Additional Practice

Investigation 2

Covering and Surrounding

- 1. a. Give the dimensions of the rectangle with an area of 100 square units and whole-number side lengths that has
 - i. the largest perimeter
 - ii. the smallest perimeter
 - b. Explain how you found your answers in part (a).
- 2. Jim has designed a rectangle with an area of 100 square feet and a perimeter of 401 feet.
 - a. Is it possible that Jim's rectangle has whole-number side lengths? Explain.

- b. What are the dimensions of Jim's rectangle?
- 3. Claire and Chad want to design a rectangular pen for their new puppy. They want the pen to have an area of 48 square feet. Fencing costs \$0.85 per foot.
 - **a.** What are the dimensions and the cost of the least expensive pen Claire and Chad could build, assuming the side lengths are whole numbers? Explain.
 - **b.** What are the dimensions and the cost of the most expensive pen Claire and Chad could build, assuming the side lengths are whole numbers? Explain.
 - **c.** Give the dimensions and the cost of a rectangular pen with whole-number side lengths and a cost between the least and most expensive pens you found in parts (a) and (b).
 - **d.** Of the three pens you found, which one would you suggest that Claire and Chad build? Explain your choice.

Additional Practice (continued)

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- **4.** For each of the following, state whether the given perimeter is possible for a rectangle with an area of 42 square units and whole-number side lengths.
 - **a.** 28 units
- **b.** 46 units
- c. 34 units
- **d.** 41 units
- 5. On a sheet of grid paper, draw all the possible rectangles with whole-number side lengths that have a perimeter of 10 units. Explain how you made sure you did not miss any possibilities in making your rectangles.

- **6.** For each of the following, tell whether the given area is possible for a rectangle with a perimeter of 28 units and whole-number side lengths.
 - a. 24 sq. units
- **b.** 40 sq. units
- **c.** 42 sq. units
- d. 45 sq. units

- 7. Tracy has 40 feet of material to make the perimeter of a rectangular sandbox for her little brother.
 - **a.** What rectangle with whole-number side lengths would give the sandbox with the greatest area?
 - **b.** What rectangle with whole-number side lengths would give the sandbox with the least area?
 - c. Give the dimensions of a rectangle with whole-number side lengths that has an area between the least and greatest areas you found in parts (a) and (b).
 - **d.** Of the three rectangles you found, which one would you recommend that Tracy make? Explain your reasoning.