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Solving Similar Triangles with Quadratics

For each question, use the fact that $\triangle ABC$ is similar to $\triangle DEF$ and the given information to solve each for the given sides. Drawings are not to scale.

1. AB = 2, AC = x, DE = x, and DF = 8. Solve for x.



2. AB = 1, AC = y - 2, DE = y, and DF = 8. Solve for y.



3. AB = z - 4, AC = 10, DE = 24, and DF = z + 4. Solve for z.





4. BC = x, BA = x - 4, EF = x, and ED = 24. Solve for x.



5. AB = 5, AC = y - 2, DE = y + 2, and DF = 12. Solve for y.



6. $\angle C = 90^{\circ}$, $\angle F = 90^{\circ}$, BC = 3, BA = 5, FE = 4.5. Find the length of ED and FD.

