

## Objective

By the end of this lesson, you will be able to apply formulas to calculate the volumes of composite solids made up of right prisms and cylinders.

## Materials and Prep

- Paper
- Pencil
- Ruler
- Calculator (optional)

Prior knowledge of the formulas for calculating the volume of prisms and cylinders is required.

## Activities

- **Activity 1: Building Composite Solids**  
Create a few composite solids using right prisms and cylinders using paper cutouts. Calculate the volume of each solid.
- **Activity 2: Real-World Applications**  
Research and find real-world examples of composite solids. Calculate the volume of these solids to understand their practical applications.
- **Activity 3: Problem-Solving Challenge**  
Solve a set of challenging problems involving composite solids. Try to visualize the solids and break them down into simpler shapes to calculate the volume.

## Talking Points

- *"To find the volume of a composite solid, we need to break it down into simpler shapes like prisms and cylinders."*
- *"Remember, the volume of a prism is given by  $V = Bh$ , where  $B$  is the base area and  $h$  is the height."*
- *"For a cylinder, the volume formula is  $V = \pi r^2 h$ , where  $r$  is the radius and  $h$  is the height."*
- *"When dealing with composite solids, add up the volumes of individual shapes to get the total volume of the composite solid."*
- *"Visualizing the composite solid and understanding how it can be broken down into simpler shapes will make volume calculations easier."*