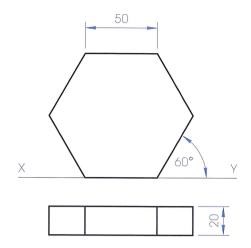
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## Exercise

The elevation and plan of the box for **Turkish Delight** sweets, which is based on a **regular hexagonal prism**, are shown across.

Construct an **isometric drawing** of the box.





# Circles in Isometric Drawing

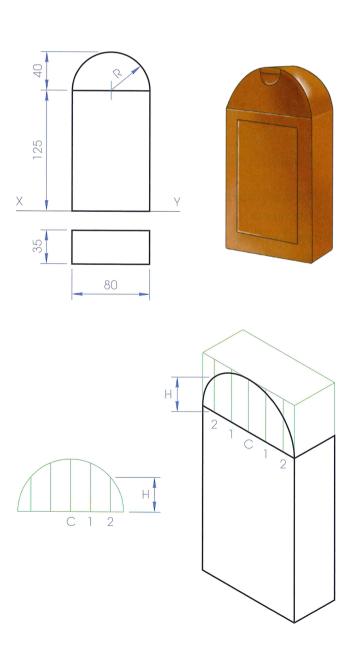
Circles appear elliptical in isometric drawing.

## Example

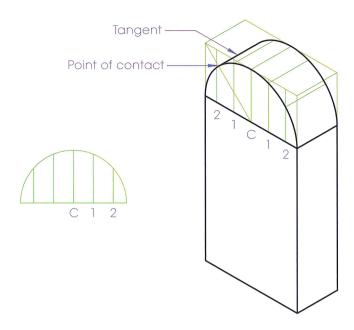
The elevation and plan of a **shampoo bottle** are shown over.

Make an isometric drawing of the bottle.

- 1. Draw the isometric axes and construct the box into which the bottle fits.
- 2. Draw the elevation of the semicircle and mark off points (C, 1 and 2) along the base line, say 15 mm apart for convenience, as shown over.
- **3.** Locate these points (C, 1 and 2) on the base line in the isometric drawing.
- 4. Now locate points on the semi-ellipse by transferring the relevant heights above C, 1 and 2 as shown over, and draw a smooth curve to pass through them.



- 5. The relevant portion of the semi-ellipse on the back surface can be drawn by locating points 35 mm away from the front semiellipse, at 30° to the right as shown across.
- **6.** The point of contact for the tangent can be located by drawing the diagonal from the centre as shown.

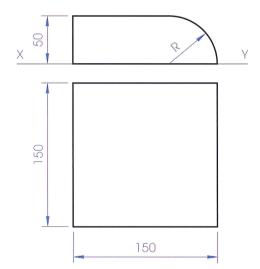


#### **Exercises**

1. The figure over shows the elevation and plan of a solid based on the Milk Tray box.

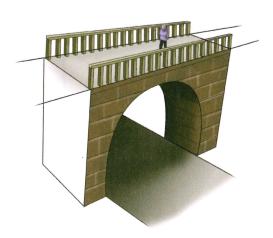
Construct an **isometric drawing** of the box.

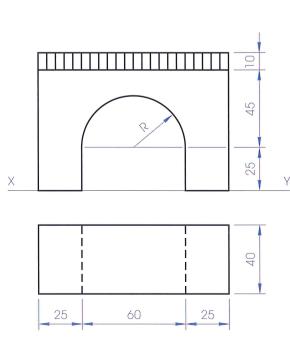




2. The elevation and plan of a **bridge** are shown over. The vertical lines in the railings are 5 mm apart.

Make an **isometric drawing** of the bridge.





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More complicated objects can be drawn in isometric by 'boxing' in their component parts if appropriate.

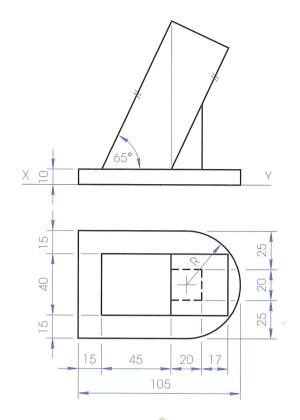
# Example

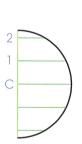
The figure over shows the elevation and plan of a **knife block**.

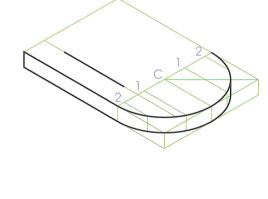
Draw an isometric view of the block.

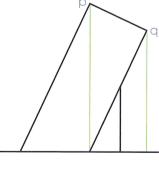


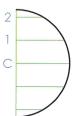
- 1. Draw the box into which the base fits and construct the base as shown over, top.
- 2. Draw the partial elevation shown over, bottom, to determine the vertical heights of points **P** and **Q** on the inclined lines.
- 3. Transfer these heights to the isometric view to determine points **P** and **Q** in the isometric view as shown.
- **4.** Complete the isometric drawing noting that parallel lines on an object will appear parallel in an isometric view.

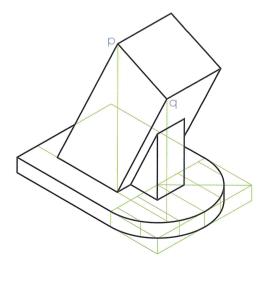






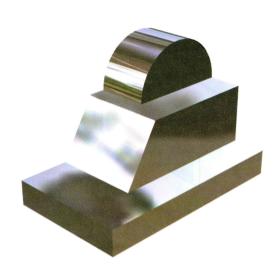


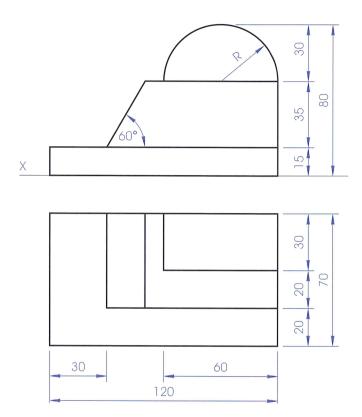




#### **Exercises**

1. The elevation and plan of a solid are shown over. Also shown is a photo-realistic image of the solid. Draw an **isometric** view of the solid.





2. The elevation and plan of plaque are shown over.

Draw an **isometric** view of the plaque.



Answer Worksheets 14A, 14B and 14C

