

Unit 1

Lesson 1

Translations

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## Lesson 1 – Introduction to Transformations and Translations

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- Congruent figures: Figures with same size and shape.

✓ When two figures are congruent, you can move one figure on top of the other figure with no overlap, fit over each other perfectly.

- Transformation of a geometric figure: change in its size, location, or orientation

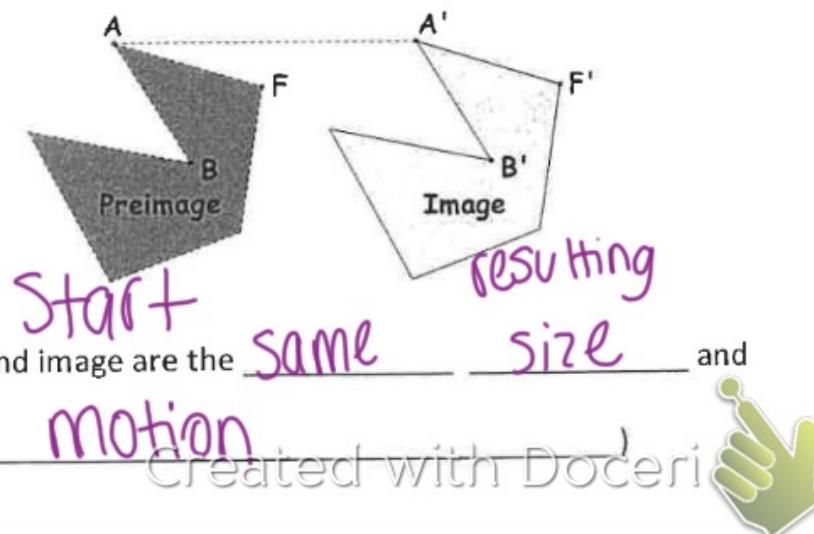
- Preimage – Starting figure

✓ Notation: AFB

- Image – new or resulting figure

✓ Notation: A'F'B'  
"Prime"

- Isometry – transformation in which preimage and image are the same size and shape (also called: rigid motion)



Examples:

translation

slide

reflection

mirror

flip

same

rotation

turn

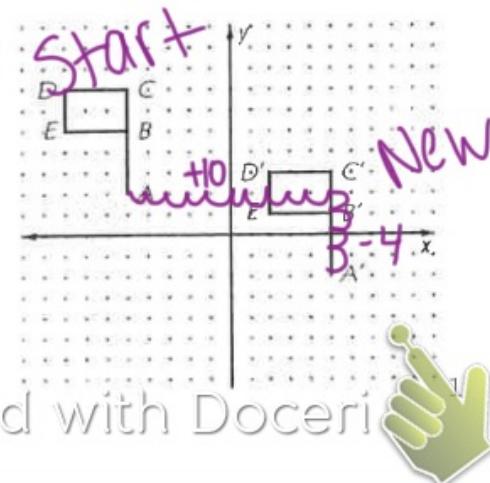
- Translation – an isometry that maps all points the same distance and the same direction.

- ❖ Three ways to describe a translation (using example shown right):
  - ✓ Always be specific when completing any type of description!!

1) **Words:** Translation to the right 10 units and down 4 units.

2) **Algebraic rule** (motion rule):  $T: (x, y) \rightarrow (x + 10, y - 4)$

3) **Vector:**  $\begin{pmatrix} 10 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$   
 +right +up  
 -left -down



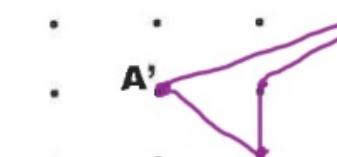
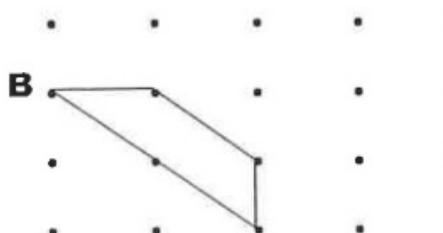
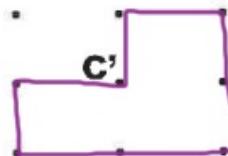
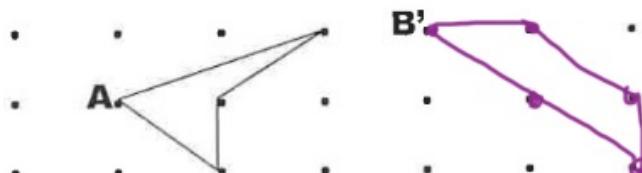
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- 1) Use the dots to help you draw the image of the first figure so that A maps to A'.
- 2) Use the dots to help you draw the image of the second figure so that B maps to B'.
- 3) Use the dots to help you draw the image of the third figure so that C maps to C'.
- 4) Complete each of the following translation rules using your mappings from 1 – 3 above.

a) For A, the translation rule is:  $T: (x, y) \rightarrow (\underline{x+9}, \underline{y-4})$  or  $\langle \underline{+9}, \underline{-4} \rangle$

b) For B, the translation rule is:  $T: (x, y) \rightarrow (\underline{x-5}, \underline{y+1})$  or  $\langle \underline{-5}, \underline{+1} \rangle$

c) For C, the translation rule is:  $T: (x, y) \rightarrow (\underline{x-4}, \underline{y+0})$  or  $\langle \underline{-4}, \underline{0} \rangle$



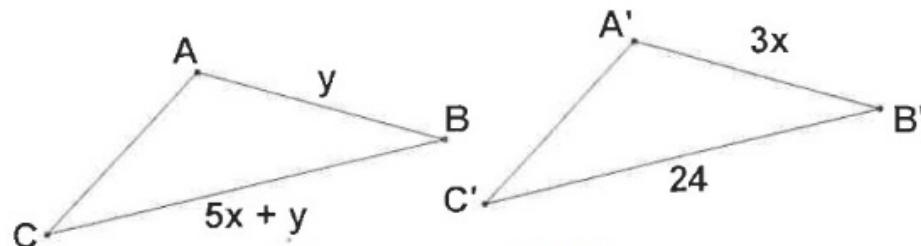
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❖ Example:  $\triangle GEO$  has coordinates  $G(-2, 5)$ ,  $E(-4, 1)$ ,  $O(0, -2)$ . A **translation** maps  $G$  to  $G'$  (3, 1).

1. Find the coordinates of:
    - a)  $E' (1, -3)$
    - b)  $O' (5, -6)$
  2. Describe the transformation in words: right 5, down 4
  3. The translation rule is  $T: (x, y) \rightarrow (x+5, y-4)$
  4. The vector is  $\begin{pmatrix} +5 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$
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❖ Example: Given the translation from  $\triangle ABC$  to  $\triangle A'B'C'$ , find the specified values for  $x$  and  $y$ .

Hint:  $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle A'B'C'$



$$x = \frac{3}{9}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 5x + y &= 24 \\ y &= 3x \end{aligned}$$

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$$5x + 3x = 24$$

$$\frac{8x}{8} = \frac{24}{8}$$

$$x = 3$$

$$\begin{aligned} y &= 3(3) \\ y &= 9 \end{aligned}$$

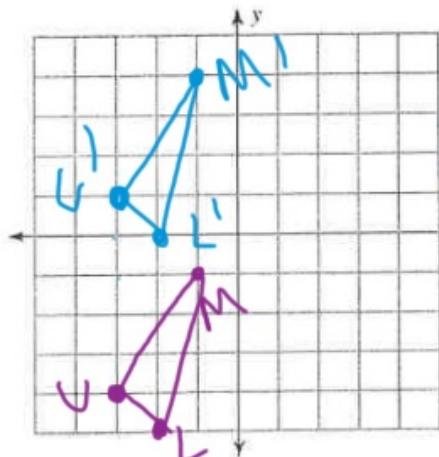
$$(3, 9)$$

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5) translation: 5 units up

$$U(-3, -4), M(-1, -1), L(-2, -5)$$



Algebraic  
Rule:

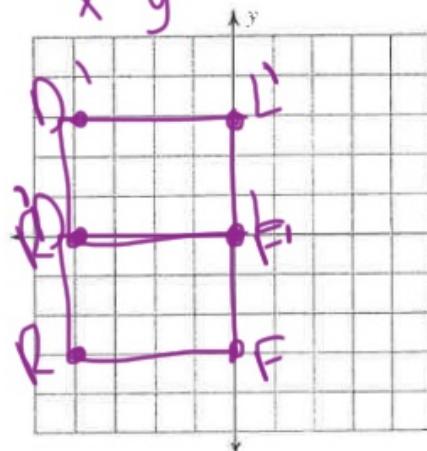
$$(x, y+5)$$

Vector:

$$\langle 0, 5 \rangle$$

6) translation: <0, 3>

$$R(-4, -3), D(-4, 0), L(0, 0), F(0, -3)$$



Algebraic  
Rule:

$$(x, y+3)$$

Description:

3 units up  
up 3

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5 : 3, 4, 5, 6

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10) Translation: 3 units right and 4 units up

$$P(-4, -3), L(-2, -2), T(-2, -4)$$

$\begin{matrix} +3 & +4 \\ +3 & +4 \\ +3 & +4 \end{matrix}$

Vertices:  $P'(-1, 1) L'(1, 2) T'(1, 0)$

Algebraic Rule:

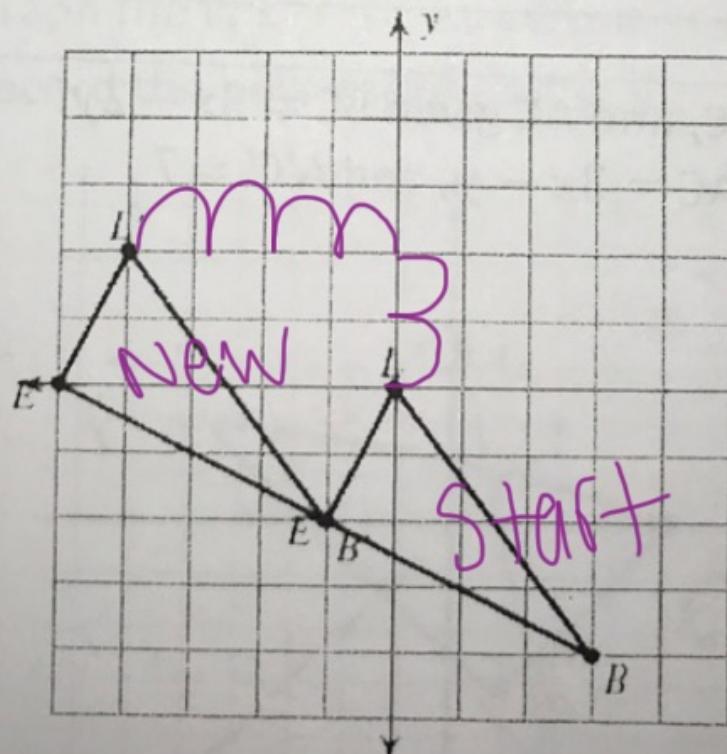
$$(x+3, y+4)$$

Vector Notation:

$$\langle 3, 4 \rangle$$

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Description:

Left 4, up 2

Algebraic  
Rule:

$$(x-4, y+2)$$

Vector Notation:

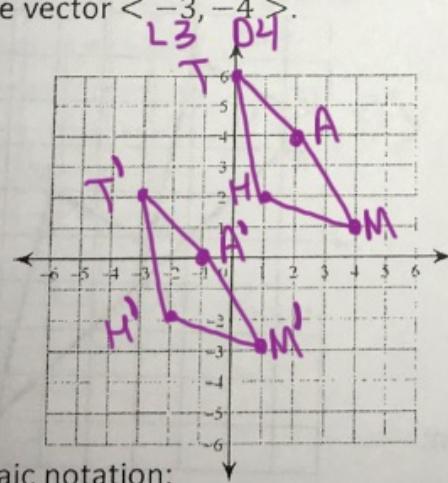
$$\langle -4, +2 \rangle$$

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3. Graph and label quadrilateral MATH with vertices  $M(4, 1)$ ,  $A(2, 4)$ ,  $T(0, 6)$ , and  $H(1, 2)$ . Graph and label the image of quad. MATH when the quadrilateral is shifted according to the vector  $\langle -3, -4 \rangle$ .

$$\begin{aligned}M' & (1, -3) \\A' & (-1, 0) \\T' & (-3, 2) \\H' & (-2, -2)\end{aligned}$$



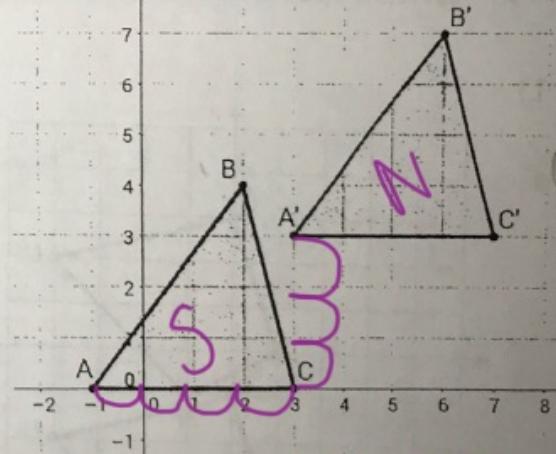
Write the rule in algebraic notation:

$$T: (x-3, y-4)$$

Describe in words the shift:

$L3, D4$

4. Write the rule mapping the pre-image to the image.



Write the rule in vector notation:

$$\langle 4, 3 \rangle$$

Write the rule in algebraic notation:

$$T: (x+4, y+3)$$

Describe in words the shift:

$R4, U3$

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$$5) \quad y = 2x + 5$$

$$3x - y = 4$$

$$3x - (2x + 5) = 4$$

$$3x - 2x - 5 = 4$$

$$x = 9$$

$$y = 18 + 5$$

$$(9, 23) \quad y = 23$$

$$6) \quad 3x - 2y = 11$$

$$3x - y = 7$$

$$(1, -4)$$

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