### 11.4 Start Thinking

Each of the prisms shown below is a polyhedron. A polyhedron is a solid that is bounded by polygons, called faces. The faces intersect to form segments called edges. When three or more edges intersect, they form a point called a vertex. Count the number of faces F, vertices V, and edges E, for each of the prisms. Then determine the value of the expression F + V - E for each prism. How do the values of F, V, and E relate?



## 11.4 Practice A

In Exercises 1–3, tell whether the solid is a polyhedron. If it is, name the polyhedron.



In Exercises 4–6, describe the cross section formed by the intersection of the plane and the solid.



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In Exercises 7–9, sketch the solid produced by rotating the figure around the given axis. Then identify and describe the solid.

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**10.** Is the block shown a polyhedron? Explain your reasoning.



- **11.** Sketch a cube. Is it possible for a cross section of a cube to be a square? Explain your reasoning. If so, describe or sketch two different ways in which the plane could intersect the solid.
- **12.** Consider the rectangular prism in Exercise 1. The length of the prism is 4 inches, the width is 2 inches, and the height is 2 inches.
  - **a**. What is the perimeter of the cross section?
  - **b.** What is the area of the cross section?

# **11.4** Practice B

In Exercises 1–3, describe the cross section formed by the intersection of the plane and the solid.



In Exercises 4–6, sketch the solid produced by rotating the figure around the given axis. Then identify and describe the solid.



**7.** Which of the parts shown are polyhedrons? Explain your reasoning.



- **8.** Sketch the composite solid produced by rotating the composite figure around the given axis. Then identify and describe the composite solid.
- **9.** A cone with a height of 6 inches and radius of 4 inches is sliced in half by a horizontal plane, creating a circular cross section with a radius of 2 inches. Each piece is then sliced in half by a vertical plane, as shown.



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- **a.** Describe the shape formed by each cross section.
- **b.** What are the perimeters and areas of the cross sections?
- **c.** Suppose the horizontal plane is tilted, slicing the original cone as shown at the right. Is the cross section a circle? If it is not, describe how it is different from a circle and sketch the cross section.



# 11.4 Enrichment and Extension

#### **Three-Dimensional Figures**

Draw the solid revolution formed by the shape rotated around the z-axis.



- **3.** If you find the cross section of a solid of revolution in a plane that is perpendicular to the axis of rotation, you will always get the same shape. What is it?
- **4.** The figure to the right is an example of an oblique cylinder. Is this a solid of revolution? Explain your reasoning.



A *double cone* is formed by two cones that share the same vertex. Sketch each cross section formed by a double cone and plane.







### Why Was Everyone So Tired On April 1st?

A	В	С	D	E	F
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Complete each exercise. Find the answer in the answer column. Write the word under the answer in the box containing the exercise letter.

truo	Complete the sentence.	rectangular
MOST	<b>A.</b> $A(n)$ is a solid that is bounded by polygons called	pyramid
	faces.	THIRTY-ONE
cylinder	<b>B.</b> The intersection of a plane and a solid is called a	hat box
A	section.	HOME
Egyptian	<b>C.</b> An edge of a polyhedron is a line segment formed by the	
triangle	of two faces.	prism
BEFORE	<b>D.</b> $A(n)$ of a polyhedron is a point where three or more	FUES
polyhedron	edges meet.	intersection
BECAUSE	E. There are six Platonic solids. True or false?	HAD
merging	Identify what solid is produced by rotating the indicated figure	plain
MIDNIGHT	around the given axis.	SLEEP
pentagonal prism DAYS	<b>F.</b> a 4-by-4 square on a vertical axis	cross
	<b>G.</b> a 3-by-3 right triangle on a vertical axis	THEY
platonic hut	Identify the polyhedron.	box
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