

GEOMETRY: UNIT 1: TRANSFORMATIONS

Translations



WARMUP

- ▶ Watch the following video:

<http://www.pbslearningmedia.org/resource/muen-math-g-translation/translation/>

TRANSLATIONS

- ▶ **Objective**: Students will be able to do the following, regarding geometric transformations.
 - ▶ Write Transformations Symbolically and justify their choice.
 - ▶ Explain the movement of points for a given transformation.
 - ▶ Draw an image under each transformation.

ISOMETRY: A REMINDER

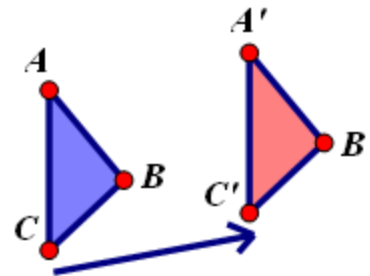
- ▶ An Isometric Transformation has the following properties are preserved:
 - ▶ Distance (All lengths stay the same)
 - ▶ Angle measure (All angles stay the same)
 - ▶ Parallelism (All lines that are parallel stay parallel)
 - ▶ Collinearity (All points on a line remain on a line)
- ▶ In short, the transformed figure (**Image**) is the same shape and size as the original figure (**Pre-Image**).

TRANSLATIONS

- ▶ A transformation that glides all points of the plane the same distance in the same direction is called a **translation**.
- ▶ When working on the coordinate plane, a vector is used to describe the fixed distance and the given direction often denoted by $\langle x, y \rangle$. The x value describes the effect on the x coordinates (right or left) and the y value describes the effect on the y coordinates (up or down).

The pre-image and image have the same shape and size.

$$T_{\langle x, y \rangle}(\triangle ABC) = \triangle A'B'C'$$



TRANSLATIONS

- ▶ If a translation maps A to A' , B to B' , and C to C' , Points A , B , and C glide along parallel or collinear segments and $AA' = BB' = CC'$.

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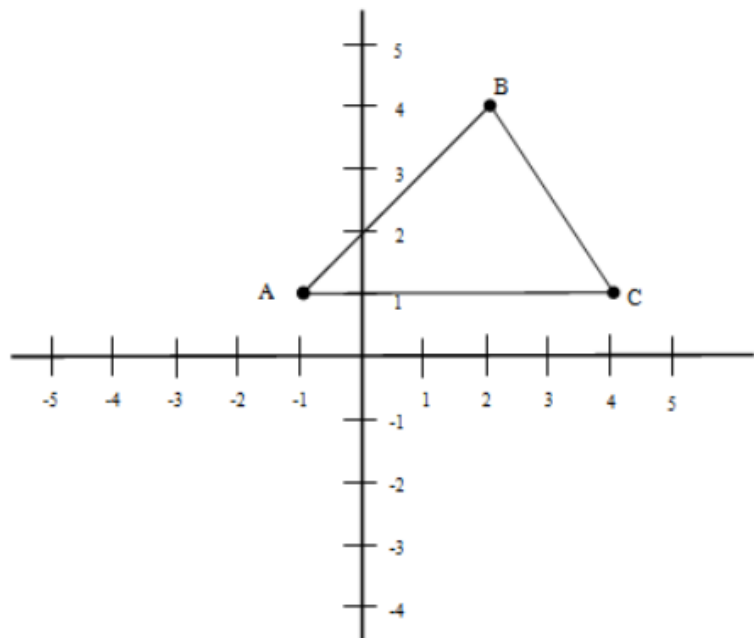
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TRANSLATION EXAMPLE

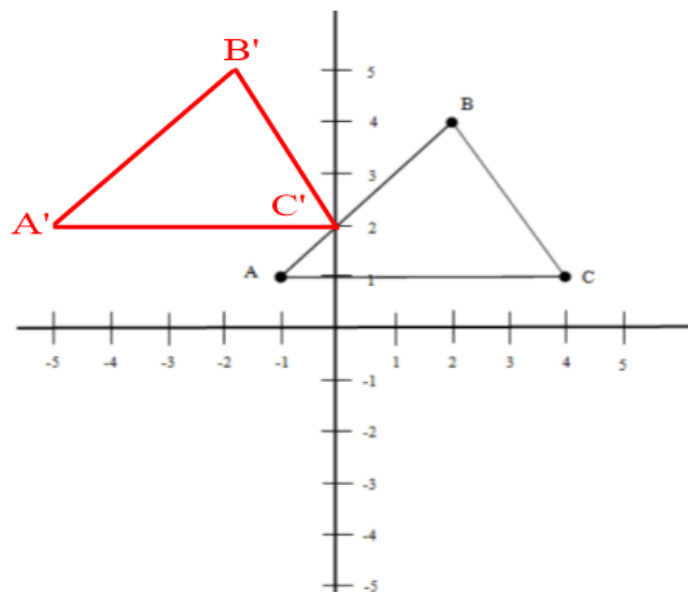
Given $\triangle ABC$ with $A(-1,1)$, $B(2,4)$, $C(4,1)$, translate $\triangle ABC$ left 4 units and up 1 unit.

Notation: $T_{\langle x-4, y+1 \rangle} \triangle ABC$

Pre-Image



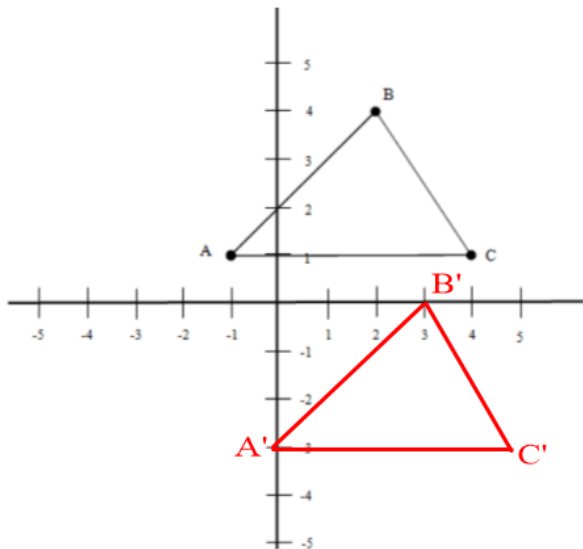
Image



TRANSLATION EXAMPLE 2

Given the pre-image $\triangle ABC$ with $A(-1, 1)$, $B(2, 4)$, $C(4, 1)$, along with its image $\triangle A'B'C'$ with the points on the graph, the translation by filling in the notation.

Image



Notation: $T_{\langle x-_, y+_\rangle} \triangle ABC$



Notation: $T_{\langle x+1, y-4\rangle} \triangle ABC$

TRANSLATION: FROM PRE-IMAGE TO IMAGE, AND VICEVERSA

- ▶ Given the translation $T: (x, y) \rightarrow (x + 4, y + 2)$, give the Image if a Pre-image is given, or a pre-image if the image is given.

▶ Given – Pre-Image: $(-4, -4)$ \longrightarrow Image: $(\underline{\quad}, \underline{\quad})$
 $(0, -2)$

▶ Given – Image: $(6, 0)$ \longrightarrow Pre-Image: $(\underline{\quad}, \underline{\quad})$
 $(2, -2)$

▶ Given – Image: $(0, 5)$ \longrightarrow Pre-Image: $(\underline{\quad}, \underline{\quad})$
 $(-4, 3)$

CLASSROOM ACTIVITY

- ▶ Go to page 585 of your textbook.
- ▶ Work through problems 1-7 of the “Classroom Exercises” section with your group.
- ▶ When you are done, explain in your own words what a translation does to a point. Be brief, but not lazy (i.e. Don't say “It moves it”).