## Triangles

The core elements of performance required by this task are:

- reason about similar figures and scale factor

| Based on these, credit for specific aspects of performance should be assigned as follows: | Points | $\begin{gathered} \text { Section } \\ \text { Points } \end{gathered}$ |
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| 1. Gives correct answer as: <br> Triangle G <br> Gives correct explanation such as: <br> Both triangles have sides 3, 4, and a right angle between these two sides. |  | 2 |
| 2. Gives correct answers as: <br> Triangles $\mathbf{C}$ and $\mathbf{E}$ (accept $G$ ) <br> Gives correct explanation such as: <br> All the sides of triangle C are half as long as the sides of triangle A . or <br> All the sides of triangle E are twice as long as the sides of triangle A. or <br> All the sides of triangle G are the same length as the sides of triangle A. | $\begin{gathered} 1,1 \\ \\ 1 \\ \text { or } \\ 1 \\ \text { or } \\ 1 \end{gathered}$ | 3 |
| 3. Gives correct answer as: <br> 54 square units <br> Shows correct work such as: <br> The area of triangle A is 6 square units. <br> The area of the enlarged triangle is $9 \times 6$. or <br> The height and base of the enlarged triangle are 12 and 9 units. <br> The area of the enlarged triangle is $\frac{1}{2} \times 12 \times 9$. | 1 <br> 1 <br> or <br> 1 <br> 1 |  |
| Total Points |  | 8 |

