

Dilation: Enlarging or shrinking of an object.

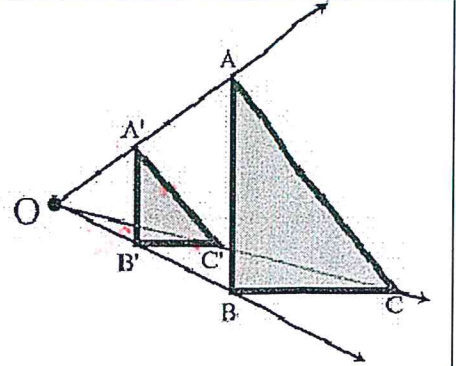
Scale Factor: What do we enlarge or shrink by.

Image (new)

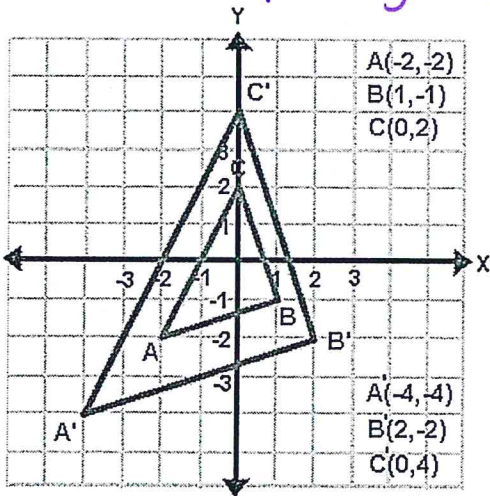
Scale Factor: _____

Pre-image (original)

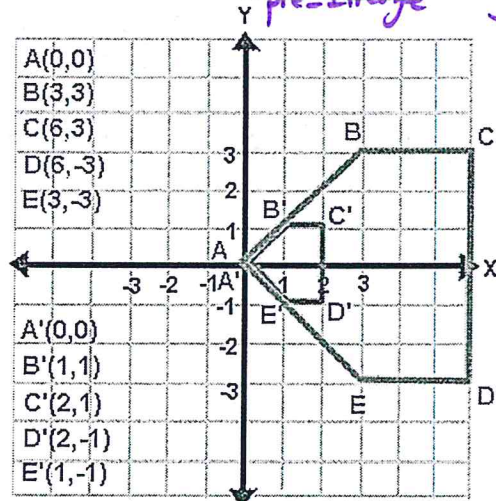
$S > 1$
enlarge
 $S < 1$
shrink



Ex 1: Scale factor? $\frac{\text{Image}}{\text{Pre-Image}} = \frac{-4}{-2} = \boxed{2}$ Enlarged



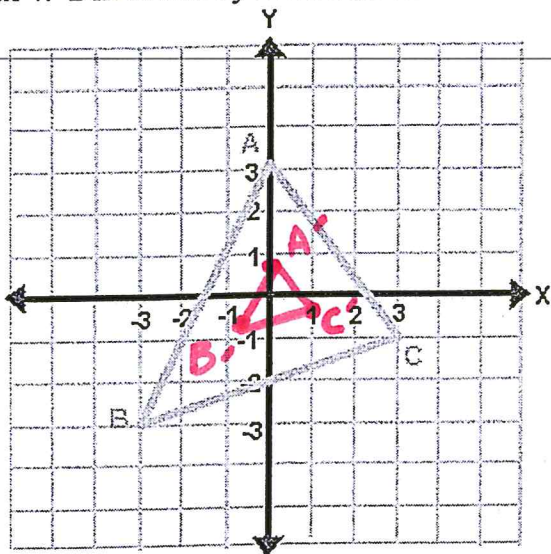
Ex 2: Scale factor? $\frac{\text{Image}}{\text{Pre-Image}} = \frac{1}{3} = 0.33$ Shrink.



Ex 3: Under a dilation, triangle $A(0,0)$, $B(0,4)$, $C(6,0)$ becomes triangle $A'(0,0)$, $B'(0,10)$, $C'(15,0)$. What is the scale factor for this dilation?

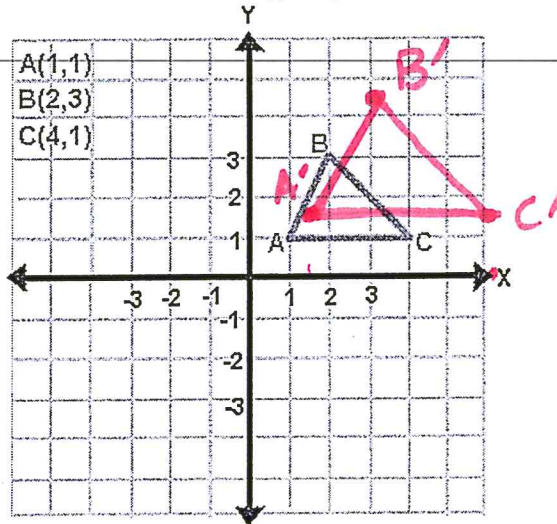
Scale Factor: $\frac{\text{Image}}{\text{pre-Image}} = \frac{15 \div 3}{6 \div 3} = \frac{5}{2} = 2.5$ Enlarge

Ex 4: Dilate this by a scale factor of $1/4 = 0.25$



$$\begin{aligned} A(0, 3) &\rightarrow A'(0, 0.75) \\ B(-3, -3) &\rightarrow B'(-0.75, -0.75) \\ C(3, -1) &\rightarrow C'(0.75, -0.25) \end{aligned}$$

Ex 5: Dilate this triangle by a scale factor of 1.5



$$\begin{aligned} A(1, 1) &\rightarrow A'(1.5, 1.5) \\ B(2, 3) &\rightarrow B'(3, 4.5) \\ C(4, 1) &\rightarrow C'(6, 1.5) \end{aligned}$$