

Math 2

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Math II – Notes – Congruence and Triangles

Corresponding angles	Corresponding sides
$\angle A \cong \angle P$	$\overline{AB} \cong \overline{PQ}$
$\angle B \cong \angle Q$	$\overline{BC} \cong \overline{QR}$
$\angle C \cong \angle R$	$\overline{CA} \cong \overline{RP}$

**Example 1** Naming Congruent Parts

Write a congruence statement for the triangles. Identify all pairs of congruent corresponding parts.

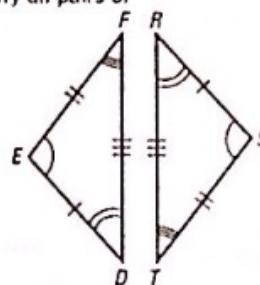
**Solution**

The diagram indicates that  $\triangle DEF \cong \triangle RST$

The congruent angles and sides are as follows.

Angles:  $\angle D \cong \angle R$ ,  $\angle E \cong \angle S$ ,  $\angle F \cong \angle T$

Sides:  $\overline{DE} \cong \overline{RS}$ ,  $\overline{EF} \cong \overline{ST}$ ,  $\overline{DF} \cong \overline{RT}$



**Example 2** Using Properties of Congruent Figures

In the diagram  $DEFG \cong KLMN$ .

- Find the value of  $x$ .
- Find the value of  $y$ .



**Solution**

- You know that  $\overline{FG} \cong \overline{MN}$   
So,  $FG = 12$

- You know that  $\angle E \cong \angle L$   
So,  $m\angle E = 111^\circ$

$$5x + 2 = 12$$

$$-2 \quad -2$$

$$\frac{5x}{5} = \frac{10}{5} \quad |x=2|$$

$$5y + 5 = 111$$

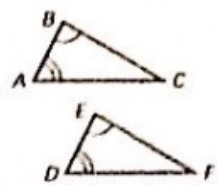
$$\frac{5y}{5} = \frac{106}{5}$$

$$y = 21$$

**THEOREM 4.3: THIRD ANGLES THEOREM**

If two angles of one triangle are congruent to two angles of another triangle, then the third angles are also congruent.

If  $\angle A \cong \angle D$  and  $\angle B \cong \angle E$ , then  $\angle C \cong \angle F$ .



**Example 3** Using the Third Angles Theorem

Find the value of  $x$ .

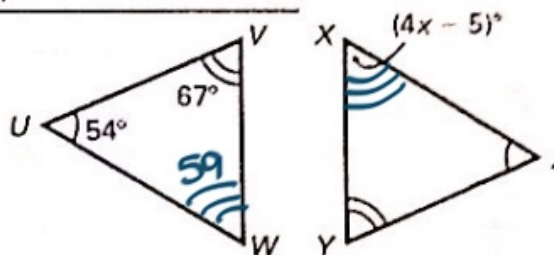
**Solution**

$m\angle W = m\angle X$

Third Angles Theorem

Substitute.

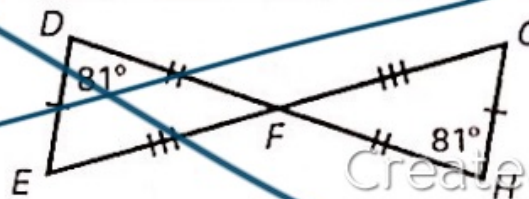
$$\begin{aligned} 59^\circ &= (4x - 5)^\circ \\ 59 &= 4x - 5 \\ 64 &= 4x \\ 16 &= x \end{aligned}$$



**Example 4** Determining Whether Triangles are Congruent

Decide whether the triangles are congruent. Justify your reasoning.

**Solution**



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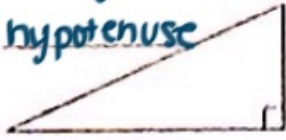


**Triangle** closed Polygon with 3 sides

Adjacent sides sides that touch each other

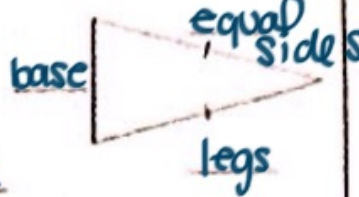
Vertex Point where two sides connect

right  $\Delta$



right  $\Delta$

isosceles  $\Delta$



base




equal sides

legs





  


**NAMES OF TRIANGLES**

Classification by Sides

<u>equilateral</u>	<u>isosceles</u>	<u>scalene</u>
		
3 congruent sides	At least 2 congruent sides	No congruent sides

Classification by Angles

<u>acute</u>	<u>equiangular</u>	<u>right</u>	<u>obtuse</u>
			
3 acute angles	3 congruent angles	1 right angle	1 obtuse angle

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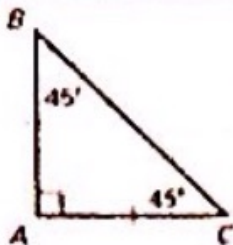
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**Example 1** Classifying Triangles

Classify each triangle. Be as specific as possible.

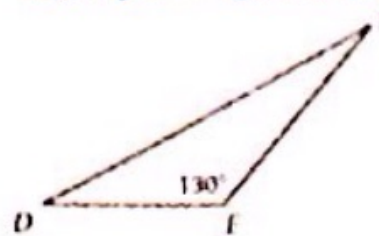
a.  $\triangle ABC$  has two acute angles, one right angle and two congruent sides.

right isosceles  $\triangle$



b.  $\triangle DEF$  has one obtuse angle and no congruent sides.

obtuse scalene  $\triangle$



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**THEOREM 4.1: TRIANGLE SUM THEOREM**

The sum of the measures of the interior angles of a triangle is 180.

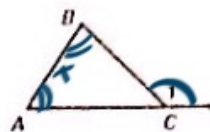
$$m\angle A + m\angle B + m\angle C = \underline{180}$$



**THEOREM 4.2: EXTERIOR ANGLE THEOREM**

The measure of an exterior angle of a triangle is equal to the sum of the measures of the two nonadjacent interior angles.

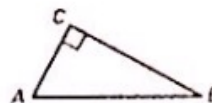
$$m\angle 1 = \underline{\angle A} + \underline{\angle B}$$



**COROLLARY TO THE TRIANGLE SUM THEOREM**

The acute angles of a right triangle are complementary.

$$m\angle A + m\angle B = \underline{90}$$



Triangle Inequalities: The sum of two sides of a triangle must be greater than the length of the third side.

**Example 2** Finding an Angle Measure

Solve for  $x$ .

$$x + 50 = 2(x + 4) \text{ Apply the Exterior Angle Theorem.}$$

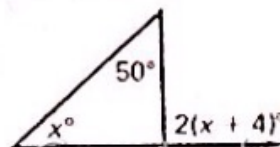
$$x + 50 = 2x + 8$$

$$\begin{array}{r} x + 50 = 2x + 8 \\ -x \quad -x \\ \hline 42 = x \end{array}$$

$$42 = x \text{ Solve for } x.$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -50 = x + 8 \\ -8 \quad -8 \\ \hline -58 = x \end{array}$$

$$x = 42$$



Answer So, the measure of the exterior angle is  $2 \cdot (42 + 4)^\circ$ , or  $92^\circ$ .

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**Practice Problems**

1. Would the following side lengths form a triangle? Why?

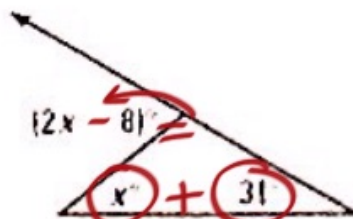
a. 3, 4, 5?  
 $3+4 > 5$   $7 > 5 \checkmark$

b. 5, 7, 11  
 $5+7 > 11$   $12 > 11 \checkmark$

c. 3, 4, 7?  
 $3+4 > 7$   $7 = 7 \times$

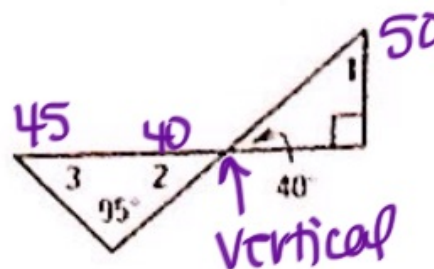
*ext.  $\angle$  thm*

2. Solve for x.



$$\begin{aligned} x + 31 &= 2x - 8 \\ -x &\quad -x \\ \hline 31 &= x - 8 \\ +8 &\quad +8 \\ \hline \boxed{x = 39} \end{aligned}$$

3. Find all missing angles



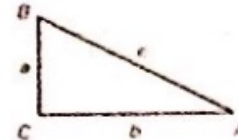
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Math II - Notes --- Verifying Right Triangles Pythagorean Theorem:  $a^2 + b^2 = c^2$

**THEOREM 9.5: CONVERSE OF THE PYTHAGOREAN THEOREM**

If the square of the length of the longest side of a triangle is equal to the sum of the squares of the lengths of the other two sides, then the triangle is a **right** triangle.



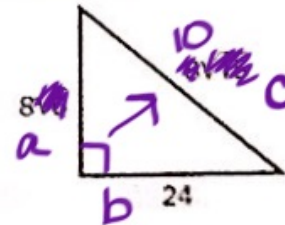
If  $c^2 = a^2 + b^2$ , then  $\triangle ABC$  is a **right** triangle.

**Example 1** Verifying Right Triangles

Tell whether the triangle at the right is a right triangle.

**Solution**

Let  $c$  represent the length of the longest side of the triangle. Check to see whether the side lengths satisfy the equation  $c^2 = a^2 + b^2$ .



~~$$\begin{aligned} (\quad)^2 & \stackrel{?}{=} (\quad)^2 + (\quad)^2 \\ 2 \cdot (\quad)^2 & \stackrel{?}{=} 2 \cdot (\quad)^2 + (\quad)^2 \\ \cdot \quad & \quad \cdot \quad + \quad \\ \quad & \quad + \quad \end{aligned}$$~~

Answer The triangle \_\_\_\_\_ a right triangle.

$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$

$$(8)^2 + (24)^2 = (10)^2$$

$$64 + 576 = 100$$

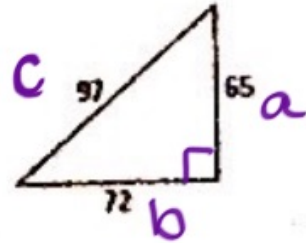
$$640 \neq 100 \text{ Not a right } \triangle$$





## Practice Problems

VERIFYING RIGHT TRIANGLES Tell whether the triangle is a right triangle.



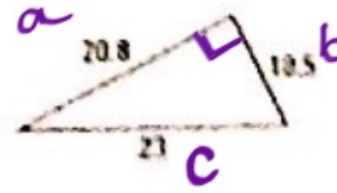
Yes!

$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$

$$65^2 + 72^2 = 97^2$$

$$4225 + 5184 = 9409$$

$$9409 = 9409 \checkmark$$



No

$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$

$$20.8^2 + 10.5^2 = 23^2$$

$$432.64 + 110.25 = 529$$

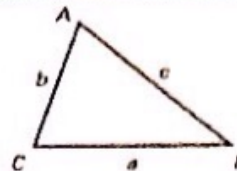
$$542.89 \neq 529 \times$$

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**THEOREM 9.6**

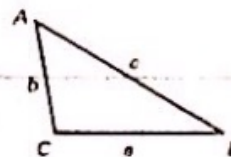
If the square of the length of the longest side of a triangle is less than the sum of the squares of the lengths of the other two sides, then the triangle is acute.



If  $c^2 < a^2 + b^2$ , then  $\triangle ABC$  is acute

**THEOREM 9.7**

If the square of the length of the longest side of a triangle is greater than the sum of the squares of the lengths of the other two sides, then the triangle is obtuse.



If  $c^2 > a^2 + b^2$ , then  $\triangle ABC$  is obtuse

**Example 2** Classifying Triangles

Decide whether the set of numbers can represent the side lengths of a triangle. If they can, classify the triangle as *right*, *acute*, or *obtuse*.

a. 28, 40, 48

$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$

$28^2 + 40^2 = 48^2$

$784 + 1600 = 2304$

$2384 > 2304$

$a^2 + b^2 > c^2$

Acute  $\Delta$

b. 5.7, 12.2, 13.9

$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$

$5.7^2 + 12.2^2 = 13.9^2$

$32.49 + 148.84 = 193.21$

$181.33 < 193.21$

$< c^2$

obtuse

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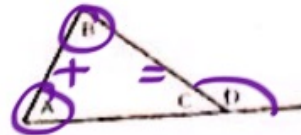


Unit 6 Lesson 1: Angles & Congruence Theorems

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Exterior Angle Theorem: The exterior angle is equal to the sum of the Opposite interior  $\angle$ s

Angle A + Angle B = Angle D



• Example



$$\begin{array}{r} 2x + 40 = 3x \\ -2x \quad -2x \\ \hline 40 = x \end{array}$$

• Independent Practice

1.



$$\begin{array}{r} 2z + 60 = 120 \\ -60 \quad -60 \\ \hline 2z = 60 \\ \frac{2z}{2} = \frac{60}{2} \\ \boxed{z = 30} \end{array}$$

2.



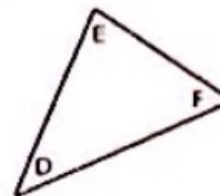
$$\begin{array}{r} x + 20 + 3x = 100 \\ 4x + 20 = 100 \\ -20 \quad -20 \\ \hline 4x = 80 \\ \frac{4x}{4} = \frac{80}{4} \\ \boxed{x = 20} \end{array}$$

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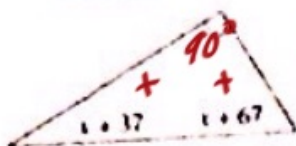


Angle Sum Theorem – All three angles in a triangle **ADD** up to equal 180

Angle A + Angle B + Angle C = 180



• Example



$$90 + x + 37 + x + 67 = 180$$

$$2x + 194 = 180$$

$$-194 \quad -194$$

$$\frac{2x}{2} = \frac{-14}{2}$$

$$x = -7$$

• Independent Practice Solve for x

1.



$$55 + 54 + x + 74 = 180$$

$$x = -3$$

2.



$$x + 59 + 84 + x + 51 = 180$$

$$x = -7$$

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Pg 1

#1, 3, 8, 12, 14, 16, 17, 20, 21

Pg 2

#9b, 10-15, a8, 30, 34, 37

Pg #3

#1, 5, 7, 9, 12, 13, 18, 19, 21, 25, 27

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