Chapter 8

Practice 8-1

1. Sample answer: 10 yd **2.** Sample answer: 10 yd **3.** Sample answer: 15 yd **4.** Sample answer: 13 yd **5.** 12 ft; a truck cab is quite tall **6.** 8 in.; a book is not very wide **7.** 8 in.; a pizza is not very big **8.** 2 ft; a bathtub is not very deep **9.** Sample answer: about 9 cm² **10.** Sample answer: about 19 cm² **11.** Sample answer: about 12 cm² **12.** Sample answer: about 20 cm² **13.** ft **14.** in. **15.** mi²

Guided Problem Solving 8-1

1. Explain how to use a piece of string to estimate the perimeter of the puzzle piece. 2. The perimeter of an object is the distance around the object. 3. Wrap it around the puzzle piece. 4. Take the length of string used and lay it beside a ruler. Read the measurement from the ruler. 5. Because it is difficult to lay the string out exactly around the puzzle piece. 6. Because it is difficult to find the perimeter of the curves of the puzzle piece with a ruler. 7. Sample answer: Estimate the length and width of the rectangular center. Calculate the area of the rectangle. The puzzle piece's area will be more than the area of the rectangle.

Practice 8-2

1. 16 m² **2.** 115 cm² **3.** 32 in.² **4.** 80 mm² **5.** 192 mm² **6.** 322 km² **7.** 3,120 mi² **8.** 285 in.² **9.** 1, 6; 2, 3 **10.** 320 m² **11.** 1,152 yd²; 136 yd **12.** 17 ft², 32 ft², 45 ft², 56 ft², 65 ft², 72 ft², 77 ft², 80 ft², 81 ft²

Guided Problem Solving 8-2

1. Estimate the area of Tennessee from the map shown. **2.** a parallelogram **3.** Use the formula A = bh where b is the base and h is the height. **4.** 110 mi **5.** 380 mi **6.** $A = 110 \cdot 380$ **7.** 41,800 mi² **8.** More; the southeast corner of Tennessee does not fill the parallelogram completely, so the estimate is more than the actual area. **9.** 21,875 ft²

Practice 8-3

1. 8.2 ft **2.** 23.9 in. **3.** 34.6 cm **4.** 416 ft **5.** 299 cm² **6.** 59.22 mi² **7.** 26.8 km² **8.** 1,325 yd² **9.** 4, 4, 4; 5, 5, 2; 3, 3, 6; 2, 2, 8; 1, 1, 10 **10.** Area: 12.7 m²; perimeter: 16.2 m

Guided Problem Solving 8-3

1. Find the perimeter of the rhombus. **2.** Measure the length of each side and add the lengths together. **3.** An equilateral triangle is a triangle whose sides are all equal lengths. **4.** Check students' answers. **5.** Check students' answers. **6.** Check students' answers. **7.** 24 in. **8.** 4×6 in. = 24 in.; yes **9.** 20 in.

Practice 8-4

1. 135 ft^2 **2.** 199.82 mm^2 **3.** 240 in.^2 **4.** 96.25 mi^2 **5.** 88 m^2 **6.** 144 in.^2 **7.** $1,001 \text{ ft}^2$ **8.** 86 cm^2 **9.** $2,848 \text{ m}^2$ **10a.** $1,125 \text{ cm}^2$ **10b.** $2,475 \text{ cm}^2$ **11.** 1,7;2,6;3,5;4,4

Guided Problem Solving 8-4

1. 17 in. long; 39 in. long; 16 in. **2.** Find the area of the dulcimer. **3.** Use the formula $A = \frac{1}{2}h(b_1 + b_2)$. **4.** 16 in. **5.** 17 in. and 39 in. **6.** $A = \frac{1}{2}(16)(39 + 17)$ **7.** 448 in² **8.** The bases are the parallel sides. **9.** $A = \frac{1}{2}(16)(20 + 36) = 448$ in²; they are equal because 17 + 39 = 20 + 36 = 56.

Practice 8-5

1. 9.4 in.; 7.1 in.² **2.** 12.6 m; 12.6 m² **3.** 22.0 ft; 38.5 ft² **4.** 37.7 km; 113.1 km² **5.** 25.1 mi; 50.3 mi² **6.** 94.2 in.; 706.9 in.² **7.** 98.0 m; 764.5 m² **8.** 53.4 yd; 227.0 yd² **9.** 52.8 m; 221.7 m² **10.** 12.7 km **11.** 14.6 ft **12.** 66.8 in. **13.** 192 in.²

Guided Problem Solving 8-5

1. 60 in.; circumference; area **2. 3.** Find the circumference and area of the front wheel of a high-wheel bicycle. **4.** 60 in. **5.** 30 in. **6.** Use the formula $C = 2\pi r$. **7.** 188.5 in. **8.** Use the formula $A = \pi r^2$.



9. 2,827.4 in.² **10.** Divide the area by π and find the square root; divide the circumference by 2π . **11.** C = 75.4 in.; A = 452.4 in.²

Practice 8-6

8 2. 9 3. 10 4. 11 5. 1 6. 6 7. 5 8. 4 9. 16 10. 14
 11. 7 12. 15 13. rational 14. irrational 15. rational
 16. rational 17. rational, integer, whole 18. irrational 19. 8 km
 20. 9 m 21. 11 ft 22. 15 in. 23. 14 yd 24. 13 cm 25. 0 or 3
 26. 56 yd 27. 8, 9 28. 7, 8 29. 11, 12 30. 8, 9 31. 13, 14
 32. 14, 15

Guided Problem Solving 8-6

Write three irrational numbers between 4 and 5. 2. An irrational number is a number that cannot be written as a ratio of two integers. As decimals, irrational numbers neither terminate nor repeat. 3. 16; 25; Sample answer: √17
 Sample answer: 4.12112111211112... 5. Sample answers: √19, 4.7177177717771... 6. infinitely many 7. yes; no; no
 Sample answers: √5, 2.3033033303330..., 2.52552555552...

Practice 8-7

1. 13 ft **2.** 15.8 cm **3.** 12.1 m **4.** x = 22 cm **5.** x = 51 in. **6.** x = 16 ft **7.** x = 25 m **8.** x = 111 yd **9.** x = 18 mi **10.** x = 23.0 m **11.** x = 39.8 ft **12.** x = 12.6 mi **13.** 70.7 yd **14.** 67.4 ft

Guided Problem Solving 8-7

1. 26 ft; 24 ft; height **2.** Find the height of the pole.
3.
$$h = \frac{26 \text{ ft}}{24 \text{ ft}}$$

4. $a^2 + b^2 = c^2 \text{ 5. } c \text{ 6. } a \text{ or } b$

