

Grades 6-8, Claim 2

Example Item 2A.3d (Grade 8):

Primary Target 2A (Content Domain F), Secondary Target 1E (CCSS 8.F.A), Tertiary Target 2D

Helga wants to have a lot of helium-filled balloons at her party.

- The helium tank costs \$58 to rent.
- Balloons cost \$0.29 each.
- She wants to have 5 helium-filled balloons for each party guest.

Enter an equation that represents the total cost, *C*, in dollars of the helium-filled balloons for *n* party guests.

Rubric: (1 point) The student enters a correct equation in the response box (e.g., *C*=58+1.45*n*).

Response Type: Equation/Numeric

Task Model 2A.4

Expectations:

- The student solves a problem related to the Pythagorean Theorem or volumes of cylinders, cones, and spheres.
- The task should require more than a routine application of the Pythagorean Theorem or a volume formula.

Example Item 2A.4a (Grade 8):

Primary Target 2A (Content Domain G), Secondary Target 1H (CCSS 8.G.B), Tertiary Target 2D

Two sides of a right triangle have lengths $\sqrt{10}$ centimeters and $\sqrt{6}$ centimeters. There are two possible lengths for the third side.

Enter the **longest** possible side length, in centimeters, for the third side of this triangle.

Rubric: (1 point) The student enters the correct length in the response box (e.g., 4).

Response Type: Equation/Numeric