

Q3 9-Weeks Review: Chapter 7

SPORTS Thirty girls tried out for 15 spots on the basketball team. What is the ratio of open spots to the number of girls competing?

1.  $15:30 = 1:2$

The ratio of the measures of three sides of a triangle is 2:5:4, and its perimeter is 165 units. Find the measure of each side of the triangle.

2.  $2x + 5x + 4x = 165$   
 $11x = 165$   
 $x = 15$   
 30, 60, 75

Solve each proportion.

3.  $\frac{x}{5} = \frac{28}{100}$   
 $100x = 140$   
 $x = 1.4$

4.  $\frac{x-3}{3} = \frac{5}{8}$   
 $8(x-3) = 15$   
 $8x - 24 = 15$   
 $8x = 39$   
 $x = 4.875$

Each pair of polygons is similar. Find the value of x.

5.  $\frac{2}{x+3} = \frac{3}{2x+2}$   
 $2(2x+2) = 3(x+3)$   
 $4x+4 = 3x+9$   
 $x = 5$

6.  $\frac{4}{5} = \frac{x+5}{15}$   
 $60 = 5(x+5)$   
 $60 = 5x + 25$   
 $35 = 5x$   
 $x = 7$

Find each measure.

7. WR and RT  
 $\frac{x+6}{8} = \frac{10}{2x+6}$   
 $10(x+6) = 8(2x+6)$   
 $10x + 60 = 16x + 48$   
 $12 = 6x$   
 $x = 2$

8.  $\frac{4}{6} = \frac{x}{12}$   
 $x = 8$

WZ, UZ

9.  $\triangle WUZ \sim \triangle YUW$   
 Use Pythagorean Theorem to find missing side  
 $32^2 + y^2 = 40^2$   
 $y = 24$   
 $\frac{3x-6}{40} = \frac{x+6}{24}$   
 $24(3x-6) = 40(x+6)$   
 $72x - 144 = 40x + 240$   
 $32x = 384$   
 $x = 12$

STATUES Mei is standing next to a statue in the park. If Mei is 5 feet tall, her shadow is 3 feet long, and the statue's shadow is  $10\frac{1}{2}$  feet long, how tall is the statue?

10.  $\frac{5}{3} = \frac{x}{10.5}$   
 $52.5 = 3x$   
 $x = 17.5$

Are the two triangles similar? If so, state the theorem or postulate (AA, SAS, SSS) and write a similarity statement.

