

**SIMILAR SHAPES (LENGTH)**

Pearson Edexcel - Tuesday 21 May 2019 - Paper 1 (Non-Calculator) Foundation Tier

1.

28 Here are two rectangles.



$$QR = 10 \text{ cm}$$

$$BC = PQ$$

The perimeter of  $ABCD$  is 26 cm

The area of  $PQRS$  is  $45 \text{ cm}^2$

Find the length of  $AB$ .

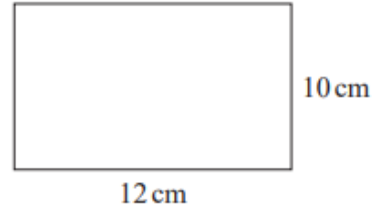
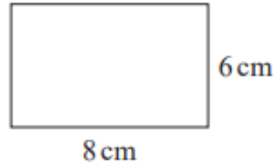
..... cm

**(Total for Question 28 is 4 marks)**

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2.

16 Here are two rectangles.



Jim says,

“The two rectangles are similar because  $8 + 4 = 12$  and  $6 + 4 = 10$ ”

Is Jim correct?

Explain your answer.

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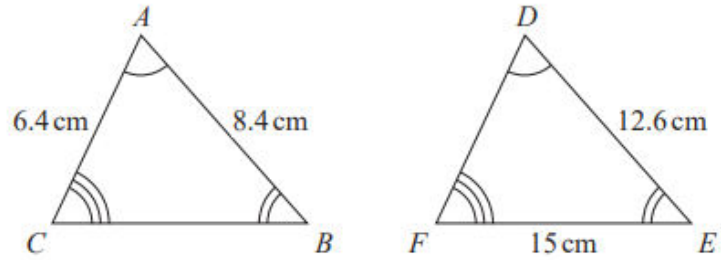
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3.

27 Triangle  $ABC$  and triangle  $DEF$  are similar.



(a) Work out the length of  $DF$ .

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(2)

(b) Work out the length of  $CB$ .

..... cm  
(2)

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(Total for Question 27 is 4 marks)

4.

- 9 The smallest angle of a triangle is  $25^\circ$   
The triangle is enlarged by scale factor 3

Ben says,

“The smallest angle of the enlarged triangle is  $75^\circ$  because  $25 \times 3 = 75$ ”

Is Ben right?

Explain your answer.

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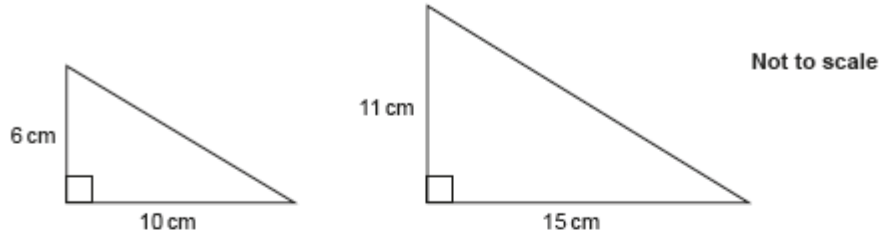
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5.

- 25 Are these two triangles mathematically similar?  
Show how you decide.



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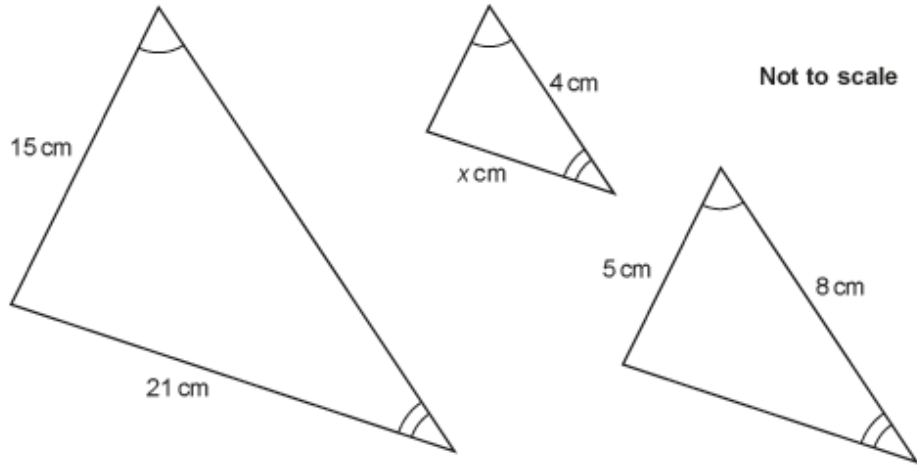
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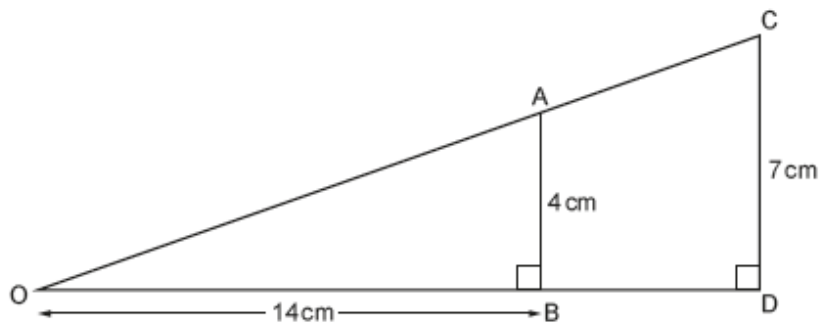
20 (a) Here are three similar triangles.



Work out the value of  $x$ .

(a)  $x = \dots\dots\dots$  [3]

(b) The diagram shows two right-angled triangles, OAB and OCD.



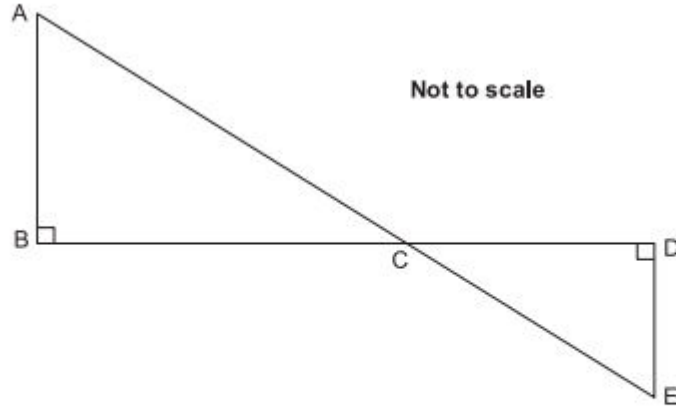
Work out the length of BD.

(b)  $\dots\dots\dots$  cm [3]

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7.

15 In the diagram below, AE and BD are straight lines.



(a) Show that triangles ABC and EDC are similar.

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(b) The length DE is 3.5 m.  
The ratio  $BC : CD = 3 : 1$ .

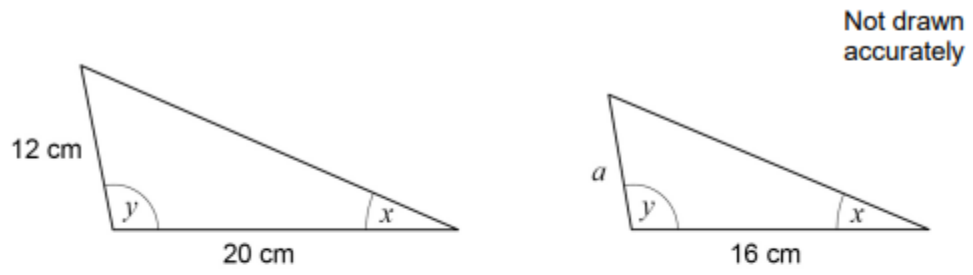
Find the length AB.

(b) ..... m [2]

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8.

26 These two triangles are similar.



Work out the value of  $a$ .

[2 marks]

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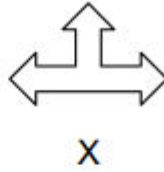
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Answer \_\_\_\_\_ cm



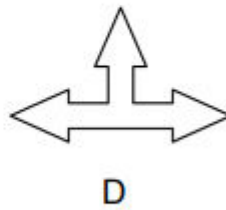
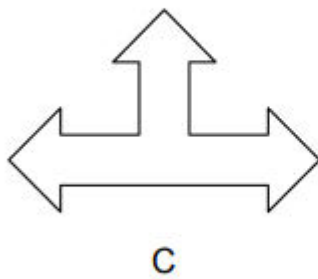
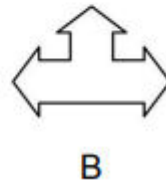
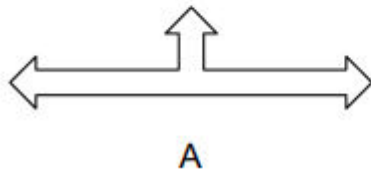
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4 Which shape is **similar** to shape X?



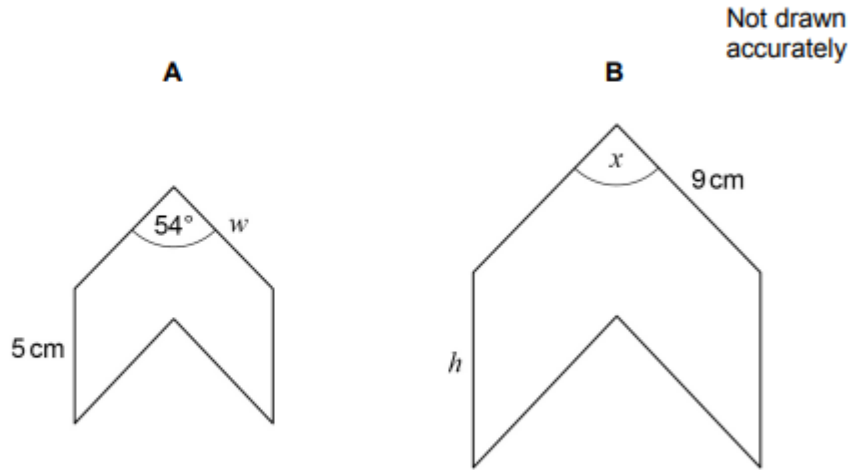
Circle the correct letter.

[1 mark]



10.

- 25 A and B are similar shapes.  
B is an enlargement of A with scale factor 1.5



Work out the values of  $x$ ,  $h$  and  $w$ .

**[3 marks]**

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$x =$  \_\_\_\_\_ degrees

$h =$  \_\_\_\_\_ cm

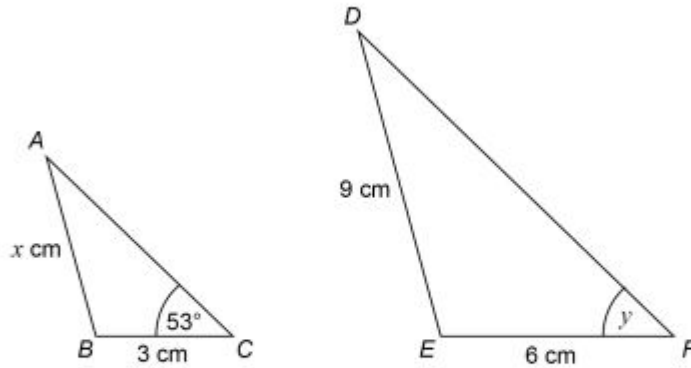
$w =$  \_\_\_\_\_ cm

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11.

16 Triangles  $ABC$  and  $DEF$  are similar.

Not drawn accurately



16 (a) Work out the value of  $x$ .

[2 marks]

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Answer \_\_\_\_\_

16 (b) Write down the size of angle  $y$ .

[1 mark]

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ degrees