



Notes from Teacher Instruction

**COUNTER - EXAMPLE**

SMALL      LARGE

HEIGHT	$\frac{15}{45}$	$=$	$\frac{35}{100}$
BASE			

$(45)(35) \stackrel{?}{=} (100)(15)$   
 $1575 \neq 1500$

BECAUSE THE CROSS PRODUCTS ARE NOT EQUAL, THE  $\Delta$ S ARE NOT PROPORTIONAL & THE 3 POINTS ARE NOT COLLINEAR.

THEY ARE OFF COURSE.

  

**EXAMPLE**

SMALL      LARGE

HEIGHT	$\frac{14}{21}$	$=$	$\frac{32}{48}$
BASE			

$(21)(32) \stackrel{?}{=} (48)(14)$   
 $672 = 672$

BECAUSE THE CROSS PRODUCTS ARE EQUAL, THE  $\Delta$ S ARE PROPORTIONAL & THE 3 POINTS ARE COLLINEAR.

THEY ARE ON COURSE.

