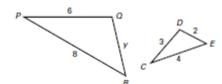
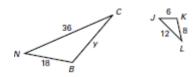
Given similar triangles, find the value of y.

## **1.** $\Delta PQR \sim \Delta CDE$

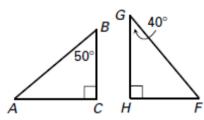


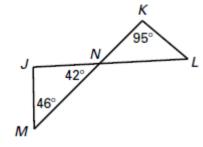
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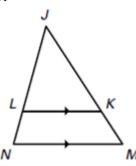
In Exercises 3-6, determine whether the triangles are similar. If they are, tell if they are similar by AA, SAS, or SSS.

**3.** 

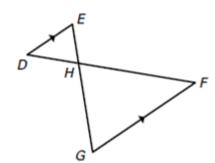




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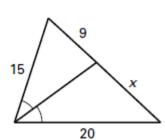


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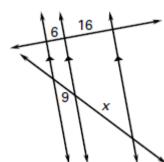


Find the value of x.

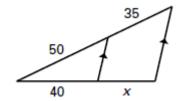
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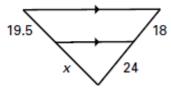
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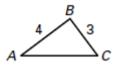
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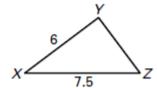


10.



In the diagram,  $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle XYZ$ .





**11.** Find *YZ*.

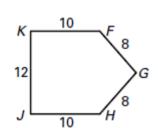
**12.** Find *AC*.

In the diagram,  $ABCDE \sim FGHJK$ .

13. Find the value of x.

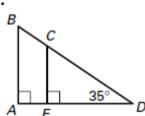
**14.** Find the perimeter of *ABCDE*.



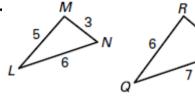


Determine whether the triangles are similar. If so, write the postulate or theorem that justifies your answer (AA, SAS, or SSS).

**15.** 

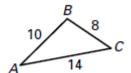


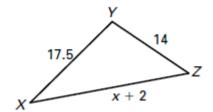
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Determine the value of x that makes  $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle XYZ$ .

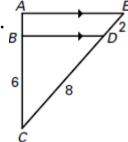
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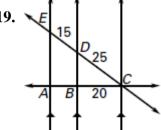




In Exercises 18 and 19, find the length of  $\overline{AB}$ .

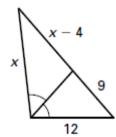
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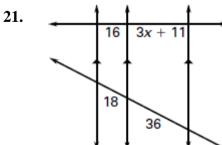


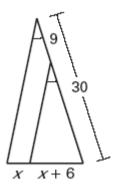


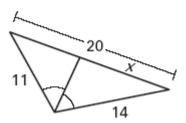
Find the value of x.

20.

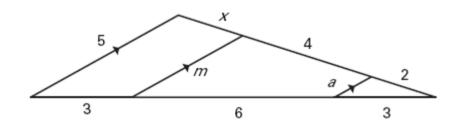








Find the value of the variable.



**24**. x

**25.** a

**26**. A 4-ft person standing near a telephone pole has a shadow 3-ft long. At the same time, the telephone pole has a shadow of 18-ft long. What is the height of the telephone pole?

**27.** On a sunny day, if a 36-inch yardstick casts a 21-inch shadow, how tall is a building whose shadow is 168ft?