Unit 6 Lesson 1: Organizing Data

1 Notice and Wonder: Messy Data (Warm up)

Student Task Statement

Here is a table of data. Each row shows two measurements of a triangle.

| length of short side (cm) | length of perimeter (cm) | |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| 0.25 | 1 | |
| 2 | 7.5 | |
| 6.5 | 22 | |
| 3 | 9.5 | |
| 0.5 | 2 | |
| 1.25 | 3.5 | |
| 3.5 | 12.5 | |
| 1.5 | 5 | |
| 4 | 14 | |
| 1 | 2.5 | |

What do you notice? What do you wonder?

2 Seeing the Data

Images for Launch



Student Task Statement

Here is the table of isosceles right triangle measurements from the warm-up and an empty table.

| length of short sides (cm) | length of perimeter (cm) | length of short sides (cm) | length of perimeter (cm) |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 0.25 | 1 | | |
| 2 | 7.5 | | |
| 6.5 | 22 | | |
| 3 | 9.5 | | |
| 0.5 | 2 | | |
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- 1. How can you organize the measurements from the first table so that any patterns are easier to see? Write the organized measurements in the empty table.
- 2. For each of the following lengths, estimate the perimeter of an isosceles right triangle whose short sides have that length. Explain your reasoning for each triangle.
 - a. length of short sides is 0.75 cm
 - b. length of short sides is 5 cm
 - c. length of short sides is 10 cm

Activity Synthesis



3 Tables and Their Scatter Plots

Student Task Statement

Here are four scatter plots. Your teacher will give you four tables of data.

- Match each table with one of the scatter plots.
- Use information from the tables to label the axes for each scatter plot.

