

A) Perimeter of the bigger shape?

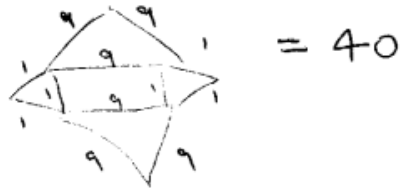
B) PROVE it

Givens

① The Δ 's are equilateral

② $a + b = 10$

((eg: 5 & 5, 9 & 1, 6 & 4, etc)) then $P = 9 + 9 + 1 + 1 + 9 + 9 + 1 + 1$



or

try 6 & 4

$$P = 6 + 6 + 4 + 4 + 6 + 6 + 4 + 4 = 40$$

② Proof that it is 40 for ANY combination of $a + b = 10$



Show In general, not just a few specific examples (definition of "proof")

→ if $a + b = 10$ then $P = 4a + 4b$

$$P = 4(a + b)$$

$$P = 4(10)$$

$$P = 40 \quad \text{no matter what } a \text{ \& } b \text{ are. //}$$

