# **QBasic Programming - Lab 1.3**

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- (a) Read each program carefully before you type it in.
- (b) *Deskcheck*. For each program, write down what you think is going to be the output (what the program is going to do) *before* you type the program in.
- (c) Type in the following programs to practise the use of the QBasic programming environment and to see the programs work (execute).
- (d) After each program listing below, write down the 'output' or what the program put onto the QBasic output screen when you have correctly executed with the program.

# (c) Get Required data from user PRINT "This program calculates the Area of a Circle" INPUT "What is the radius of the circle"; radius

- (d) Make the Calculations
  Area = PI \* radius ^ 2
- (e) Send the results to the screen for the user COLOR 2

PRINT "For a Circle of radius"; radius; PRINT "and using a value for PI as"; PI PRINT "The calculated Area is"; Area

(f) Stop

#### Deskcheck 7:

Output 7:

## **Program 7 - Calculating the Area of a Circle**

## Program 8 - Calculating the Area of a Square

PRINT "This Program Calculates the Area of a Square"
INPUT "What is the width of the square"; sqwidth
' (d) Make the Calculations
sqArea = sqwidth \* sqwidth
' (e) Send the Calculations to the Screen
PRINT "The Area of the Square is:"; sqArea
' (f) Stop

Deskcheck 8:

Output 8:

## **Programming Exercises**

- 1. Draw a flowchart for each of the above programs.
- 2. Write a "Problem Resolution Process" for each of the above programs.
- 3. Write a program to calculate the floorspace (area) of a classroom, by first asking the for the length and width of the classroom.
- 4. Write a program to calculate the area of the shape.
- Shape: Square, parallelogram, rhombus, rectangle
   Formula: length \* length
- 5. Write a program to calculate the area of the shape.
- Shape: Triangle

Formula: 0.5 \* base \* height

6. Write a program to calculate the area of the shape.

• Shape: Trapezoid

Formula: 0.5 \* (base + top) \* height

7. Develop a program to calculate the Volume of a Cylinder by using the formula:

 $V = \pi r^2 h$ ;  $\pi = 3.141593$ 

#### **Documentation Exercises**

Writing the "Problem Resolution Process"

The documentation you put together for exercise 1 & 2 should include:

- Step 1. The definition of the problem
- Step 2. The problem analysis
- Step 3. The solution analysis
- Step 4. A written draft of what the program should look like.
- Step 5. Detailed figures on how you tested the program to make sure it is giving the correct answers.
- A Flow Chart