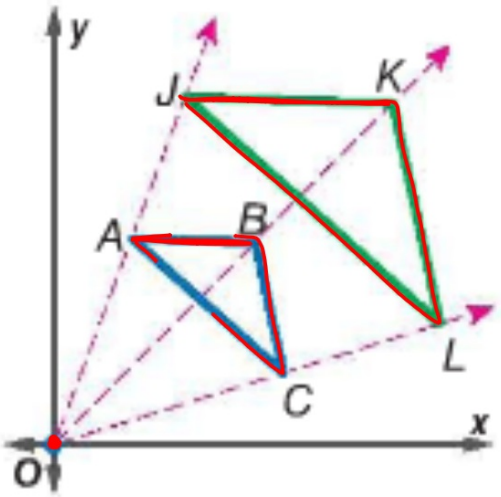
Geometry 7.6
Identify similarity transformations
Verify similarity after a transformation

SAS –
SSS –
preimage – before
image – after
dilation – change in size
similarity transformation
* center of dilation
SF scale factor
enlargement new – big Sf > 1
reduction new – small Sf < 1

Quiz 7.3-7.4



$\frac{JK}{AB}$

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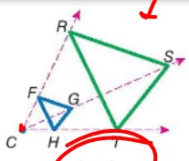
$\triangle JKL$ is a dilation of $\triangle ABC$.
Center of dilation: (0, 0)
Scale factor: $\frac{JK}{AB}$

ConceptSummary Types of Dilations

A dilation with a scale factor greater than 1 produces an **enlargement**, or an image that is larger than the original figure.

Symbols If $k > 1$, the dilation is an enlargement.

Example $\triangle FGH$ is dilated by a scale factor of 3 to produce $\triangle RST$. Since $3 > 1$, $\triangle RST$ is an enlargement of $\triangle FGH$.



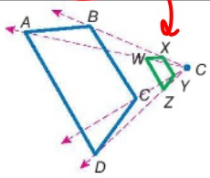
$k > 1$

$k < 1$

A dilation with a scale factor between 0 and 1 produces a **reduction**, an image that is smaller than the original figure.

Symbols If $0 < k < 1$, the dilation is a reduction.

Example $ABCD$ is dilated by a scale factor of $\frac{1}{4}$ to produce $WXYZ$. Since $0 < \frac{1}{4} < 1$,



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What if k = 1?

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Example 1 Identify a Dilation and Find Its Scale Factor

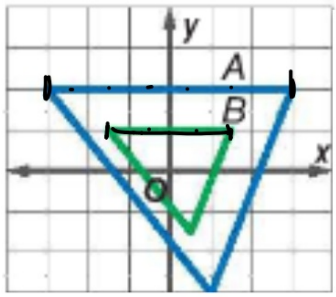
Determine whether the dilation from A to B is an *enlargement* or a *reduction*. Then find the scale factor of the dilation.

From A
to B
E or R?
SF=?

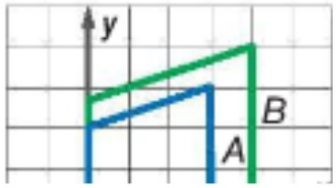
$\frac{6}{3} \div \frac{2}{1}$

$\frac{3}{6} = \frac{1}{2}$

a.



b.



From A → B

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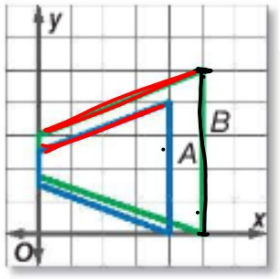
1A.

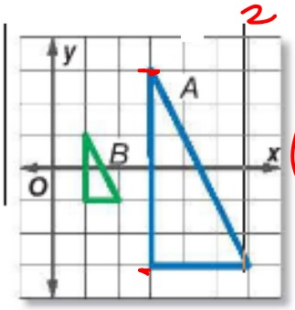


only.

$\frac{5}{4}$ $\frac{4}{5}$

1B.

red. $\frac{6}{2}$ $\frac{3}{1}$



$\frac{1}{3}$ $\frac{1}{3}$

Real-World Example 2 Find and Use a Scale Factor

COLLECTING Refer to the beginning of the lesson. By what percent should Adriana enlarge the ticket stub so that the dimensions of its image are 3 times that of her original? What will be the dimensions of the enlarged image?

(preimage)(SF)=image

$\frac{5}{6.4} = \frac{\quad}{\quad}$

$5 \cdot 3 = 15$

$6.4 \cdot 3 = 19.2$

15×19.2

2. If the resulting ticket stub image was 1.5 centimeters wide by about 1.9 centimeters long instead, what percent did Adriana mistakenly use to dilate the original image? Explain your reasoning.

Example 3 Verify Similarity after a Dilation

Graph the original figure and its dilated image. Then verify that the dilation is a similarity transformation.

a. original: $A(-6, -3)$, $B(3, 3)$, $C(3, -3)$; image: $X(-4, -2)$, $Y(2, 2)$, $Z(2, -2)$

Informally: Does it look like the same shape?
Formally: Are all corresponding sides proportional?

pie rel

$\frac{4}{6}$ $\frac{6}{9}$

SSS

XSAS

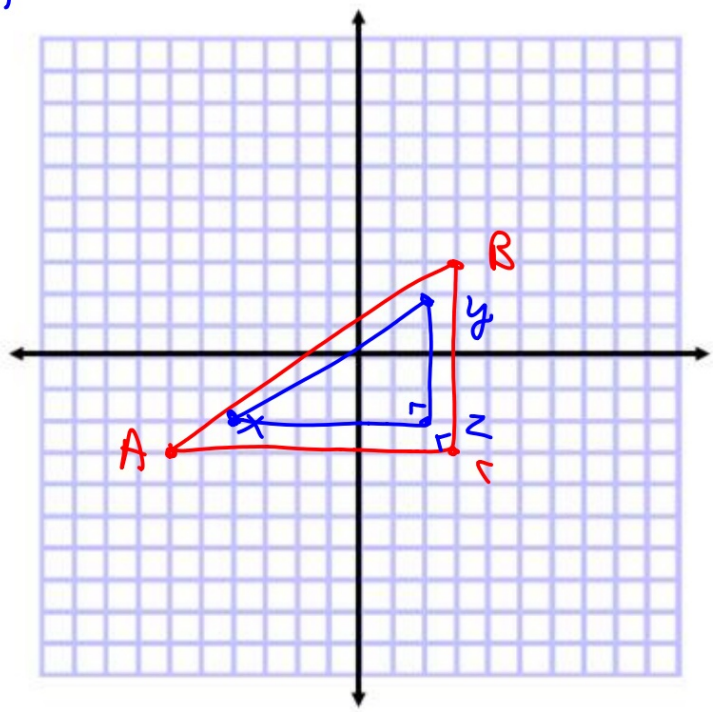
$\frac{2}{3}$ $\frac{2}{3}$

Same

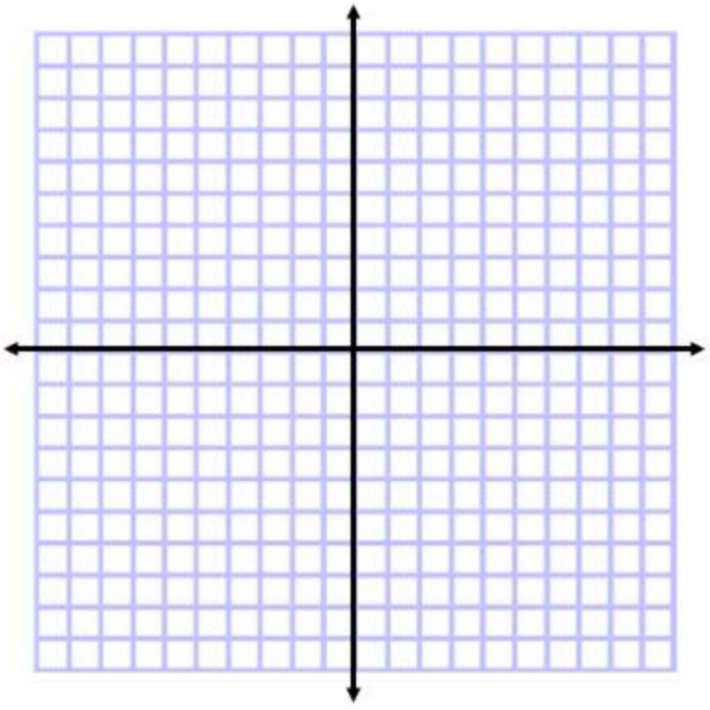
StudyTip

Center of Dilation

Unless otherwise stated, all dilations on the coordinate plane use the origin as their center of dilation.



b. original: $J(-6, 4)$, $K(6, 8)$, $L(8, 2)$, $M(-4, -2)$;
image: $P(-3, 2)$, $Q(3, 4)$, $R(4, 1)$, $S(-2, -1)$



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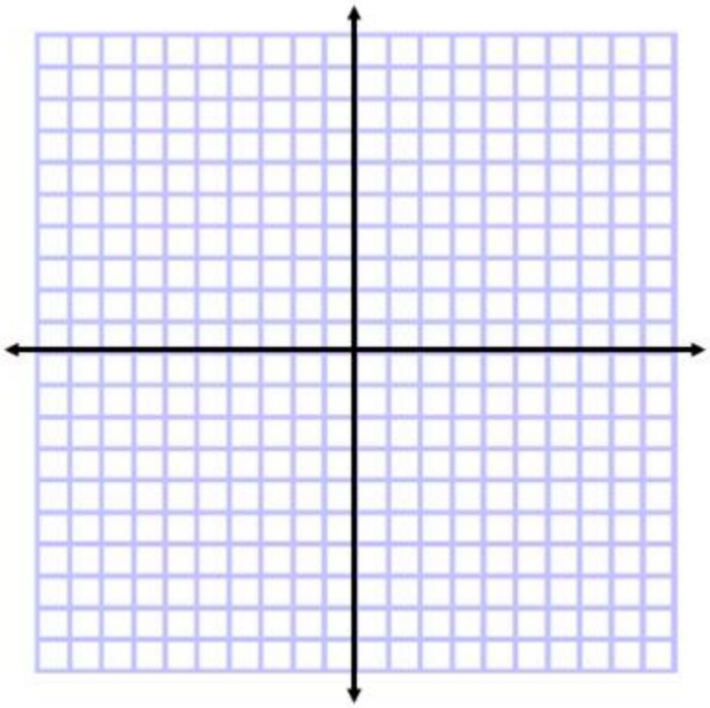
3A. original: $A(2, 3)$, $B(0, 1)$, $C(3, 0)$
image: $D(4, 6)$, $F(0, 2)$, $G(6, 0)$



3B. original: $H(0, 0)$, $J(6, 0)$, $K(6, 4)$, $L(0, 4)$
image: $W(0, 0)$, $X(3, 0)$, $Y(3, 2)$, $Z(0, 2)$