## GEOMETRY QUICK GUIDE 5: 3D SHAPE FORMULAS

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Edge - line where 2 faces meet
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## PYRAMIDS

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PRISMS
Volume of any prism = Ah
Surface area of a closed prism $=2 \mathrm{~A}+(\mathrm{h} \times \mathrm{p})$ where $A=$ base area, $h=$ height, $p=$ base perimeter


CUBOID (RECTANGULAR PRISM)
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Surface area $=2 \ell h+2 \ell w+2 w h$
where $\ell=$ length, $w=$ width, $h=$ height


## SQUARE PYRAMID

Volume $=1 / 3 \mathrm{~s}^{2} \mathrm{~h}$
Surface area $=s^{2}+2 s h$


TRIANGULAR PRISM
Volume $=\mathrm{Al}$ or $1 / 2$ bhl
Surface area $=b h+2 l s+\ell b$


## SPHERES

Volume $=4 / 3 n r^{3}$
Surface area $=4 \pi r^{2}$


## RIGHT CYLINDER

Volume $=\pi r^{2} h$
Surface area $=2 \pi r(r+h)$

RIGHT CIRCULAR CONE
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## CUBE

Volume $=s^{3}$
Surface area $=6 s^{2}$
where $s$ is the length of one side


## REGULAR TETRAHEDRON

Volume $=b^{3} / 6 \mathrm{~V} 2$
Surface area $=\sqrt{ } 3 b^{2}$


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