

PERIMETER

What is perimeter?

Perimeter is the measurement of the distance around a figure.

It is measured in units and can be measured by inches, feet, blocks, meters, centimeters or millimeters.

To get the perimeter of any figure, simply add up the measures of the sides of the figure.

How to use perimeter:

- To get the perimeter of a rectangle with a length of 4 and a width of 5, add the length and the width and multiply times 2, to take

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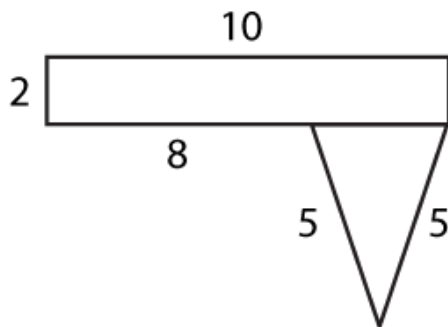
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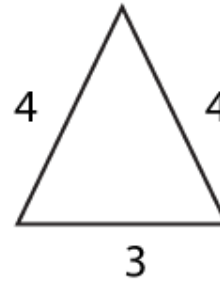
$$p = 2 + 10 + 2 + 5 + 5 + 8$$

$$p = 32 \text{ units}$$

- If the perimeter of a certain shape is given, the missing side can be found. If a square has a perimeter of 24 units, dividing by 4 will give the length of the side.

Try this!

1. Find the perimeter:



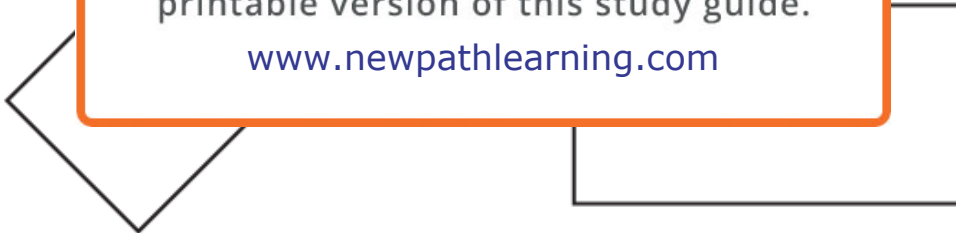
2. Find the missing sides:



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$P = 48$ units

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