

UNIT 2 EXERCISES 11-15

3D GEO

- 2008A 11. **Answer (C):** The sum of the six numbers on each cube is $1+2+4+8+16+32 = 63$. The three pairs of opposite faces have numbers with sums $1 + 32 = 33$, $2 + 16 = 18$, and $4 + 8 = 12$. On the two lower cubes, the numbers on the four visible faces have the greatest sum when the 4 and the 8 are hidden. On the top cube, the numbers on the five visible faces have the greatest sum when the 1 is hidden. Thus the greatest possible sum is $3 \cdot 63 - 2 \cdot (4 + 8) - 1 = 164$.

- 2008B 11. **Answer (A):** The portion of the mountain that is above the water forms a cone that is similar to the entire mountain. The ratio of the volumes of the cones is the cube of the ratio of their heights. Let d be the depth of the ocean, in feet. Then the height of the mountain above the water is $8000 - d$ feet, and

$$\frac{(8000 - d)^3}{8000^3} = \frac{1}{8}.$$

Taking cube roots on both sides gives

$$\frac{8000 - d}{8000} = \frac{1}{2},$$

from which $16,000 - 2d = 8000$, and $d = 4000$.

- 2014A 11. **Answer (C):** Let d be the remaining distance after one hour of driving, and let t be the remaining time until his flight. Then $d = 35(t + 1)$, and $d = 50(t - 0.5)$. Solving gives $t = 4$ and $d = 175$. The total distance from home to the airport is $175 + 35 = 210$ miles.

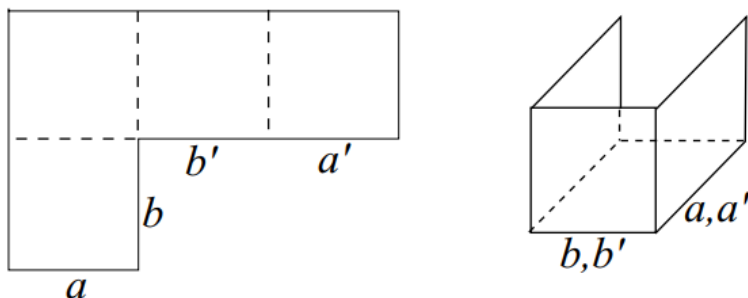
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Let d be the distance between David's home and the airport. The time required to drive the entire distance at 35 MPH is $\frac{d}{35}$ hours. The time required to drive at 35 MPH for the first 35 miles and 50 MPH for the remaining $d - 35$ miles is $1 + \frac{d-35}{50}$. The second trip is 1.5 hours quicker than the first, so

$$\frac{d}{35} - \left(1 + \frac{d-35}{50}\right) = 1.5.$$

Solving yields $d = 210$ miles.

- 2003A 13. (E) If the polygon is folded before the fifth square is attached, then edges a and a' must be joined, as must b and b' . The fifth face of the cube can be attached at any of the six remaining edges.



- 2003B 13. (B) Let r be the radius of the sphere and cone, and let h be the height of the cone. Then the conditions of the problem imply that

$$\frac{3}{4} \left(\frac{4}{3} \pi r^3 \right) = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h, \quad \text{so } h = 3r.$$

Therefore, the ratio of h to r is $3 : 1$.

- 2014B 14. **Answer (D):** Denote the edge lengths by x , y , and z . The surface area is $2(xy + yz + zx) = 94$ and the sum of the lengths of the edges is $4(x + y + z) = 48$. Therefore $144 = (x + y + z)^2 = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2(xy + yz + zx) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 94$, so $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 50$. By the Pythagorean Theorem applied twice, each of the 4 internal diagonals has length $\sqrt{50}$, and their total length is $4\sqrt{50} = 20\sqrt{2}$. A right rectangular prism with edge lengths 3, 4, and 5 satisfies the conditions of the problem.

- 2016A 14. **Answer (C):** The sum of the four numbers on the vertices of each face must be $\frac{1}{6} \cdot 3 \cdot (1 + 2 + \cdots + 8) = 18$. The only sets of four of the numbers that include 1 and have a sum of 18 are $\{1, 2, 7, 8\}$, $\{1, 3, 6, 8\}$, $\{1, 4, 5, 8\}$, and $\{1, 4, 6, 7\}$. Three of these sets contain both 1 and 8. Because two specific vertices can belong to at most two faces, the vertices of one face must be labeled with the numbers 1, 4, 6, 7, and two of the faces must include vertices labeled 1 and 8. Thus 1 and 8 must mark two adjacent vertices. The cube can be rotated so that the vertex labeled 1 is at the lower left front, and the vertex labeled 8 is at the lower right front. The numbers 4, 6, and 7 must label vertices on the left face. There are $3! = 6$ ways to assign these three labels to the three remaining vertices of the left face. Then the numbers 5, 3, and 2 must label the vertices of the right face adjacent to the vertices labeled 4, 6, and 7, respectively. Hence there are 6 possible arrangements.

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14. **Answer (E):** A frustum is constructed by removing a right circular cone from a larger right circular cone. The volume of the given frustum is the volume of a right circular cone with a 4-inch-diameter base and a height of 8 inches, minus the volume of a right circular cone with a 2-inch-diameter base and a height of 4 inches. (The stated heights come from considering similar right triangles.) Because the volume of a right circular cone is $\frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$, the volume of the frustum is

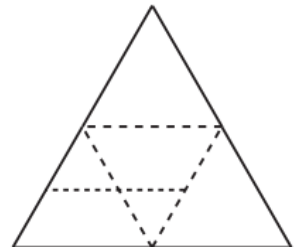
$$\frac{1}{3}\pi \cdot 2^2 \cdot 8 - \frac{1}{3}\pi \cdot 1^2 \cdot 4 = \frac{28}{3}\pi.$$

The volume of the top cone of the novelty is $\frac{1}{3}\pi \cdot 2^2 \cdot 4 = \frac{16}{3}\pi$. The requested volume of ice cream is the sum of the volume of each part of the novelty, namely $\frac{28}{3}\pi + \frac{16}{3}\pi = \frac{44}{3}\pi$.

Note: In general, the volume of a frustum with height h and base radii R and r is $\frac{1}{3}\pi h(r^2 + rR + R^2)$.

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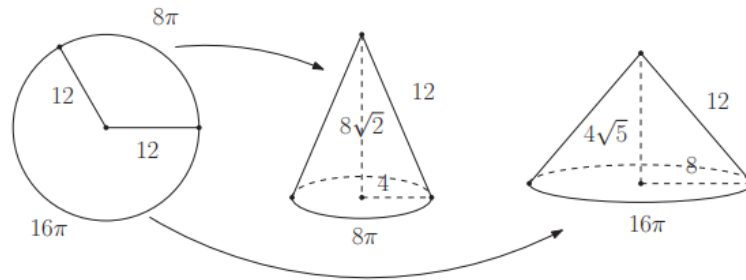
15. **(B)** Unfold the tetrahedron onto a plane. The two opposite-edge midpoints become the midpoints of opposite sides of a rhombus with sides of length 1, so are now 1 unit apart. Folding back to a tetrahedron does not change the distance and it remains minimal.



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15. **Answer (C):** Each sector forms a cone with slant height 12. The circumference of the base of the smaller cone is $\frac{120}{360} \cdot 2 \cdot 12 \cdot \pi = 8\pi$. Hence the radius of the base of the smaller cone is 4 and its height is $\sqrt{12^2 - 4^2} = 8\sqrt{2}$. Similarly, the circumference of the base of the larger cone is 16π . Hence the radius of the base of the larger cone is 8 and its height is $4\sqrt{5}$. The ratio of the volume of the smaller cone to the volume of larger cone is

$$\frac{\frac{1}{3}\pi \cdot 4^2 \cdot 8\sqrt{2}}{\frac{1}{3}\pi \cdot 8^2 \cdot 4\sqrt{5}} = \frac{\sqrt{10}}{10}.$$



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15. **Answer (D):** Suppose that one pair of opposite faces of the cube are assigned the numbers a and b , a second pair of opposite faces are assigned the numbers c and d , and the remaining pair of opposite faces are assigned the numbers e and f . Then the needed sum of products is $ace + acf + ade + adf + bce + bcf + bde + bdf = (a + b)(c + d)(e + f)$. The sum of these three factors is $2 + 3 + 4 + 5 + 6 + 7 = 27$. A product of positive numbers whose sum is fixed is maximized when the factors are all equal. Thus the greatest possible value occurs when $a + b = c + d = e + f = 9$, as in $(a, b, c, d, e, f) = (2, 7, 3, 6, 4, 5)$. This results in the value $9^3 = 729$.