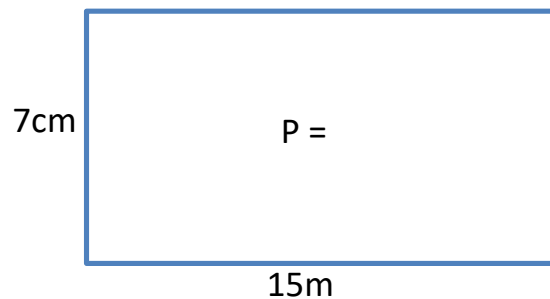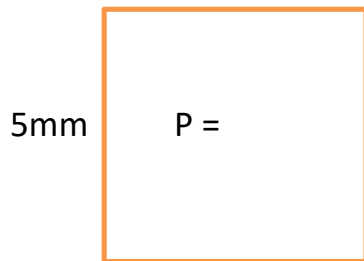# To find the perimeter of squares and rectangles

Remember, to find the perimeter of a square or rectangle, you need to add up all of the sides. Don't forget to use the correct units.

5mm | P =

7cm | P = | 15m

To find missing edges, take away known edges from the total perimeter. Then, think about how many sides are left. Do you need to halve your answer? Find what length 'x' represents. When you have come up with an answer, add up all of the sides to check you are correct.

14cm

x

P = 68cm

8mm

P = 44mm

x

9cm

x | P = 22cm

P = 40m | 12cm

x