

MASSACHUSETTS MATHEMATICS LEAGUE
CONTEST 4 - JANUARY 2017
ROUND 5 GEOMETRY: SIMILARITY OF POLYGONS

ANSWERS

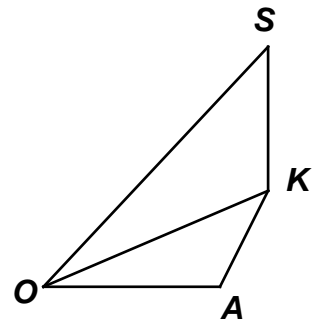
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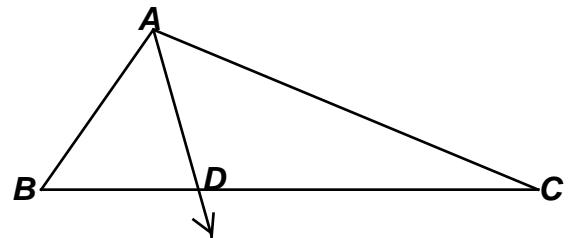
C) _____

Diagrams are not necessarily drawn to scale.

- A) Given: $\angle SOK \cong \angle KOA$, $OS = 9$, $OK = 6$, $OA = 4$ and the perimeter of quadrilateral $SOAK$ is 21.
 Compute KS .



- B) In $\triangle ABC$, $AB = x - 2$, $AC = 2x$, and $BC = 2x + 1$
 Point D is on \overline{BC} such that \overline{AD} bisects $\angle BAC$.
 Equilateral triangles are constructed on \overline{BD} and \overline{DC} .
 If the perimeter of $\triangle ABC$ is 49, the simplified ratio of the area of the larger equilateral triangle to the area of the smaller equilateral triangle is $K : J$. Compute $K + J$.



- C) Triangle T has an area of 1 square unit, and it is similar to a right triangle with sides of length 3, 4, and 5. T is inscribed in a circle. Compute the area of this circle.