CUBE TOWERS

1. Cubes of side **10 cm** are built up in layers as shown in the diagram to form a stack.





- Find: (a) the height of stack 1.(b) the number of cubes in stack 1.
- (c) the height of stack 2.(d) the number of cubes in stack 2.
- (e) the number of cubes in a stack with a height of 80 cm.
- (f) the number of cubes in a stack with a height of 1.1 m.
- 2. Cubes of side 8 cm are built up in layers as shown in the diagram to form a stack.



Find:(a) the height of stack 3.(c) the height of stack 4.(b) the number of cubes in stack 3.(d) the number of cubes in stack 4.

(e) the number of cubes in a stack with a height of 72 cm.

(f) the number of cubes in a stack with a height of 1.2 m.

3. Cubes of side 7 cm are built up in layers as shown in the diagram to form a stack.



- Find: (a) the height of stack 5. (b) the number of cubes in stack 5.
- (c) the height of stack 6.(d) the number of cubes in stack 6.

(e) the number of cubes in a stack with a height of $70 \,\mathrm{cm}$.

(f) the number of cubes in a stack with a height of 1.05 m.

4. Cubes of side 9 cm are built up in layers as shown in the diagram to form a stack.



Find:(a) the height of stack 7.(c) the height of stack 8.(b) the number of cubes in stack 7.(d) the number of cubes in stack 8.

(e) the number of cubes in a stack with a height of 72 cm.

(f) the number of cubes in a stack with a height of 1.08 m.

ANSWERS

- 1. (a) 40 cm (b) 1+3+5+7 = 16 (c) 60 cm (d) 1+3+5+7+9+11 = 36(e) 1+3+5+7+9+11+13+15 = 64(f) 1+3+5+7+9+11+13+15+17+19+21 = 121
- 2. (a) 32 cm (b) 1+4+7+10 = 22 (c) 48 cm (d) 1+4+7+10+13+16 = 51(e) 1+4+7+10+13+16+19+22+25 = 117(f) 1+4+7+10+13+16+19+22+25+28+31+34+37+40+43 = 330
- 3. (a) 28 cm (b) 1+5+9+13 = 28 (c) 42 cm (d) 1+5+9+13+17+21 = 66 (e) 1+5+9+13+17+21+25+29+33+37 = 190 (f) 1+5+9+13+17+21+25+29+33+37+41+45+49+53+57 = 435
- 4. (a) 36 cm (b) 1+4+9+16 = 30 (c) 54 cm (d) 1+4+9+16+25+36 = 91(e) 1+4+9+16+25+36+49+64 = 204(f) 1+4+9+16+25+36+49+64+81+100+121+144 = 650