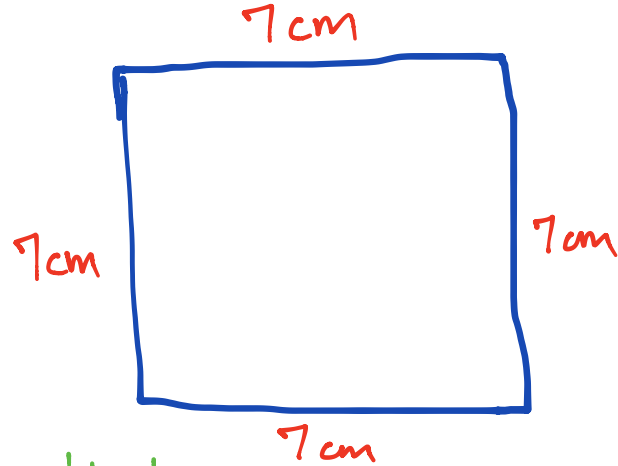Name _____   Date _____

1. Carl draws a square that has side lengths of 7 centimeters.

    a. Estimate to draw Carl's square, and label the side lengths.

    NOTE: The square has not been drawn to scale.

    7 cm

    7 cm

    7 cm

    7 cm

    b. What is the area of Carl's square?

    $7 \text{ cm} \times 7 \text{ cm} = 49$ sq. cm.
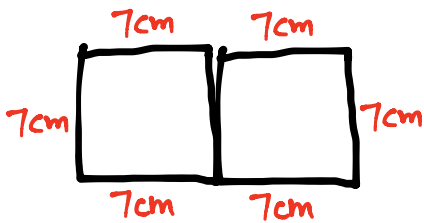
    The area of the square is 49 square centimeters.

    c. What is the perimeter of Carl's square?

    $7 \text{ cm} + 7 \text{ cm} + 7 \text{ cm} + 7 \text{ cm} = 28 \text{ cm}$

    The square's perimeter is 28 centimeters.

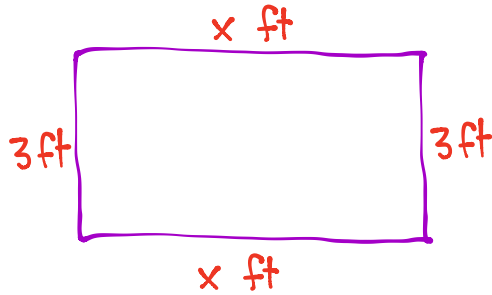   d. Carl draws two of these squares to make one long rectangle. What is the perimeter of this rectangle?

    7 cm   7 cm

    7 cm   7 cm

    7 cm   7 cm

    $7 \text{ cm} + 7 \text{ cm} + 7 \text{ cm} + 7 \text{ cm} + 7 \text{ cm} + 7 \text{ cm}$

    $6 \times 7 \text{ cm} = 42 \text{ cm}$

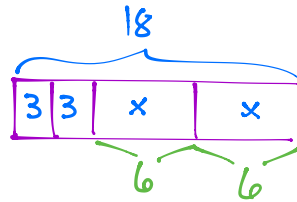   The perimeter of the rectangle is 42 cm.

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2. Mr. Briggs puts food for the class party on a rectangular table. The table has a perimeter of 18 feet and a width of 3 feet.
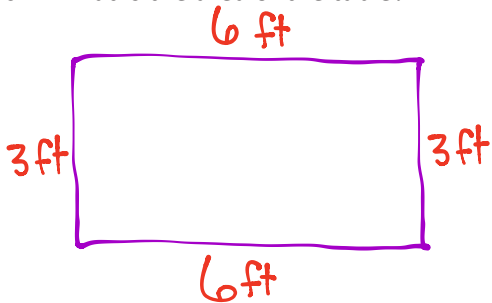
a. Estimate to draw the table, and label the side lengths.

x ft

3ft   3ft

x ft

b. What is the length of the table?

$3ft + 3ft + x ft + x ft = 18 ft$

18

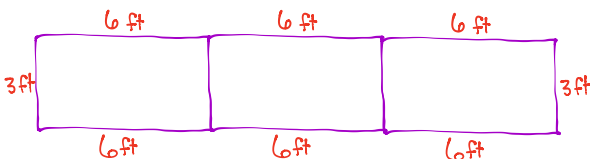| 3 | 3 | × | × |

6   6

The length of the table is 6 feet.

c. What is the area of the table?

6 ft

3ft   3ft

6ft

$3ft \times 6ft = 18 \text{ sq ft}$

The area of the table is 18 square feet.

d. Mr. Briggs puts three of these tables together side by side to make 1 long table. What is the area of the long table?

6 ft   6 ft   6 ft

3 ft   3 ft

6ft   6ft   6ft

$3 \times 18 \text{ sq ft} = 54 \text{ sq ft}$

The area of the long table is 54 square feet.

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