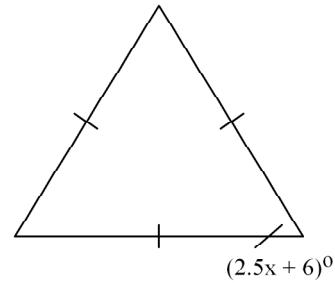


Chapter 4 Study guide

Numeric Response

1. An isosceles triangle has a perimeter of 50 in. The congruent sides measure $(2x + 3)$ cm. The length of the third side is $4x$ cm. What is the value of x ?

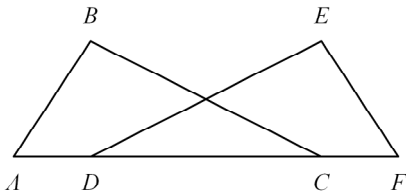
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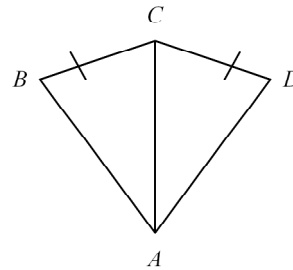
Short Answer

3. Two sides of an equilateral triangle measure $(2y + 3)$ units and $(y^2 - 5)$ units. If the perimeter of the triangle is 33 units, what is the value of y ?

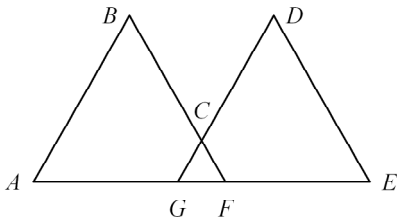
4. Find $m\angle DCB$, given $\angle A \cong \angle F$, $\angle B \cong \angle E$, and $m\angle CDE = 46^\circ$.



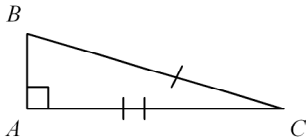
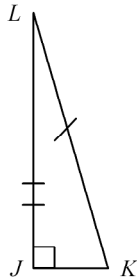
6. What additional information do you need to prove $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle ADC$ by the SAS Postulate?



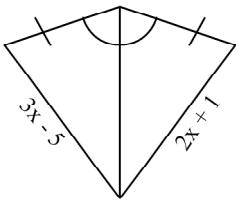
5. $\triangle ABF \cong \triangle EDG$. $\triangle ABF$ and $\triangle GCF$ are equilateral. $AG = 21$ and $CG = \frac{1}{4} AB$. Find the total distance from A to B to C to D to E .



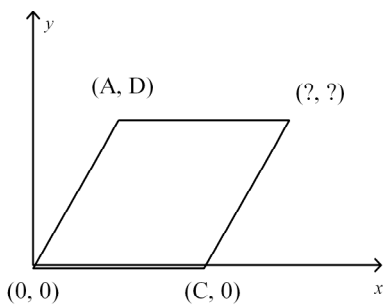
7. For these triangles, select the triangle congruence statement and the postulate or theorem that supports it.



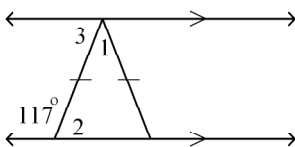
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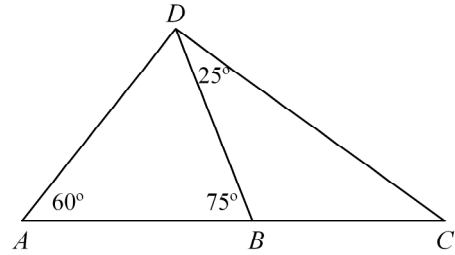
9. Find the missing coordinates for the rhombus.



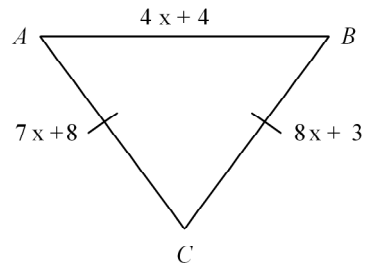
10. Find the measure of each numbered angle.



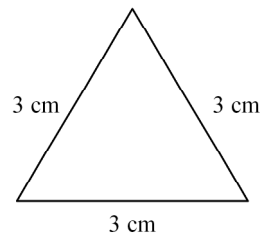
11. Classify $\triangle DBC$ by its angle measures, given $m\angle DAB = 60^\circ$, $m\angle ABD = 75^\circ$, and $m\angle BDC = 25^\circ$.



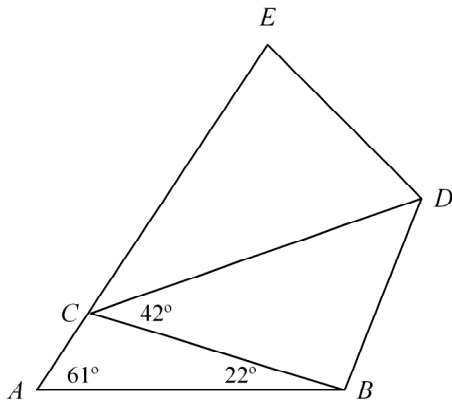
12. $\triangle ABC$ is an isosceles triangle. \overline{AB} is the longest side with length $4x + 4$. $BC = 8x + 3$ and $CA = 7x + 8$. Find AB .



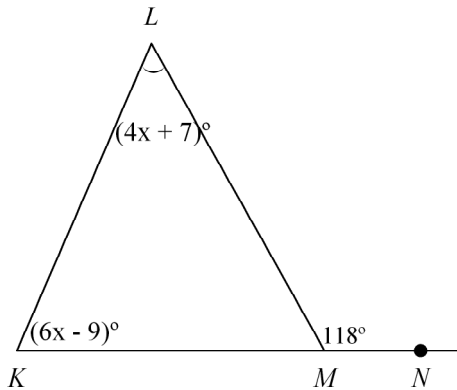
13. A jeweler creates triangular medallions by bending pieces of silver wire. Each medallion is an equilateral triangle. Each side of a triangle is 3 cm long. How many medallions can be made from a piece of wire that is 65 cm long?



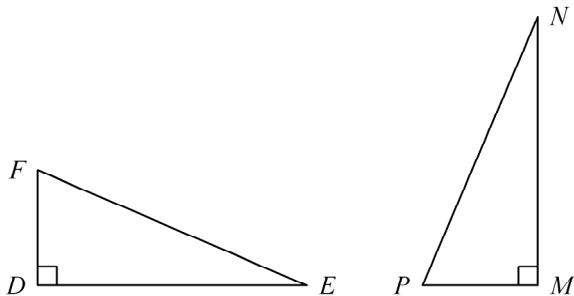
14. Daphne folded a triangular sheet of paper into the shape shown. Find $m\angle ECD$, given $m\angle CAB = 61^\circ$, $m\angle ABC = 22^\circ$, and $m\angle BCD = 42^\circ$.



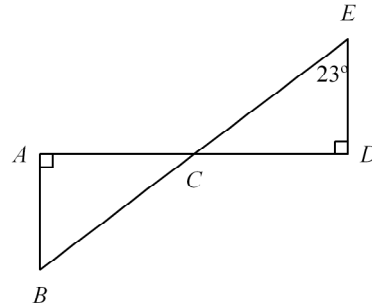
15. Find $m\angle K$.



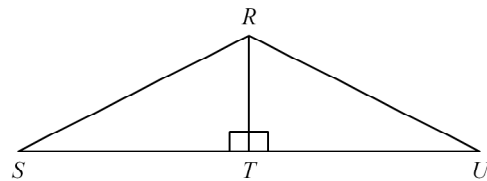
16. Find $m\angle E$ and $m\angle N$, given $m\angle F = m\angle P$, $m\angle E = (x^2)^\circ$, and $m\angle N = (4x^2 - 75)^\circ$.



17. Given that $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle DEC$ and $m\angle E = 23^\circ$, find $m\angle ACB$.



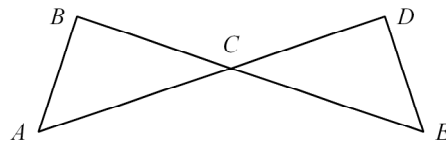
18. **Given:** $\overline{RT} \perp \overline{SU}$, $\angle SRT \cong \angle URT$, $\overline{RS} \cong \overline{RU}$. T is the midpoint of \overline{SU} .



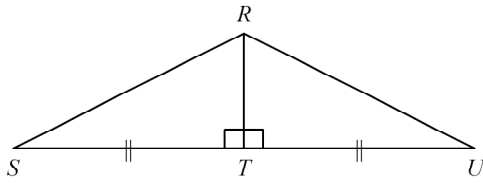
Prove: $\triangle RTS \cong \triangle RTU$

Complete the proof.

19. Tom is wearing his favorite bow tie to the school dance. The bow tie is in the shape of two triangles. **Given:** $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{ED}$, $\overline{BC} \cong \overline{DC}$, $\overline{AC} \cong \overline{EC}$, $\angle A \cong \angle E$ **Prove:** $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle EDC$



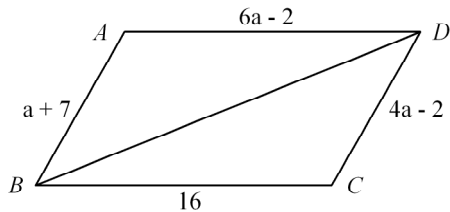
20. The figure shows part of the roof structure of a house. Use SAS to explain why $\triangle RTS \cong \triangle RTU$.



Complete the explanation.

It is given that [1]. Since $\angle RTS$ and $\angle RTU$ are right angles, [2] by the Right Angle Congruence Theorem. By the Reflexive Property of Congruence, [3]. Therefore, $\triangle RTS \cong \triangle RTU$ by SAS.

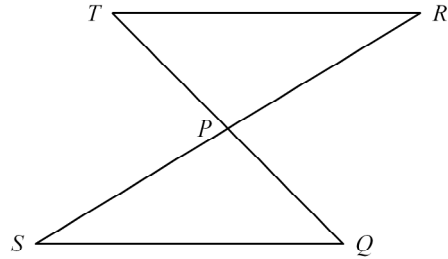
21. Show $\triangle ABD \cong \triangle CDB$ for $a = 3$.



Complete the proof.

$AB = a + 7 = [1] = 10$
 $CD = 4a - 2 = [2] = 12 - 2 = 10$
 $AD = 6a - 2 = 6(3) - 2 = 18 - 2 = [3]$
 $CB = [4]$
 $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{CD}$, $\overline{AD} \cong \overline{CB}$, $\overline{BD} \cong \overline{BD}$ by the Reflexive Property of Congruence. So $\triangle ABD \cong \triangle CDB$ by [5].

22. **Given:** P is the midpoint of \overline{TQ} and \overline{RS} .
Prove: $\triangle TPR \cong \triangle QPS$

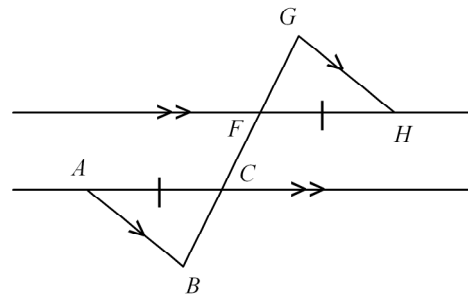


Complete the proof.

23. Using the information about John, Jason, and Julie, can you uniquely determine how they stand with respect to each other? On what basis?

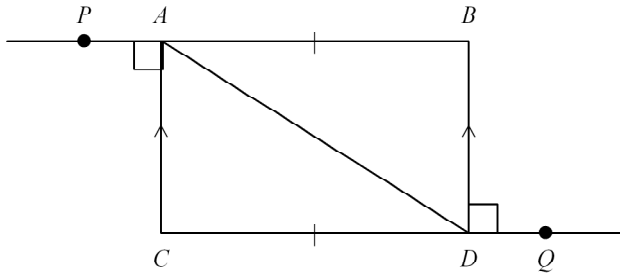
Statement 1: John and Jason are standing 12 feet apart.
 Statement 2: The angle from Julie to John to Jason measures 31° .
 Statement 3: The angle from John to Jason to Julie measures 49° .

24. Use AAS to prove the triangles congruent.
Given: $\overline{AB} \parallel \overline{GH}$, $\overline{AC} \parallel \overline{FH}$, $\overline{AC} \cong \overline{FH}$
Prove: $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle HGF$

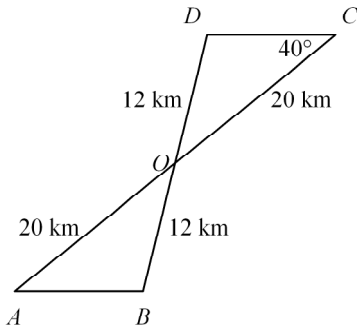


Write a two column proof.

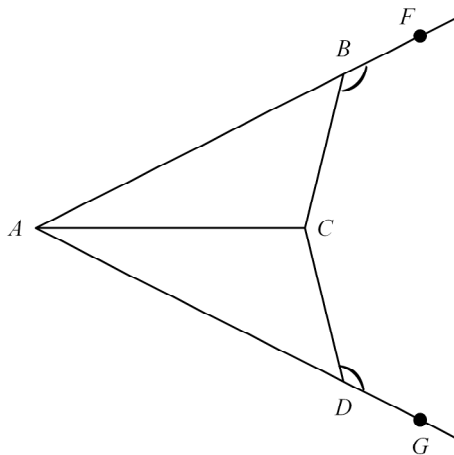
25. Determine if you can use the HL Congruence Theorem to prove $\triangle ACD \cong \triangle DBA$. If not, tell what else you need to know.



26. A pilot uses triangles to find the angle of elevation $\angle A$ from the ground to her plane. How can she find $m\angle A$?

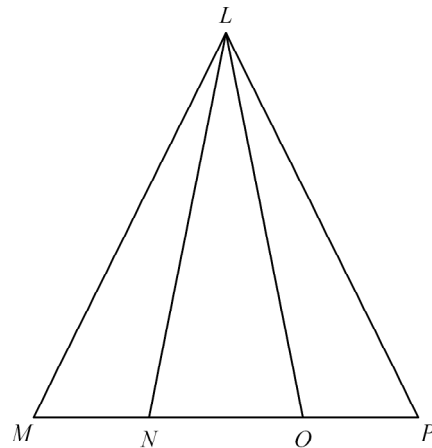


27. **Given:** $\angle CBF \cong \angle CDG$, \overline{AC} bisects $\angle BAD$
Prove: $\overline{AD} \cong \overline{AB}$



Write a two column proof

28. **Given:** $\angle MLN \cong \angle PLO$, $\angle MNL \cong \angle POL$,
 $\overline{MO} \cong \overline{NP}$
Prove: $\triangle MLP$ is isosceles.



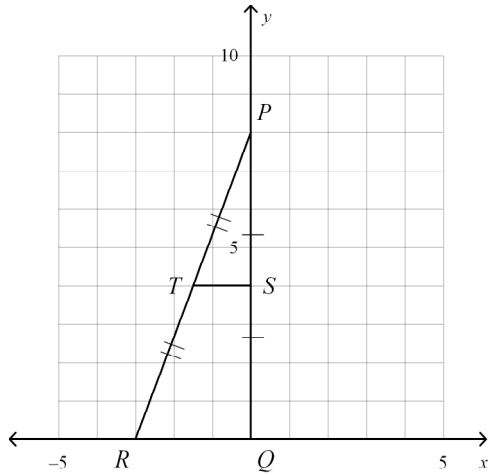
Complete a two column proof.

Proof:

29. **Given:** $A(3, -1)$, $B(5, 2)$, $C(-2, 0)$, $P(-3, 4)$, $Q(-5, -3)$, $R(-6, 2)$
Prove: $\angle ABC \cong \angle RPQ$

Complete the coordinate proof.

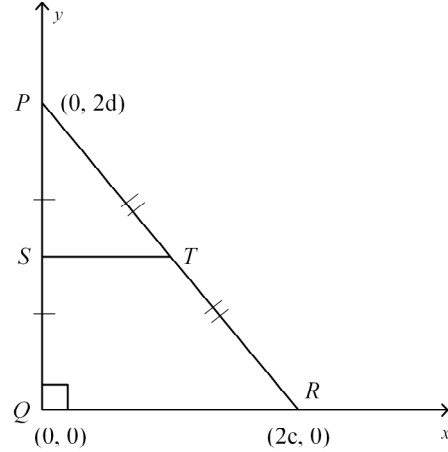
30. **Given:** $\triangle PQR$ has vertices $P(0, 8)$, $Q(0, 0)$, and $R(-3, 0)$. S is the midpoint of \overline{PQ} and T is the midpoint of \overline{RP} .
Prove: The area of $\triangle PST$ is one fourth the area of $\triangle PQR$.



Complete a coordinate proof.

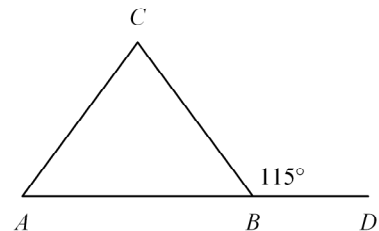
31. Position a right triangle with leg lengths r and $2s + 4$ in the coordinate plane and give the coordinates of each vertex.

32. **Given:** $\angle Q$ is a right angle in $\triangle PQR$. S is the midpoint of \overline{PQ} and T is the midpoint of \overline{RP} .
Prove: The area of $\triangle PST$ is one fourth the area of $\triangle PQR$.

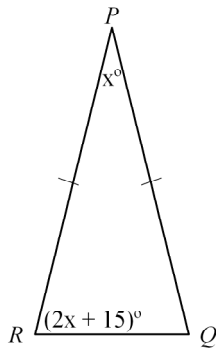


Complete a coordinate proof.

33. Two Seyfert galaxies, BW Tauri and M77, represented by points A and B , are equidistant from Earth, represented by point C . What is $m\angle A$?



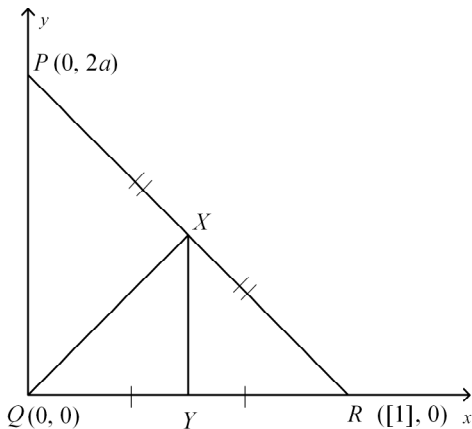
34. Find $m\angle Q$.



35. **Given:** $\angle Q$ is a right angle in the isosceles $\triangle PQR$.
 X is the midpoint of \overline{PR} . Y is the midpoint of \overline{QR} .
Prove: $\triangle QXY$ is isosceles.

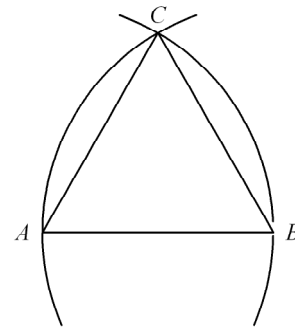
Complete the paragraph proof.

Proof: Draw a diagram and place the coordinates of $\triangle PQR$ and $\triangle QXY$ as shown.



complete a coordinate proof

36. **Given:** diagram showing the steps in the construction
Prove: $m\angle A = 60^\circ$



Complete the paragraph proof.

Proof:

The same compass setting was used to create \overline{AB} , \overline{BC} , and \overline{AC} , so [1]. By the [2], $\triangle ABC$ is equilateral. Since $\triangle ABC$ is equilateral, it is also [3]. So $m\angle A + m\angle B + m\angle C = 180^\circ$. Therefore, $m\angle A = 60^\circ$.

Chapter 4 Study guide

Answer Section

NUMERIC RESPONSE

1. ANS: 5.5

PTS: 1 DIF: Advanced NAT: 12.3.2.e STA: GE8.0
TOP: 4-1 Classifying Triangles KEY: perimeter | isosceles

2. ANS: 21.6

PTS: 1 DIF: Average NAT: 12.2.1.f STA: GE12.0
TOP: 4-8 Isosceles and Equilateral Triangles KEY: equilateral | equiangular

SHORT ANSWER

3. ANS:

$$y = 4$$

The perimeter is 33 units and it is an equilateral triangle, so each side has length 11 units.
Use this to solve for either side.

$$11 = 2y + 3$$

$$11 = y^2 - 5$$

$$8 = 2y$$

$$16 = y^2$$

$$4 = y$$

$$4 = y$$

An answer of -4 does not apply here.

PTS: 1 DIF: Advanced NAT: 12.2.1.h STA: GE12.0
TOP: 4-1 Classifying Triangles

4. ANS:

$$m\angle DCB = 46^\circ$$

The Third Angles Theorem states that if two angles of one triangle are congruent to two angles of another triangle, then the third pair of angles are congruent.

It is given that $\angle A \cong \angle F$ and $\angle B \cong \angle E$. Therefore, $\angle CDE \cong \angle DCB$. So, $m\angle DCB = 46^\circ$.

PTS: 1 DIF: Advanced NAT: 12.3.3.f STA: GE12.0
TOP: 4-2 Angle Relationships in Triangles

5. ANS:

98

 $\triangle GCF$ is equilateral, so $CG = GF$. $\triangle ABF$ is equilateral, so $AB = AF$. $\triangle ABF \cong \triangle EDG$, so $AB = DF$, $BC = CD$, and $CG = CF$.The total distance from A to B to C to D to $E = AB + BC + CD + DE$.**Step 1** Find AB and DE by finding AF .Since $CG = \frac{1}{4}AB$, use substitution to get $GF = \frac{1}{4}AF$.

$$AF = AG + GF = AG + \frac{1}{4}AF$$

$$\frac{3}{4}AF = AG$$

$$\frac{3}{4}AF = 21$$

$$AF = 28$$

Since $\triangle ABF$ is equilateral, $AB = BF = 28$.Since $\triangle ABF \cong \triangle EDG$, $AB = DE = 28$.**Step 2** Find BC and CD .Since $\triangle GCF$ is equilateral and $CG = \frac{1}{4}AB$, $CG = CF = 7$.So $BC = BF - CF = 28 - 7 = 21$.Since $\triangle ABF \cong \triangle EDG$, $DC = BC = 21$.**Step 3** Substitute to find the distance from A to B to C to D to E .

$$AB + BC + CD + DE = 28 + 21 + 21 + 28 = 98.$$

PTS: 1 DIF: Advanced NAT: 12.3.3.f STA: GE5.0

TOP: 4-3 Congruent Triangles KEY: multi-step

6. ANS:

$$\angle ACB \cong \angle ACD$$

The SAS Postulate is used when two sides and an included angle of one triangle are congruent to the corresponding sides and included angle of a second triangle.

From the given, $\overline{BC} \cong \overline{DC}$.From the figure, $\overline{AC} \cong \overline{AC}$ by the Reflexive Property of Congruence.

You have two pair of congruent sides, so you need information about the included angles.

Use these pairs of sides to determine the included angles.

The angle between sides \overline{AC} and \overline{BC} is $\angle ACB$.The angle between sides \overline{AC} and \overline{DC} is $\angle ACD$.You need to know $\angle ACB \cong \angle ACD$ to prove $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle ADC$ by the SAS Postulate.

PTS: 1 DIF: Advanced NAT: 12.3.5.a STA: GE5.0

TOP: 4-4 Triangle Congruence: SSS and SAS

7. ANS:

 $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle JKL$, HLBecause $\angle BAC$ and $\angle KJL$ are right angles, $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle JKL$ are right triangles.You are given a pair of congruent legs $\overline{AC} \cong \overline{JL}$ and a pair of congruent hypotenuses $\overline{CB} \cong \overline{LK}$.So a hypotenuse and a leg of $\triangle ABC$ are congruent to the corresponding hypotenuse and leg of $\triangle JKL$. $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle JKL$ by HL.

PTS: 1 DIF: Advanced NAT: 12.3.5.a STA: GE5.0

TOP: 4-5 Triangle Congruence: ASA AAS and HL

8. ANS:

$x = 6$

The triangles can be proved congruent by the SAS Postulate.

By CPCTC, $3x - 5 = 2x + 1$.Solve the equation for x .

$$3x - 5 = 2x + 1$$

$$3x = 2x + 6$$

$$x = 6$$

PTS: 1 DIF: Advanced NAT: 12.3.2.e STA: GE5.0

TOP: 4-6 Triangle Congruence: CPCTC

9. ANS:

 $(A + C, D)$ The horizontal sides are parallel, so the y -value is the same as in the point (A, D) .The missing y -coordinate is D .A rhombus has congruent sides, so the x -value is the same horizontal distance from $(C, 0)$ as the point (A, D) is from the point $(0, 0)$. This horizontal distance is A units.The missing x -coordinate is $A + C$.

PTS: 1 DIF: Advanced NAT: 12.2.1.e STA: GE17.0

TOP: 4-7 Introduction to Coordinate Proof

10. ANS:

$m\angle 1 = 54^\circ, m\angle 2 = 63^\circ, m\angle 3 = 63^\circ$

Step 1: $\angle 2$ is supplementary to the angle that is 117° .

$117^\circ + m\angle 2 = 180^\circ$. So $m\angle 2 = 63^\circ$.

Step 2: By the Alternate Interior Angles Theorem, $\angle 2 \cong \angle 3$.

So $m\angle 2 = m\angle 3 = 63^\circ$.

Step 3: By the Isosceles Triangle Theorem, $\angle 2$ and the angle opposite the other side of the isosceles triangle are congruent. Let $\angle 4$ be that unknown angle.Then, $\angle 2 \cong \angle 4$ and $m\angle 2 = m\angle 4 = 63^\circ$. $m\angle 1 + m\angle 2 + m\angle 4 = 180^\circ$ by the Triangle Sum Theorem.

$m\angle 1 + 63^\circ + 63^\circ = 180^\circ$. So $m\angle 1 = 54^\circ$.

PTS: 1 DIF: Advanced NAT: 12.3.2.e STA: GE12.0

TOP: 4-8 Isosceles and Equilateral Triangles

KEY: multi-step

11. ANS:

obtuse triangle

$\angle ABD$ and $\angle DBC$ form a linear pair, so they are supplementary. Therefore $m\angle ABD + m\angle DBC = 180^\circ$. By substitution, $75^\circ + m\angle DBC = 180^\circ$. So $m\angle DBC = 105^\circ$. $\triangle DBC$ is an obtuse triangle by definition.

PTS: 1 DIF: Average REF: Page 216

OBJ: 4-1.1 Classifying Triangles by Angle Measures

NAT: 12.3.3.f

STA: GE12.0

TOP: 4-1 Classifying Triangles

12. ANS:

 $AB = 24$ **Step 1** Find the value of x .

$$BC = CA$$

$$8x + 3 = 7x + 8$$

$$x = 5$$

Step 2 Find AB .

$$AB = 4x + 4$$

$$= 4(5) + 4$$

$$= 24$$

PTS: 1

DIF: Average

REF: Page 217

OBJ: 4-1.3 Using Triangle Classification

NAT: 12.3.3.f

STA: GE12.0

TOP: 4-1 Classifying Triangles

13. ANS:

7 medallions

The amount of silver needed to make one medallion is equal to the perimeter P of the equilateral triangle.

$$P = 3(3) = 9 \text{ cm}$$

To find the number of medallions that can be made from 65 cm of silver, divide 65 by the amount of silver needed for one medallion.

$$65 \div 9 = 7\frac{2}{9} \text{ medallions}$$

There is not enough silver to complete an eighth triangle. So the jeweler can make 7 medallions from a 65 cm piece of wire.

PTS: 1

DIF: Average

REF: Page 218

OBJ: 4-1.4 Application

NAT: 12.3.3.f

STA: GE12.0

TOP: 4-1 Classifying Triangles

14. ANS:

$$m\angle ECD = 41^\circ$$

Step 1 Find $m\angle ACB$.

$$m\angle CAB + m\angle ABC + m\angle ACB = 180^\circ \quad \text{Triangle Sum Theorem}$$

$$61^\circ + 22^\circ + m\angle ACB = 180^\circ \quad \text{Substitute } 61^\circ \text{ for } m\angle CAB \text{ and } 22^\circ \text{ for } m\angle ABC.$$

$$83^\circ + m\angle ACB = 180^\circ \quad \text{Simplify.}$$

$$m\angle ACB = 97^\circ \quad \text{Subtract } 83^\circ \text{ from both sides.}$$

Step 2 Find $m\angle ECD$.

$$m\angle ACB + m\angle BCD + m\angle ECD = 180^\circ \quad \text{Linear Pair Theorem and Angle Addition Postulate}$$

$$97^\circ + 42^\circ + m\angle ECD = 180^\circ \quad \text{Substitute } 97^\circ \text{ for } m\angle ACB \text{ and } 42^\circ \text{ for } m\angle BCD.$$

$$139^\circ + m\angle ECD = 180^\circ \quad \text{Simplify.}$$

$$m\angle ECD = 41^\circ \quad \text{Subtract } 139^\circ \text{ from both sides.}$$

PTS: 1 DIF: Average REF: Page 224 OBJ: 4-2.1 Application

NAT: 12.3.3.f STA: GE12.0 TOP: 4-2 Angle Relationships in Triangles

15. ANS:

$$m\angle K = 63^\circ$$

$$m\angle K + m\angle L = m\angle LMN \quad \text{Exterior Angle Theorem}$$

$$(6x - 9)^\circ + (4x + 7)^\circ = 118^\circ \quad \text{Substitute } 6x - 9 \text{ for } m\angle K, 4x + 7 \text{ for } m\angle L, \text{ and } 118 \text{ for } m\angle LMN.$$

$$10x - 2 = 118 \quad \text{Simplify.}$$

$$10x = 120 \quad \text{Add 2 to both sides.}$$

$$x = 12 \quad \text{Divide both sides by 10.}$$

$$m\angle K = 6x - 9 = 6(12) - 9 = 63^\circ$$

PTS: 1 DIF: Average REF: Page 225

OBJ: 4-2.3 Applying the Exterior Angle Theorem NAT: 12.3.3.f

STA: GE12.0 TOP: 4-2 Angle Relationships in Triangles

16. ANS:

$$m\angle E = 25^\circ, m\angle N = 25^\circ$$

$$\angle E \cong \angle N \quad \text{Third Angles Theorem}$$

$$m\angle E = m\angle N \quad \text{Definition of congruent angles}$$

$$(x^2)^\circ = (4x^2 - 75)^\circ \quad \text{Substitute } x^2 \text{ for } m\angle E \text{ and } 4x^2 - 75 \text{ for } m\angle N.$$

$$-3x^2 = -75 \quad \text{Subtract } 4x^2 \text{ from both sides.}$$

$$x^2 = 25 \quad \text{Divide both sides by } -3.$$

So $m\angle E = 25^\circ$.Since $m\angle E = m\angle N$, $m\angle N = 25^\circ$.

PTS: 1 DIF: Average REF: Page 226

OBJ: 4-2.4 Applying the Third Angles Theorem NAT: 12.3.3.f

STA: GE12.0 TOP: 4-2 Angle Relationships in Triangles

17. ANS:

$$m\angle ACB = 67^\circ$$

$$m\angle DCE + m\angle CED + m\angle EDC = 180^\circ \quad \text{Triangle Sum Theorem}$$

$$m\angle DCE + 23^\circ + 90^\circ = 180^\circ \quad \text{Substitution.}$$

$$m\angle DCE + 113^\circ = 180^\circ \quad \text{Simplify.}$$

$$m\angle DCE = 67^\circ \quad \text{Subtract 113 from both sides.}$$

$$\angle DCE \cong \angle BCA$$

Corresponding parts of congruent triangles are congruent.

$$m\angle DCE = m\angle BCA$$

Definition of congruent angles

$$m\angle ACB = 67^\circ$$

Corresponding parts of congruent triangles are congruent.

PTS: 1 DIF: Average REF: Page 232

OBJ: 4-3.2 Using Corresponding Parts of Congruent Triangles NAT: 12.3.3.f

STA: GE5.0 TOP: 4-3 Congruent Triangles

18. ANS:

a

Proof:

Statements	Reasons
1. $\overline{RT} \perp \overline{SU}$	1. Given
2. $\angle RTS$ and $\angle RTU$ are right angles.	2. Definition of perpendicular lines
3. $\angle RTS \cong \angle RTU$	3. Right Angle Congruence Theorem
4. $\angle SRT \cong \angle URT$	4. Given
5. $\angle S \cong \angle U$	5. Third Angles Theorem
6. $\overline{RS} \cong \overline{RU}$	6. Given
7. T is the midpoint of \overline{SU} .	7. Given
8. $\overline{ST} \cong \overline{UT}$	8. Definition of midpoint
9. $\overline{RT} \cong \overline{RT}$	9. Reflexive Property of Congruence
10. $\triangle RTS \cong \triangle RTU$	10. Definition of congruent triangles

PTS: 1 DIF: Average REF: Page 232 OBJ: 4-3.3 Proving Triangles Congruent

NAT: 12.3.5.a STA: GE5.0 TOP: 4-3 Congruent Triangles

19. ANS:

a

Proof:

Statements	Reasons
1. $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{ED}, \overline{BC} \cong \overline{DC}, \overline{AC} \cong \overline{EC}$	1. Given
2. $\angle A \cong \angle E$	2. Given
3. $\angle BCA \cong \angle DCE$	3. Vertical Angles Theorem
4. $\angle B \cong \angle D$	4. Third Angles Theorem
5. $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle EDC$	5. Definition of congruent triangles

PTS: 1

DIF: Average

REF: Page 233

OBJ: 4-3.4 Application

NAT: 12.3.5.a

STA: GE5.0

TOP: 4-3 Congruent Triangles

20. ANS:

[1] $\overline{ST} \cong \overline{UT}$

[2] $\angle RTS \cong \angle RTU$

[3] $\overline{RT} \cong \overline{RT}$

It is given that $\overline{ST} \cong \overline{UT}$. Since $\angle RTS$ and $\angle RTU$ are right angles, $\angle RTS \cong \angle RTU$ by the Right Angle Congruence Theorem. By the Reflexive Property of Congruence, $\overline{RT} \cong \overline{RT}$. Therefore, $\triangle RTS \cong \triangle RTU$ by SAS.

PTS: 1

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REF: Page 243

OBJ: 4-4.2 Application

NAT: 12.3.5.a

STA: GE5.0

TOP: 4-4 Triangle Congruence: SSS and SAS

21. ANS:

[1] $3+7$

[2] $4(3)-2$

[3] 16

[4] 16

[5] SSS

$AB = a + 7 = 3 + 7 = 10$

$CD = 4a - 2 = 4(3) - 2 = 12 - 2 = 10$

$AD = 6a - 2 = 6(3) - 2 = 18 - 2 = 16$

$CB = 16$

$\overline{AB} \cong \overline{CD}$, $\overline{AD} \cong \overline{CB}$, $\overline{BD} \cong \overline{BD}$ by the Reflexive Property of Congruence. So $\triangle ABD \cong \triangle CDB$ by SSS.

PTS: 1

DIF: Average

REF: Page 244

OBJ: 4-4.3 Verifying Triangle Congruence

NAT: 12.3.5.a

STA: GE2.0

TOP: 4-4 Triangle Congruence: SSS and SAS

22. ANS:

[1]. Definition of midpoint

[2] $\angle TPR \cong \angle QPS$

[3] SAS

Proof:

Statements	Reasons
1. P is the midpoint of \overline{TQ} and \overline{RS} .	1. Given
2. $\overline{TP} \cong \overline{QP}$, $\overline{RP} \cong \overline{SP}$	2. Definition of midpoint
3. $\angle TPR \cong \angle QPS$	3. Vertical Angles Theorem
4. $\triangle TPR \cong \triangle QPS$	4. SAS

PTS: 1

DIF: Average

REF: Page 244

OBJ: 4-4.4 Proving Triangles Congruent

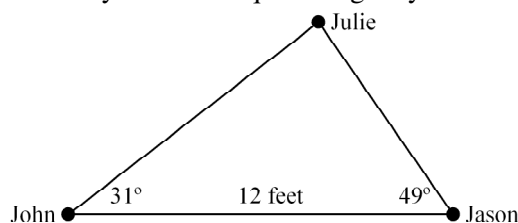
NAT: 12.3.5.a

STA: GE5.0

TOP: 4-4 Triangle Congruence: SSS and SAS

23. ANS:

Yes. They form a unique triangle by ASA.



Statements 2 and 3 determine the measures of two angles of the triangle.

Statement 1 determines the length of the included side.

By ASA, the triangle must be unique.

PTS: 1

DIF: Average

REF: Page 252

OBJ: 4-5.1 Problem-Solving Application

NAT: 12.3.3.f

STA: 7MR3.1

TOP: 4-5 Triangle Congruence: ASA AAS and HL

24. ANS:

1. Alternate Interior Angles Theorem

2. Alternate Exterior Angles Theorem

1. $\angle B$ and $\angle G$ are alternate interior angles and $\overline{AB} \parallel \overline{GH}$. Thus by the Alternate Interior Angles Theorem, $\angle B \cong \angle G$.2. $\angle ACB$ and $\angle HFG$ are alternate exterior angles and $\overleftrightarrow{AC} \parallel \overleftrightarrow{FH}$. Thus by the Alternate Exterior Angles Theorem, $\angle ACB \cong \angle HFG$.

PTS: 1

DIF: Average

REF: Page 254

OBJ: 4-5.3 Using AAS to Prove Triangles Congruent

NAT: 12.3.5.a

STA: GE5.0

TOP: 4-5 Triangle Congruence: ASA AAS and HL

25. ANS:

Yes.

$\overline{AB} \parallel \overline{CD}$ is given. In addition, by the Reflexive Property of Congruence, $\overline{AD} \cong \overline{AD}$. Since $\overline{AC} \parallel \overline{BD}$ and $\overline{AC} \perp \overline{PB}$, by the Perpendicular Transversal Theorem $\overline{BD} \perp \overline{PB}$. By the definition of right angle, $\angle ABD$ is a right angle. Similarly, $\angle DCA$ is a right angle. Therefore, $\triangle ABD \cong \triangle DCA$ by the HL Congruence Theorem.

PTS: 1 DIF: Average REF: Page 255 OBJ: 4-5.4 Applying HL Congruence
 NAT: 12.3.2.e STA: GE5.0 TOP: 4-5 Triangle Congruence: ASA AAS and HL

26. ANS:

$\triangle ABO \cong \triangle CDO$ by SAS and $\angle A \cong \angle C$ by CPCTC, so $m\angle A = 40^\circ$ by substitution.

From the figure, $\overline{CO} \cong \overline{AO}$, and $\overline{DO} \cong \overline{BO}$. $\angle AOB \cong \angle COD$ by the Vertical Angles Theorem. Therefore, $\triangle ABO \cong \triangle CDO$ by SAS and $\angle A \cong \angle C$ by CPCTC. $m\angle A = 40^\circ$ by substitution.

PTS: 1 DIF: Average REF: Page 260 OBJ: 4-6.1 Application
 NAT: 12.3.2.e STA: GE5.0 TOP: 4-6 Triangle Congruence: CPCTC

27. ANS:

1. Congruent Supplements Theorem

2. $\angle CAB \cong \angle CAD$

3. Reflexive Property of Congruence

4. AAS

5. CPCTC

1a. By the Linear Pair Theorem, $\angle CBF$ and $\angle ABC$ are supplementary and $\angle CDG$ and $\angle ADC$ are supplementary.1b. Given $\angle CBF \cong \angle CDG$, by the Congruent Supplements Theorem, $\angle ABC \cong \angle ADC$.2. $\angle CAB \cong \angle CAD$ by the definition of an angle bisector.3. $\overline{AC} \cong \overline{AC}$ by the Reflexive Property of Congruence4. Two angles and a nonincluded side of $\triangle ACB$ and $\triangle ACD$ are congruent. By AAS, $\triangle ACB \cong \triangle ACD$.5. Since $\triangle ACB \cong \triangle ACD$, $\overline{AD} \cong \overline{AB}$ by CPCTC.

PTS: 1 DIF: Average REF: Page 260
 OBJ: 4-6.2 Proving Corresponding Parts Congruent NAT: 12.3.5.a
 STA: GE5.0 TOP: 4-6 Triangle Congruence: CPCTC

28. ANS:

[1] AAS

[2] CPCTC

[1] Steps 1 and 7 state that two angles and a nonincluded side of $\triangle MLN$ and $\triangle PLO$ are congruent. By AAS, $\triangle MLN \cong \triangle PLO$.

[2] Since $\triangle MLN \cong \triangle PLO$, by CPCTC, $\overline{ML} \cong \overline{PL}$.

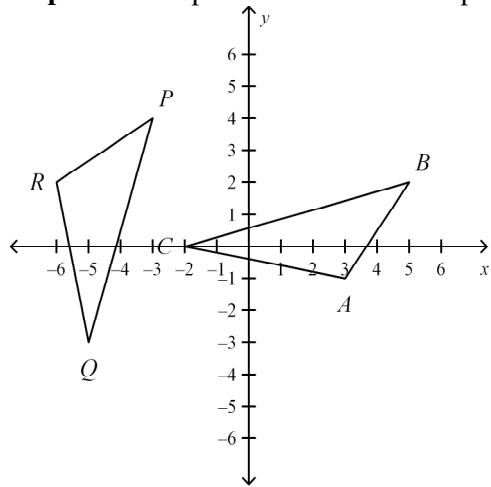
PTS: 1 DIF: Average REF: Page 261 OBJ: 4-6.3 Using CPCTC in a Proof
 NAT: 12.3.5.a STA: GE5.0 TOP: 4-6 Triangle Congruence: CPCTC

29. ANS:

[1] \overline{PQ} [2] \overline{RP} [3] $\triangle RPQ$

[4] SSS

[5] CPCTC

Step 1 Plot the points on a coordinate plane.**Step 2** Use the Distance Formula to find the lengths of the sides of each triangle.

$$D = \sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} AB &= \sqrt{(5 - 3)^2 + (2 - (-1))^2} \\ &= \sqrt{4 + 9} = \sqrt{13} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} RP &= \sqrt{(-3 - (-6))^2 + (4 - 2)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{9 + 4} = \sqrt{13} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} BC &= \sqrt{(-2 - 5)^2 + (0 - 2)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{49 + 4} = \sqrt{53} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} PQ &= \sqrt{(-5 - (-3))^2 + (-3 - 4)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{4 + 49} = \sqrt{53} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} CA &= \sqrt{(3 - (-2))^2 + (-1 - 0)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{25 + 1} = \sqrt{26} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} QR &= \sqrt{(-6 - (-5))^2 + (2 - (-3))^2} \\ &= \sqrt{1 + 25} = \sqrt{26} \end{aligned}$$

$AB = RP = \sqrt{13}$, $BC = PQ = \sqrt{53}$, and $CA = QR = \sqrt{26}$. So $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{RP}$, $\overline{BC} \cong \overline{PQ}$, and $\overline{CA} \cong \overline{QR}$. Therefore $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle RPQ$ by SSS, and $\angle ABC \cong \angle RPQ$ by CPCTC.

PTS: 1 DIF: Average REF: Page 261

OBJ: 4-6.4 Using CPCTC in the Coordinate Plane

NAT: 12.2.1.e

STA: GE5.0

TOP: 4-6 Triangle Congruence: CPCTC

30. ANS:

[1] a right

[2] 12

[3] Midpoint

[4] a right

[5] 3

[6] 12

ΔPQR is a right triangle with height PQ and base QR . The area of $\Delta PQR = \frac{1}{2}bh = \frac{1}{2}(3)(8) = 12$ square units. By

the Midpoint Formula, the coordinates of $S = \left(\frac{0+0}{2}, \frac{0+8}{2}\right) = (0, 4)$ and the coordinates of

$T = \left(\frac{-3+0}{2}, \frac{0+8}{2}\right) = \left(-\frac{3}{2}, 4\right)$. Thus ΔPST is a right triangle with height PS and base ST . So the area of

$\Delta PST = \frac{1}{2}bh = \frac{1}{2}\left[0 - \left(-\frac{3}{2}\right)\right](8 - 4) = \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)(4) = 3$ square units. Since $3 = \frac{1}{4}(12)$, the area of ΔPST is one fourth the area of ΔPQR .

PTS: 1

DIF: Average

REF: Page 268

OBJ: 4-7.2 Writing a Proof Using Coordinate Geometry

NAT: 12.3.5.a

STA: GE17.0

TOP: 4-7 Introduction to Coordinate Proof

31. ANS:

Both a. and b.

Since the triangle has a right angle, place the vertex of the right angle at the origin and position a leg along each axis. This can be done in two ways: with the leg of length r along the x -axis or along the y -axis. In the first case, the three vertices are $(0, 0)$, $(r, 0)$, and $(0, 2s + 4)$. In the second case, the three vertices are $(0, 0)$, $(0, r)$, and $(2s + 4, 0)$.

PTS: 1

DIF: Average

REF: Page 268

OBJ: 4-7.3 Assigning Coordinates to Vertices

NAT: 12.3.4.d

STA: GE17.0

TOP: 4-7 Introduction to Coordinate Proof

32. ANS:

[1] $2cd$

[2] Midpoint

[3] $\frac{1}{2}cd$

ΔPQR is right triangle with height $2d$ units and base $2c$ units. The area of $\Delta PQR = \frac{1}{2}bh = \frac{1}{2}(2c)(2d) = 2cd$ square

units. By the Midpoint Formula, the coordinates of S are $\left(\frac{0+0}{2}, \frac{0+2d}{2}\right) = (0, d)$ and the coordinates of T are

$\left(\frac{2c+0}{2}, \frac{0+2d}{2}\right) = (c, d)$. Thus ΔPST is a right triangle with height $2d - d = d$ units and base c units. So the

area of $\Delta PST = \frac{1}{2}bh = \frac{1}{2}(c)(d) = \frac{1}{2}cd$ square units. Since $\frac{1}{2}cd = \frac{1}{4}(2cd)$, the area of ΔPST is one fourth the area of ΔPQR .

PTS: 1

DIF: Average

REF: Page 269

OBJ: 4-7.4 Writing a Coordinate Proof

NAT: 12.3.5.a

STA: GE17.0

TOP: 4-7 Introduction to Coordinate Proof

33. ANS:

$$m\angle A = 65^\circ$$

BW Tauri and M77 are equidistant from Earth, so $\overline{AC} \cong \overline{BC}$. By the Isosceles Triangle Theorem, $\angle A \cong \angle CBA$. From the Angle Addition Postulate, $m\angle CBA = 65^\circ$ and $m\angle A = 65^\circ$.

PTS: 1

DIF: Average

REF: Page 274

OBJ: 4-8.1 Application

NAT: 12.3.3.c

STA: GE12.0

TOP: 4-8 Isosceles and Equilateral Triangles

34. ANS:

$$m\angle Q = 75^\circ$$

$$m\angle Q = m\angle R = (2x + 15)^\circ$$

Isosceles Triangle Theorem

$$m\angle P + m\angle Q + m\angle R = 180^\circ$$

Triangle Sum Theorem

$$x + (2x + 15) + (2x + 15) = 180$$

Substitute x for $m\angle P$ and substitute $2x + 15$ for $m\angle Q$ and $m\angle R$.

$$5x = 150$$

Simplify and subtract 30 from both sides.

$$x = 30$$

Divide both sides by 5.

$$\text{Thus } m\angle Q = (2x + 15)^\circ = [2(30) + 15]^\circ = 75^\circ.$$

PTS: 1

DIF: Average

REF: Page 274

OBJ: 4-8.2 Finding the Measure of an Angle

NAT: 12.3.3.f

STA: GE12.0

TOP: 4-8 Isosceles and Equilateral Triangles

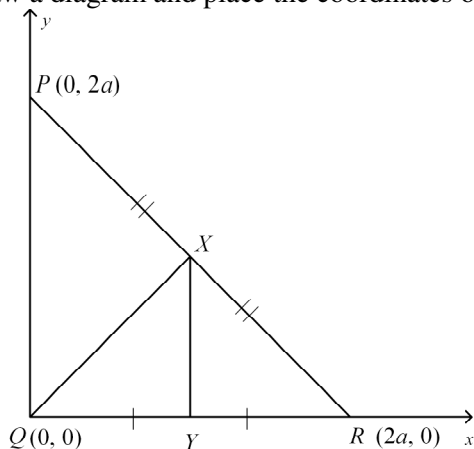
35. ANS:

[1] $2a$

[2] the Midpoint Formula

[3] a , [4] a

[5] the Distance Formula

[6] a , [7] a Draw a diagram and place the coordinates of $\triangle PQR$ and $\triangle QXY$ as shown.

By the Midpoint Formula, the coordinates of X are $\left(\frac{0+2a}{2}, \frac{2a+0}{2}\right) = (a, a)$ and

the coordinates of Y are $\left(\frac{0+2a}{2}, \frac{0+0}{2}\right) = (a, 0)$.

By the Distance Formula,

$$XY = \sqrt{(0-a)^2 + (a-a)^2} = a \text{ and}$$

$$QY = \sqrt{(0-a)^2 + (0-0)^2} = a.$$

Since $XY = QY$, $\overline{XY} \cong \overline{QY}$ by definition. So $\triangle QXY$ is isosceles.

PTS: 1

DIF: Average

REF: Page 275

OBJ: 4-8.4 Using Coordinate Proof

NAT: 12.3.5.a

STA: GE17.0

TOP: 4-8 Isosceles and Equilateral Triangles

36. ANS:

[1] $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{BC} \cong \overline{CA}$

[2] definition of equilateral triangle

[3] equiangular

Proof:

The same compass setting was used to create \overline{AB} , \overline{BC} , and \overline{AC} , so $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{BC} \cong \overline{CA}$. By the definition of equilateral triangle, $\triangle ABC$ is equilateral. Since $\triangle ABC$ is equilateral, it is also equiangular. So $m\angle A + m\angle B + m\angle C = 180^\circ$. Therefore, $m\angle A = 60^\circ$.

PTS: 1

DIF: Average

REF: Page 283

OBJ: 4-Ext.2 Proving the Construction of an Angle

TOP: 4-Ext Proving Constructions Valid