Similar Figures

For polygons to be similar, three things must be true. Look at the figures below to determine the first one.





1) They are not similar because they are

_____.

Use the shapes below to figure out the next one. They have the same general shape, but what is different about them? Remember, you don't know side lengths, so don't focus on that.





2) They are not similar because the corresponding _____ are not _____.

Now, if we knew side lengths, how could you prove these are not similar mathematically.





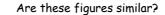
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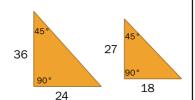
3) Corresponding side lengths are not

In order for two shapes to be considered similar, the following must be true...

- 1. They have the same _____.
- 2. Corresponding _____ are ____
- 3. Corresponding side lengths are

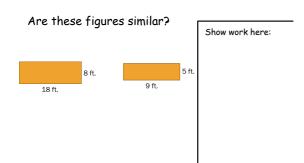
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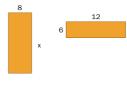


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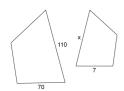


If we know the two figures are similar, how can we find x?



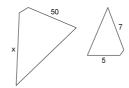
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