## MASSACHUSETTS MATHEMATICS LEAGUE CONTEST 2 - NOVEMBER 2016 ROUND 3 PLANE GEOMETRY: AREAS OF RECTILINEAR FIGURES

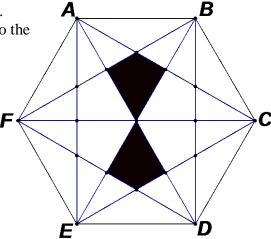
## **ANSWERS**

A) \_\_\_\_\_:\_\_\_:

B) \_\_\_\_\_

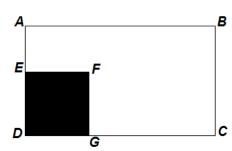
C) \_\_\_\_\_

A) *ABCDEF* is a regular hexagon with side of length 6. Compute the ratio of the area of the shaded region to the area of the unshaded region in hexagon *ABCDEF*.



B) DEFG is a square of side x. ABCD is a rectangle with sides AB = 18 and BC = 14.

The ratio of the area of the unshaded region to the area of the shaded region equals  $\frac{AB}{BC}$ . Compute x.



C) In a rhombus with side 7, the long diagonal has length 11. Compute the length of the altitude of this rhombus.