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SURFACE AREA OF A CYLINDER SHEET 3

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2)	A cardboard tube has a height of 11 cm and a diameter of 4 cm. What is the surface area?	4 cm 12 cm	
3)	A cylinder-shaped plant pot (with no lid) has a diameter of 12 inches and a height of 17 inches. What is the surface area? in ²	12 in 17 in	
4)	A plastic pipe has a diameter of 14 cm and a length of 3 m. What is the surface area?	14 cm	

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1)	A hockey puck is a disc which is 1 inch thick and has a diameter of 3 inches. What is the surface area? 23.6 in ²	3 in 1 in	Diameter = 3 inches, so radius = 1 ½ inches. Closed Cylinder area = $2\pi r(r + h)$ = $2\pi(1 \frac{1}{2})(1 \frac{1}{2} + 1) = 2\pi(1 \frac{1}{2})(2 \frac{1}{2})$ = $2\pi(3 \frac{3}{4}) = 7 \frac{1}{2}\pi = 23.6$ in ² to 1 decimal places
2)	A cardboard tube has a height of 11 cm and a diameter of 4 cm. What is the surface area? 150.8 cm ²	4 cm 12 cm	Diameter = 4 cm, so radius = 2 cm. Tube Surface area = $2\pi rh$ = $2\pi(2)(12) = 2\pi(24)$ = $48\pi = 150.8 \text{ cm}^2 \text{ to 1dp}$
3)	A cylinder-shaped plant pot (with no lid) has a diameter of 12 inches and a height of 17 inches. What is the surface area? 754.0 in ²	12 in 17 in	Diameter = 12 inches, so radius = 6 inches. Open-top Cylinder Area = $\pi r(r + 2h)$ = $\pi(6)(6 + 2 \times 17) = \pi(6)(6 + 34)$ = $\pi(6)(40) = 240\pi = 754.0$ in ² to 1dp
4)	A plastic pipe has a diameter of 14 cm and a length of 3 m. What is the surface area? 13194.7 cm ²	14 cm	Diameter = 14 cm so radius = 7 cm. Tube length = 3 m = 300 cm Tube Surface Area = $2\pi rh$ = $2\pi(7)(300) = 2\pi (2100) = 4200\pi$ = 13194.7 cm^2