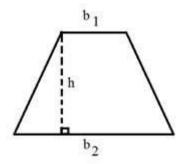
## AREA - PARALLELOGRAMS TO TRAPEZOIDS

Can you arrive at the formula for an area for trapezoids?



Work with two trapezoids that are identical.

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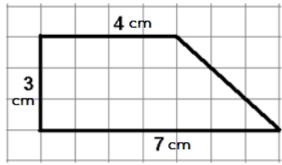
Thus, you should get the formula:

Area of a Trapezoid

$$A = \frac{1}{2} (b_1 + b_2) h$$

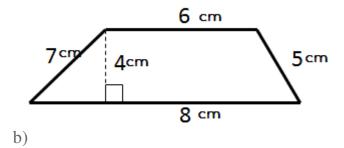
## PRACTICE

1. Calculate the area for the following trapezoids.

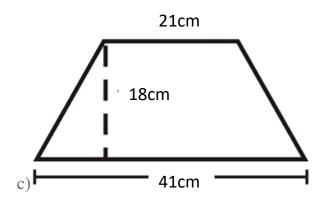


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 $Answer = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} cm^2$ 



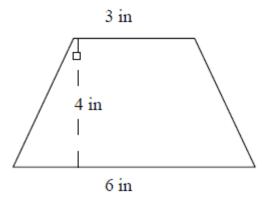
 $Answer = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} cm^2$ 



Area =\_\_\_\_cm<sup>2</sup>

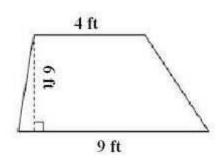
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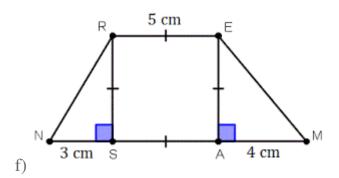


Answer = \_\_\_\_\_

e)



Area = \_\_\_\_\_



Answer =\_\_\_\_\_