## 7.7 Exam: Similarity ratios, dilation, the tangent function, transformations, symmetry

1. Given the following two linear equations:

$$l_1: y = \frac{5}{4}x - 3$$

$$l_2: 5x + 4y = 8$$

Write down the slopes of the two lines.

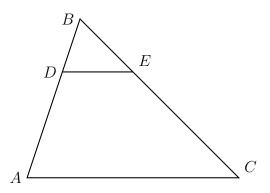
$$m_1 =$$

$$m_2 =$$

Are the lines parallel, perpendicular, or neither? Justify your answer using the slopes.

- 2. Given  $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle DEF$ .  $m \angle A = 88^{\circ}$  and  $m \angle F = 43^{\circ}$ . Find the measure of  $\angle C$ .
- 3. In the diagram below of  $\triangle ABC$ , D is a point on  $\overline{BA}$ , E is a point on  $\overline{BC}$ , and  $\overline{DE}$  is drawn.

If BD = 6.5, DA = 13, and BE = 8, what is the length of  $\overline{BC}$  so that  $\overline{AC} \parallel \overline{DE}$ ?



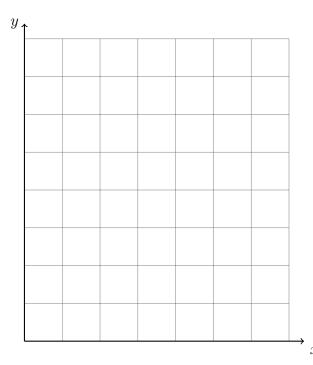
4. Find the image of P(3,-5) after the translation  $(x,y) \to (x-5,y+8)$ .

5. (a) Graph and label  $\triangle ABC$  with A(0,0), B(5,6), and C(5,0). Calculate each length:

i. 
$$AC =$$



iii. 
$$AB =$$

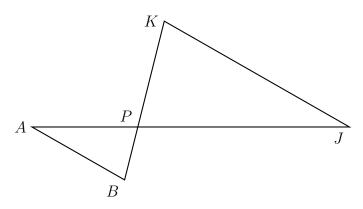


- (b) Write down the equation of the line  $\overrightarrow{BC}$ .
- (c) Write down the equation of the line  $\overrightarrow{AB}$ .
- (d) The tangent of an angle is the ratio of the side lengths *opposite* over *adjacent* to the angle. Write down the value as a fraction.

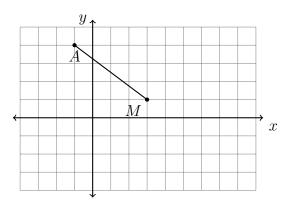
$$\tan \angle BAC =$$

(e) Find  $m \angle A$  with a calculator's inverse tangent function,  $m \angle BAC = \tan^{-1}(\frac{opp}{adj})$ 

6. Given  $\triangle ABP \sim \triangle JKP$  as shown below.  $AB=13.5,\ AP=10.0,\ BP=9,$  and JP=27.0. Find JK.

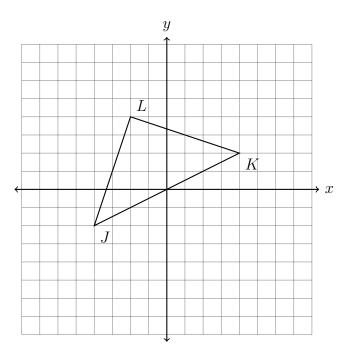


- 7. The line l has the equation  $y = \frac{3}{2}x + 5$ . To each line below, circle whether l is parallel, perpendicular, or neither.
  - (a) parallel perpendicular neither  $y = \frac{3}{2}x 2$
  - (b) parallel perpendicular neither  $y = \frac{2}{3}x + 7$
  - (c) parallel perpendicular neither 3x 2y = -6
  - (d) parallel perpendicular neither 2x + 3y = 9
- 8. A(-1,4) is one endpoint of  $\overline{AB}$ . The segment's midpoint is M(3,1), as shown below. Find the other endpoint, B.

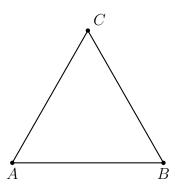


9. The vertices of  $\triangle JKL$  have the coordinates J(-4,-2), K(4,2), and L(-2,4), as shown.

Apply a dilation to  $\triangle JKL \to \triangle J'K'L'$ , centered on the origin and with a scale factor k=1.5. Draw the image  $\triangle J'K'L'$  on the set of axes below, labeling the vertices, and make a table showing the correspondence of both triangles' coordinate pairs.



10. Given isosceles  $\triangle ABC$  with  $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{BC}$ ,  $m \angle A = 53$ . Mark and label the diagram, and then find  $m \angle B$ . (the diagram is not to scale)



11. A translation maps  $N(-3,7) \to N'(-4,1)$ . What is the image of M(0,-5) under the same translation?

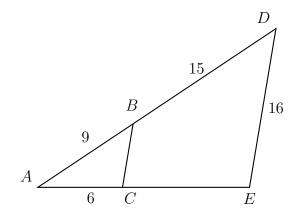
12. A dilation centered at A maps  $\triangle ABC \rightarrow \triangle ADE$ . Given AB = 9, AC = 6, BD = 15, and DE = 16. Find AD and the scale factor k. Then find AE and BC.



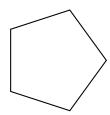


(c) 
$$AE =$$

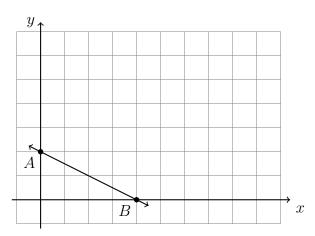
(d) 
$$BC =$$



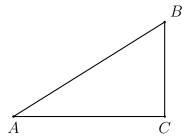
13. What is the smallest non-zero angle of rotation about its center that would map the pentagon onto itself?



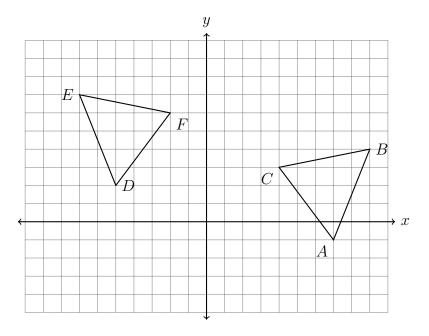
14. The line  $\overrightarrow{AB}$  has the equation  $y = -\frac{1}{2}x + 2$ . Apply a dilation mapping  $\overrightarrow{AB} \to \overrightarrow{A'B'}$  with a factor of k = 2 centered at the origin. Draw and label the image on the grid. Write the equation of the line  $\overrightarrow{A'B'}$ .



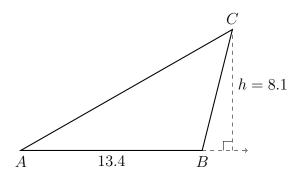
15. Given right  $\triangle ABC$  with  $m\angle C=90^\circ$ , AC=13,  $m\angle A=35^\circ$ . Find BC, rounded to the nearest tenth.



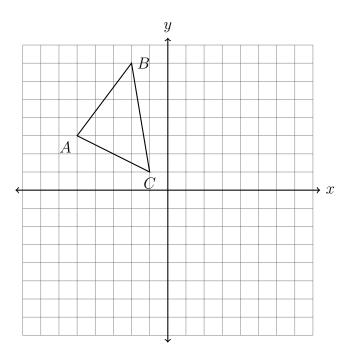
16. What transformation or series of transformations map  $\triangle ABC$  onto  $\triangle DEF$ , shown below? Fully specify the transformation(s).



17. The side  $\overline{AB}$  of triangle ABC is extended and an altitude to the vertex C is drawn, as shown below. The triangle's height is h=11.0 and its base measures AB=19.1. Find the area of the triangle.



18. Reflect  $\triangle ABC$  over the y-axis. Make a table of the coordinates and plot and label the image on the axes.

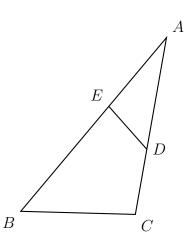


19. The diagram below shows  $\triangle ABC$ , with  $\overline{AEB}$ ,  $\overline{ADC}$ , and  $\angle ACB \cong \angle AED$ . AB = 18, AD = 12, AE = 9, and DE = 7. Find the scale factor k, AC, and BC.

(a) 
$$k =$$

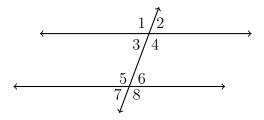
(b) 
$$AC =$$

(c) 
$$BC =$$



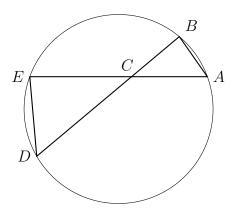
20. Find the midpoint M of  $\overline{AB}$  with coordinates A(-3,1) and B(7,4).

21. Given two parallel lines and a transversal, as shown below. Given  $m\angle 1 = 108$ .

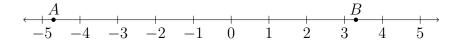


- (a) Find the measure  $m \angle 2$ .
- (b) Find the measure  $m \angle 8$ .
- (c) Given  $m \angle 5 = (6x 12)^{\circ}$ . Find x.

22. In the diagram below, the chords  $\overline{AE}$  and  $\overline{BD}$  intersect at C. Given  $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle DEC$ , BC = 6, CD = 10, and CE = 8. Determine the length of  $\overline{CD}$ .

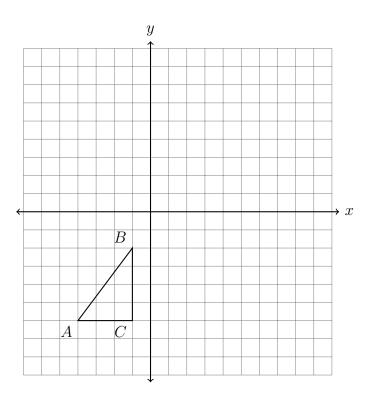


23. Given two points A = -4.7 and B = 3.3. Find the value of the midpoint M between A and B, and mark and label it on the numberline below.

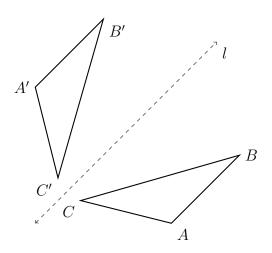


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24. Rotate  $\triangle ABC$  90° counterclockwise around the origin, yielding  $\triangle A'B'C'$ . Then translate it by  $(x,y) \rightarrow (x+2,y+7)$ . Make a table of the coordinates showing  $\triangle ABC \rightarrow \triangle A'B'C' \rightarrow \triangle A''B''C''$  and plot and label the images on the axes.



25. The  $\triangle ABC$  is reflected across l to yield  $\triangle A'B'C'$ . AB = 4x + 4, A'B' = 7x - 8, and BC = 5x + 10. Find the length B'C'.



## Using the distance formula to prove an isosceles triangle

26. In this problem use the following theorem (copy it at the bottom of the page after your calculations):

A triangle is isosceles if and only two of its sides are congruent.

Shown below is triangle ABC, A(-2,2), B(4,5), and C(-1,1).

Prove it is an isosceles triangle by

- (a) finding the length of each of the three sides,
- (b) stating which sides are congruent,
- (c) copying the theorem as your conclusion, adding therefore  $\triangle ABC$  is isosceles.

