

All circles are similar to one another because one circle can always be mapped onto another by a translation vector and a dilation. Below is an example of how to complete these transformations.

**Map Circle A to Circle B**

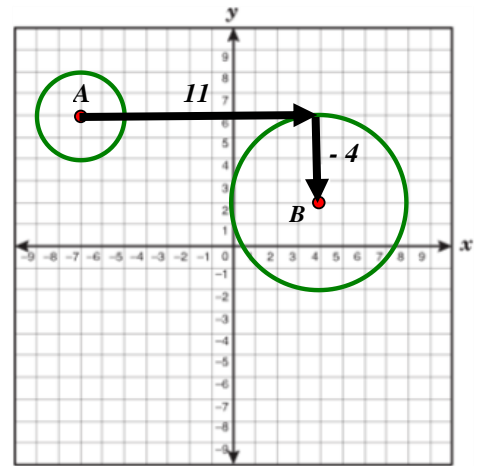
Translation Vector: To find this, start at the preimage circle's center and create a path to the image circle's center. (Look at the arrows to the right.)

The center needs to move 11 right and 4 down. →  $T_{\langle 11, -4 \rangle}$

Scale Factor: To find this, compare the preimage circle's radius to the image circle's radius. Determine what multiplier will transform the preimage radius length into the image radius length.

Preimage Radius (Circle A) = 2      Image Radius (Circle B) = 4

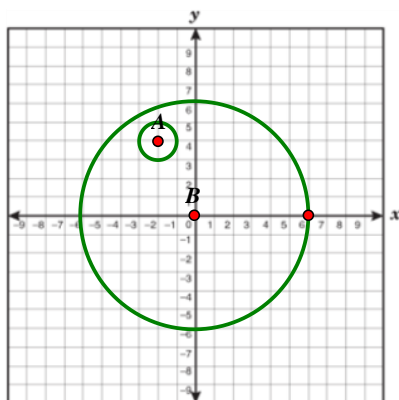
The preimage radius must be multiplied by 2 to equal this image radius, so the scale factor should be 2.



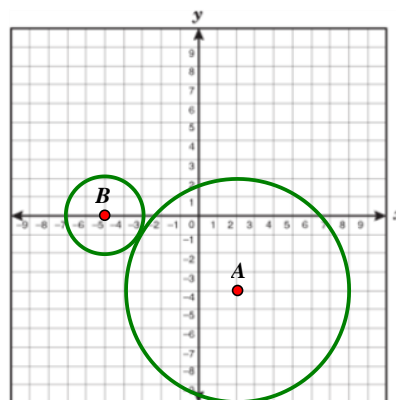
**Your Turn:**

1. Look at the description below each graph and describe the transformations that map the preimage to the image. The transformation will involve a translation and a dilation/scale factor.

a)



b)



**Circle B to Circle A**

**Circle A to Circle B**

Translation:

Scale Factor:

Translation:

Scale Factor:

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2. Determine the translation that would map the center of circle A onto the center of circle B. If you need a quick graph to help you, use the space below each problem to sketch it out.

Circle A	Circle B
A (-3, -11)	B (4, 7)

Translation: \_\_\_\_\_

Circle A	Circle B
A (0, -8)	B (-3, 2)

Translation: \_\_\_\_\_

3. What scale factor would make circle A the same size as circle B?

Circle A	Circle B
Radius <sub>A</sub> = 12 cm	Radius <sub>B</sub> = 3 cm

Scale Factor: \_\_\_\_\_

Circle A	Circle B
Radius <sub>A</sub> = 6 cm	Radius <sub>B</sub> = 8 cm

Scale Factor: \_\_\_\_\_

Using what you know about circles, find the requested information.

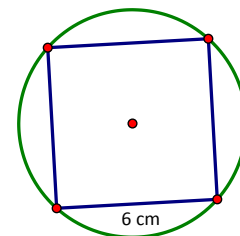
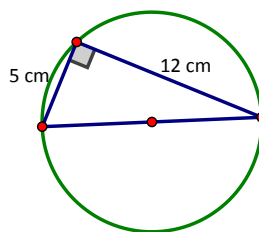
a) Area =  $36\pi$   $r =$  \_\_\_\_\_

b)  $C = 10\pi$   $r =$  \_\_\_\_\_

c)  $d = 7$  cm  $r =$  \_\_\_\_\_

d)  $r =$  \_\_\_\_\_

e)  $r =$  \_\_\_\_\_ (E)



Square inscribed