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## Picture:

Equation:
Answer:
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## Answer Key

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Equation: Area $=30 \times 10$
Answer: 300 square centimeters
3. Mrs. Harrow needs some lace to sew it around a square handkerchief that is 10 inches on each side. How much lace will Mrs. Harrow need to cover the perimeter of the handkerchief?


Equation: Perimeter $=10+10+10+10$
Answer: 40 inches
2. My father bought a new door that is 7 feet tall and 5 feet wide. Find the perimeter of the door.


Equation: Perimeter $=5+7+5+7$
Answer: 24 feet
4. Tracy received a rectangular painting on her seventh birthday. The perimeter of the painting is 36 inches, and the area is 72 square inches. What are the lengths of the sides?

Picture:
12 inches

6 inches


6 inches

12 inches

Equation: $\quad$ Perimeter $=12+6+12+6$
Area $=12 \times 6$
Answer: 12 inches and 6 inches

