#### **CHAPTER**

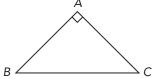


# **Area of Polygons**

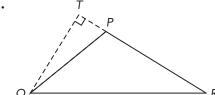
# **Lesson 10.1** Area of Triangles

Identify a base and a height for each triangle.

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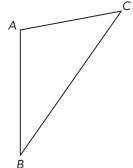


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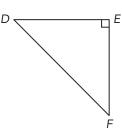


For each triangle, label a base with the letter b and a height with the letter h.

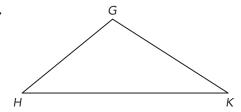
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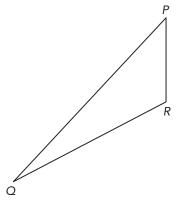
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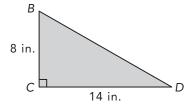


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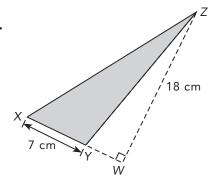


## Find the area of each triangle.

**7.** 

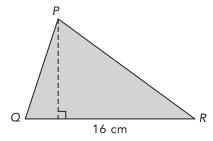


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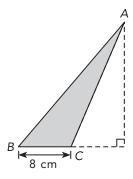


## The area of each triangle is 96 square centimeters. Find the height.

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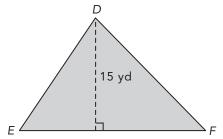


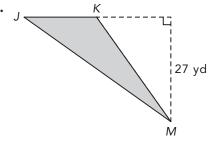
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# The area of each triangle is 135 square yards. Find the base.

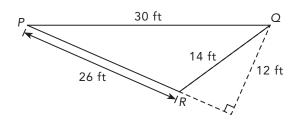
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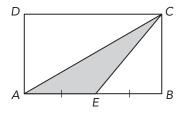


## Solve. Show your work.

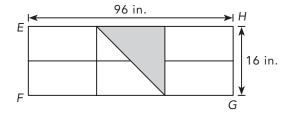
**13.** Triangle PQR is a section of a ball field. Find the area of triangle PQR.



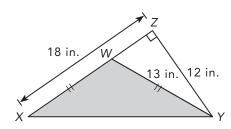
**14.** The area of triangle *AEC* is 28 square inches. Find the area of the unshaded region of rectangle *ABCD*.



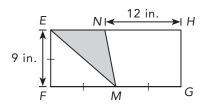
**15.** Rectangle *EFGH* is divided into six identical rectangles. Find the area of the shaded region.



**16.** Triangle XYZ is a right triangle. Triangle WXY is an isosceles triangle. Find the area of triangle WXY.

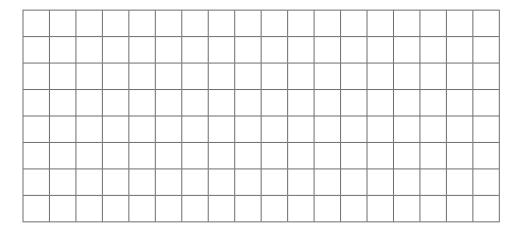


**17.** Figure *EFGH* is a rectangle. Point *M* is the mid-point of  $\overline{FG}$ . If EF = FM, what is the area of triangle *EMN*?

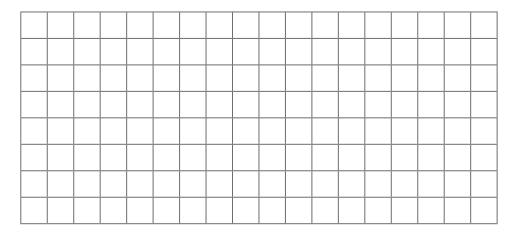


# Solve.

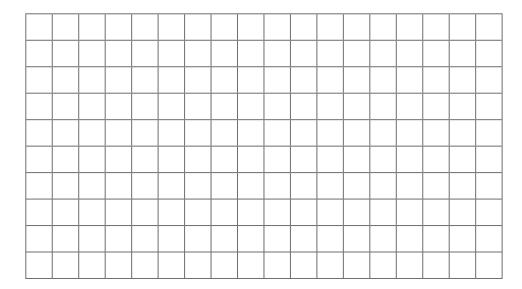
**18.** The coordinates of the vertices of a triangle are A (6, 1), B (1, 1), and C (1, 5). Find the area of triangle ABC.



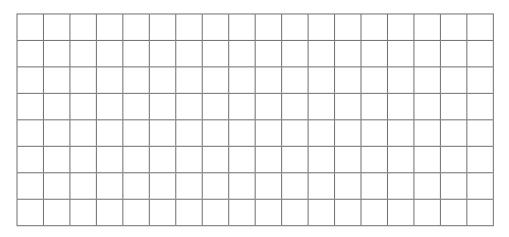
**19.** The coordinates of the vertices of a triangle are P(-4, -5), Q(-6, -1), and R(2, -1). Find the area of triangle PQR.



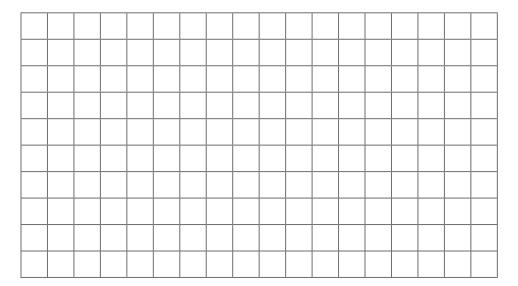
**20.** The coordinates of the vertices of a triangle are X (8, 4), Y (1, 0), and Z (1, 6). Find the area of triangle XYZ.



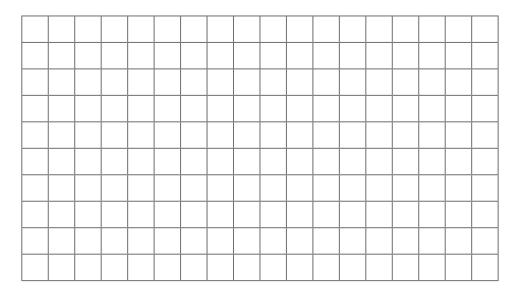
**21.** The coordinates of the vertices of a triangle are D(-5, 3), E(-5, -2), and F(4, -1). Find the area of triangle *DEF*.



**22.** The coordinates of the vertices of a triangle are L(-9, 5), M(-3, 0), and N(1, 0). Find the area of triangle LMN. (Hint: Draw a rectangle around triangle LMN.)

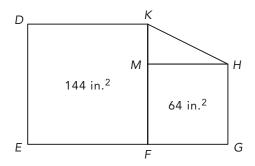


**23.** The coordinates of the vertices of a triangle are G(-4, -3), H(2, 2), and K(5, 2). Find the area of triangle GHK.

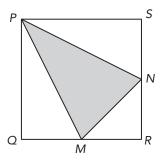


# Solve. Show your work.

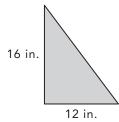
**24.** Figure *DEFGHK* is made up of two squares and a triangle. The areas of the squares are 144 square inches and 64 square inches. Find the area of the figure.

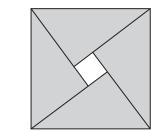


**25.** Square *PQRS* has a perimeter of 160 inches. Point *M* is the midpoint of  $\overline{QR}$ , and point *N* is the midpoint of  $\overline{SR}$ . Find the area of triangle *PMN*.

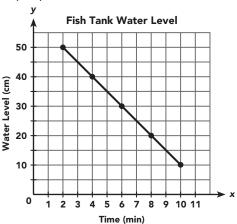


**26.** A right triangle has a height of 16 inches and a base of 12 inches. Four such triangles are arranged to form a large square with a small square at the center, as shown. Find the side length of the larger square.

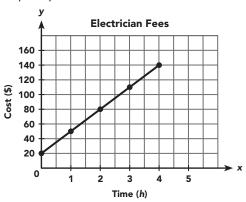




**2. a)** 40; 30; 10



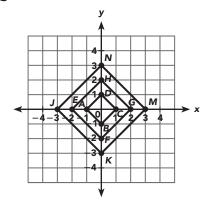
- **b)** 45 centimeters
- c) 7 minutes
- d) 12 minutes
- e) 5 centimeters per minute
- **3. a)** 80; 110; 140



- **b)** \$65
- **c)** 2.5 hours
- **d)**  $95 \div 2.5 = 38$  \$38 per hour
- **e)** *C* ≥ 20

#### Brain @ Work

1. a)



**b)** Area of  $ABCD = \frac{1 \cdot 2}{2} \cdot 2 = 2 \text{ cm}^2$ Area of  $EFGH = \frac{1 \cdot 2}{2} \cdot 2 = 8 \text{ cm}^2$ 

Area of JKMN = 
$$\frac{3 \cdot 6}{2} \cdot 2 = 18 \text{ cm}^2$$

c) The area of figure ABCD is 2 times the square of 1.

The area of figure *EFGH* is 2 times the square of 2.

The area of figure *JKMN* is 2 times the square of 3.

$$1^2 \times 2 = 2$$

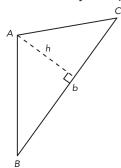
$$2^2 \times 2 = 8$$

$$3^2 \times 2 = 18$$

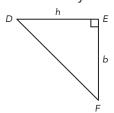
#### **Chapter 10**

#### Lesson 10.1

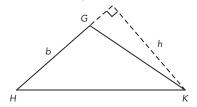
- **1.** Answers vary. Sample: base: *AB*; height: *AC*
- **2.** Answers vary. Sample: base: *PR*; height: *QT*
- 3. Answers vary. Sample:



4. Answers vary. Sample:



5. Answers vary. Sample:



7. 
$$\frac{1}{2} \cdot 14 \cdot 8 = 56$$
 square inches

8. 
$$\frac{1}{2} \cdot 7 \cdot 18 = 63$$
 square centimeters

9. 
$$\frac{2}{16}$$
 = 12 centimeters  
10.  $\frac{96 \cdot 2}{8}$  = 24 centimeters  
11.  $\frac{135 \cdot 2}{15}$  = 18 yards  
12.  $\frac{135 \cdot 2}{27}$  = 10 yards

10. 
$$\frac{96 \cdot 2}{8}$$
 = 24 centimeters

**11.** 
$$\frac{135 \cdot 2}{15} = 18$$
 yards

**12.** 
$$\frac{135 \cdot 2}{27} = 10$$
 yards

**13.** 
$$\frac{1}{2} \cdot 26 \cdot 12 = 156$$
 square feet

**14.** 
$$28 \cdot 3 = 84$$
 square inches

**15.** Base of the shaded region  
= 
$$96 \div 3 = 32$$
 in.  
Area of the shaded region  
=  $\frac{1}{2} \cdot 32 \cdot 16 = 256$  square inches

**16.** Area of 
$$XYZ = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 18 \cdot 12$$
  
= 108 in.<sup>2</sup>  
Area of  $WZY = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 12 \cdot (18 - 13)$   
= 30 in.<sup>2</sup>

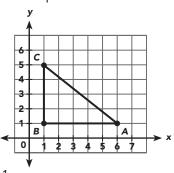
Area of 
$$WXY = 108 - 30$$
  
= 78 square inches

OR
Area of 
$$WXY = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 13 \cdot 12$$
= 78 square inches

$$= 78 \text{ square}$$
**17.**  $EN = 9 \cdot 2 - 12 = 6 \text{ in.}$ 
Area of triangle  $EMN$ 

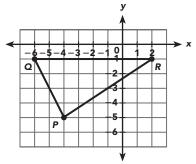
$$= \frac{1}{2} \cdot 6 \cdot 9$$
= 27 square inches

18.



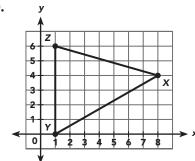
$$\frac{1}{2} \cdot 5 \cdot 4 = 10$$
 square units

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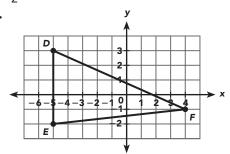
$$\frac{1}{2} \cdot 8 \cdot 4 = 16$$
 square units

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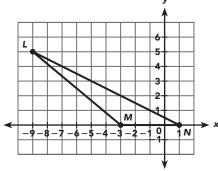
$$\frac{1}{2} \cdot 6 \cdot 7 = 21$$
 square units

21.



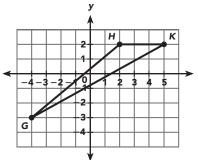
$$\frac{1}{2} \cdot 5 \cdot 9 = 22.5$$
 square units

22.



$$\frac{1}{2} \cdot 4 \cdot 5 = 10$$
 square units

23.



Area =  $\frac{1}{2} \cdot 3 \cdot 5 = 7.5$  square units

**24.** Base of triangle  $HKM = \sqrt{64} = 8$  in. Height of triangle  $HKM = \sqrt{144} - 8 = 4$  in. Area of triangle  $HKM = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 8 \cdot 4 = 16$  in.<sup>2</sup> Area of the figure

= 144 + 64 + 16

= 224 square inches

**25.** Length of 1 side:

 $160 \div 4 = 40 \text{ in.}$ 

By observation, triangles PQM and NPS together make up  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the square, and triangle MNR make up  $\frac{1}{8}$  of the square.

$$1 - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{8} = \frac{8}{8} - \frac{4}{8} - \frac{1}{8} = \frac{3}{8}$$

So, the area of triangle *PMN* is  $\frac{3}{8}$  the area of *PQRS*.

Area of triangle PMN

$$=\frac{3}{8}\cdot 40\cdot 40$$

= 600 square inches

**26.** Length of the small square

= 16 - 12 = 4 in.

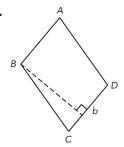
Area of the larger square

$$= 4\left(\frac{1}{2} \cdot 16 \cdot 12\right) + 4 \cdot 4 = 400 \text{ in.}^2$$

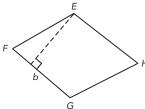
Side length of the larger square  $= \sqrt{400} = 20$  inches

#### Lesson 10.2

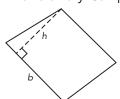
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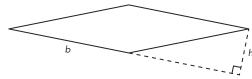
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**3.** Answers vary. Sample:



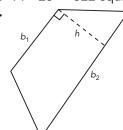
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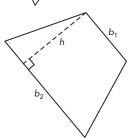
**5.**  $26 \cdot 18 = 468$  square inches

**6.**  $14 \cdot 23 = 322$  square feet

7.



8.



9.  $\frac{1}{2} \cdot 12(15 + 20)$ = 210 square inches

**10.**  $\frac{1}{2} \cdot 11(14 + 18)$ = 176 square centimeters

- **11.** 207 ÷ 9 = 23 inches
- **12.**  $112 \div 16 = 7$  inches
- **13.** Area =  $\frac{1}{2}h(10 + 17) = 108 \text{ cm}^2$   $h = 108 \cdot 2 \div 27$ = 8 centimeters
- **14.** Area =  $\frac{1}{2}h(30 + 20) = 375$  $h = 375 \cdot 2 \div 50 = 15$  feet