

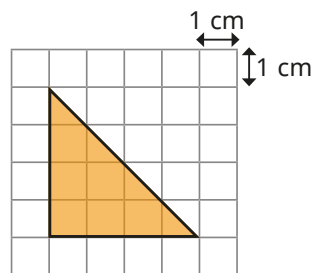
- 1 Complete the sentences to find the area of the triangle.

The triangle has full squares.

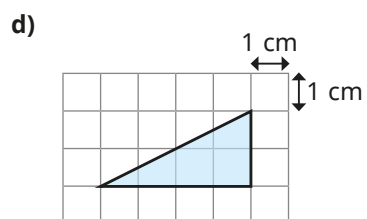
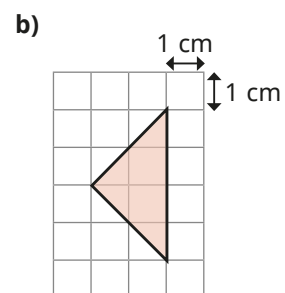
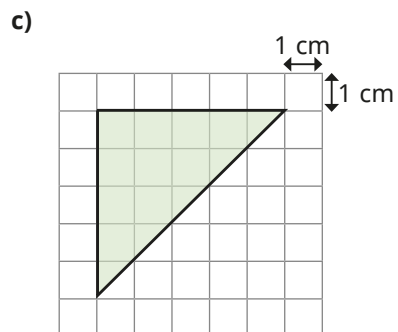
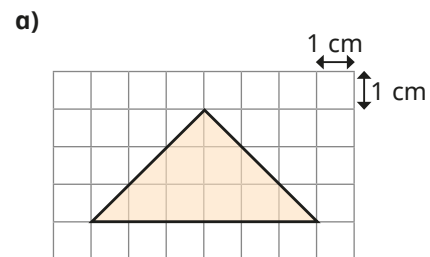
The triangle has half squares.

The area of the triangle

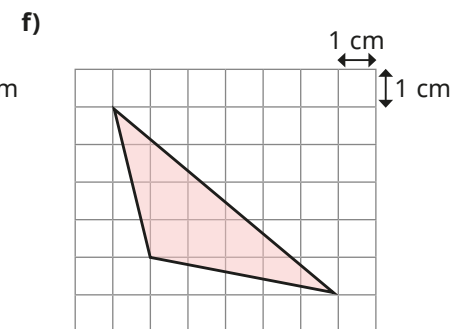
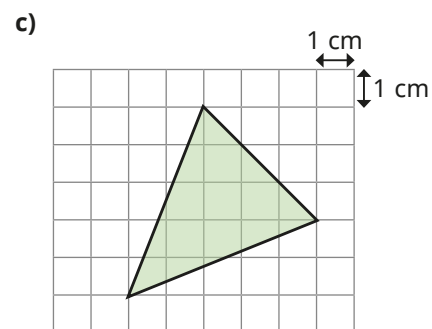
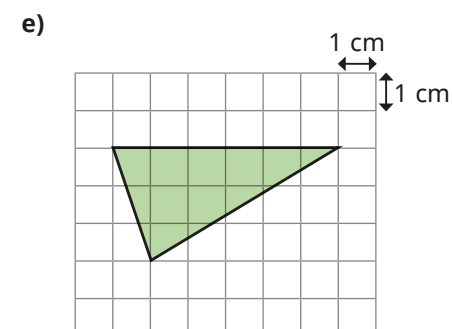
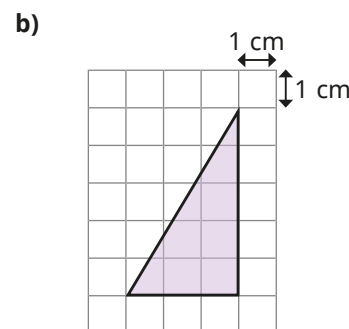
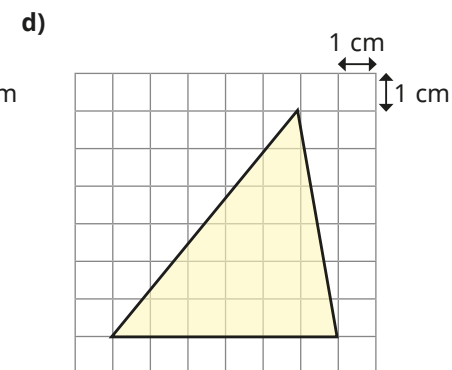
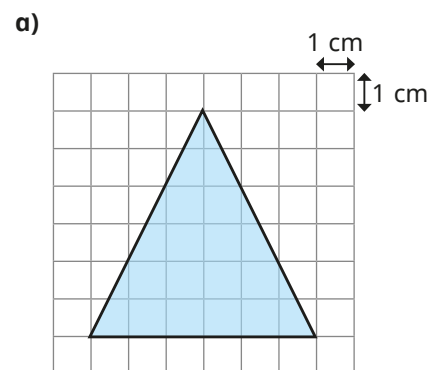
is cm^2



- 2 Count squares to work out the area of each triangle.



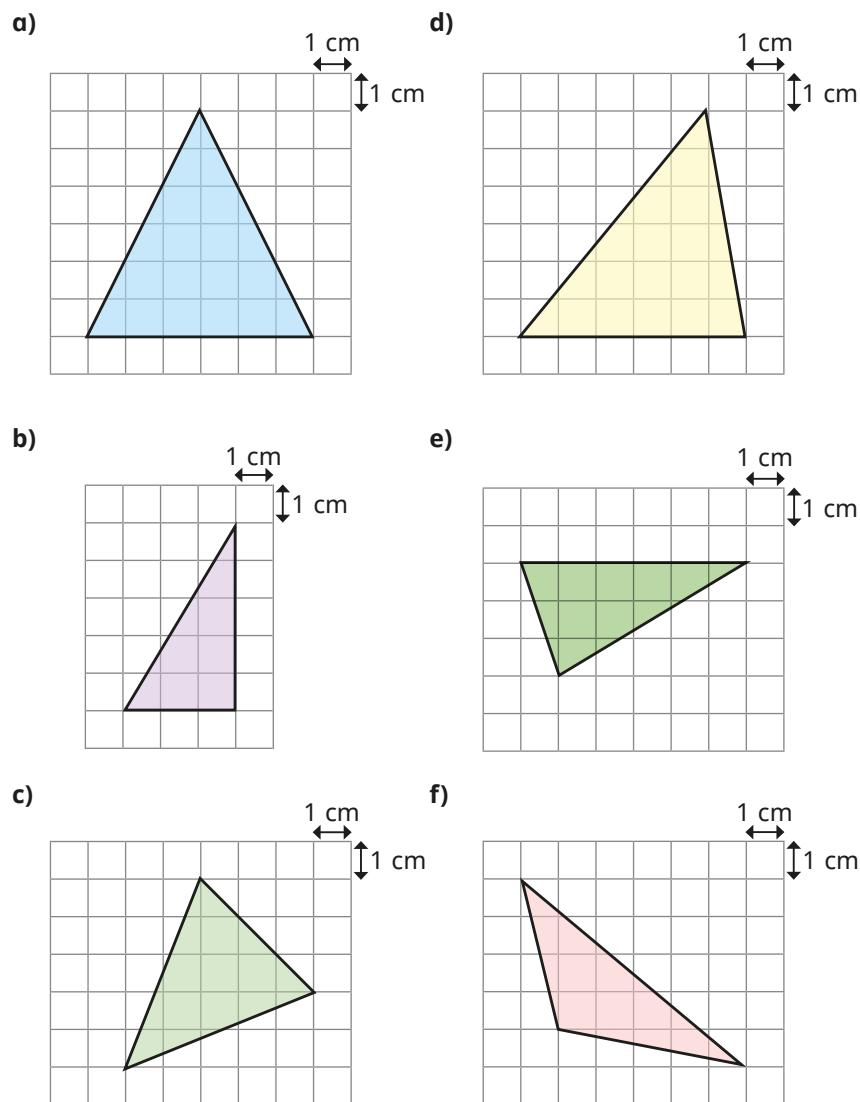
- 3 Count squares to estimate the area of each triangle.



Why are your answers estimates?

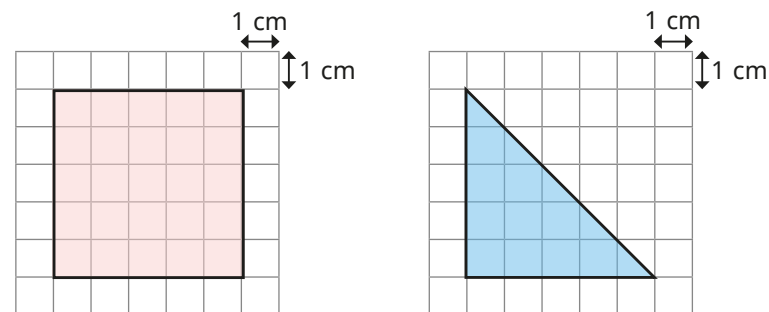


- 3 Count squares to estimate the area of each triangle.



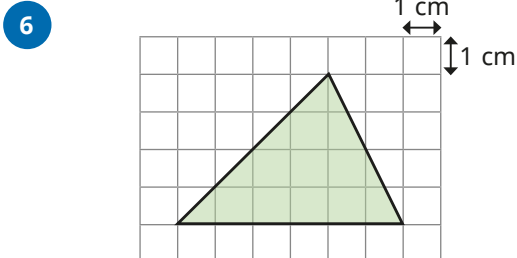
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- 4 Work out the areas of the shapes by counting squares.



What do you notice?

- 5 Draw a triangle that has an area of approximately 15 cm^2 . Compare answers with a partner.



I estimate the size of the triangle to be about 16 cm^2



Do you agree with Eva's estimate?
Talk about it with a partner.

- 7 Draw triangles with these areas.

1 cm^2

2 cm^2

3 cm^2

4 cm^2

5 cm^2

6 cm^2

Talk to a partner about the best strategies for drawing the triangles.