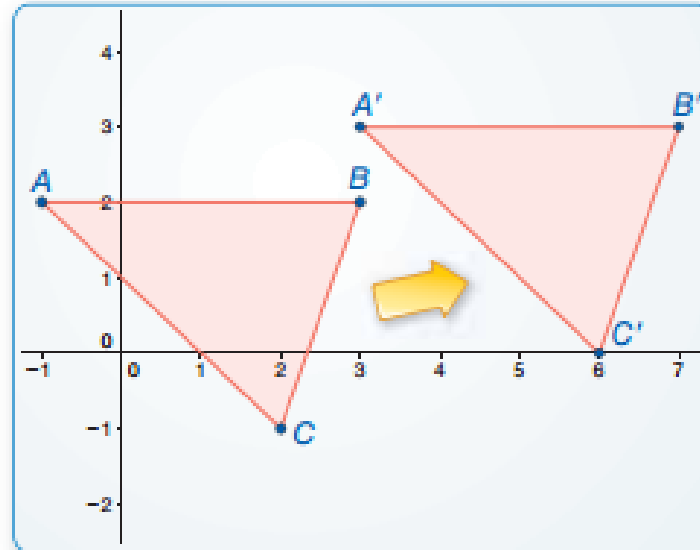


4.1 Translations

Slide or Shift



A **transformation** is a function that moves or changes a figure in some way to produce a new figure.

This new figure is called an **image**. A'

Another name for the original figure is the **preimage**. A

Writing a Translation Rule

$x + \# \rightarrow$
 $x - \# \leftarrow$

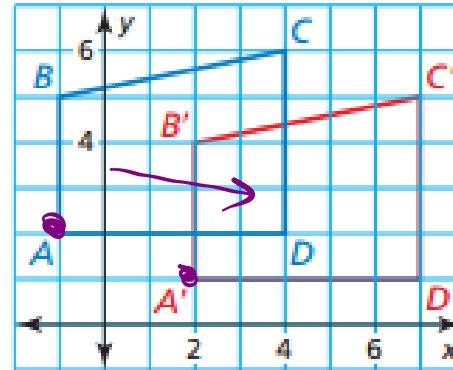
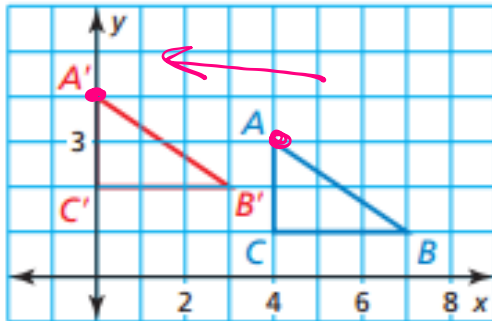
- To write a rule (x, y) is the preimage and $(x + a, y + b)$ will give you the image.

$y + \# \uparrow$

$y - \# \downarrow$

$(x, y) \rightarrow (x + 2, y - 3)$

- A belongs to the preimage and A' belongs to the image.



$(x, y) \rightarrow (x - 4, y + 1)$ $(x, y) \rightarrow (x + 3, y - 1)$

Composition of Transformations is when two or more transformations are combined to form a single transformation.

Example: Graph segment TU with endpoints T(1, 2) & U(4, 6) and its image after the composition.

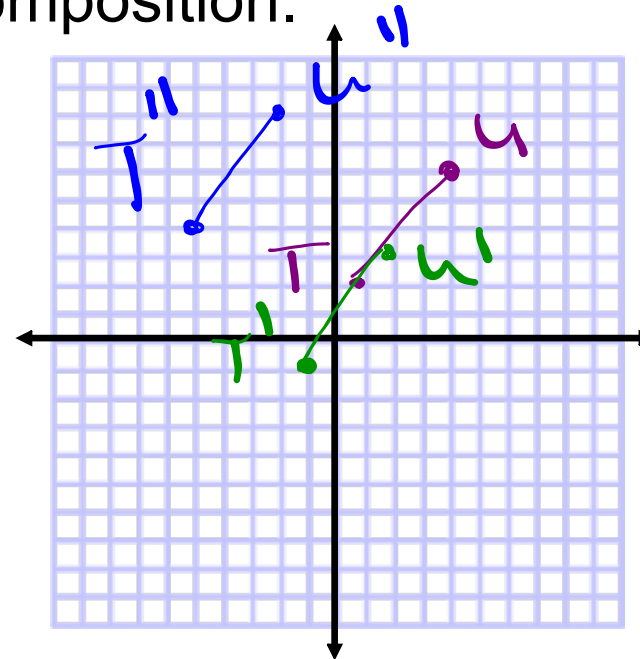
Translation: $(x - 2, y - 3)$

← 2 ↓ 3

Translation: $(x - 4, y + 5)$

← 4 ↑ 5

$T''(-5, 4)$
 $U''(-2, 8)$

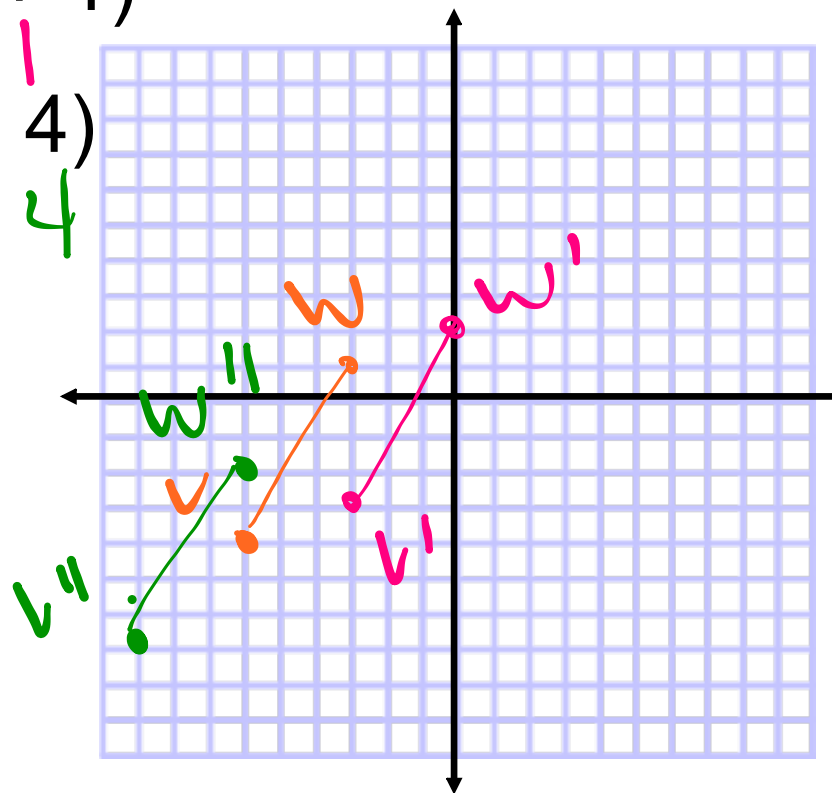


Practice: Graph segment VW with endpoints $V(-6, -4)$ & $W(-3, 1)$ and its image after the composition.

Translation: $(x + 3, y + 1)$

Translation: $(x - 6, y - 4)$

$V''(-9, -7)$
 $W''(-6, -2)$



ACT Practice

If $\frac{x}{y} = \frac{1}{9}$ and $\frac{y}{z} = \frac{9}{8}$, then $\frac{z}{x} = ?$

A. $\frac{1}{648}$

B. $\frac{1}{8}$

C. $\frac{8}{81}$

D. $\frac{81}{8}$

E. 8

~~$x = y$~~

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

~~$8y = 9z$~~

$\frac{8}{9}y = z$

$\frac{8/9 y}{y/9} = 8$

$\frac{8y}{9} \cdot \frac{9}{y} = \frac{72y}{9y} = 8$

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