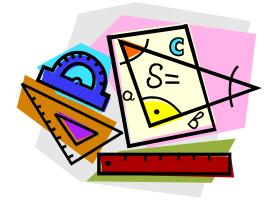
# **Geometry** Unit 4 Congruent Triangles



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### Section 4 – 1: Classifying Triangles Notes

#### **Parts of a Triangle:**

Triangle – a three-sided polygon

Name –

Sides –

Vertices –

Angles –

#### **Classifying Triangles by Angles:**

Acute  $\Delta$ 

Obtuse  $\Delta$ 

Right  $\Delta$ 

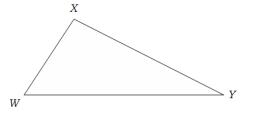
Equiangular  $\Delta$  -

**Classifying Triangles by Sides:** 

Scalene  $\Delta$ 

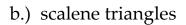
Isosceles  $\Delta$ 

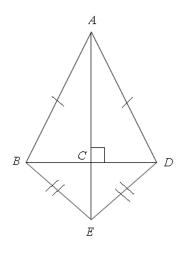
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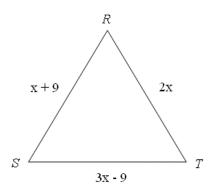
**Example #1:** Identify the indicated type of triangle in the figure.

a.) isosceles triangles

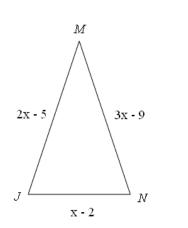




**Example #2:** Find *x* and the measure of each side of equilateral triangle *RST*.



**Example #3:** Find *x*, *JM*, *MN*, and *JN* if  $\Delta JMN$  is an isosceles triangle



with  $\overline{JM} \cong \overline{MN}$ .

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Practice B

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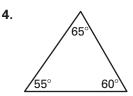
#### Classify the triangle by its sides.

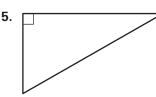
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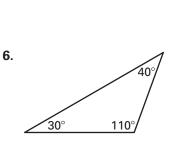


#### Classify the triangle by its angles.



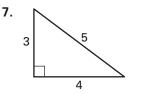


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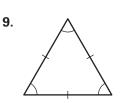


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#### Classify the triangle by its angles and by its sides.







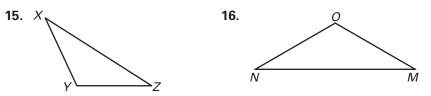
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#### Match the triangle description with the most specific name.

- **10.** Side lengths: 6 cm, 7 cm, 8 cm
- **11.** Side lengths: 9 cm, 10 cm, 9 cm
- **12.** Angle measures:  $35^{\circ}$ ,  $55^{\circ}$ ,  $90^{\circ}$
- **13.** Angle measures:  $13^\circ$ ,  $27^\circ$ ,  $140^\circ$
- **14.** Angle measures:  $59^\circ$ ,  $60^\circ$ ,  $61^\circ$

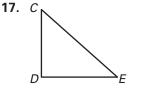
- **A.** Isosceles**B.** Obtuse
- C. Acute
- **D**. Right
- E. Scalene

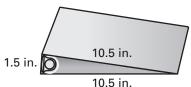
#### Identify which side is opposite each angle.



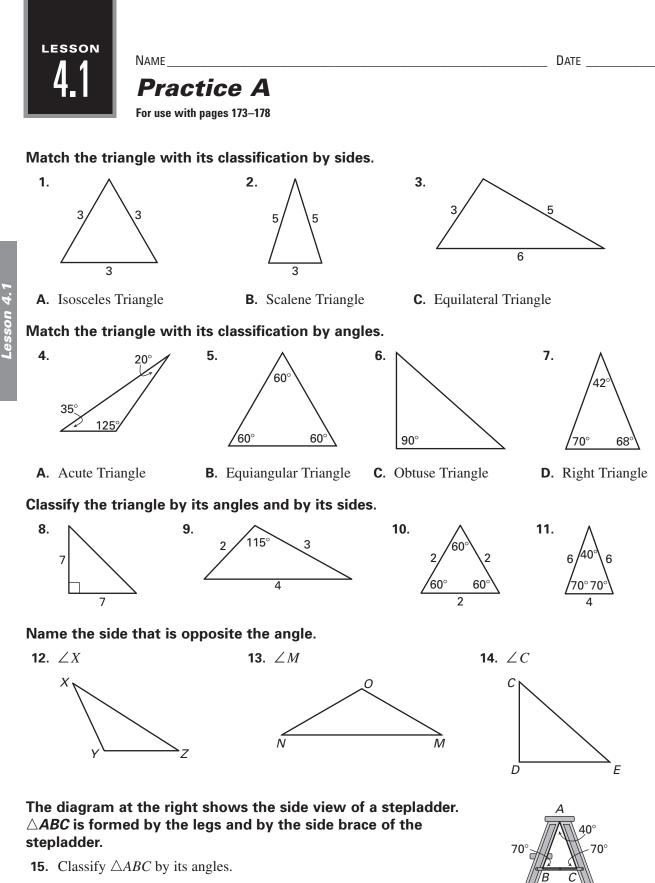
#### In Exercises 18 and 19, use the notebook binder at the right.

- **18.** Use the lengths shown to classify the triangle formed by the bottom edges of the binder by sides.
- **19.** If the triangle formed by the bottom edges of the binder has angles that measure 86°, 86°, and 8°, classify the triangle by angles.

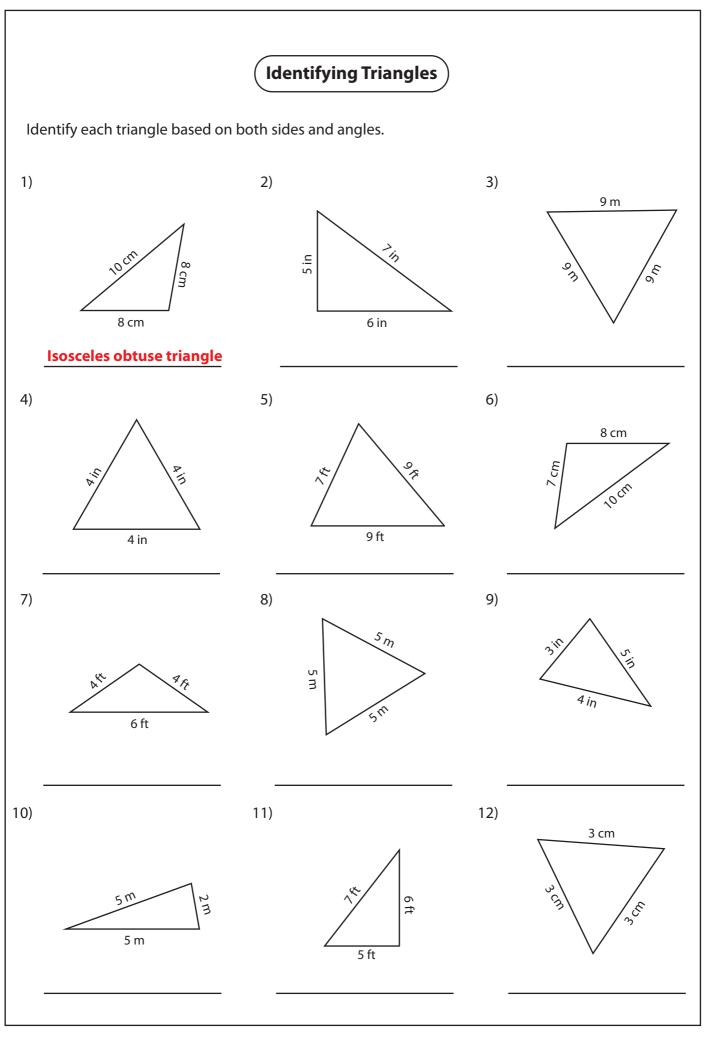




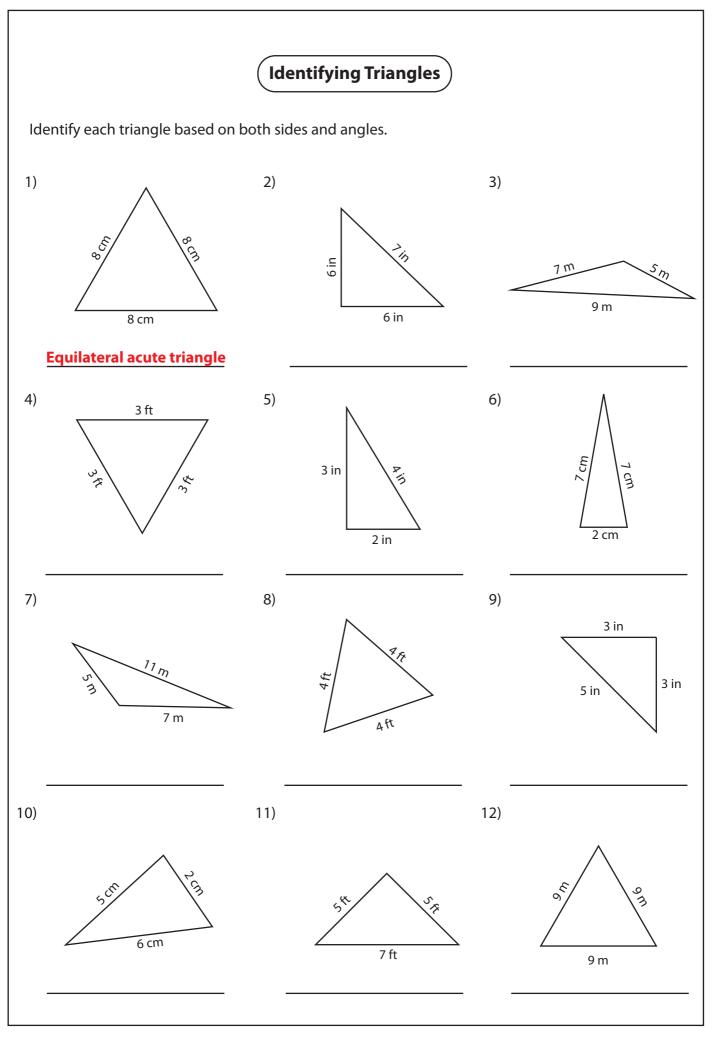




**16.** If AB = 28 in., AC = 28 in., and BC = 16 in., classify  $\triangle ABC$  by its sides.



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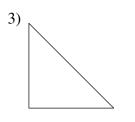
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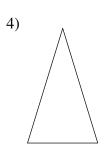
## **Classifying Triangles**

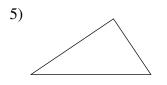
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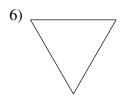
Classify each triangle by each angles and sides. Base your decision on the actual lengths of the sides and the measures of the angles.



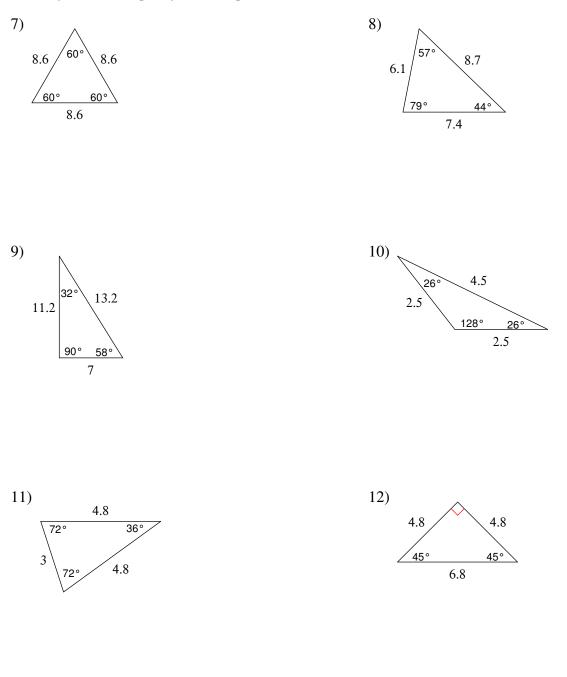








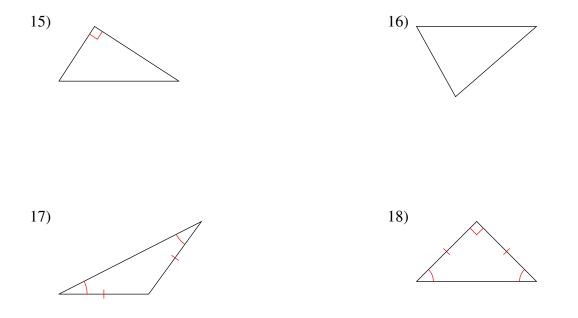
#### Classify each triangle by each angles and sides.



Classify each triangle by each angles and sides. Equal sides and equal angles, if any, are indicated in each diagram.



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Sketch an example of the type of triangle described. Mark the triangle to indicate what information is known. If no triangle can be drawn, write "not possible."

19) acute isosceles20) right scalene

21) right isosceles

22) right equilateral

23) acute scalene

24) obtuse scalene

25) right obtuse

26) equilateral

#### **Vocabulary Check**

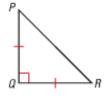
#### What is the difference between an obtuse triangle and an acute triangle?

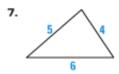
#### In Exercises 2-4, use the diagram.

- **2.** Name the side *opposite*  $\angle P$ .
- **3.** Name the side *opposite*  $\angle Q$ .
- 4. Classify the triangle by its sides.

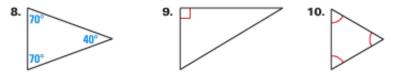
#### Skill Check Classify the triangle by its sides.

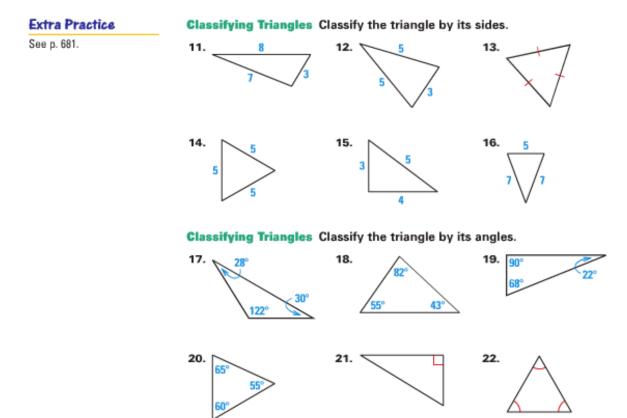




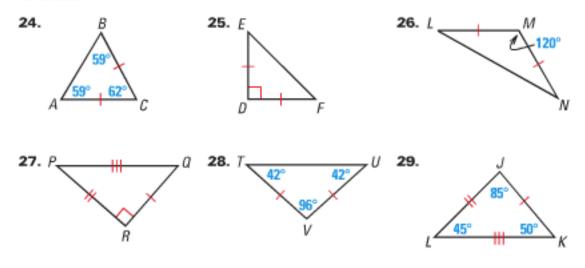


Classify the triangle by its angles.





**Classifying Triangles** Classify the triangle by its angles and by its sides.



# **Matching Triangles** In Exercises 30–36, use the example above to match the triangle description with the most specific name.

- 30. Side lengths: 2 cm, 3 cm, 4 cm
- 31. Side lengths: 3 cm, 2 cm, 3 cm
- 32. Side lengths: 4 cm, 4 cm, 4 cm
- **33.** Angle measures: 60°, 60°, 60°
- 34. Angle measures: 30°, 60°, 90°
- 35. Angle measures: 20°, 145°, 15°
- Angle measures: 50°, 55°, 75°

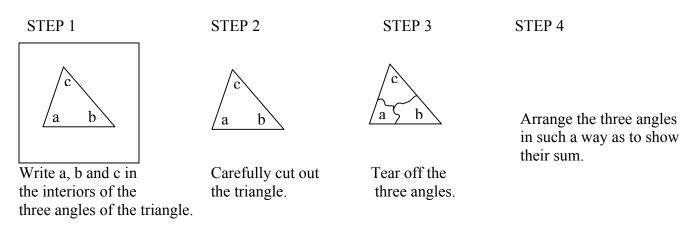
- Equilateral
- B. Scalene
- C. Obtuse
- D. Equiangular
- E. Isosceles
- F. Acute
- G. Right

# Visualize It! Draw an example of the triangle.

<ol> <li>obtuse scalene</li> </ol>	<ol><li>right isosceles</li></ol>	50. acute scalene
51. right scalene	52. acute isosceles	53. obtuse isosceles

# Angles of Triangles Section 4-2 Angle Sum Activity

Draw a large triangle on your paper. (Use half the sheet of  $8 \frac{1}{2} \times 11$  paper)

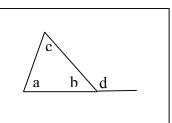


CONJECTURE: Sum of the angles of any triangle is \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Exterior Angle Activity**

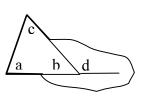
Draw a large triangle on your paper. (Use half the sheet of  $8 \frac{1}{2} \times 11$  paper). Extend one side of the triangle to form an exterior angle. (See diagram in step 1)

STEP 1



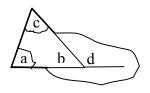
Write a, b, and c in the interiors of the three angles, and d in the exterior angle formed.

STEP 2



Carefully cut out the triangle and extended side as shown in the diagram.

STEP 3



Tear off angles a and c only. Arrange angles a and c in such a way as to show their relationship to angle d.

#### **CONJECTURE:** The measure of the exterior angle of any triangle is

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 $70^{\circ}$ 

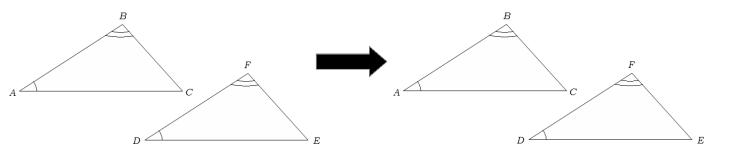
#### Section 4 – 2: Angles of Triangles Notes

#### Angle Sum Theorem: • The sum of the measures of the angles of a \_\_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_. Example #1: Find the missing angle measures. a.) b.) $ds = \frac{1}{2}$ $ds = \frac{1}{2}$

#### Third Angle Theorem:

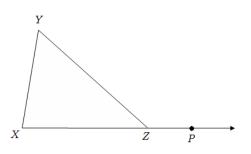
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If two angles of one triangle are \_\_\_\_\_\_ to two angles of a second triangle, then the third angles of the triangles are \_\_\_\_\_\_.

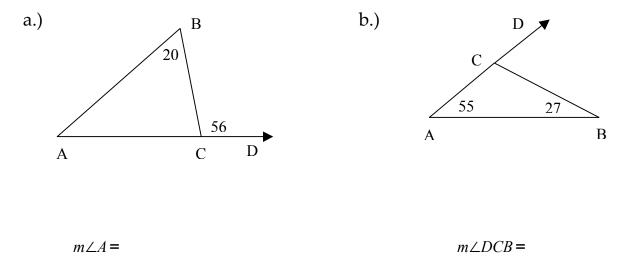


#### **Exterior Angle Theorem:**

- An exterior angle is formed by one side of a \_\_\_\_\_\_ and the extension of another \_\_\_\_\_.
- The measure of an exterior angle of a triangle is \_\_\_\_\_\_ to the sum of the measures of the two \_\_\_\_\_\_ interior angles.



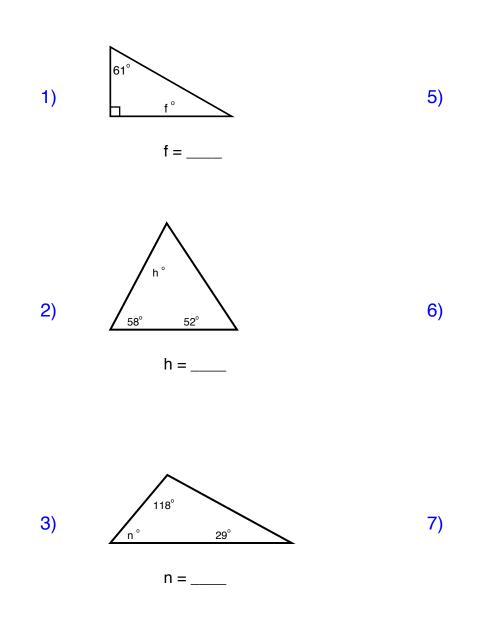
**Example #2:** Find the measure of each of the following angles.

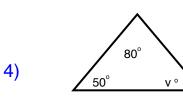


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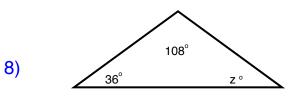


Solve for the given variable.





v = \_\_\_\_



c°

C = \_\_\_\_

80°

е

56°

64<sup>°</sup>

. 55° r٥

r = \_\_\_\_\_

51°

e = \_\_\_

50°

z = \_\_\_\_\_

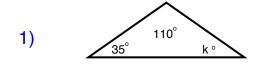




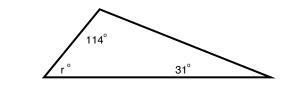
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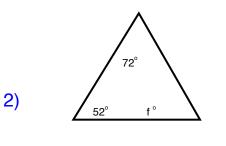








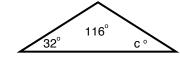




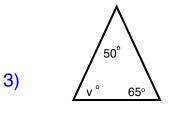


k = \_\_\_\_\_





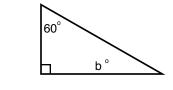
c = \_\_\_\_



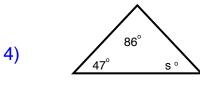
V = \_\_\_\_



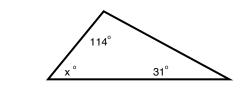
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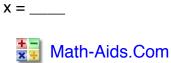


b = \_\_\_\_

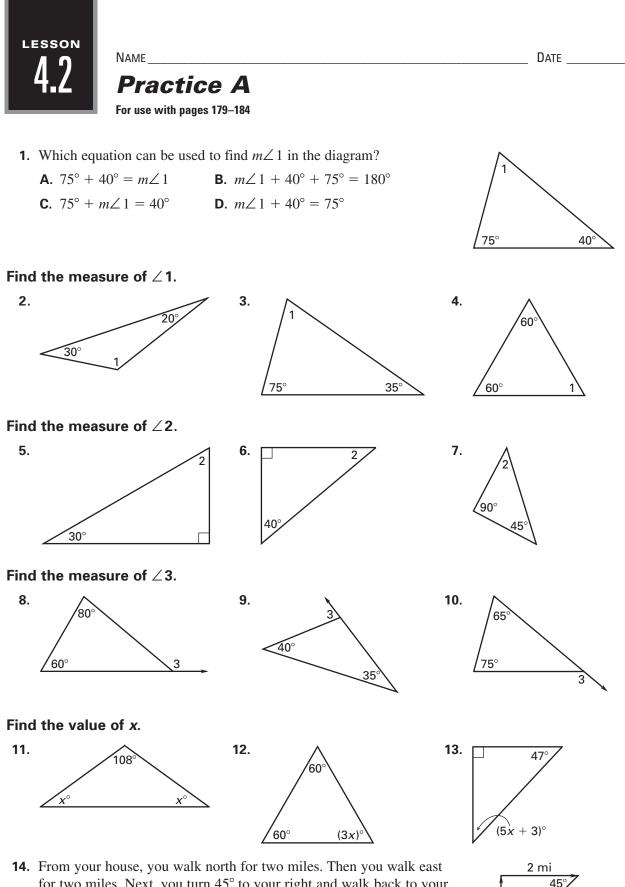


s = \_\_\_









14. From your house, you walk north for two miles. Then you walk east for two miles. Next, you turn 45° to your right and walk back to your house. What is the measure of ∠1, as shown in the diagram at the right?2 mi

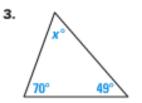
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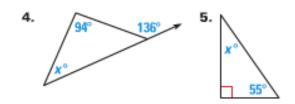
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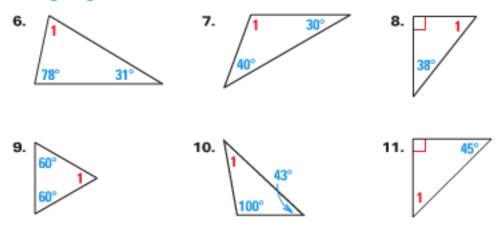
#### Use the diagram to determine which equation can be used to find m∠DEF.



#### Find the value of x.

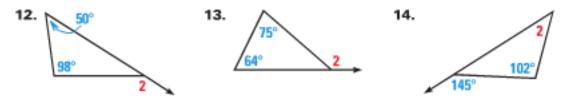




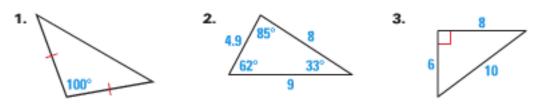


#### Finding Angle Measures Find the measure of $\angle 1$ .

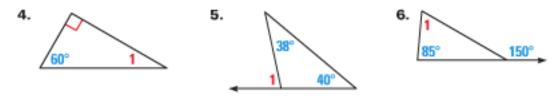
#### **Exterior Angles** Find the measure of $\angle 2$ .

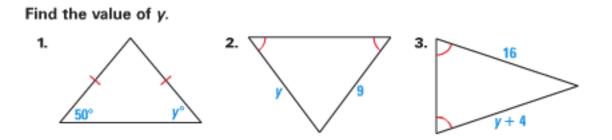


Classify the triangle by its angles and by its sides. (Lesson 4.1)

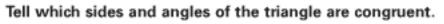


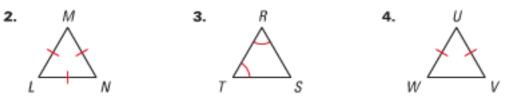
Find the measure of ∠1. (Lesson 4.2)





1. What is the difference between equilateral and equiangular?

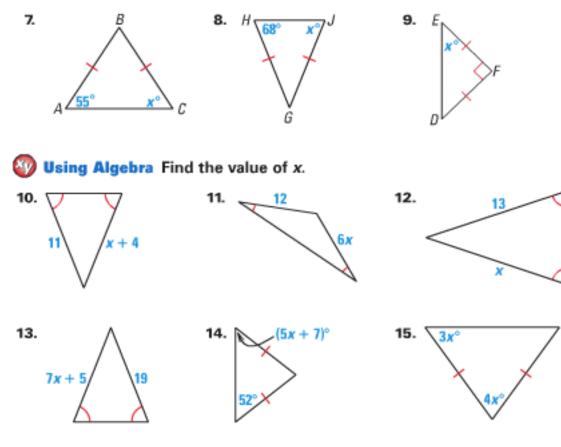


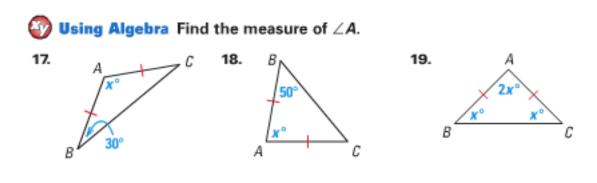


Find the value of x. Tell what theorem(s) you used.



Finding Measures Find the value of x. Tell what theorem(s) you used.





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Guided Notes Inequalities in One Triar	ngle	Date:	Period:
The <b>longest side</b> of a tri	angle is opposite its	angle.	
The <b>shortest side</b> of a tr	riangle is opposite its	angle.	
The <b>largest angle</b> is opp	oosite the	side.	
The <b>smallest angle</b> is op	pposite the	side.	
в	Longest side		
603	Smallest Angle		
	Shortest Side		
<u>55° 65°</u>	Smallest Angle		
<i>x</i> 0			
Theorem: If one side of	a triangle is longer than anot	her side, then the angle o	pposite the
is la	arger than the angle opposite	the	
<b>Theorem:</b> If one angle c	of a triangle is larger than ano	ther angle, then the side o	opposite the
-	is longer than the side opposi	-	
	0		
Example #1: Write the s	sides of the triangle in order f	rom shortest to longest.	
A 62°	c		
Example #2: Write the a	angles in order from smallest	to largest.	

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Guided Notes		
Inequalities in One Triangle	Date:	Period:
Theorem: The sum of the lengths of any two sides of a	triangle is greater that	an the third side. (Start with the two
smaller sides, if they satisfy the theorem, than the rema	aining sums will also s	satisfy it.)

**Example #3**: Could the following be the side lengths of a triangle?

a. 27, 18, 12

b. 5, 14, 7

c. 12, 14, 26

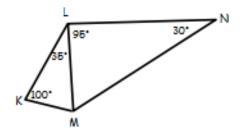
d. 2.001, 3, 5

e.√5, 2, 5

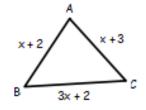
**Example #4:** Find the possible values for the 3rd side of the triangle.



**Example #5:** List the sides in order from shortest to longest.



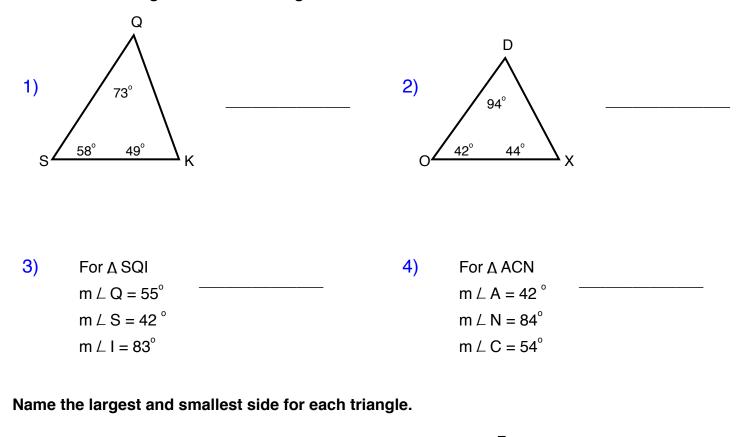
**Example #6:** Find the range of values for x.

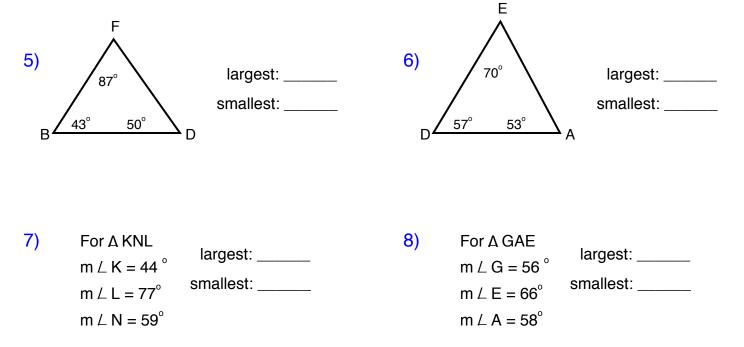


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# **Triangle Inequality of Sides**

Order each triangle's sides from largest to smallest.









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# **Triangle Inequality Theorem**

State if each set of three numbers can be the lengths of the sides of a triangle.

1)	3, 12, 10	6)	5, 7, 10
2)	4, 5, 12	7)	3, 13, 20
3)	5, 8, 10	8)	7, 10, 16
4)	13, 3, 13	9)	7, 9, 21
5)	9, 5, 19	10)	13, 2, 16

Given are the lengths of two sides of a triangle. Find the range of lengths for the third side.

11) 3, 6	<mark>14)</mark> 4, 12
12) 2, 8	<mark>15)</mark> 13, 7
<b>13</b> ) 12, 2	<mark>16)</mark> 10, 12





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# **Triangle Inequality Theorem**

State if each set of three numbers can be the lengths of the sides of a triangle.

1)	6, 11, 22	6)	5, 11, 19
2)	4, 7, 12	7)	2, 6, 10
3)	8, 13, 13	8)	10, 3, 18
4)	11, 5, 10	9)	7, 8, 3
5)	12, 9, 26	10)	2, 3, 10

Given are the lengths of two sides of a triangle. Find the range of lengths for the third side.

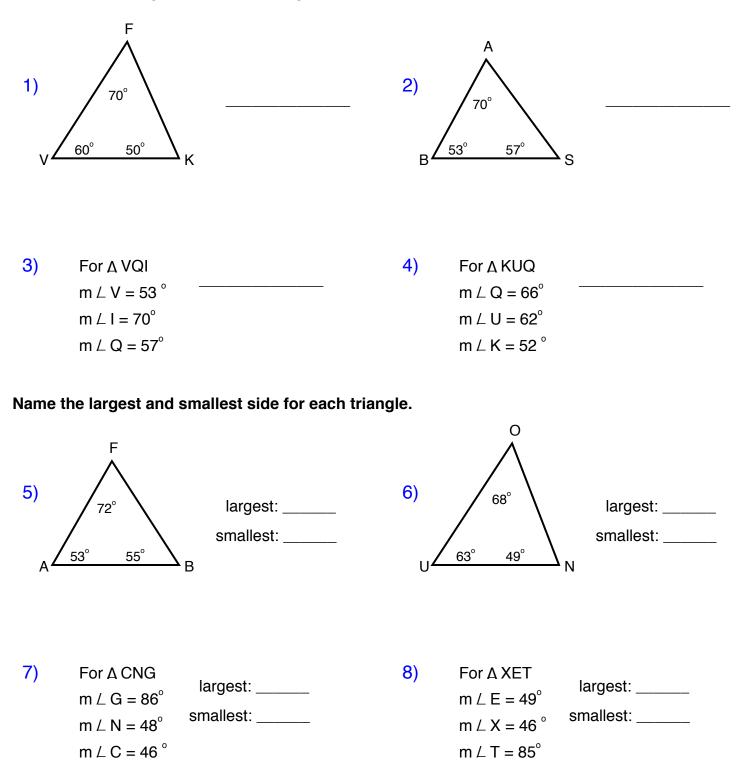
11) 9, 4	<mark>14)</mark> 13, 4
<b>12)</b> 11, 5	<b>15)</b> 3, 10
13) 2, 6	<b>16)</b> 8, 4



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# **Triangle Inequality of Sides**

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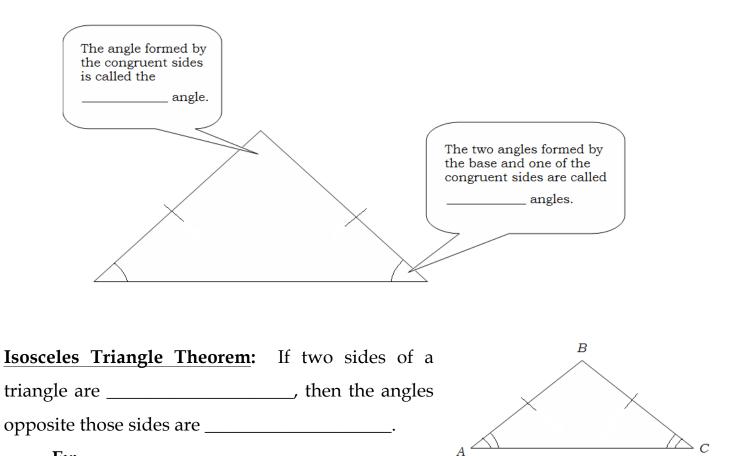




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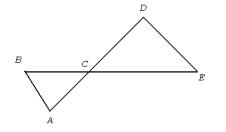
#### Section 4 – 6: Isosceles Triangles Notes

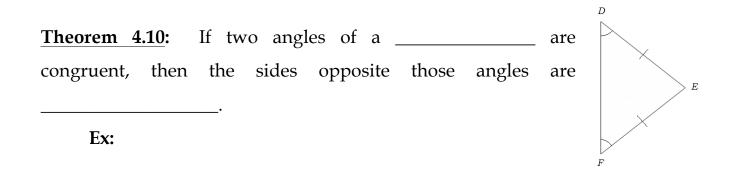
**Isosceles Triangle:** A triangle with at least \_\_\_\_\_\_ sides congruent.



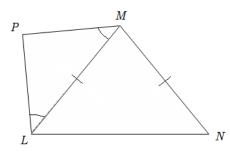
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**Example #1:** If  $\overline{DE} \cong \overline{CD}$ ,  $\overline{BC} \cong \overline{AC}$ , and  $m \angle CDE = 120$ , what is the measure of  $\angle BAC$ ?



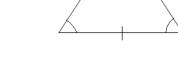


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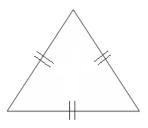


- a.) Name all of the congruent angles.
- b.) Name all of the congruent segments.



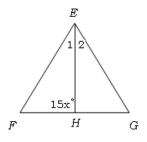


Corollary 4.4: Each angle of an equilateral triangle measures



**Example #3:**  $\Delta EFG$  is equilateral, and  $\overline{EH}$  bisects  $\angle E$ .

- a.) Find  $m \angle 1$  and  $m \angle 2$ .
- b.) Find x.



### **Congruent Figures**

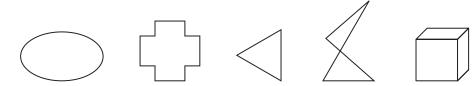
# Vocabulary

#### Review

**1.** Underline the correct word to complete the sentence.

A *polygon* is a two-dimensional figure with two / three or more segments that meet exactly at their endpoints.

**2.** Cross out the figure(s) that are NOT *polygons*.



#### Vocabulary Builder

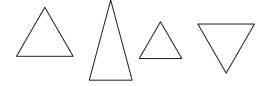
congruent (adjective) kahng GROO unt

Main Idea: Congruent figures have the same size and shape.

Related Word: congruence (noun)

#### • Use Your Vocabulary

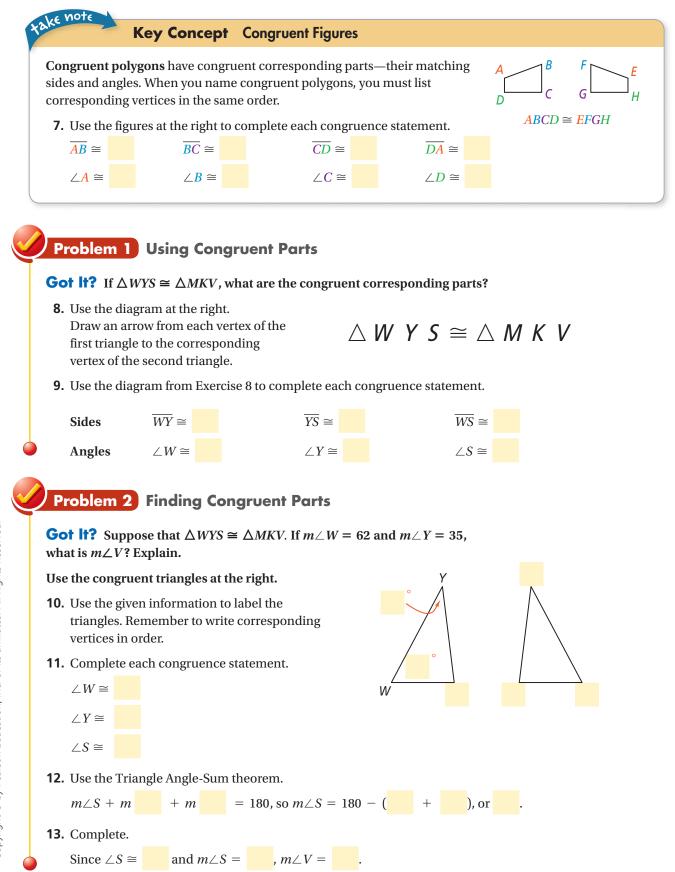
**3.** Circle the triangles that appear to be *congruent*.



#### Write T for *true* or F for *false*.

- 4. Congruent angles have different measures.
- 5. A prism and its net are *congruent* figures.
- 6. The corresponding sides of *congruent* figures have the same measure.

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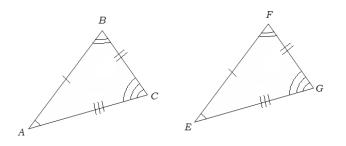


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#### Section 4 – 3: Congruent Triangles Notes

**<u>Congruent Triangles</u>**: triangles that are the same \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

- Each triangle has three \_\_\_\_\_ and three \_\_\_\_\_.
- If all \_\_\_\_\_\_ of the corresponding parts of two triangles are \_\_\_\_\_\_.



Congruent Triangles:

Corresponding Congruent Angles:

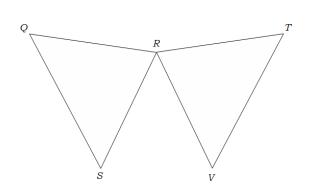
Corresponding Congruent Sides:

#### **Definition of Congruent Triangles (CPCTC):**

- Two triangles are congruent if and only if their corresponding parts are
- *CPCTC* Corresponding parts of congruent triangles are congruent

**Example #1:** In the following figure, *QR* = 12, *RS* = 23, *QS* = 24, *RT* = 12,

*TV* = 24, and *RV* = 23.



Name the corresponding congruent angles and sides.

Name the congruent triangles.

#### **Properties of Triangle Congruence:**

Reflexive	<u>Symmetric</u>	<u>Transitive</u>
$ \begin{array}{c} K \\                                   $	K $L$ $Q$ $R$ $Q$ $Q$ $R$ $Q$ $Q$ $R$ $Q$	$ \begin{array}{c} K \\ \downarrow \\ J \end{array} $ $ \begin{array}{c} Q \\ P \\ R \\ X \end{array} $ $ \begin{array}{c} Y \\ Y \\ Z \\ X \end{array} $ $ \begin{array}{c} Z \\ Z \\ X \end{array} $

**Example #2:** If  $\Delta WXZ \cong \Delta STJ$ , name the congruent angles and congruent sides.

Angles –

Sides –

#### **Additional Problems 4**-1 **Congruent Figures**

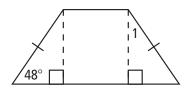
#### Problem 1

If  $RSTU \cong WXYZ$ , what are the congruent corresponding parts?

#### **Problem 2**

The sides of a roof suggest congruent triangles. What is  $m \angle 1$ ?

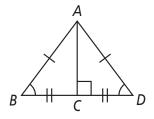
- **A.**90
- **B.** 48
- **C.** 42
- **D.** 32



Additional Problems (continued) **Δ**-1 Congruent Figures

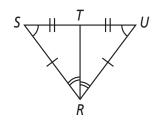
#### Problem 3

Are the triangles congruent? Justify your answer.



**Problem 4** 

Given:  $\overline{RS} \cong \overline{RU}$ ,  $\overline{TS} \cong \overline{TU}$ ,  $\angle S \cong \angle U, \angle SRT \cong \angle URT$ **Prove:**  $\triangle RST \cong \triangle RUT$ 



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#### **ELL Support**

**Congruent Figures** 

**Concept List** 

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algebraic equation congruent angles	angle measure congruent polygons	congruency statement congruent segments
congruent triangles	proof	segment measure

Choose the concept from the list above that best represents the item in each box.

1. GH ≃ST	<b>2</b> . <i>m</i> ∠ <i>A</i> = 45	3. $A + B$ D + C + C Q + T T
4. $YZ = MN$ $W \longrightarrow_{Z}^{Y} \bigvee_{R}^{M} \bigvee_{R}^{N} P$	<b>5.</b> $\Delta ABC \cong \Delta XYZ$	<ul> <li>6. Given: BD is the angle bisector of ∠ABC, and BD is the perpendicular bisector of AC.</li> <li>Prove: ΔADB ≅ ΔCDB</li> </ul>
7. $m \angle H = 5x$ $m \angle W = x + 28$ Solve $5x = x + 28$ to find the measures of $\angle H$ and $\angle W$ .	8. <i>BC</i> = 3 cm	<ul> <li>9. ∠ADB and ∠SDT are vertical angles. So, ∠ADB ≅ ∠SDT.</li> </ul>

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# 4-2

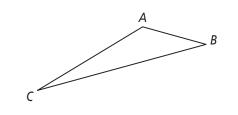
### Triangle Congruence by SSS and SAS

### Vocabulary

#### Review

**1.** Use the diagram at the right. Find each.

*included* angle between  $\overline{AB}$  and  $\overline{CA}$ *included* side between  $\angle A$  and  $\angle C$ *included* angle between  $\overline{BC}$  and  $\overline{CA}$ *included* side between  $\angle B$  and  $\angle C$ *included* angle between  $\overline{BC}$  and  $\overline{AB}$ *included* side between  $\angle B$  and  $\angle A$ 



#### • Vocabulary Builder

#### postulate (noun) PAHS chuh lit

**Definition:** A **postulate** is a statement that is accepted as true without being proven true.

**Main Idea:** In geometry, you use what you know to be true to prove new things true. The statements that you accept as true without proof are called **postulates** or axioms.

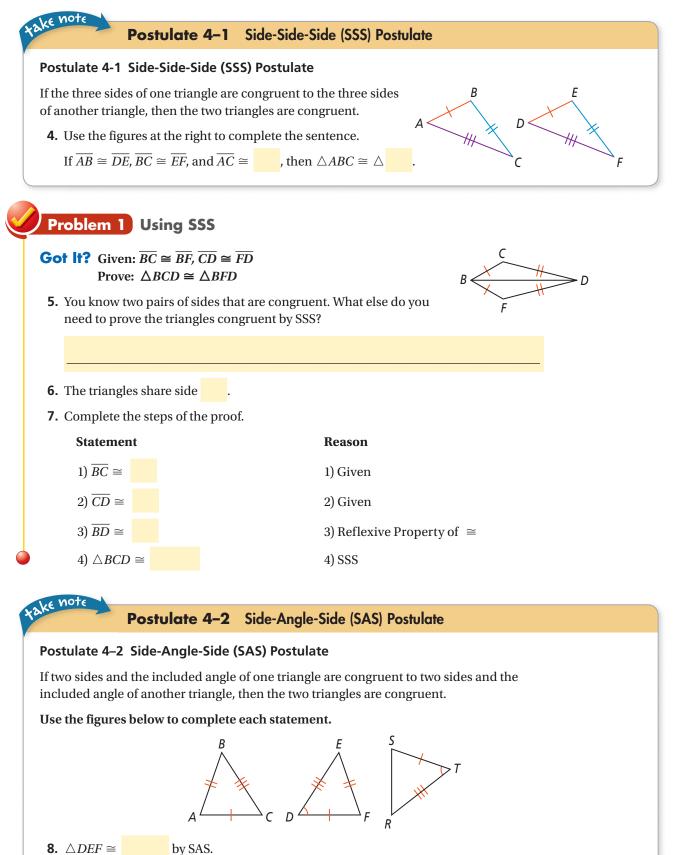
#### • Use Your Vocabulary

2. Underline the correct word to complete the sentence.

You can use properties, *postulates*, and previously proven theorems as reasons / statements in a proof.

- **3. Multiple Choice** What is a *postulate*?
  - (A) a convincing argument using deductive reasoning
  - B a conjecture or statement that you can prove true
  - C a statement accepted as true without being proven true
  - D a conclusion reached by using inductive reasoning

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**9.**  $\triangle ABC \cong$ 

by SSS.

#### Section 4 – 4: Proving Congruence – SSS, SAS Notes

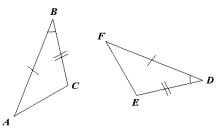
 Side-Side Congruence:
 If the \_\_\_\_\_\_ of one triangle are congruent to the sides of a second triangle, then the triangles are \_\_\_\_\_\_.

 Abbreviation:
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<u>Side-Angle-Side Congruence</u>: If two sides and the included \_\_\_\_\_\_ of one triangle are congruent to two \_\_\_\_\_\_ and the included angle of another triangle, then the triangles are \_\_\_\_\_\_.

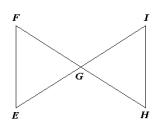
Abbreviation:



**Example #1:** Write a proof.

*Given*:  $\overline{EI} \cong \overline{FH}$ ,  $\overline{FE} \cong \overline{HI}$ , and *G* is the midpoint of both  $\overline{EI}$  and  $\overline{FH}$ .

**Prove:**  $\Delta FEG \cong \Delta HIG$ 



**Example #2:** Write a proof.

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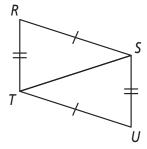
#### **Additional Problems** 4-2

Triangle Congruence by SSS and SAS

#### **Problem 1**

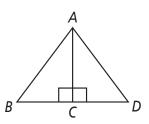
Given: 
$$\overline{RS} \cong \overline{UT}$$
,  $\overline{RT} \cong \overline{SU}$ 

**Prove:**  $\triangle RST \cong \triangle UTS$ 



#### **Problem 2**

What other information do you need to prove  $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle ADC$  by SAS? Explain your answer.



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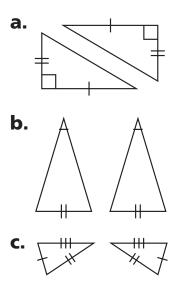
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#### Additional Problems (continued)

Triangle Congruence by SSS and SAS

#### Problem 3

Would you use SSS or SAS to prove the triangles congruent? If there is not enough information to prove the triangles congruent by SSS or SAS, write *not enough information*. Explain your answer.

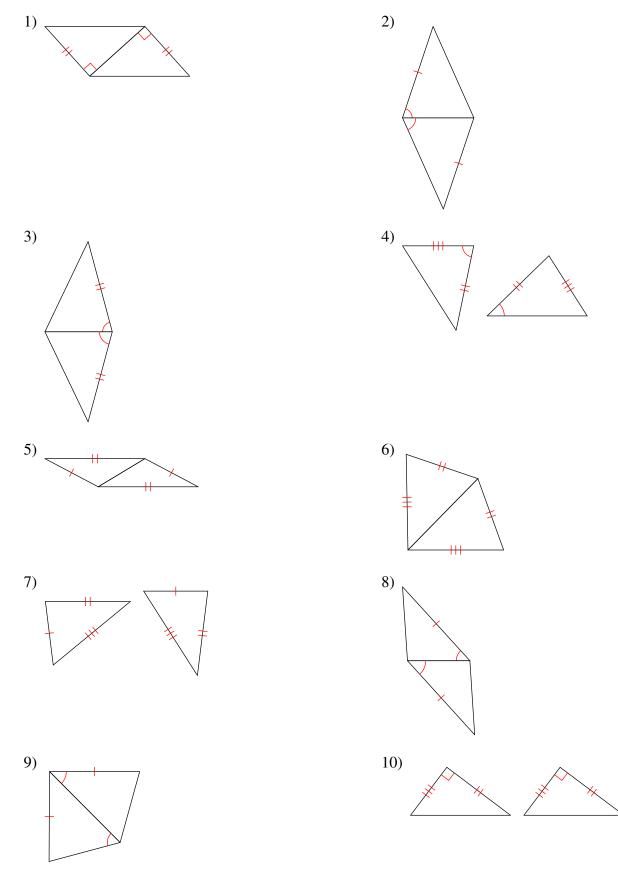


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#### SSS and SAS Congruence

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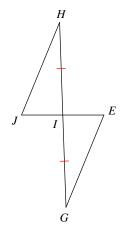
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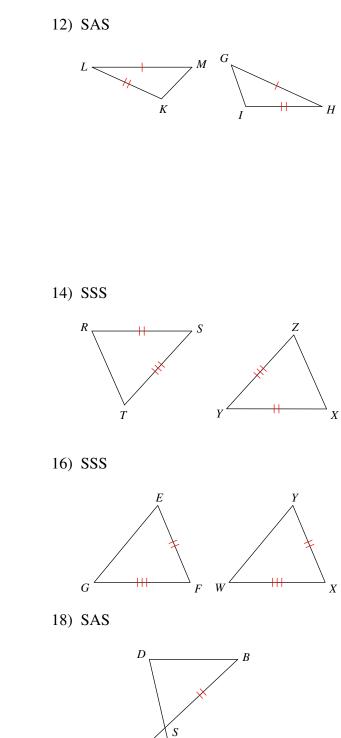


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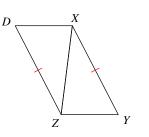
# State what additional information is required in order to know that the triangles are congruent for the reason given.

11) SAS

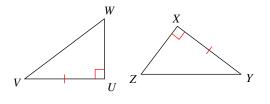




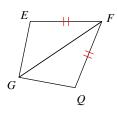
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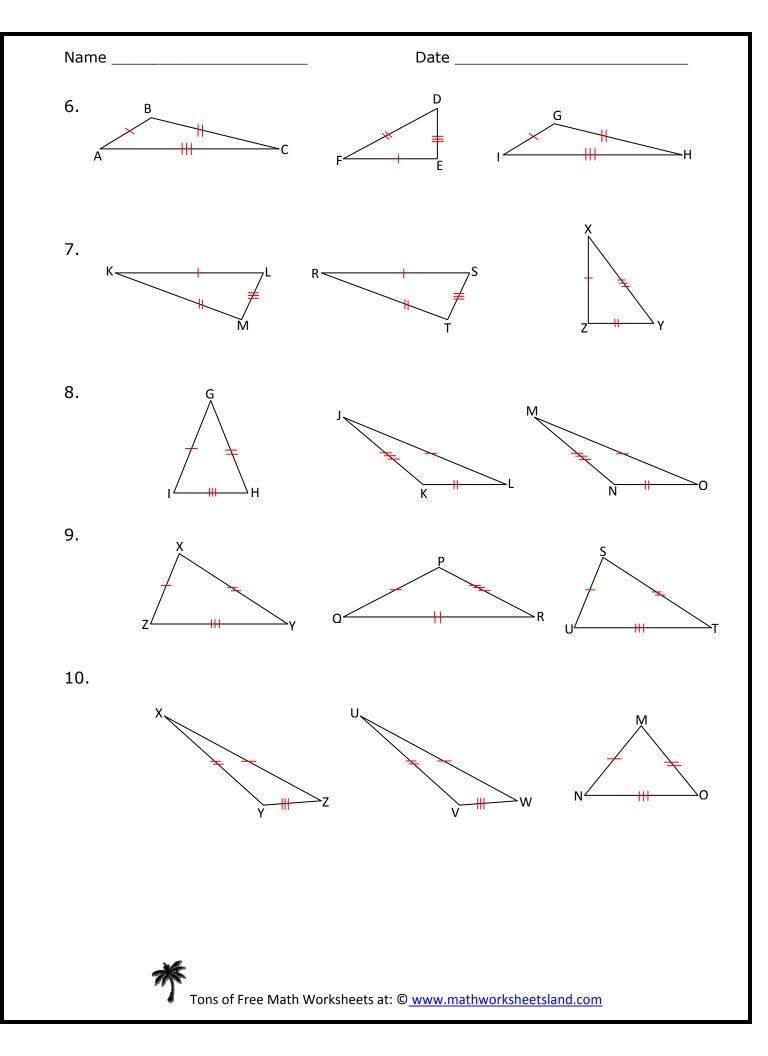


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Congruent Triangles: SSS and SAS Theorems - Independent Practice Worksheet Using either SSS or SAS determine which triangles are congruent. 1. G x 2. D 3. D 4. M P R K 0 Ν 5. Q В R Tons of Free Math Worksheets at: © www.mathworksheetsland.com





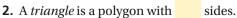
# Triangle Congruence by ASA and AAS

### **Vocabulary**

#### Review

**1.** Cross out the figure(s) that are NOT *triangle*(s).





**3.** A *triangle* with a right angle is called a(n) obtuse / right / scalene *triangle*.

#### Vocabulary Builder

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**Other Word Forms:** correspond (verb); correspondence (noun)

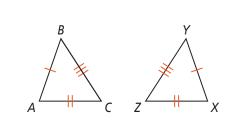
**Definition:** Corresponding means similar in position, purpose, or form.

Math Usage: Congruent figures have congruent corresponding parts.

#### • Use Your Vocabulary

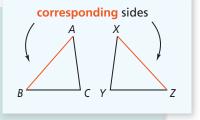
Draw a line from each part of  $\triangle ABC$  in Column A to the *corresponding* part of  $\triangle XYZ$  in Column B.

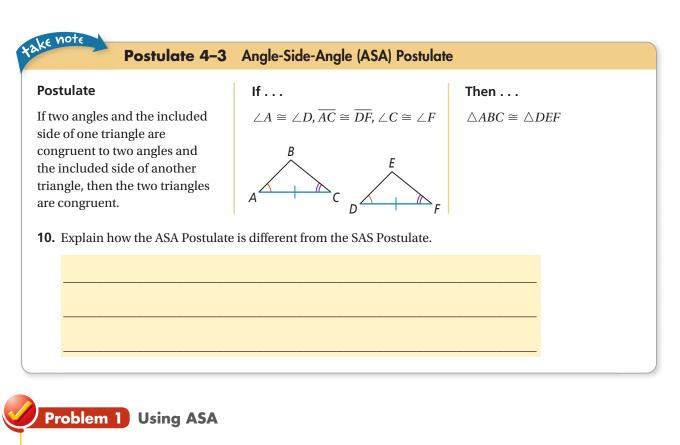
	Column A	Column B	
4	$\overline{BC}$	$\angle Z$	
5	. ∠A	$\angle Y$	. /
6	$\overline{AB}$	$\overline{YZ}$	1
7	$\cdot \ \angle C$	$\angle X$	A
8	$\overline{AC}$	$\overline{XY}$	
9	· $\angle B$	$\overline{XZ}$	



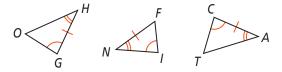








**Got It?** Which two triangles are congruent by ASA? Explain.



**11.** Name the triangles. List the vertices in corresponding order: list the vertex with the one arc first, the vertex with the two arcs second, and the third vertex last.

**12.**  $\angle G \cong \angle$ 

**13.**  $\angle H \cong \angle$   $\cong \angle$ 

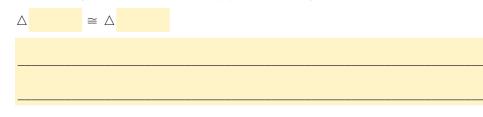
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**14.** *HG* ≅

**15.** The congruent sides that are included between congruent angles are



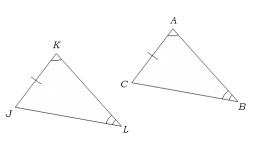
**16.** Write a congruence statement. Justify your reasoning.



#### Section 4 – 5: Proving Congruence – ASA, AAS Notes

Abbreviation:

Angle-Angle-Side Congruence: If two angles and a non-included side of one triangle are congruent to the corresponding two \_\_\_\_\_\_ and a side of a second triangle, then the two triangles are



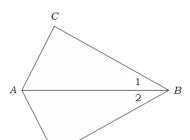
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Abbreviation:

**Example #1:** Write a two-column proof.

*Given:*  $\overline{AB}$  bisects  $\angle CAD$  $\angle 1 \cong \angle 2$ 

**Prove:**  $\triangle CAB \cong \triangle DAB$ 



**Example #2:** Write a two-column proof.

*Given:*  $\overline{AD} \mid \mid \overline{CB}$  $\angle A \cong \angle C$  \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_

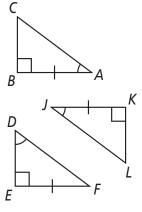
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#### **Additional Problems**

Triangle Congruence by ASA and AAS

#### Problem 1

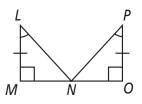
Which two triangles are congruent by ASA?



#### **Problem 2**

**Given:**  $\overline{LM} \cong \overline{PO}$ ,  $\angle L \cong \angle P$ ,  $\angle M$  and  $\angle O$  are both right angles.

**Prove:**  $\triangle LMN \cong \triangle PON$ 

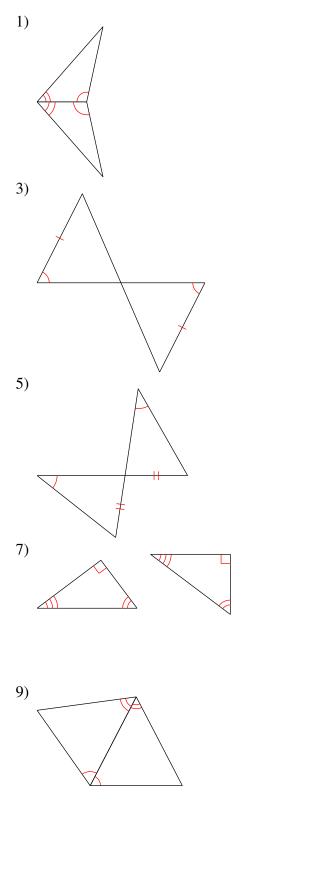


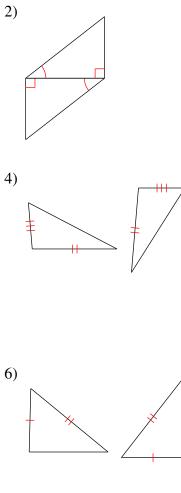
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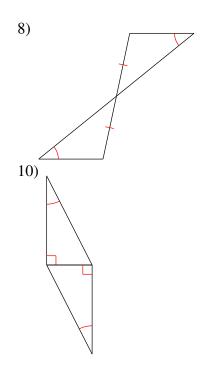
#### ASA and AAS Congruence

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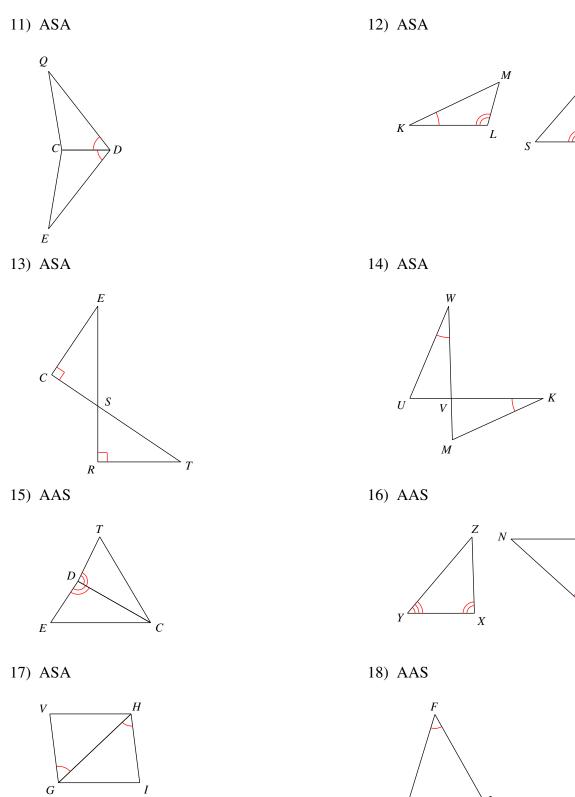
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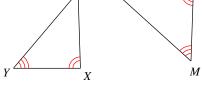






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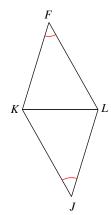




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### Using Corresponding Parts of Congruent Triangles

Vocabulary

#### Review

#### Underline the correct word(s) to complete each sentence.

- 1. The *Reflexive* Property of Congruence states that any geometric figure is congruent / similar to itself.
- 2. The *Reflexive* Property of Equality states that any quantity is equal to / greater than / less than itself.
- 3. Circle the expressions that illustrate the *Reflexive* Property of Equality.

a = a	If $AB = 2$ , then $2 = AB$ .
3(x+y)=3x+3y	5 + c = 5 + c

4. Circle the expressions that illustrate the *Reflexive* Property of Congruence.

If  $\angle A \cong \angle B$ , then  $\angle B \cong \angle A$ .  $\angle ABC \cong \angle ABC$ If  $\overline{CD} \cong \overline{LM}$  and  $\overline{LM} \cong \overline{XY}$ , then  $\overline{CD} \cong \overline{XY}$ .  $\overline{CD} \cong \overline{CD}$ 

#### Vocabulary Builder

proof (noun) proof

Related Word: prove (verb)

**Definition:** A **proof** is convincing evidence that a statement or theory is true.

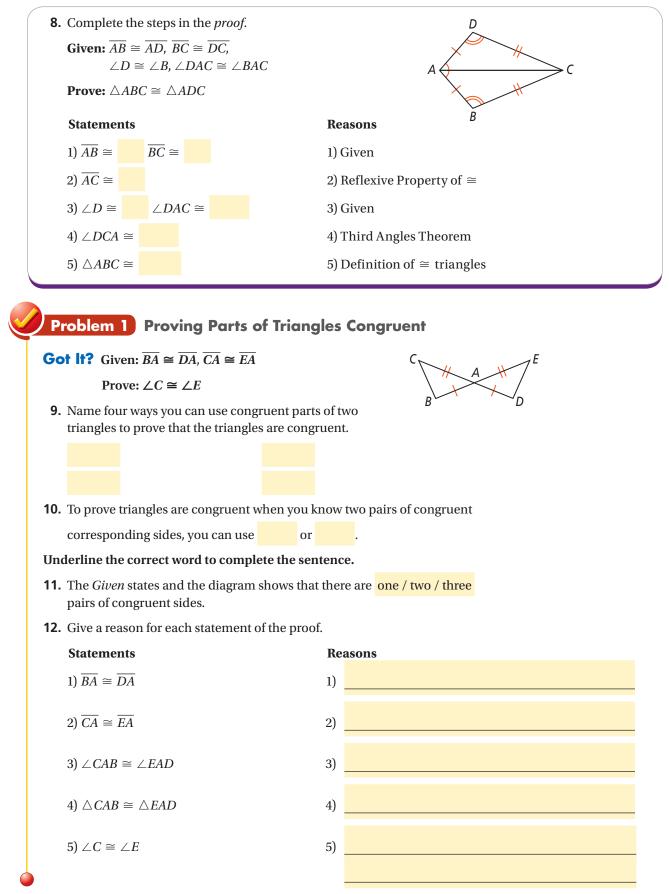
Math Usage: A proof is a convincing argument that uses deductive reasoning.

#### • Use Your Vocabulary

Complete each statement with proof or prove.

- **5.** In geometry, a <u>?</u> uses definitions, postulates, and theorems to prove theorems.
- **6.** No one can <u>?</u> how our universe started.
- **7.** He can <u>?</u> when he bought the computer because he has a receipt.





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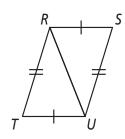
#### **Additional Problems** 4-4

Using Corresponding Parts of Congruent Triangles

#### **Problem 1**

Given: 
$$\overline{RS} \cong \overline{UT}$$
,  $\overline{RT} \cong \overline{US}$ 

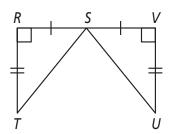
**Prove:**  $\angle T \cong \angle S$ 



#### **Problem 2**

**Given:**  $\overline{RS} \cong \overline{VS}$ ,  $\overline{RT} \cong \overline{VU}$ ,  $\angle R$  and  $\angle V$  are both right angles.

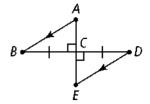
**Prove:**  $\angle T \cong \angle U$ 

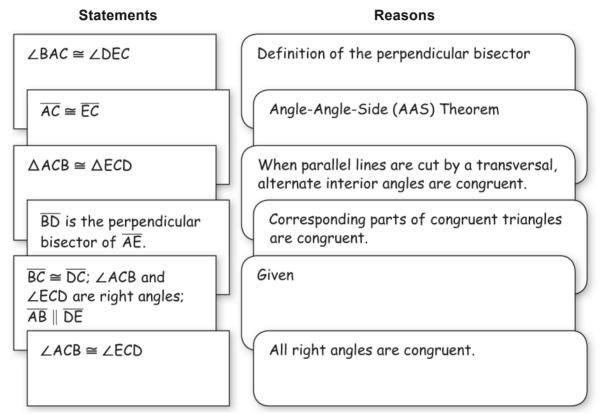


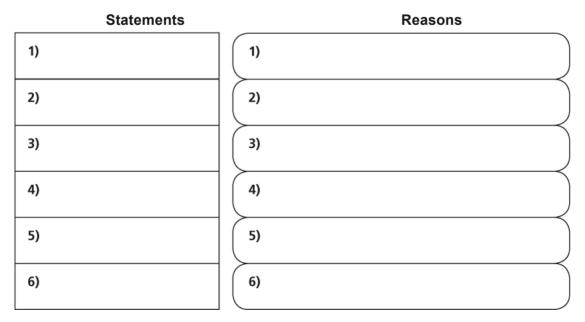
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Using Corresponding Parts of Congruent Triangles

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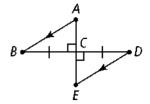
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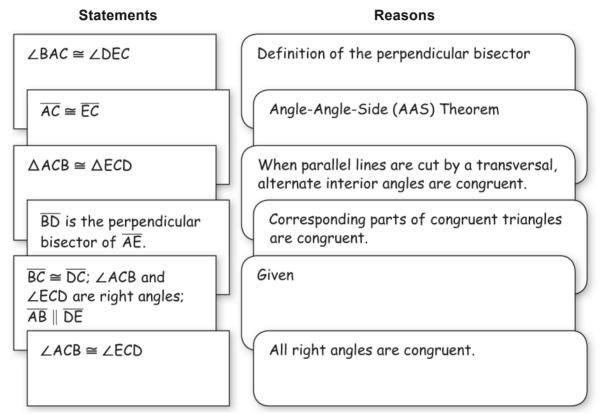
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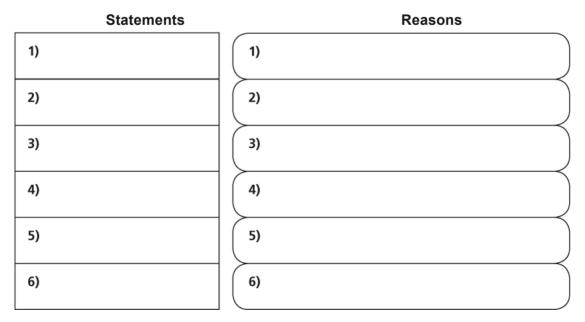
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### Congruence in Right Triangles

Vocabulary

#### Review

Write T for true or F for false.

- 1. Segments that are *congruent* have the same length.
- 2. Polygons that are *congruent* have the same shape but are not always the same size.
- **3.** In *congruent* figures, corresponding angles have the same measure.

#### Vocabulary Builder

hypotenuse (noun) hy ран tuh noos

Related Word: leg

**Definition:** The **hypotenuse** is the side opposite the right angle in a right triangle.

**Main Idea:** The **hypotenuse** is the longest side in a right triangle.

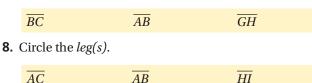
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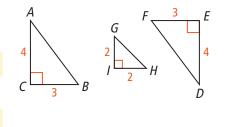
Underline the correct word(s) to complete each sentence.

- **4.** One side of a right triangle is / is not a *hypotenuse*.
- **5.** A right triangle has one / two / three *legs*.
- **6.** The length of the *hypotenuse* is always equal to / greater than / less than the lengths of the *legs*.

Use the triangles at the right for Exercises 7 and 8.

7. Cross out the side that is NOT a *hypotenuse*.





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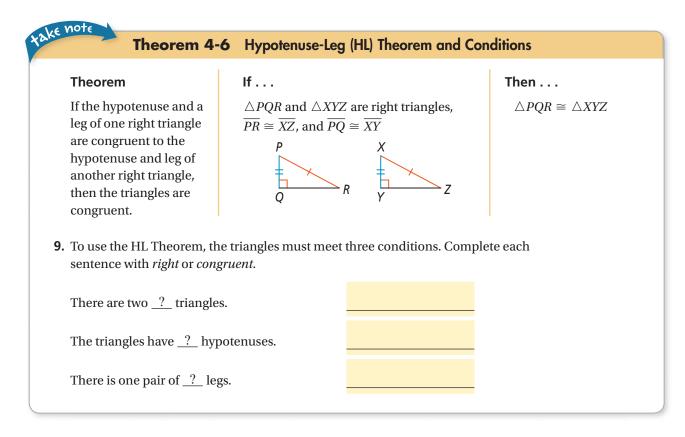
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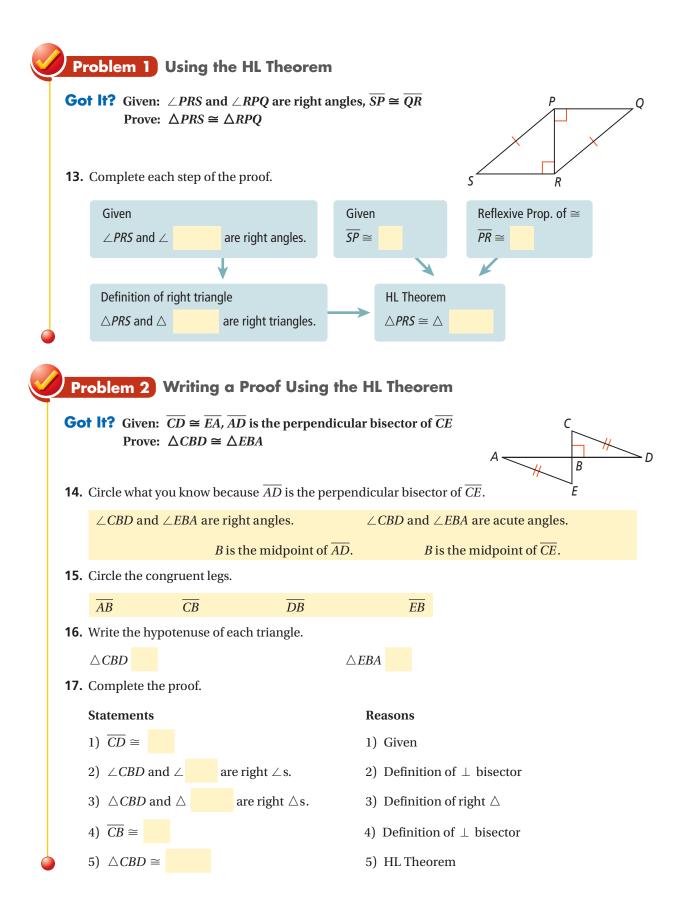
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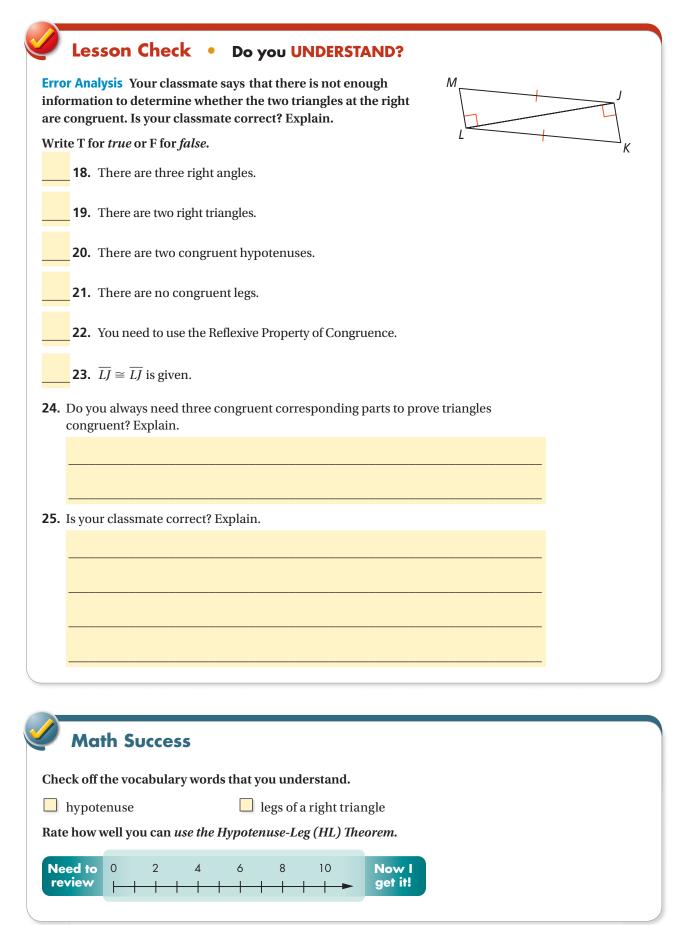
You can prove that two triangles are congruent without having to show that *all* corresponding parts are congruent. In this lesson, you will prove right triangles congruent by using one pair of right angles, a pair of hypotenuses, and a pair of legs.



#### Use the information in the Take Note for Exercises 10-12.

- **10.** How do the triangles in the Take Note meet the first condition in Exercise 9? Explain.
- **11.** How do the triangles in the Take Note meet the second condition in Exercise 9? Explain.
- **12.** How do the triangles in the Take Note meet the third condition in Exercise 9? Explain.





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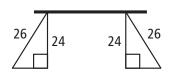
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# Additional Problems

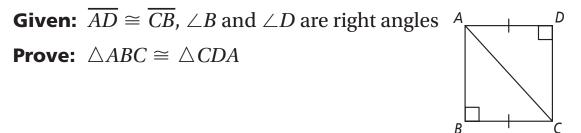
Congruence in Right Triangles

#### **Problem 1**

Raymond built two triangular supports for a picnic table with the dimensions shown below. Are the supports congruent? Explain.



**Problem 2** 



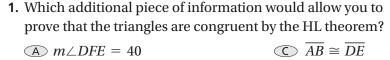
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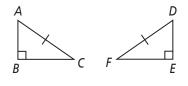
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#### **Multiple Choice**

#### For Exercises 1-4, choose the correct letter.

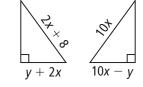


(B) 
$$m \angle F = m \angle ABC$$
 (D)  $\overline{AC} \cong \overline{DF}$ 



2. For what values of x and y are the triangles shown congruent?

(F) $x = 1, y = 4$	(H) $x = 4, y = 1$
G $x = 2, y = 4$	(1) $x = 1, y = 3$

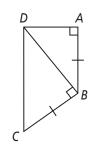


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- 3. Two triangles have two pairs of corresponding sides that are congruent. What else must be true for the triangles to be congruent by the HL Theorem?
  - A The included angles must be right angles.
  - B They have one pair of congruent angles.
  - C Both triangles must be isosceles.
  - D There are right angles adjacent to just one pair of congruent sides.
- 4. Which of the following statements is true?
  - (F)  $\triangle BAC \cong \triangle GHI$  by SAS.
  - **G**  $\triangle DEF \cong \triangle GHI$  by SAS.
  - (H)  $\triangle BAC \cong \triangle DEF$  by HL.
  - $\bigcirc \triangle DEF \cong \triangle GHI \text{ by HL.}$

#### **Extended Response**

5. Are the given triangles congruent by the HL Theorem? Explain.



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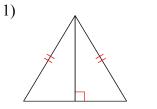
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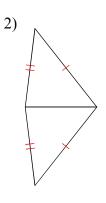
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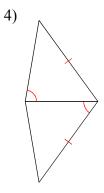
Problem $\cong$ in Right TrianglesGiven: C is the midpoint of $\overline{AE}$ and $\overline{BD}$ Prove: $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{ED}$ $A \longrightarrow B$ C D D E	1. What is the definition of the midpoint of a line segment?
1) <i>C</i> is the midpoint of $\overline{AB} \parallel \overline{DE}$ and $\overline{BD}$ ; $\overline{AB} \parallel \overline{DE}$ ; $m \angle B = 90$ Given	2. How do you know that $\overline{AB} \parallel \overline{DE}$ and $m \angle B = 90?$
2) $\overline{AC} \cong \overline{EC}$ ; $\overline{BC} \cong \overline{DC}$ Definition of midpoint	3. What does the symbol ≤ between two line segments mean?
3) $\angle B = \angle D$ Alternate Interior Angles Theorem	4. What does the word <i>interior</i> mean?
4) $\angle B$ and $\angle D$ are right angles. Definition of a right angle	<b>5.</b> What is the measure of $\angle D$ ?
5) $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle EDC$ Hypotenuse-Leg (HL) Postulate	6. What information is necessary to apply the HL Postulate?
6) $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{ED}$ Corresponding parts of congruent triangles are congruent.	<b>7.</b> What are the corresponding angles and sides for $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle EDC$ ?

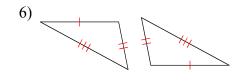
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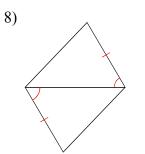
State if the two triangles are congruent. If they are, state how you know.

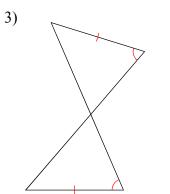


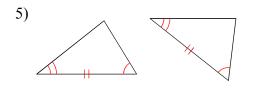


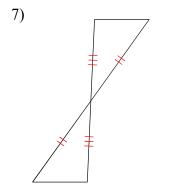


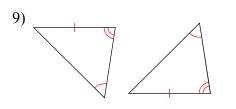


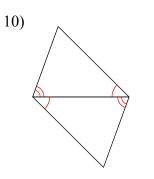


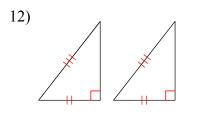


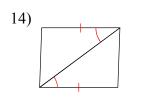


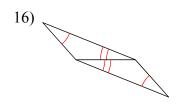


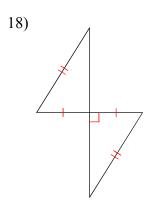


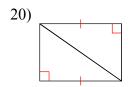


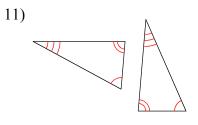


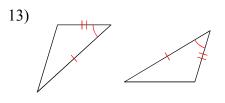


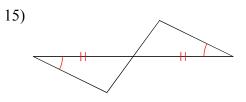


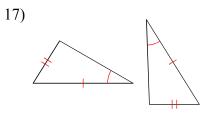


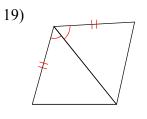




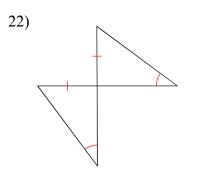


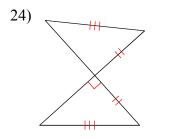


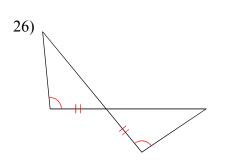


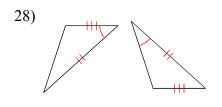


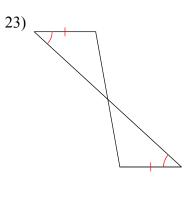
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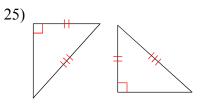


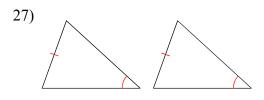


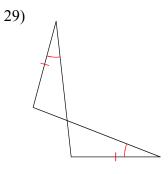


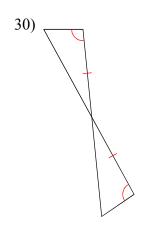


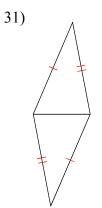


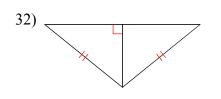


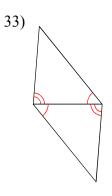


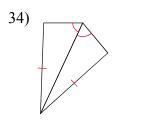


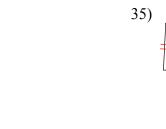




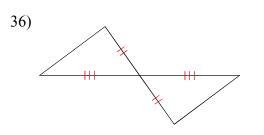


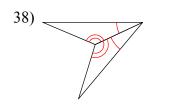


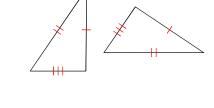


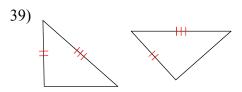


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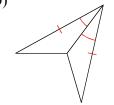












Congruence in Overlapping Triangles

Vocabulary

# Review

<b>1.</b> Circle the <i>common</i> side of $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle ADC$ .						
	$\overline{AB}$	$\overline{AC}$	$\overline{AD}$	$\overline{BC}$		
<b>2.</b> Circle the <i>common</i> side of $\triangle XWZ$ and $\triangle YWZ$ .						
	$\overline{WZ}$	WX	$\overline{WY}$	$\overline{ZY}$		
<b>3.</b> Circle the <i>common</i> side of $\triangle RST$ and $\triangle RPT$ .						
	$\overline{RP}$	$\overline{RS}$	$\overline{RT}$	$\overline{ST}$		

# Vocabulary Builder

overlapping (adjective) oh vur LAP ing

Other Word Form: overlap (noun)

**Definition:** Overlapping events or figures have parts in common.

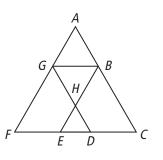
Math Usage: Two or more figures with common regions are overlapping figures.

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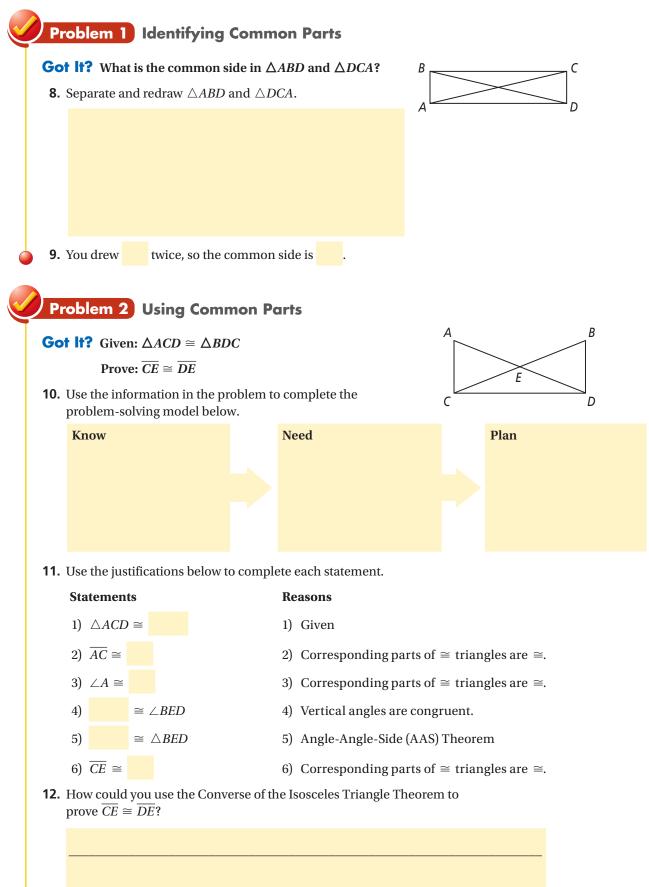
Circle the common regions of the *overlapping* figures in the diagram at the right.

**4.**  $\triangle$ *FGD* and  $\triangle$ *CBE* 

	$\triangle ABG$	$\triangle ACF$	$\triangle EHD$	$\triangle GHB$	
<b>5.</b> $\triangle BEC$ and $\triangle HED$					
	$\triangle BEC$	$\triangle GBH$	$\triangle GDF$	riangle HED	
6.	<b>6.</b> $\triangle ACF$ and $\triangle ABG$				
	$\triangle ABG$	$\triangle ACF$	$\triangle GBH$	$\triangle EHD$	
<b>7.</b> $\triangle ACF$ and $\triangle GBH$					
	$\triangle ABG$	$\triangle ACF$	$\triangle GBH$	riangle HED	

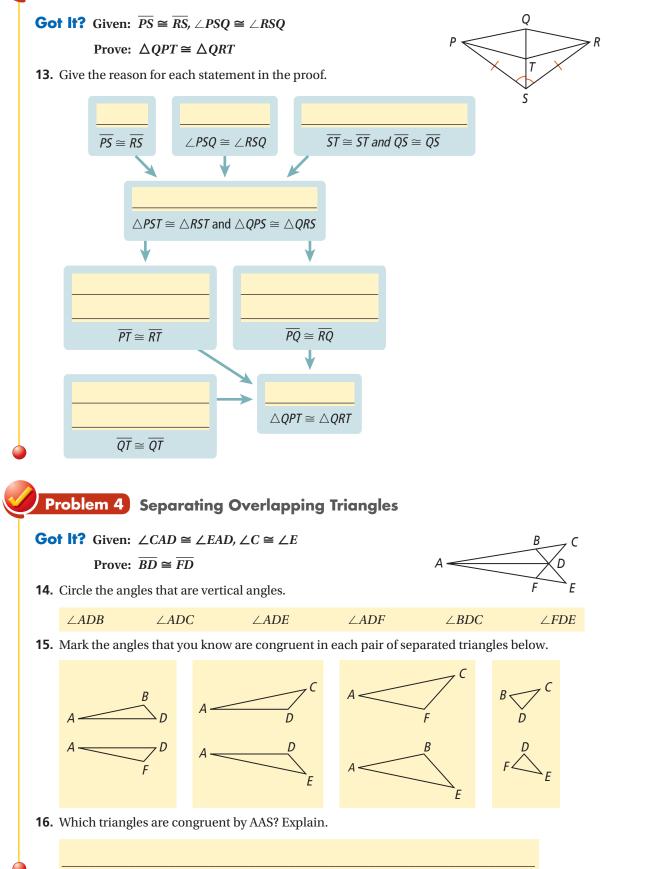






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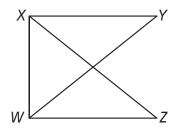
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Additional Problems Congruence in Overlapping Triangles

# **Problem 1**

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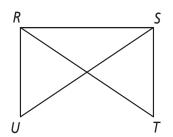
What is the common side in  $\triangle WXZ$ and  $\triangle XWY$ ?



# Problem 2

**Given:**  $\overline{RT} \cong \overline{US}$ ,  $\angle URS$  and  $\angle TSR$ are right angles.

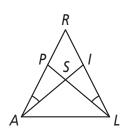
**Prove:**  $\angle T \cong \angle U$ 



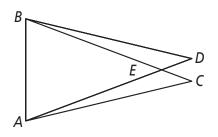
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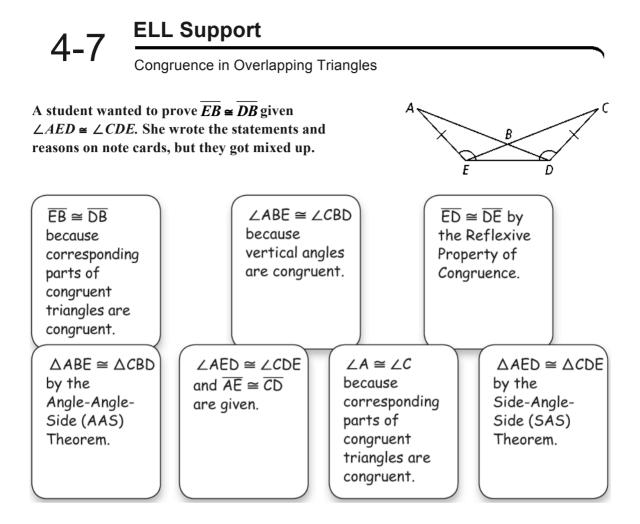
Problem 3 Given:  $\overline{AR} \cong \overline{LR}$ ,  $\overline{PR} \cong \overline{IR}$ **Prove:**  $\overline{AS} \cong \overline{LS}$ 



**Problem 4** Given:  $\overline{AE} \cong \overline{BE}$ ,  $\angle C \cong \angle D$ **Prove:**  $\triangle ABD \cong \triangle BAC$ 



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Use the note cards to write the steps in order.



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# **Standardized Test Prep** Congruence in Overlapping Triangles

# **Multiple Choice**

For Exercises 1–5, choose the correct letter.

**1.** What is the common angle of  $\triangle PQT$  and  $\triangle RSQ$ ?

 $\bigcirc \angle PQT$  $\bigcirc \angle SRQ$ 

$\bigcirc \angle SPT$	$\bigcirc \angle SUT$

Use the following information for Exercises 2–5.

**Given:**  $\triangle ZWX \cong \triangle YXW, \overline{ZW} \parallel \overline{YX}$ 

**Prove:**  $\triangle ZWR \cong \triangle YRX$ 

- 2. Which corresponding parts statement is needed to prove  $\triangle ZWR \cong \triangle YRX$ ?  $\textcircled{F} \angle ZWR \cong \angle YXR$ (H) ZW = YX(G)  $\angle Z \cong \angle R$  $\bigcirc$  WX = WX
- **3.** A classmate writes the statement  $\angle ZRW \cong \angle YRX$  to help prove the congruence of the triangles. What reason should the classmate give?
  - (A) Given
  - B Angles cut by a bisector are congruent.
  - C Base angles of an isosceles triangle are congruent.
  - D Vertical angles are congruent.
- **4.** After using the congruence statements from Exercises 2 and 3, which statement can be used to prove the triangles congruent?

$\textcircled{F} \angle Z \cong \angle Y$	$\bigcirc H  \overline{WX} \cong \overline{WX}$
$\textcircled{G} \angle ZWR \cong \angle RYX$	$\bigcirc \overline{WR} \cong \overline{RX}$

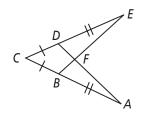
**5.** Which theorem or postulate will prove  $\triangle ZWR \cong \triangle YRX$ ?

(A) SAS **B** SSS C ASA

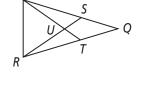
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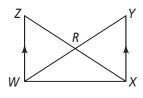
# **Short Response**

6. In the diagram at the right, which two triangles should be proved congruent first to help prove  $\triangle ABF \cong \triangle EDF$ ?







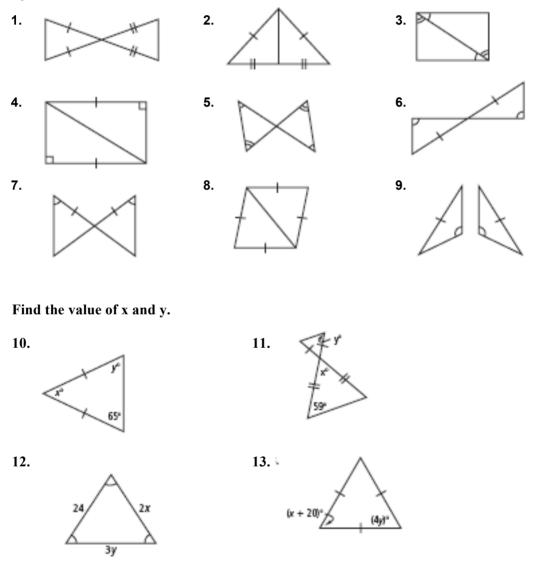


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# **Chapter 4 Test**

# Do you know HOW?

State the postulate or theorem you would use to prove each pair of triangles congruent. If the triangles cannot be proven congruent, write not enough information.



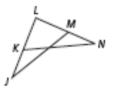
**14.**  $\triangle CGI \cong \triangle MPR$ . Name all of the pairs of corresponding congruent parts.

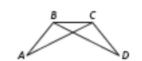
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# Chapter 4 Test (continued)

Name a pair of overlapping congruent triangles in each diagram. State whether the triangles are congruent by SSS, SAS, ASA, AAS, or HL.

**15.** Given:  $\overline{LM} \cong \overline{LK}; \overline{LN} \cong \overline{LJ}$ 





**16.** Given:  $\angle ABC \cong \angle DCB$ ;  $\angle DBC \cong \angle ACB$ 

**17.** Given:  $\angle E \cong \angle D \cong \angle DCF \cong \angle EFC$ 





**18.** Given:  $\overline{HI} \cong \overline{JG}$ 

# Do you UNDERSTAND?

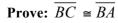
**19. Reasoning** Complete the following proof by providing the reason for each statement.

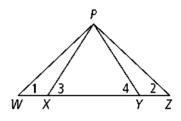
**Given:** 
$$\angle 1 \cong \angle 2; \ \overline{WX} \cong \overline{ZY}$$

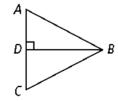
**Prove:**  $\angle 3 \cong \angle 4$ 

# StatementsReasons1) $\angle 1 \cong \angle 2; \ \overline{WX} \cong \overline{ZY}$ 1) $\stackrel{?}{=}$ 2) $\overline{WP} \cong \overline{ZP}$ 2) $\stackrel{?}{=}$ 3) $\Delta WXP \cong \Delta ZYP$ 3) $\stackrel{?}{=}$ 4) $\overline{XP} \cong \overline{YP}$ 4) $\stackrel{?}{=}$ 5) $\angle 3 \cong \angle 4$ 5) $\stackrel{?}{=}$

- **20. Reasoning** Write a proof for the following:
  - **Given:**  $\overline{BD} \perp \overline{AC}$ , *D* is the midpoint of  $\overline{AC}$ .







ongruent triangles in each di 5, SAS, ASA, AAS, or HL.

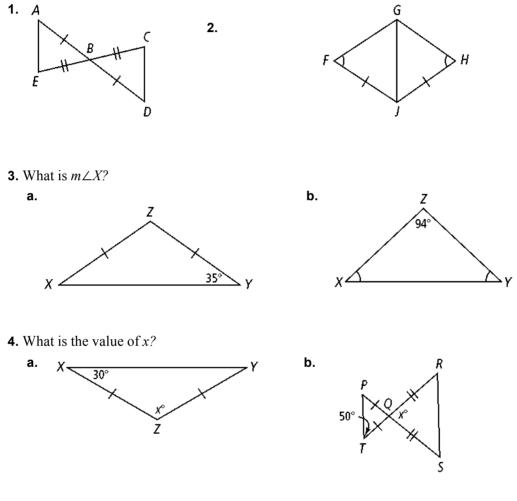
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# **Chapter 4 Part B Test**

Lessons 4-4 through 4-7

# Do you know HOW?

State the postulate or theorem you can use to prove each pair of triangles congruent. If the triangles cannot be proven congruent, write *not enough information*.



Write a congruence statement for each pair of triangles. If the triangles cannot be proven congruent, write *not enough information*.



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# Chapter 4 Part B Test (continued)

Lessons 4-4 through 4-7

Write a congruence statement for each pair of triangles. If the triangles cannot be proven congruent, write not enough information.

Identify any common angles or sides for the indicated triangles.

**9.**  $\triangle ADC$  and  $\triangle BDC$ 

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Separate and redraw the indicated triangles.

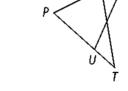
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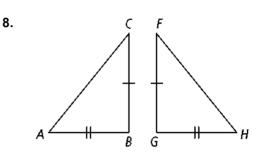
Do you UNDERSTAND?

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- 13. Error Analysis Your friend claims isosceles triangles are congruent if two corresponding sides are congruent. He explains there are only two different lengths of sides, so the third side must always be congruent. Explain the error in his reasoning.
- 14. Compare and Contrast How can you use the Isosceles Triangle Theorem to prove that all equilateral triangles are also equiangular?



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