(55 marks)

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D

2.5 m

Question 7

A glass Roof Lantern in the shape of a pyramid has a rectangular base *CDEF* and its apex is at *B* as shown. The vertical height of the pyramid is |AB|, where *A* is the point of intersection of the diagonals of the base as shown in the diagram. Also |CD| = 2.5 m and |CF| = 3 m.



(ii) The angle of elevation of *B* from *C* is 50° (i.e. $|\angle BCA| = 50^\circ$). Show that |AB| = 2.3 m, correct to one decimal place.

(iii) Find |BC|, correct to the nearest metre.

(iv) Find $|\angle BCD|$, correct to the nearest degree.



(v) Find the area of glass required to glaze all four triangular sides of the pyramid. Give your answer correct to the nearest m².



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(b) Another Roof Lantern, in the shape of a pyramid, has a square base *CDEF*. The vertical height |AB| = 3 m, where *A* is the point of intersection of the diagonals of the base as shown.

The angle of elevation of *B* from *C* is 60° (i.e. $|\angle BCA| = 60^\circ$). Find the length of the side of the square base of the lantern. Give your answer in the form \sqrt{a} m, where $a \in \mathbb{N}$.



