Lesson 6.5C ~ Volume with Fractional Dimensions

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The outer cube has a side length of $2\frac{1}{2}$ centimeters.

The cube inside it has a side length of $\frac{3}{4}$ centimeter.

- **a.** What is the volume of the outer cube?
- **b.** What is the volume of the inner cube?
- **c.** What is the volume of the space in the outer cube NOT taken up by the inner cube?

The outer prism has a length of $2\frac{1}{2}$ meters, width of $1\frac{3}{10}$ meters and height of $1\frac{1}{3}$ meters.

The cubes inside it each have side lengths of $\frac{1}{2}$ meter.

- **a.** What is the volume of the outer prism?
- **b.** What is the volume of each of the inner cubes?
- **c.** What is the volume of the space in the outer prism NOT taken up by the inner cubes?
- **3.** A rectangular wood shed has a length of $5\frac{1}{2}$ yards, width of $1\frac{2}{3}$ yards and height of $2\frac{3}{10}$ yards. Inside the wood shed is a box with tools. The rest of the wood shed is completely full of wood. The box of tools measures $1\frac{3}{4}$ feet long, 1 foot wide and $\frac{2}{3}$ foot tall.
 - **a.** Change all measurements into feet.

Length: $5\frac{1}{2}$ yards = _____ feet

Width: $1\frac{2}{3}$ yards = _____ feet

Height: $2\frac{3}{10}$ yards = _____ feet

- **b.** What is the volume of the wood shed in cubic feet?
- **c.** What is the volume of the tool box in cubic feet?
- d. How many cubic feet of wood are in the wood shed?
- **4.** A rectangular planter box is $2\frac{3}{4}$ feet long, $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet wide and $\frac{1}{2}$ foot deep. Kai fills it 4 inches deep with potting soil. What is the volume of the box that is NOT filled with potting soil?
- 5. A rectangular form is $3\frac{1}{2}$ meters long, $2\frac{2}{5}$ meters wide and $2\frac{1}{2}$ meters deep. Tory filled it full of cement, leaving 25 centimeters space at the top. How many cubic meters of cement did Tory use?