## Answers for Lesson 7-4, pp. 394–396 Exercises

**2.**  $2\sqrt{10}$ 

**4.** 12

**6.** 25

**10**. *r* 

**14.** *b* 

**16.** 20

**20.** 60

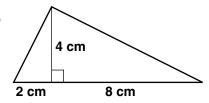
**18.**  $6\sqrt{3}$ 

**12.** *a*; *a* 

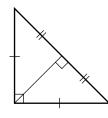
**8.**  $3\sqrt{7}$ 

- **1.** 6
- 3.  $4\sqrt{3}$
- 5.  $14\sqrt{2}$
- 7.  $6\sqrt{6}$
- **9.** *s*
- **11.** *c*
- **13.** *h*
- **15.** 9
- **17.** 10
- **19.** 12
- **21.** a. 18 mi
  - **b.** 24 mi
- **22.** *KNL*; *JNK*
- **23. a.** 4 cm

b.



- **c.** Answers may vary. Sample: Draw a 10-cm segment. 2 cm from one endpoint, construct a  $\perp$  of length 4 cm. Connect to form a  $\triangle$ .
- 24. a.



- **b.** They are =. Explanations may vary. Sample: The altitude and hyp. segments are  $\cong$  sides of two isosc.  $\triangle$ .
- **25.** (10, 6), (-2, 6)

**26.**  $4\sqrt{3}$ 

**27.** 14

**28.** 2

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**29.** 
$$\sqrt{14}$$

**30.** 1

**32.**  $10\sqrt{10}$ 

**34.** 
$$x = 12; y = 3\sqrt{7};$$
  $z = 4\sqrt{7}$ 

**35.** 
$$x = 12\sqrt{5}; y = 12;$$
  $z = 6\sqrt{5}$ 

**36.** 
$$x = 4; y = 2\sqrt{13};$$
  $z = 3\sqrt{13}$ 

**37.** 
$$12\sqrt{2}$$

**39.** 
$$\ell_1 = \sqrt{2}, \ell_2 = \sqrt{2}, a = 1, h_2 = 1$$

**40.** 
$$\ell_1 = 2\sqrt{13}, \ell_2 = 3\sqrt{13}, h = 13, a = 6$$

**41.** 
$$\ell_1 = \ell_2 = 6\sqrt{2}, h = 12, h_2 = 6$$

**42.** 
$$\ell_2 = 2\sqrt{3}, h = 4, a = \sqrt{3}, h_1 = 1$$

**43.** 
$$\ell_1 = 5, a = \frac{60}{13}, h_1 = \frac{25}{13}, h_2 = \frac{144}{13}$$

**44.** 
$$\ell_2 = \frac{4\sqrt{7}}{3}, h = \frac{16}{3}, a = \sqrt{7}, h_2 = \frac{7}{3}$$

**45.** 
$$\ell_1 = 8\sqrt{5}, \ell_2 = 4\sqrt{5}, h_1 = 4, h_2 = 20$$

Property,  $\frac{1}{2}AB^2 = x^2$ , so  $AB = x\sqrt{2}$ .

**46.** 
$$\ell_1 = 6, h = 12, a = 3\sqrt{3}, h_2 = 9$$

**47.** C is equidistant from A and B so C is on the  $\bot$  bisector of  $\overline{AB}$  ( $\bot$  Bis. Thm.) which thus must be  $\overline{CM}$ , the altitude to the hypotenuse. Since M is the midpoint of  $\overline{AB}$ ,  $AM = \frac{1}{2}AB$ . Also, by Corollary 2 to Thm. 7-3, x is the geometric mean of AM and AB, so  $\frac{\frac{1}{2}AB}{x} = \frac{AM}{x} = \frac{x}{AB}$ . By the Cross-Product

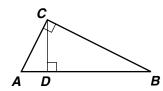
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- **48.** As in Exercise 47, the altitude to the hypotenuse CM is the  $\perp$  bisector of  $\overline{AB}$ . Thus AM = 10 and AB = 20 = BC = CA. By Corollary 1 to Thm. 7-3, BC is the geometric mean of MB and BD, so  $\frac{MB}{BC} = \frac{BC}{BD} = \frac{BC}{MB + MD}$ . Substitute in the values for BC and MB and solve for MD. By the Cross-Product Property,  $10(10 + MD) = 20^2$ , so MD = 30. By Corollary 1 to Thm. 7-3, h is the geometric mean of MB and MD, so  $\frac{MB}{h} = \frac{h}{MD}$ ,  $h^2 = 300$ , and  $h = 3\sqrt{10}$ .
- **49.** 3

**50**. 4

**51.** 4.5

52. a.



Given: rt.  $\triangle ABC$  with alt.  $\overline{CD}$ ; Prove:  $AC \cdot BC = AB \cdot CD$ 

- **b.** Yes;  $AC \cdot BC = 2 \times \text{area } \triangle ABC$  and  $AB \cdot CD = 2 \times \text{area } \triangle ABC$ .
- **53.** a. By Corollary 2 to Thm. 7-3,  $\frac{c}{a} = \frac{a}{r}$  and  $\frac{c}{b} = \frac{b}{q}$ . Combined with c = q + r, the resulting system can be reduced to  $c^2 = a^2 + b^2$ 
  - **b.** The square of the hypotenuse of a right triangle is equal to the sum of the squares of the legs of the triangle.
- **54.** As in Exercise 47, the altitude to the hypotenuse CM is the  $\perp$  bisector of AB. Thus, AM = MB = x and AB = 2x =BC = CA. By Corollary 1 to Thm. 7-3, BC is the geometric mean of MB and BD, so  $\frac{x}{2x} = \frac{2x}{BD} = \frac{2x}{x + MD}$ . By the Cross-Product Property,  $x(x + MD) = 4x^2$ , so MD = 3x. By Corollary 1 to Thm. 7-3, h is the geometric mean of MB and MD, so  $\frac{x}{h} = \frac{h}{3x}$ ,  $h^2 = 3x^2$ , and  $h = 3\sqrt{x}$ .