## Math 9

7.3 - Similar Triangles

Two POLYGONS are SIMILAR if: $\qquad$ AND

Two TRIANGLES are SIMILAR if: $\qquad$ OR

Ex. 1: Identify the similar triangle pairs in the following diagrams and pair up the corresponding sides.


Ex. 2: Is $\triangle T R S \sim \triangle P R Q$ ? Justify your answer


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Ex. 3: Name the similar triangles given below.


Ex. 4: Determine the distance across the lake


Ex. 5: Determine the distance across the river.


Ex. 6: At a certain time of day, a person who is 1.8 m tall has a shadow 1.3 m long. At the same time, the shadow of a Totem Pole is 6 m long. The sun's rays intersect the ground at equal angles. How tall is the Totem Pole, to the nearest tenth of a metre?


