a) *Perimeter* of exactly $2\pi + 8$

b) *Area* of exactly $2\pi + 8$

Can you find any shapes that no-one else has thought of?

Can you find any shapes that solve both?

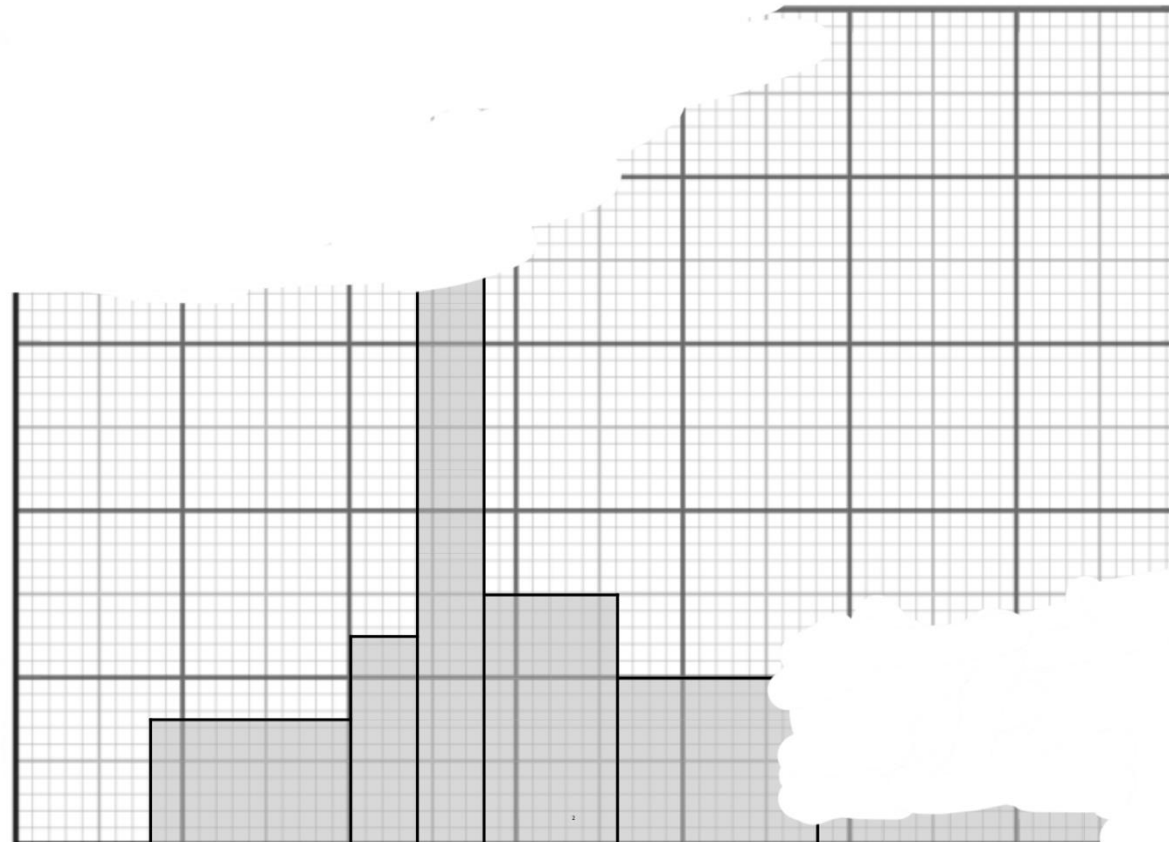
Histograms by Karen Hancock

Erin has collected the following data about 63 members of her local running club and printed off the frequency table and histogram.

The printer is running out of ink – so it hasn't printed clearly

Complete the table and the histogram for Erin.

PB for 10 km (minutes)	Frequer
$34 \leq t < 40$	
	15
	12
$48 \leq t < 54$	
$54 \leq t \leq 64$	



1) Write a *single-line* calculation to represent each situation

(a) Hazma bought 4 shirts for £15 each and 2 pairs of trousers for £25 each. How much did he spend?

(b) Mark earns £100 a day, working 5 days a week. On two of the days he buys lunch, costing £4 each time. How much does he have left over?

(c) A shirt normally costs £80. Today there a £35 discount. A man and his dad buy 4 shirts and then share the cost. How much does each pay?

(d) There are three square-shaped rooms in my house. Two of them have 5m sides and the other 4m sides. What's their total floor area?

(e) Louise pays £20 for materials to make earrings. She makes 10 earrings and sells 7 for £5 and 3 for £2. How much profit does she make?

2) Write story problems which could match up with each calculation

(a) $3 \times 2 + 4 \times 5$

(b) $12 - 5 \times 2$

(c) $3 \times 2(4 + 7)$

(d) $5^2 - 4^2$