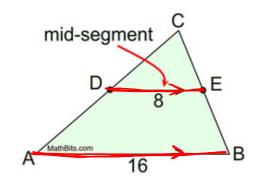


Mid-Segment Theorem

The mid-segment of a triangle joins the midpoints of two sides of a triangle. It is parallel to the third side of the triangle and half the length of the third side of the triangle.

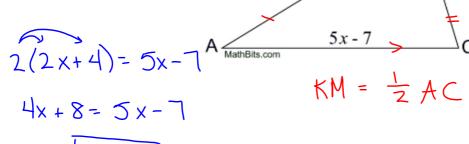
 \overline{DE} is a mid-segment D is midpoint of \overline{AC} E is midpoint of \overline{CB} $\overline{DE} \parallel \overline{AB}$ $DE = \frac{1}{2}AB$



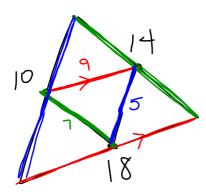
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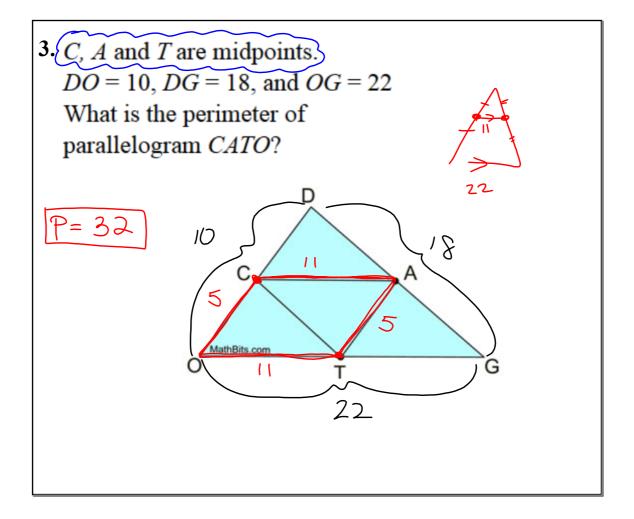
2x + 4

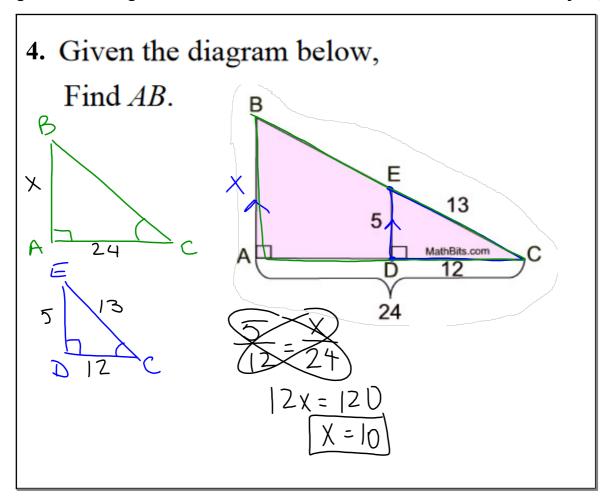
- 1. \overline{KM} is the mid-segment of $\triangle ABC$, as seen at the right.
 - **a.** Find x.
 - **b.** Find KM = 34
 - c. Find AC. = 68



2. If a triangle with side lengths of 10, 14 and 18 has the midpoints of all three sides connected by segments, what must be the perimeter of the triangle formed?







In the following diagram it is known that $\overline{AB} \perp \overline{AC}$ and $\overline{DE} \perp \overline{BC}$ If BC = 20, DE = 4, and DC = 8 then find the length of \overline{AB}

