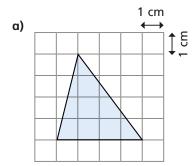
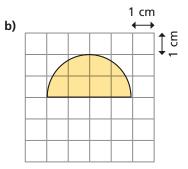
## Area of irregular shapes



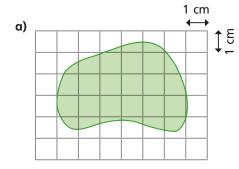
On the grid, the area of each square is 1 cm<sup>2</sup> Estimate the area of each shape.

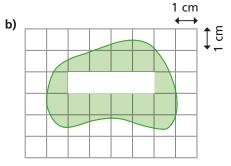




Mo draws two shapes on a cm² grid.

Estimate the area of each shape.





How did you estimate the area of b)?
Talk about it with your partner.



a) On a square grid, draw around your closed hand and estimate the area.





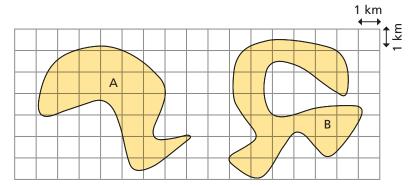
**b)** On a square grid, draw around your open hand and estimate the area.



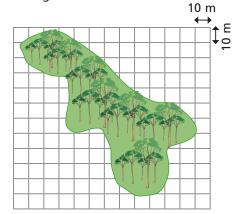
- c) Compare your estimates for a) and b). Do you notice anything?
- 4 Here is the outline of two islands.

Each square represents 1 km² of land.

Which island has the greater area and how much greater is it?



This is the outline of a large forest area.



Estimate the area of the forest.

