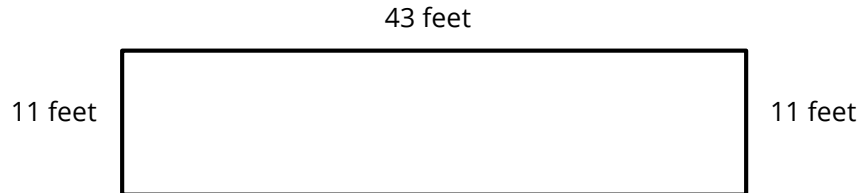


Possible Solution

Valerie's family is making part of their yard into a vegetable garden. They plan to put metal edging around the garden to keep the grass in the rest of the yard out of the garden. If the diagram below represents the garden, how many feet of edging will they need to put around the garden?



Three of the sides of the garden are known. I know that if one side of the rectangle is 43 feet long, the opposite side will also be 43 feet. I added $43 + 11 + 43 + 11 = 108$ feet to find the perimeter of the garden.