

CHAPTER 7 STUDY GUIDE

GEOMETRY



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Target 7.1: Determine if polygons are similar and write a similarity statement.

Self-Assess: 1 (Uh Oh)

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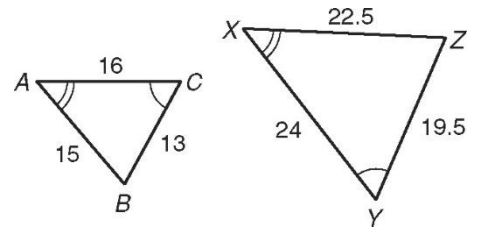
1) Two polygons are similar only if the:

corresponding angles are _____ and their corresponding sides are _____.

2) Give the similarity ratio and write a similarity statement.

Ratio: _____

Similarity Statement: _____



Target 7.2: Draw and describe a dilation.

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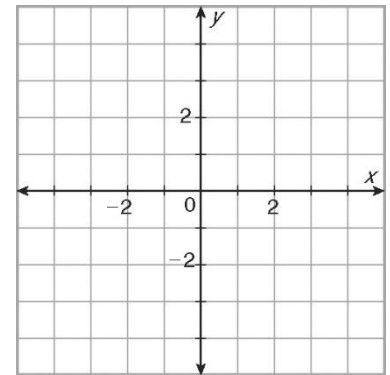
3) Step 1: Plot $\triangle ABC$: $A(2, 4)$, $B(-2, 0)$, $C(-1, -3)$

Step 2: Apply the dilation from $(0, 0)$ and plot the new vertices.

$$D: (x, y) \rightarrow (\frac{1}{2}x, \frac{1}{2}y)$$

Step 3: Is it a reduction/enlargement?

Explain your answer.



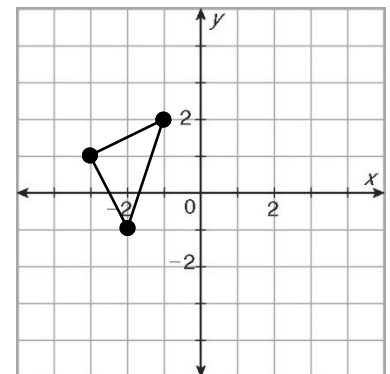
4) Step 1: Plot $\triangle ABC$: $A(-3, 1)$, $B(-2, -1)$, $C(-1, 2)$

Step 2: Apply the dilation from $(-4, 1)$ and plot the new vertices.

$$D: (x, y) \rightarrow (2x, 2y)$$

Step 3: Is it a reduction/enlargement?

Explain your answer.



Target 7.3: Identify the postulate used to show triangles are similar and write a similarity statement.

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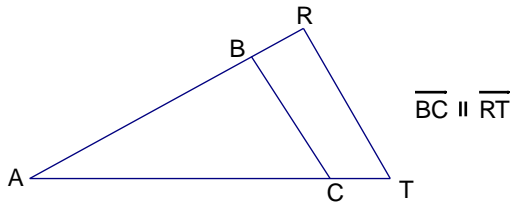
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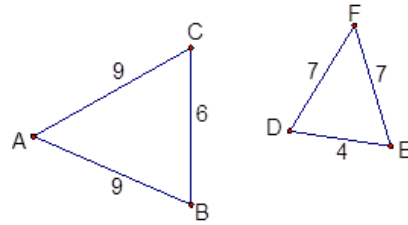
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SHOW YOUR WORK TO PROVE WHY THE TRIANGLES ARE (OR ARE NOT) SIMILAR!!!

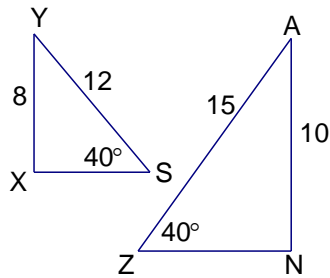
5) $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle$ _____ by _____



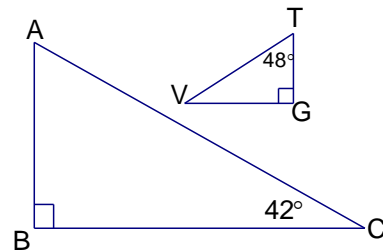
6) $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle$ _____ by _____



7) $\triangle YXS \sim \triangle$ _____ by _____



8) $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle$ _____ by _____



Target 7.3: Find side lengths of similar triangles.

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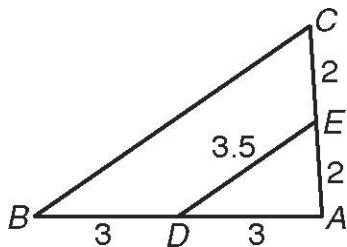
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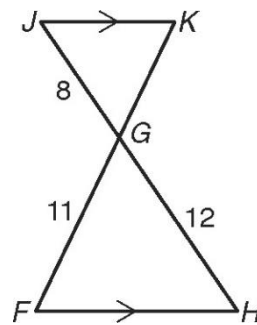
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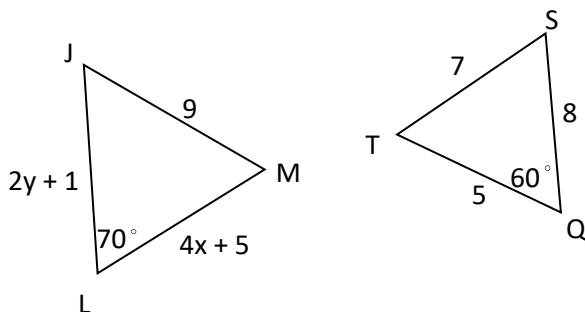
9) Find BC given that $\triangle EAD \sim \triangle CAB$.



10) Why are the triangles similar? Find GK.



11) If $\triangle JLM \sim \triangle QST$ find x and y.



Target 7.4.a: Use the Triangle Proportionality Theorem to find lengths of segments.

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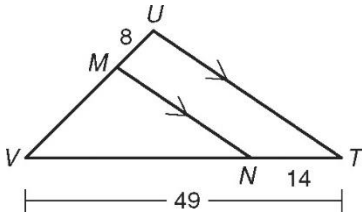
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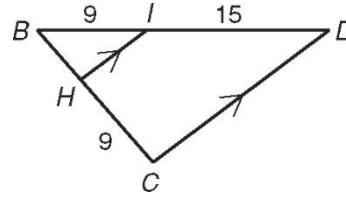
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12) Find the length of segment MV:



13) Find the length of segment BH.



Target 7.4.b: Use the Two Transversal Proportionality Corollary to find lengths of segments.

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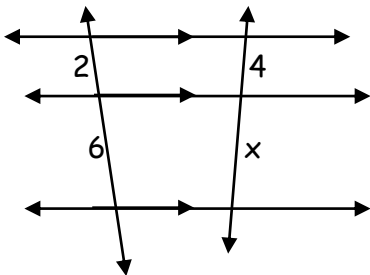
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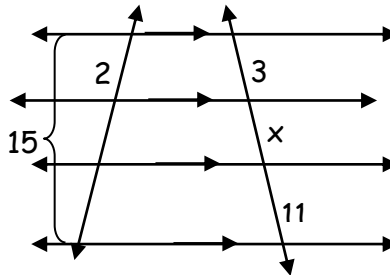
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14) Find x .



15) Find x .



Target 7.4.c: Use the Angle Bisector Theorem to find lengths of segments.

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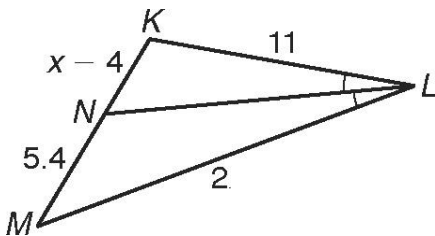
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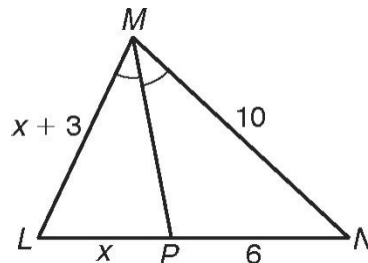
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16) Find x .



17) Find LP and LM.



Target 7.5.a: Use ratios to make indirect measurements.

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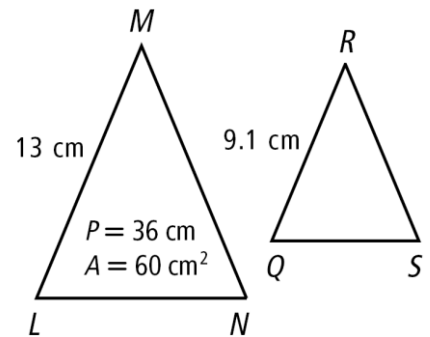
18) John, who is 5 ft. 9 in. tall, wanted to know the height of the MacDonald's sign. At the same time of day, he measured his shadow and the sign's shadow. He found that his shadow was 7 ft. 8 in. and the the sign's shadow was 38 ft. 4 in. shadow. What is the height of the sign in inches? In feet?

19) Lady Liberty holds a tablet in her left hand. The tablet is 7.19 m long and 4.14 m wide. If you made a scale drawing using the scale 1 cm : 0.75 m, what would be the dimensions of the length and the width to the nearest tenth? (*Hint: you need to set up two proportions*)

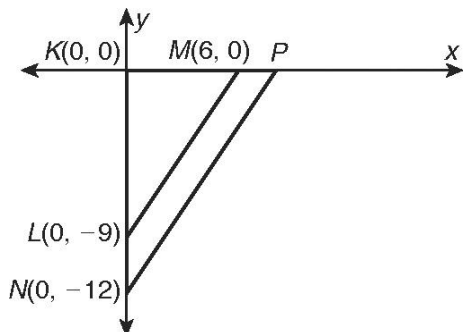
Target 7.5.b: Find measurements of similar polygons.

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20) Given that $\triangle LMN \sim \triangle QRS$, find the perimeter and area of $\triangle QRS$.



21) Given that $\triangle LKM \sim \triangle NKP$, find the coordinates of P and the scale factor.



Target 7.6.a: Find points on the coordinate plane that partition a segment porportionally.

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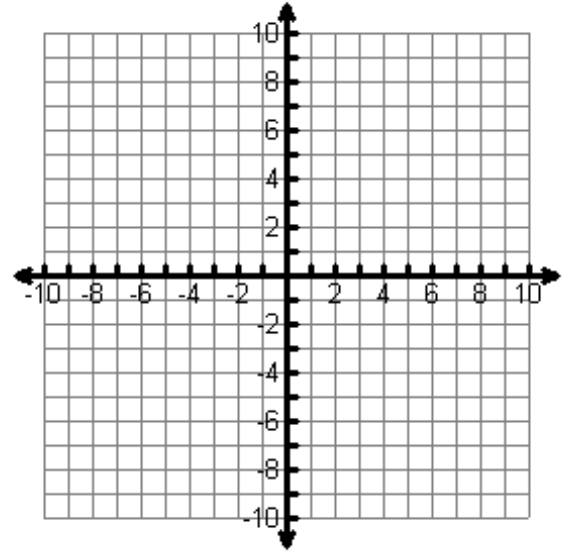
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31. Given: $A(1, 3)$ and $B(-3, -5)$

a) Find point P such that P divides the segment from A to B in the ratio 1:3

b) Find point Q such that Q divides the segment from B to A in the ratio 3:7.



Target 7.6.b: Prove triangles are similar on the coordinate plane.

Self-Assess: 1 (Uh oh)

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32. Given: $J(-1, 0)$, $K(-3, -4)$, $L(3, -2)$, $M(-4, -6)$, and $N(5, -3)$

Prove: $\triangle JKL \sim \triangle JMN$

