

## Chapter 7 Notetaking Guide

### Notes 1: Ratios, Proportions, Similar Triangles

**Ratios:** Comparing numbers with division

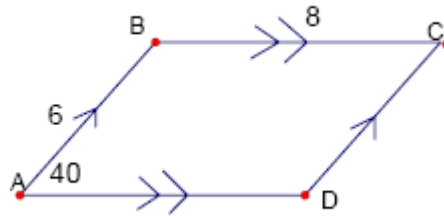
- Ratios are like \_\_\_\_\_.
- The ratio 1:4 means \_\_\_ part to \_\_\_\_\_ and is equivalent to the fraction \_\_\_\_\_ (because there are \_\_\_ parts altogether)

1.) Find each ratio. Express as ratio (a : b) and as a fraction in lowest terms.

a) AD : DC

b)  $m\angle A$  :  $m\angle D$

c) AD : Perimeter of ABCD



2.) If  $x = 5$ ,  $y = 10$ , and  $z = 3$ , find each ratio:

a) x to y

b)  $(x + z)$  to y

c)  $\frac{x+y}{7z}$

### **Ratio Word Problems:**

- attach an x to each part of the ratio
- write and solve an equation using the expression

3. The ratio of two complementary angles is 1 : 2. Find each angle.

4. The ratio of two supplementary angles is 4:1. Find each angle.

5. The ratio of the angles of a triangle is 2 : 3 : 7. Find each angle.

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### A. Solving Proportions

- Cross-multiply and set the products equal to each other
- Be sure to use FOIL when you are multiplying binomials together
- Solve for the variable

Solve for  $x$ :

1.)  $\frac{2}{x} = \frac{3}{12}$

2.)  $\frac{x}{3} = \frac{7}{5}$

3.)  $\frac{x+3}{2} = \frac{4}{3}$

4.)  $\frac{x+1}{2x-3} = \frac{x+5}{2x}$

### B. Properties of Proportions

Complete:

5.) If  $\frac{x}{2} = \frac{3}{7}$ , then  $7x =$  \_\_\_\_\_

6.) If  $\frac{5}{x} = \frac{3}{2}$ , then  $3x =$  \_\_\_\_\_

7.) If  $a:2 = 5:3$ , then  $3a =$  \_\_\_\_\_

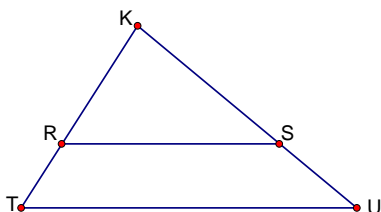
8.) If  $\frac{x}{y} = \frac{2}{9}$ , then  $\frac{y}{x} =$  \_\_\_\_\_

9.) If  $\frac{x}{5} = \frac{y}{2}$ , then  $\frac{x}{y} =$  \_\_\_\_\_

10.) If  $\frac{x}{3} = \frac{y}{4}$ , then  $\frac{x+3}{3} =$  \_\_\_\_\_

11.) For the given figure, it is given that:  $\frac{KR}{RT} = \frac{KS}{SU}$ . Solve for the missing lengths.

$KR = 6, KT = 10, KS = 8$



$RT = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

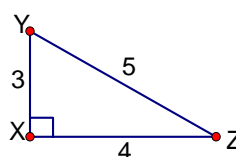
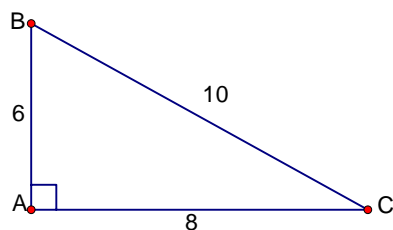
$SU = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

$KU = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

### C. Similar Polygons

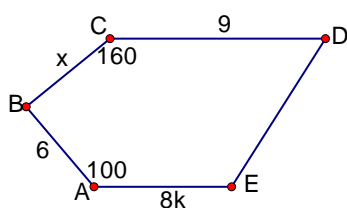
Similar polygons have the same \_\_\_\_\_ but not necessarily the same \_\_\_\_\_.

Example of similar triangles:



- Their corresponding angles are \_\_\_\_\_
- Their corresponding sides are in a \_\_\_\_\_
- This ratio is called a \_\_\_\_\_ and in this case is \_\_\_\_\_
- We show that they are similar with this statement: \_\_\_\_\_

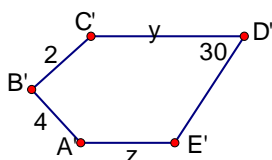
12.)  $ABCDE \sim A'B'C'D'E'$



a) scale factor = \_\_\_\_\_

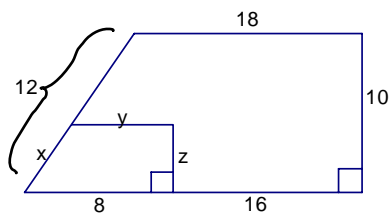
b)  $m\angle A' = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ ,  $m\angle D = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$   
 $m\angle C' = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

c)  $x = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ ,  $y = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ ,  $z = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

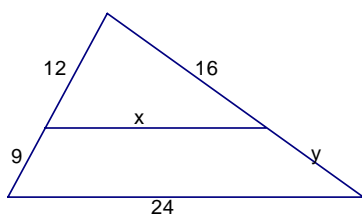


The figures are similar. Solve for the variables. (Hint: redraw the diagram as two figures)

13.)



14.)



**D. Algebra Practice: Reducing Irrational Numbers (radicals)**

15.)  $\sqrt{16}$

16.)  $\sqrt{50}$

17.)  $2\sqrt{48}$

18.)  $5\sqrt{200}$

19.)  $-6\sqrt{32}$

20.)  $8\sqrt{120}$

Solve for  $x$ , where  $x$  is positive:

21.)  $x^2 = 54$

22.)  $x^2 + 9 = 25$

23.)  $(2x)^2 + 8 = 120$

**Notes #2: Similar Triangles (Sections 7.4 and 7.5)**

Similar triangles have:

- \_\_\_\_\_ corresponding angles
- sides that are in \_\_\_\_\_

**You can conclude that two triangles are similar if:**

\_\_\_\_\_ : two pairs of corresponding angles are congruent

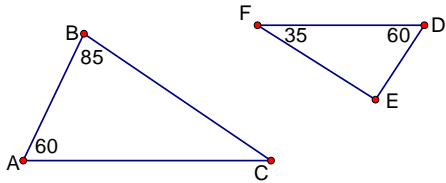
\_\_\_\_\_ : all three pairs of sides are in the same proportion

\_\_\_\_\_ : two pairs of sides are the same proportion and their *included* angles are congruent

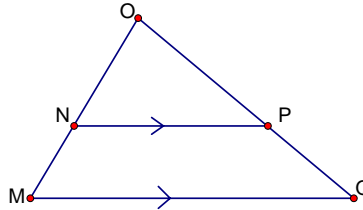
Are the triangles similar? If so, state the similarity and the postulate you used.

- Re-draw the triangles in matching positions
- Mark congruent angles
- Test sides for a constant proportion:  $\frac{small}{small} = \frac{medium}{medium} = \frac{large}{large}$
- Look for these patterns: AA~, SSS~, SAS~

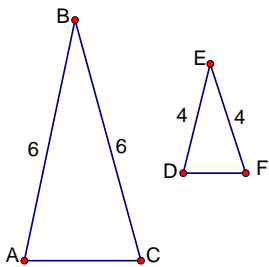
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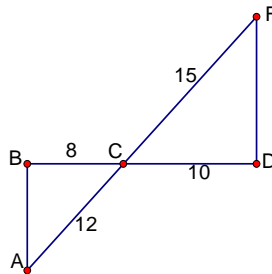
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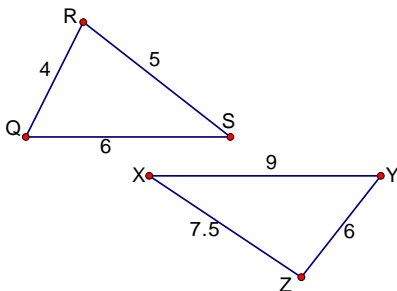
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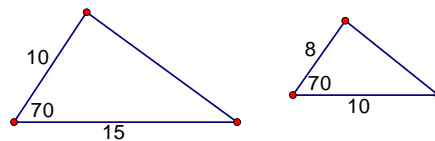
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State whether the figures are *always*, *sometimes*, or *never* similar:

- do they *always*, *sometimes*, or *never* have the exact same shape?

7.) two squares

8.) two congruent triangles

9.) two rectangles

10.) two rhombuses

11.) two pentagons

12.) two regular octagons

**Algebra Practice: Multiplying and Dividing Irrational Numbers**

13.)  $(2\sqrt{3})(3\sqrt{6})$

14.)  $(4\sqrt{2})(-5\sqrt{10})$

15.)  $(-2\sqrt{12})(-3\sqrt{6})$

16.)  $(3\sqrt{8})^2$

17.)  $(-2\sqrt{5})^2$

18.)  $\frac{4\sqrt{6}}{2\sqrt{3}}$

19.)  $\frac{12\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{3}}$

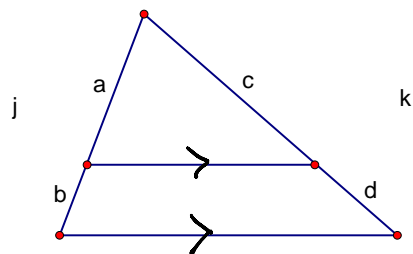
20.)  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}$

21.)  $\frac{2\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{2}}$

### Notes #3: Proportional Lengths (Section 7.5)

#### A. Triangle Proportionality

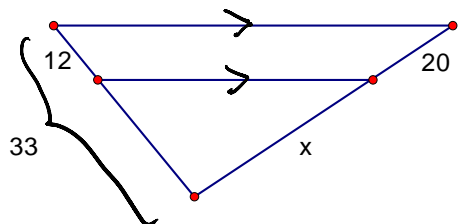
- A parallel slice cuts a triangle's sides proportionally



$$\frac{a}{b} = \frac{c}{d}, \quad \frac{a}{c} = \frac{b}{d}$$

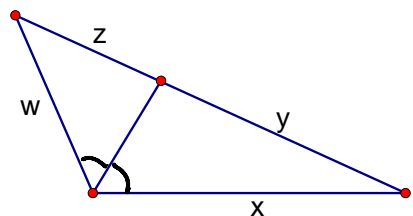
$$\frac{a}{c} = \frac{a}{j}, \quad \frac{b}{d} = \frac{b}{k}$$

Example: Solve for x



#### B. Angle Bisector Proportionality

- An angle bisector proportionally divides the opposite side

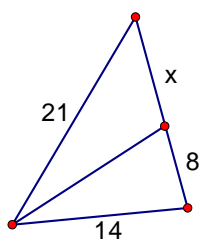


$$\frac{z}{y} = \frac{w}{x}$$

$$\frac{w}{z} = \frac{x}{y}$$

$$\frac{x}{w} = \frac{y}{z}$$

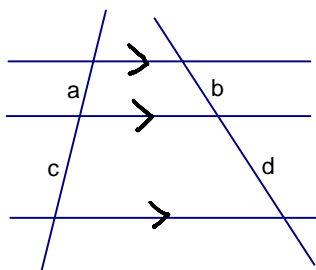
Example: Solve for x:





### C. Parallel Line Proportionality

- Parallel lines proportionally divide their transversals

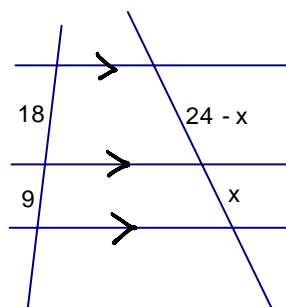


$$\frac{a}{b} = \frac{\quad}{\quad}$$

$$\frac{a}{c} = \frac{\quad}{\quad}$$

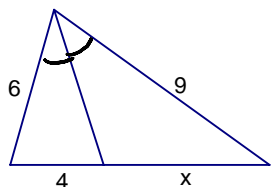
$$\frac{d}{c} = \frac{\quad}{\quad}$$

Example: Solve for x:

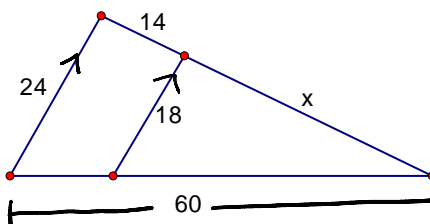


Solve for the variables:

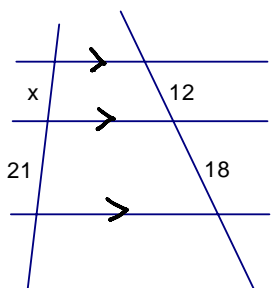
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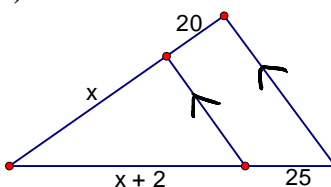
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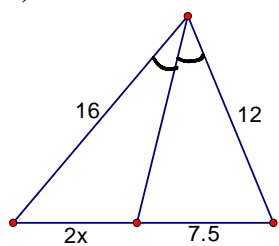
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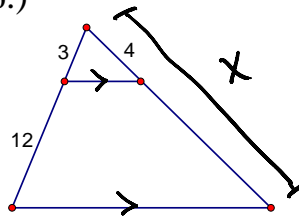
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5.)



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**Algebra Practice: Adding and Subtracting Irrational Numbers**

- Reduce all radicals
- Add like terms only

7.)  $2\sqrt{5} + 8\sqrt{5}$

8.)  $-6\sqrt{8} + \sqrt{8}$

9.)  $-2\sqrt{12} + 5\sqrt{3}$

10.)  $7\sqrt{18} - 9\sqrt{2}$

11.)  $4\sqrt{2} - 6\sqrt{5} + 9\sqrt{8} + 7\sqrt{45}$

12.)  $-7\sqrt{12} + 3\sqrt{32} - \sqrt{8} + 2\sqrt{300}$

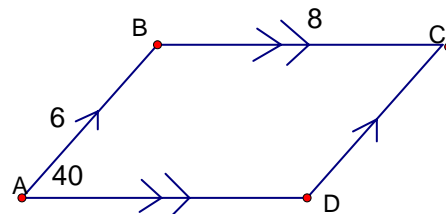
13.)  $-\sqrt{48} - 8\sqrt{12} + 5\sqrt{24} - 2\sqrt{54}$

### Classwork #4: Chapter 7 Review

Simplify each ratio:

1.) a)  $BC:CD$                       b)  $m\angle B:m\angle C$

c)  $CD$ : Perimeter of ABCD



2.) If  $x = 4$ ,  $y = 6$ ,  $z = 2$  find each ratio:

a)  $x$  to  $y$

b)  $(x + z)$  to  $y$

c)  $\frac{x+y}{7z}$

3.)  $\frac{6a^2b^5}{12ab^7}$

4.)  $\frac{2x+y}{z-x}$  for  $x = -3$ ,  $y = 2$ ,  $z = -1$

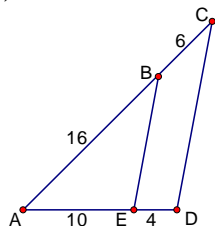
Write an equation and solve:

4.) The ratio of the angles of a triangle is 1:3:5. Find the angles.

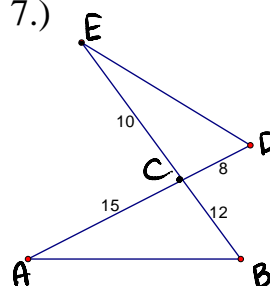
5.) The ratio of the angles of a pentagon is 6: 8: 9: 11: 11. Find the angles.

Are the triangles similar? If so, write a similarity statement and the postulate you used:

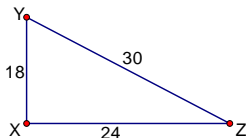
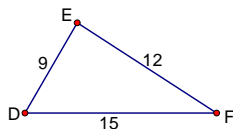
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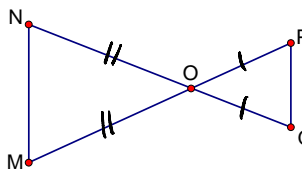
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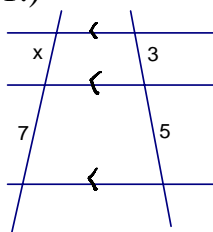
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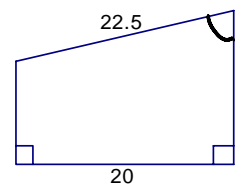
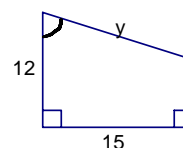
Solve for the variables:

10.)  $\frac{x+1}{x+3} = \frac{x+4}{x+8}$

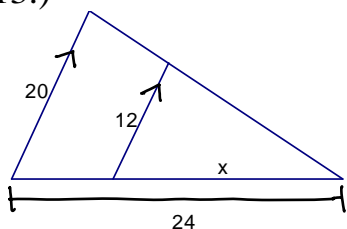
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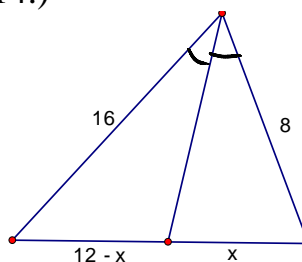
12.)



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Simplify:

15.) a)  $(-3\sqrt{6})(5\sqrt{12})$

16.) a)  $8\sqrt{7} - 5\sqrt{2} - 5\sqrt{7} - 3\sqrt{2}$

b)  $\frac{6}{5\sqrt{2}}$

b)  $3\sqrt{2} + 8\sqrt{3} - 5\sqrt{8} - 3\sqrt{12}$

Are the figures sometimes, always, or never similar?

17.) two rectangles

18.) two equilateral triangles

19.) two hexagons