

7. Circle  $d = 12\text{ m}$   $r = 6\text{ m}$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{current area} &= \pi r^2 \\ &= \pi (6)^2 \\ &= \pi (36) \\ &= 113.04\text{ m}^2\end{aligned}$$

if area is tripled

$$\begin{aligned}A &= 3 \times 113.04 \\ &= 339.12\text{ m}^2\end{aligned}$$

find new radius

$$\begin{aligned}A &= \pi r^2 \\ 339.12 &= \pi r^2 \\ \text{divide by } \pi & \\ \frac{339.12}{\pi} &= \cancel{\pi} r^2\end{aligned}$$

$$108 = r^2$$

square root

$$\sqrt{108} = \sqrt{r^2}$$

$$10.4 = r$$

radius went from 6 to 10.4

which is increase of  $4.4\text{ m}$   
diameter went from 12 to  $20.8$   
which is increase of  $8.8\text{ m}$  (or double 4.4)