New York State Testing Program Next Generation Mathematics Test

Performance Level Descriptions

Geometry

Spring 2024

Cluster	Performance Level 5	Performance Level 4	Performance Level 3	Performance Level 2
Experiment with transformations in the plane. CO.A			Identify a portion of a circle as an arc of the circle, and a portion of a line as a segment on the line.	Identify angles, circles, perpendicular lines, parallel lines, and line segments.
	Explain why certain transformations preserve the characteristics of a figure (such as distance and angle measure) as opposed to the transformations that do not.	Compare transformations that preserve distance and angle measure to those that do not.	Identify transformations that preserve distance and angle measure, as opposed to the transformations that do not.	Identify the sides and angles of figures. Identify the image of a point, an angle, or a line segment from a figure after a transformation. Identify noncongruent polygons from given diagrams using transformations.
		Draw, graph or identify a transformation involving a horizontal and/or vertical stretch. (Ex: graphing a horizontal stretch of scale factor 2 with respect to = 0 is a transformation that doubles each x-coordinate while each y-coordinate remains unchanged.)	Identify when a transformation involves a horizontal stretch and/or a vertical stretch.	
		Determine all lines of symmetry for any irregular polygon.	Determine all lines of symmetry for any regular polygon.	Determine horizontal and vertical lines of symmetry.
		Describe the rotations and/or reflections (symmetries) that carry any polygon onto itself.	Determine the minimum number of degrees required to carry a regular polygon onto itself when rotating the polygon about its center.	Identify a figure that carries onto itself after a rotation of 90° or 180°.

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Understand		Explain why two (or	Determine the	Identify when
congruence in terms		more) given figures	effects of rigid	distance and angle
of rigid motions.		are congruent using	motions on two or	measure are
CO.B		the definition of	more figures,	preserved when
		congruence ¹ when	including	given a figure and its
		one figure can be	preservation of	image.
		mapped onto	distance, angle	
		another figure.	measure, and	
			orientation.	
		Explain, using rigid		
		motions, that two		
		triangles are		
		congruent if and only		
		if corresponding pairs of sides and		
		corresponding pairs		
		of angles are		
		congruent.		
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		Determine a missing side length or angle		
		measure		
		measure		

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	Explain why two	Determine if two			
	given quadrilaterals	figures are similar by			
	are similar using	describing a			
	similarity	sequence of			
	transformations.	similarity			
		transformations that			
		maps one tranDC Qq1c	17.7 ([11.04 0 0 11.04	(t)-3 (ran1.04 (f 07005	6f i46 (n
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Prove theorems	Prove theorem(s) or	Provide a complete	Provide a partial line	Provide a correct
involving similarity.	solve problems by	line of geometric	of geometric	geometric statement
SRT.B	using auxiliary lines	reasoning to prove	reasoning in an effort	pertaining to the
	in diagrams.	relationships	to prove a specific	given geometric
		between geometric	geometric statement.	information.
		figures or prove a		
		stated geometric		
		theorem.		
		Apply similarity	Apply similarity	Identify
		theorems about	theorems about	corresponding parts
		triangles to explain a	triangles to justify a	with two similar
		geometric	geometric	triangles.
		relationship.	relationship.	
		Apply geometric	Apply geometric	
		relationships	relationships	
		between congruent	between congruent	
		triangles to solve	triangles to solve	
		problems	problems	
		algebraically.	numerically.	
		Apply geometric	Apply geometric	
		relationships	relationships	
		between similar	between similar	
		triangles to solve	triangles to solve	
		problems	problems	
		algebraically. (Ex:	numerically. (Ex:	
		altitude drawn to the	apply triangle	
		hypotenuse of a right	proportionality	
		triangle theorem.)	theorems or	
			determine the length	t-1.891 01 Tc trieermibshyb 4 eu.
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Understand and		Prove that all circles	Determine the scale	Determine the scale

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Translate between	*Derive the equation			
the geometric	of a circle given the			
description and the	coordinates of the			
equation of a conic	center and the length			
section.	of			
GPE.A				

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Use coordinates to	* Create a complete			
prove simple	line of geometric			
geometric theorems	reasoning to prove			
algebraically.	geometric figures			
GPE.B	and relationships or			
	prove a stated			
	geometric theorem			
	when using			
	coordinate geometry			
	and given variable			
	coordinates. (Ex:			
	given A(0,0), B(a,b			

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	Determine the	Determine the point	Determine the	
	endpoint of a	on a directed line	midpoint of a	
	directed line	segment that	segment to justify	
	segment, given the	partitions the	the segment is	
	other endpoint and	segment in a given	divided into a 1:1	
	the point that	ratio.	ratio.	
	partitions the			
	segment in a given			
	ratio.			
			Determine the point	
			on a horizontal or	
			vertical directed line	
			segment that	
			partitions the	
			segment in a given	
			ratio on the	
			coordinate plane.	
		Compute perimeters	Determine the length	Compute areas of
		of polygons using	of a segment using	triangles and
		coordinates.	the distance formula.	trapezoids with
				horizontal and
				vertical bases and
				heights on the coordinate plane.
				coordinate plane.
		Compute areas of		
		polygons by utilizing		
		the areas of triangles		
		and rectangles using		
		coordinate geometry.		
		Solve modeling		
		Solve modeling problems involving		
		perimeter and area		
		using coordinate		
		geometry.		
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Apply geometric	Develop an	M		
concepts in modeling	appropriate			
situations.	geometric model			
MG.A	when given a real-			
	world scenario.			