

Grade: Third	Content: Math Standard: MAT-03.GM.M.08 (Area)	
4.0	In addition to the 3.0 target, in-depth inferences and applications that go beyond the target content	
Complex	Develop, evaluate, and justify areas of rectangular figures which meet given criteria within real-life scenarios.	
3.5	In addition to target performance, in-depth inferences and applications with partial understanding	
3.0 Target	The student exhibits no major errors or omissions	
	Find the area of a rectangle with whole-number side lengths by modeling with unit squares; show that area can be additive and is the same as would be found by multiplying the side lengths.	
	 3.0 Learning Targets: Find the area of a rectangle with whole-number side lengths by modeling with unit squares. Show that area can be additive and is the same as would be found by multiplying the side lengths. 	
2.5	No major errors or omissions regarding the 2.0 simple content and partial understanding of the 3.0 target content	
2.0 Progressing	There are no major omissions at 2.0 simple content and partial understanding at the 3.0 target content.	
	 2.0 Progression of Learning: Cover a shape using unit squares without gaps or overlaps. Recognize that arrays represent repeated addition. 	Academic Vocabulary Used During Instruction • Area • Length • Unit squares • Additive (Repeated Addition)
1.5	Partial understanding of 2.0 simple content, but major errors or omissions regarding the 3.0 target content	
1.0	With help, partial understanding of the 2.0 simple and 3.0 target content	
0.5	With help (full adult support), partial understanding of the 2.0 simple content, but not the 3.0 target content	

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