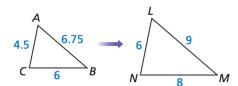
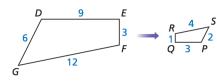
## 8.1 Similar Polygons

Find the scale factor. Then list all pairs of congruent angles and write the ratios of the corresponding side lengths in a statement of proportionality.

 $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle LMN$ 1.

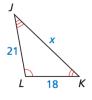


2.  $DEFG \sim PQRS$ 



The polygons are similar. Find the value of x.

3.

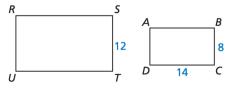


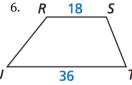


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 $RSTU \sim ABCD$ . Find the ratio of their perimeters.

5.





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Two polygons are similar. The perimeter of one polygon and the ratio of the corresponding side lengths are given. Find the perimeter of the other polygon.

- 7. perimeter of smaller polygon: 48 cm; ratio:  $\frac{2}{3}$
- 8. perimeter of smaller polygon: 66 ft; ratio:  $\frac{3}{4}$
- 9. perimeter of larger polygon: 120 yd; ratio:  $\frac{1}{6}$

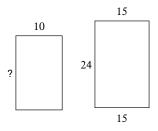
10. perimeter of larger polygon: 85 m; ratio:  $\frac{2}{5}$ 

11. Your family has decided to put a rectangular patio in your backyard, similar to the shape of your backyard. Your backyard has a length of 45 feet and a width of 20 feet. The length of your new patio is 18 feet. Find the perimeters of your backyard and of the patio.

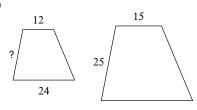
## Using Similar Polygons

The polygons in each pair are similar. Find the missing side length.

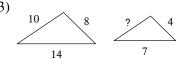
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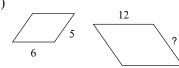
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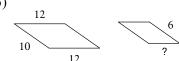
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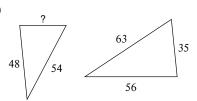
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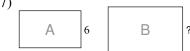
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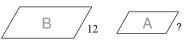
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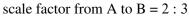
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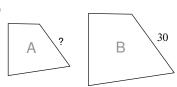
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scale factor from A to B = 2:7



9)



10)



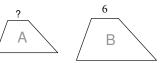
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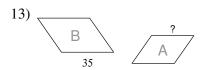
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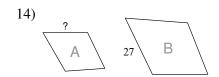


scale factor from A to B = 2:3

scale factor from A to B = 1:2

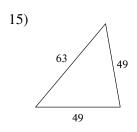


scale factor from A to B = 6:7

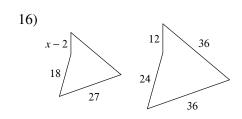


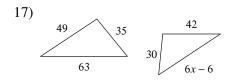
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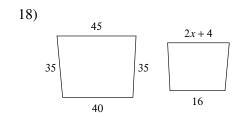
## Solve for x. The polygons in each pair are similar.

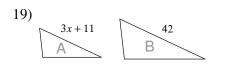


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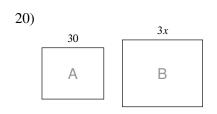




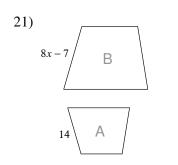




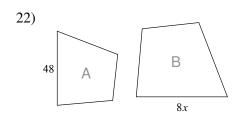
scale factor from A to B = 5:6



scale factor from A to B = 5:6



scale factor from A to B = 2:7



scale factor from A to B = 6:7