



Math Virtual Learning

# Geometry/Honors Geometry

Monday, May 4th



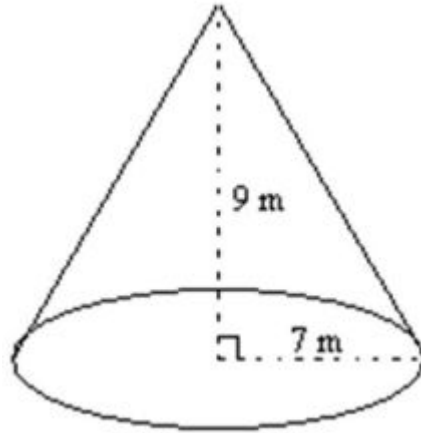
Grade/Course

Lesson: May 1st, 2020

**Objective/Learning Target:**

Students will calculate the volume of a sphere.

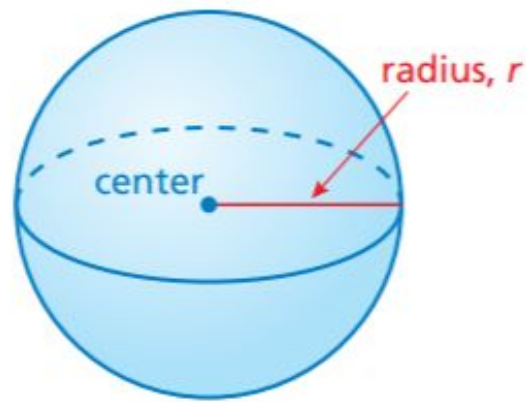
**Bell Ringer:** Find the volume of the cone.



# Warm-Up Answers

$147\pi$  cubic meters

A **sphere** is the set of all points in space that are the same distance from a point called the *center*. The *radius*  $r$  is the distance from the center to any point on the sphere.



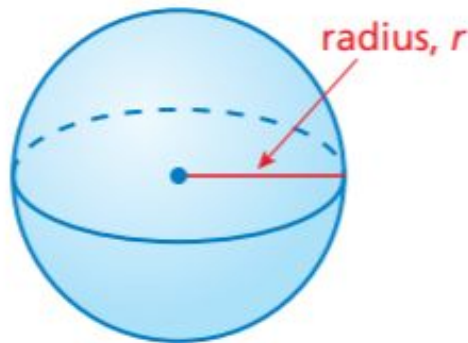
A sphere is different from the other solids you have studied so far because it does not have a base. To discover the volume of a sphere, you can use an activity similar to the one in the previous section.

## Volume of a Sphere

**Words** The volume  $V$  of a sphere is the product of  $\frac{4}{3}\pi$  and the cube of the radius of the sphere.

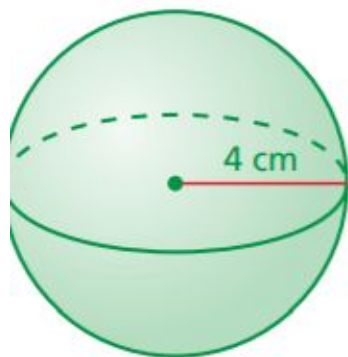
**Algebra**  $V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$

Cube of radius of sphere



**EXAMPLE****1****Finding the Volume of a Sphere**

Find the volume of the sphere. Round your answer to the nearest tenth.



$$V = \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3$$

Write formula for volume.

$$= \frac{4}{3} \pi (4)^3$$

Substitute 4 for  $r$ .

$$= \frac{256}{3} \pi$$

Simplify.

$$\approx 268.1$$

Use a calculator.



The volume is about 268.1 cubic centimeters.

**EXAMPLE****2****Finding the Radius of a Sphere**

Find the radius of the sphere.

$$\text{Volume} = 288\pi \text{ in.}^3$$

$$V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$$

Write formula.

$$288\pi = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$$

Substitute.

$$288\pi = \frac{4\pi}{3}r^3$$

Multiply.

$$\frac{3}{4\pi} \cdot 288\pi = \frac{3}{4\pi} \cdot \frac{4\pi}{3}r^3$$

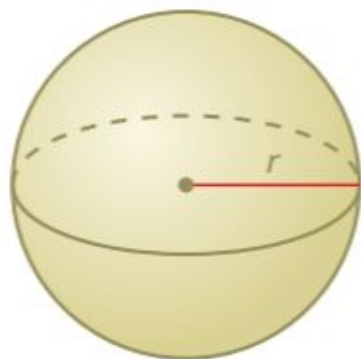
Multiplication Property of Equality

$$216 = r^3$$

Simplify.

$$6 = r$$

Take the cube root of each side.



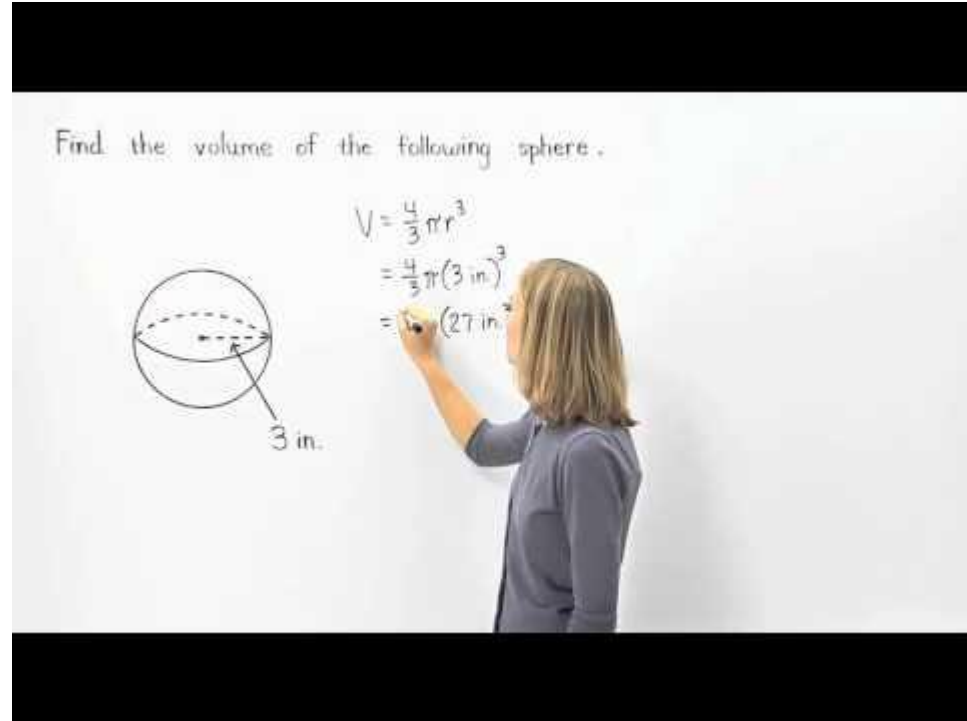
The radius is 6 inches.

# Information

Please watch the following

First Video:

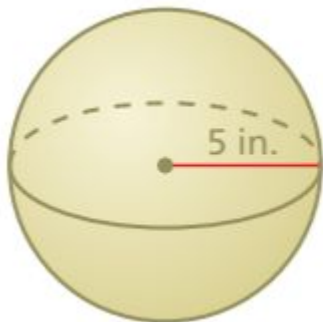
Examples of finding the  
Volume of a sphere.



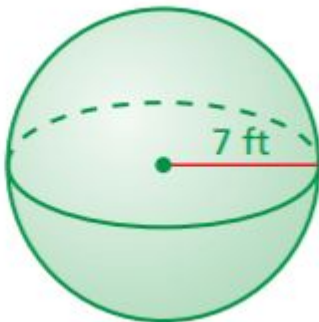


# Practice: Find the volume of the sphere

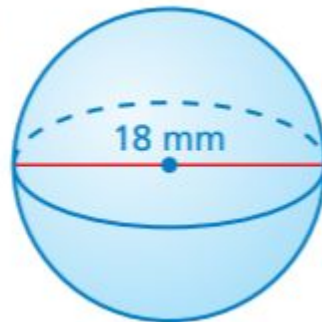
3.



4.



5.



12. **GLOBE** The globe of the Moon has a radius of 10 inches. Find the volume of the globe. Round your answer to the nearest whole number.



# Answers

1)  $V \approx 523.6$  inches cubed

2)  $V \approx 1436.76$  feet cubed

3)  $V \approx 3053.63$  millimeter cubed

4)  $V \approx 4188.79$  inches cubed

# Additional Practice

[Khan Academy Practice](#)

Click on the link and practice 10 problems.

Look at the explanation if you make a mistake: [IXL Volume of sphere](#)