



IN SIMILAR FIGURES (DILATIONS), CORRESPONDING ANGLES ARE CONGRUENT AND CORRESPONDING SIDES ARE PROPORTIONAL.



DILATIONS PRODUCE SIMILAR FIGURES

<u>Dilation</u> – a transformation that produces an image that is the same shape, but a different size.

Enlargement – a dilation that creates a larger image.

<u>Reduction</u> – a dilation that creates a smaller image.

WHAT IS A SCALE FACTOR?

<u>Scale Factor</u> (k) – the ratio of any two corresponding sides of similar figures

*Scale Factor = <u>Image Length</u> = <u>NEW</u> Pre-Image Length OLD

Enlargement – the scale factor is greater than 1.

Reduction – the scale factor is less than 1.

Is this dilation an enlargement or reduction? What is the scale factor?



OR



$$k = \frac{image}{pre-image} \frac{21}{14} = \frac{3}{2} \text{ or } 1.5$$

Is each dilation an enlargement or reduction? What is the scale factor?



Is the dilation an enlargement or reduction? What is the scale factor?



 $k = \frac{image}{pre-image} = \frac{24}{30} = \frac{4}{5} \text{ or } 0.8$

Is the figure an enlargement or reduction? What is the scale factor?





Is the figure an enlargement or reduction? What is the scale factor?



$$k = \frac{image}{pre-image} = \frac{40}{48} = \frac{5}{6} \text{ or } 0.8$$

Is the figure an enlargement or reduction? What is the scale factor?



Reduction $k = \frac{20}{24} = \frac{5}{6} \text{ or } 0.8$

ON YOUR OWN

Identify the scale factor of the following: (The pre-image is first)



MORE PRACTICE

Identify the scale factor of the following: (The pre-image is first)



Reduction; k = 1/3 or 0.33

Reduction; k = 2/5 or 0.4

Enlargement; k = 6/5 or 1.2

How do you determine if two figures are similar?

How do l'determine if two figures are dilations (similar)?

By comparing their angle measures. Correspond ing angle measures are the same in dilations.

By comparing their scale factors. The scale factors for all corresponding sides are the same in a dilation