Chapter 7 Review

Multiple Choice

- 1. If two polygons are SIMILAR, then the corresponding sides must be
 - a. proportional

c. parallel

b. congruent

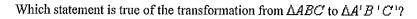
d. similar

2. This drawing illustrates _____.

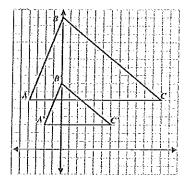
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- a. AA Similarity
- b. SAS Congruence

- c. SSS Similarity
- d. SAS Similarity
- 3. In the figure below, $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle A^{\dagger}B^{\dagger}C^{\dagger}$.



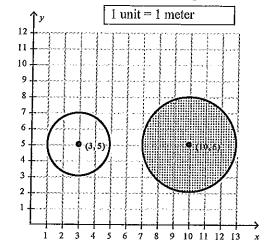
- a. The measures of all corresponding angles change by a scale factor of 2.
- b. The measures of all corresponding angles change by a scale factor of $\frac{1}{2}$.
- c. The lengths of all corresponding sides change by a scale factor of 2.
- d. The lengths of all corresponding sides change by a scale factor of $\frac{1}{2}$.



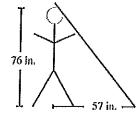
4. Sean has two circular flower beds, as shown below.

How can the larger flower bed be transformed to show that the two flower beds are similar in shape?

- a. translation: $(x,y) \rightarrow (x-7,y)$; dilation with center (3, 5) and scale factor $\frac{2}{3}$
- b. translation: $(x,y) \rightarrow (x,y-7)$; dilation with center (3, 5) and scale factor $\frac{2}{3}$
- c. translation: $(x, y) \rightarrow (x, y 7)$; dilation with center (3, 5) and scale factor $\frac{3}{2}$
- d. translation: $(x, y) \rightarrow (x 7, y)$; dilation with center (3, 5) and scale factor $\frac{3}{2}$



- 5. At the same time of day, a man who is 76 inches tall casts a 57-inch shadow and his son casts a 24-inch shadow. What is the height of the man's son? (Figures may not be drawn to scale.)
 - a. 33 in.
- b. 32 in.
- c. 81 in.
- d. 108 in.





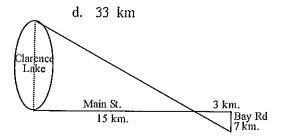
- 6. The ratio of the length of the legs of the smaller triangle to that of the larger triangle is 4:5. If the length of the hypotenuse of the larger triangle is 2 feet, what is the length of the hypotenuse of the small triangle to the nearest tenth of a foot?
- a. 0.1 ft

c. 1.6 ft

b. 0.6 ft

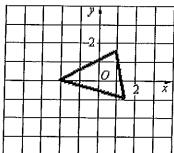
d. 2.5 ft

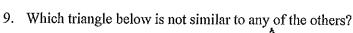
- 7. The triangles in the diagram below are similar. Which is the distance across Clarence Lake? (The figure may not be drawn to scale.)
 - a. 6 km
- b. 38 km
- c. 35 km

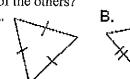


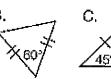
Short Answer

8. Draw the image of the given figure after a dilation with center O and the a scale factor of 2.







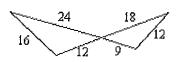




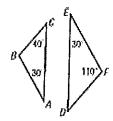
10. Determine whether the triangles are similar. If the are, write a similarity statement.



11. Determine whether the triangles are similar. Explain your reasoning.



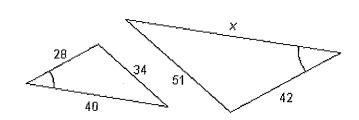
12. Tell whether each pair of triangles is similar. Explain your reasoning.



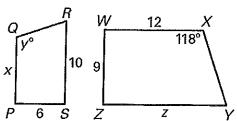
13. Standing next to each other, a woman casts a 41.4-inch shadow and her 40-inch-tall son casts a 24-inch shadow. What is the height of the woman to the nearest inch?

14. A photo needs to be enlarged from an original with a length of 7 inches and a width of 5 inches to a size where the new width is 15 inches. What is the new length? What is the scale factor?

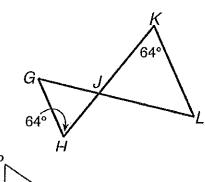
15. What value of x will make the two triangles similar?



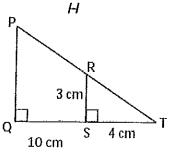
16. In the diagram, $PQRS \sim WXYZ$, find the values of x, y, and z.



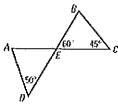
17. Explain why the triangles are similar and write a similarity statement.



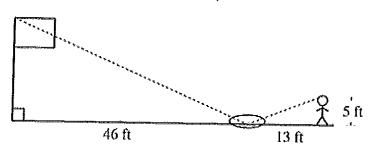
18. Find the length of PQ. RS = 3 ST = 4 QS = 10



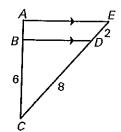
19. Determine whether the triangles are similar. If they are, write a similarity statement.



20. Karen wanted to measure the height of her school's flagpole. She placed a mirror on the ground 46 feet from the flagpole, and then walked backwards until she was able to see the top of the pole in the mirror. Her eyes were 5 feet above the ground and she was 13 feet from the mirror. Using similar triangles, find the height of the flagpole to the nearest hundredth of a foot. (Figures may not be drawn to scale.)



21. Find the length of \overline{AB} .



22. Moody wants to find the height of the tallest building in his city. He stands 460 feet away from the building. There is a tree 42 feet in front of him, which he knows is 23 feet tall. How tall is the building? (Round to the nearest foot.)

