

Similar Triangle Review

Name: Key

When two figures are similar, what has to be true?

1. $\angle^s =$ _____

2. Sides proportional

3. Solve each proportion: * Prove by AA, SAS, **SSS** $x + 3 = 10.5$

a. $\frac{5}{x} = \frac{8}{11}$
 $\frac{55}{8} = \frac{8x}{8}$
 $x = 6.8$

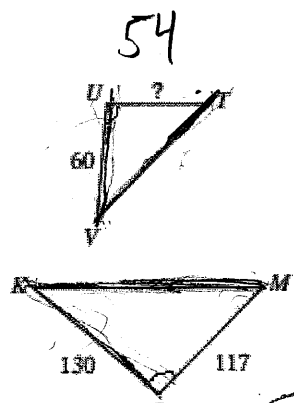
b. $\frac{3}{5} = \frac{6}{x+3}$
 $3(x+3) = 30$
 $3x + 9 = 30$
 $-9 \quad -9$
 $3x = 21$
 $\frac{3x}{3} = \frac{21}{3}$
 $x = 7$

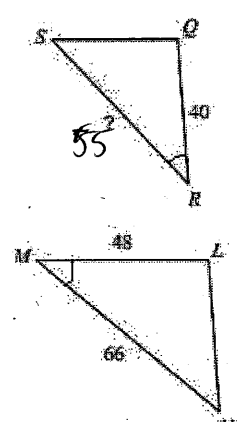
c. $\frac{x+3}{3} = \frac{10+4}{4}$
 $4(x+3) = 3(14)$
 $4x + 12 = 42$
 $-12 \quad -12$
 $4x = 30$
 $\frac{4x}{4} = \frac{30}{4}$
 $x = 7.5$

4. Complete each statement if Polygon LIFE ~ Polygon BOAT

a. $\angle F = \angle \underline{A}$ b. $\angle E = \angle \underline{I}$ c. $\frac{IF}{OA} = \frac{\underline{FE}}{\underline{AT}}$ d. $\frac{\underline{LE}}{BT} = \frac{\underline{LI}}{BO}$

5. The following shapes are similar. Complete the similarity statement and find the missing side.

a. 
 $\frac{60}{130} = \frac{117}{x}$
 $7020 = 130x$
 $\frac{7020}{130} = \frac{130x}{130}$
 $x = 54$

b. 
 $\frac{40}{55} = \frac{48}{x}$
 $2640 = 48x$
 $\frac{2640}{48} = \frac{48x}{48}$
 $x = 55$

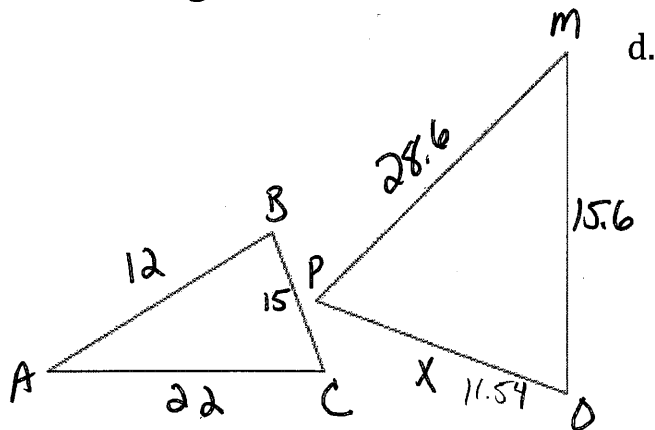
$x = \underline{54}$ $\triangle TVU \sim \triangle \underline{MKL}$

$x = \underline{55}$ $\triangle LNM \sim \triangle \underline{QSR}$

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$$\frac{BC}{AC} = \frac{OM}{PM} \Rightarrow \frac{15}{22} = \frac{15.6}{x}$$

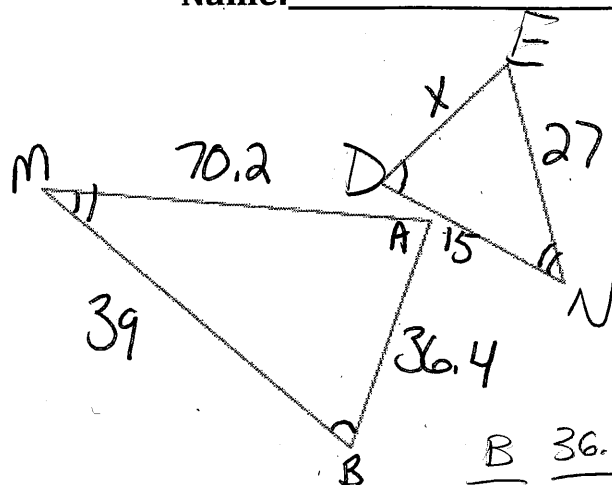
$$330 = 28.6x$$

$$\frac{330}{28.6} = \frac{28.6x}{28.6}$$

$$x = 11.54$$

$x = 11.54$ $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle POM$

d.



$$\frac{BA}{AM} = \frac{DE}{EN} \Rightarrow \frac{39}{70.2} = \frac{x}{27}$$

$$546 = 39x$$

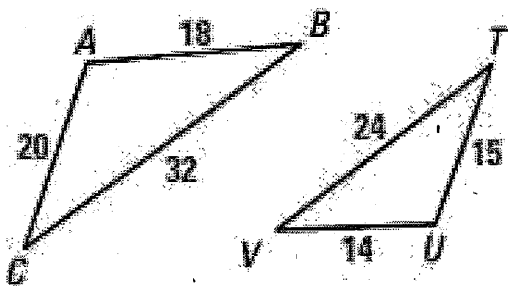
$$\frac{546}{39} = \frac{39x}{39}$$

$$x = 14$$

$x = 14$ $\triangle BAM \sim \triangle DEN$ $x = 14$

6. If possible, prove that the two triangles are similar by using a FLOWCHART. In the final Circle I should see a similarity statement like the ones above and an Abbreviation on what you used to come to that statement. If they are not similar just write NOT SIMILAR.

a.



$$\frac{32}{24} = 1.\bar{3}$$

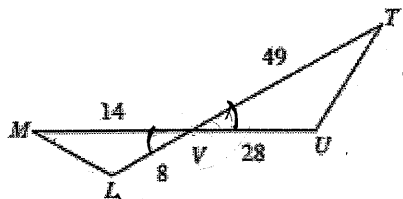
$$\frac{20}{15} = 1.\bar{3}$$

$$\frac{18}{14} = 1.28$$

Not Similar

$\triangle ABC \sim \triangle$ _____

b.



$\triangle VUT \sim$ _____

$$\frac{49}{14} = 3.5$$

$$\frac{28}{8} = 3.5$$

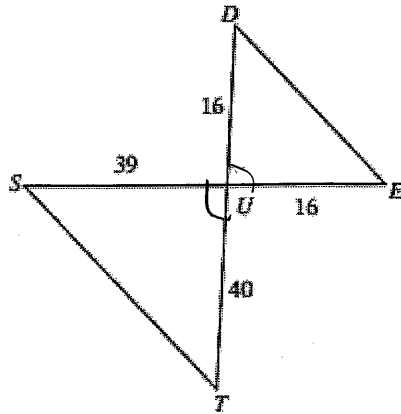
$$\angle TVU = \angle MVL$$

$\triangle VUT \sim \triangle LVM$ SAS

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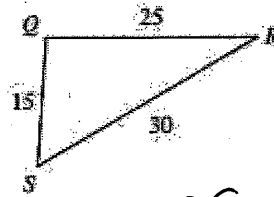
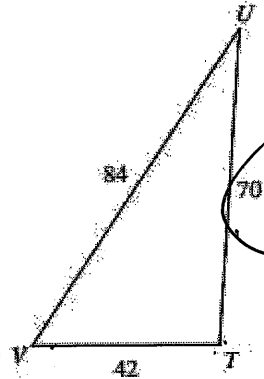


$\triangle SUT \sim$ _____

$$\frac{B}{S} \quad \frac{39}{16} \quad \frac{40}{16}$$

Not Similar

d.



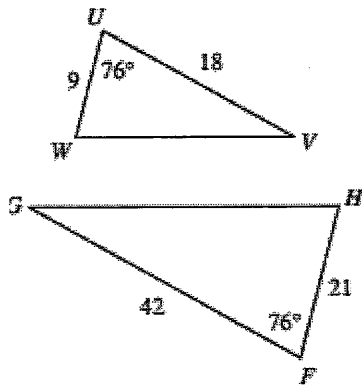
$\triangle UVW \sim$ QRS

$$\frac{84}{30} = 2.8 \quad \frac{70}{25} = 2.8 \quad \frac{42}{15} = 2.8$$

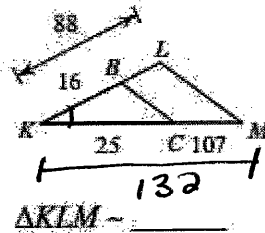
$\triangle UVW \sim \triangle QRS$

SSS

e.



f.



$$\frac{25}{16} = 1.5625 \quad \frac{107}{88} = 1.5$$

Not Similar

$$\frac{B}{S}$$

$$\frac{42}{18} = 2.3 \quad \angle U = \angle F \quad \frac{21}{9} = 2.3$$

$\triangle GFH \sim \triangle UVW$

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