

## Analytic Geometry February 10, 2016

Today we will use our knowledge of angle relationships and triangle theorems to write proofs.

EQ: What is a proof and what are the 3 ways to write one?

MCC9-12.G.CO.9 Prove theorems about lines and angles. Theorems include: vertical angles are congruent; when a transversal crosses parallel lines, alternate interior angles are congruent and corresponding angles are congruent; points on a perpendicular bisector of a line segment are exactly those equidistant from the segment's endpoints.

MCC9-12.G.CO.10 Prove theorems about triangles. Theorems include: measures of interior angles of a triangle sum to  $180^\circ$ ; base angles of isosceles triangles are congruent; the segment joining midpoints of two sides of a triangle is parallel to the third side and half the length; the medians of a triangle meet at a point

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### Key Concepts

A proof is a logical argument that convinces someone that a statement is true.

To write a proof, you need to write a logical sequence of statements and reasons. Begin with what you know (the given) and end with what you were asked to prove.

We will write proofs 3 different ways:

- 1) Two Column
- 2) Paragraph
- 3) Flow

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### Properties for Writing Proofs

Reflexive Property:  $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{AB}$   $\angle A \cong \angle A$

Symmetric Property: If  $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{CD}$ , then  $\overline{CD} \cong \overline{AB}$   
 If  $\angle A \cong \angle B$ , then  $\angle B \cong \angle A$

Transitive Property: If  $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{CD}$  and  $\overline{CD} \cong \overline{EF}$ , then  $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{EF}$   
 If  $\angle A \cong \angle B$  and  $\angle B \cong \angle C$ , then  $\angle A \cong \angle C$   
 If  $\angle B \cong \angle A$  and  $\angle B \cong \angle C$ , then  $\angle A \cong \angle C$

Substitution Property:  $AB = 2x$ ;  $BC = 3x$ ;  $AC = 20$   
 If  $AB + BC = AC$ , then  $2x + 3x = 20$

**Examples:** Use the given property to complete each statement.

- Symmetric Property: If  $AB = YU$ , then  $YU = AB$
- Symmetric Property: If  $\angle H \cong \angle K$ , then  $\angle K \cong \angle H$
- Reflexive Property:  $\angle PQR \cong \angle PQR$
- Substitution Property: If  $LM = 7$  and  $EF + LM = NP$ , then  
 $EF + 7 = NP$
- Transitive Property: If  $\angle XYZ \cong \angle AOB$  and  $\angle AOB \cong \angle WYT$   
 then  $\angle XYZ \cong \angle WYT$ .

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### Other Properties used in Proofs:

- \* Vertical Angles are Congruent
- \* Linear Pairs are Supplementary
- \* Supplementary Angles Sum to  $180^\circ$
- \* Complementary Angles Sum to  $90^\circ$
- \* Angle Addition Postulate
- \* Right Angles measure  $90^\circ$
- \* Right Angles are Congruent
- \* Triangle Angle Sum Theory

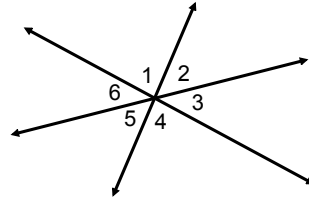
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# Two Column Proof

Complete the following proof by filling in the blanks.

Given:  $\angle 1 \cong \angle 3$

Prove:  $\angle 6 \cong \angle 4$



Statements	Reasons
1) $\angle 1 \cong \angle 3$	1) Given
2) $\angle 3 \cong \angle 6$	2) <u>Vertical Angles Theorem</u>
3) <u><math>\angle 1 \cong \angle 6</math></u>	3) Transitive Property
4) $\angle 1 \cong \angle 4$	4) <u>Vertical Angles Theorem</u>
5) $\angle 6 \cong \angle 4$	5) <u>Transitive Property</u>

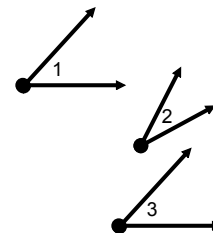
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# Paragraph Proof

Complete the following proof by filling in the blanks.

Given:  $\angle 1$  and  $\angle 2$  are complementary  
 $\angle 3$  and  $\angle 2$  are complementary

Prove:  $\angle 1 \cong \angle 3$



$\angle 1$  and  $\angle 2$  are complementary and  $\angle 3$  and  $\angle 2$  are complementary because it is given. By the definition of complementary angles  $m\angle 1 + m\angle 2 = \underline{90^\circ}$  and  $m\angle 3 + m\angle 2 = \underline{90^\circ}$ . Then  $m\angle 1 + m\angle 2 = m\angle 3 + m\angle 2$  by the Transitive Property. Subtract  $m\angle 2$  from each side. By the Subtraction Property, you get  $m\angle 1 = m\angle 3$ . Angles with the same measure are congruent, so  $\angle 1 \cong \angle 3$ .

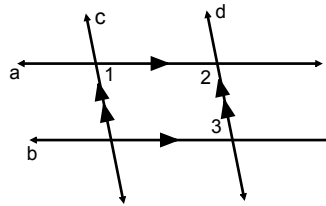
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# You Try!

Complete the proof by filling in the blanks.

Given:  $a \parallel b$ ,  $c \parallel d$

Prove:  $\angle 1 \cong \angle 3$



Statements	Reasons
1) $a \parallel b$	1) Given
2) $\angle 3$ and $\angle 2$ are supplementary	2) <u>Same-Side Interior Angles are Supplementary</u>
3) $c \parallel d$	3) Given
4) $\angle 1$ and $\angle 2$ are supplementary	4) <u>Same-Side Interior Angles are Supplementary</u>
5) $\angle 1 \cong \angle 3$	5) <u>If 2 angles are supplementary to the same angle, then they are congruent.</u>

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# Homework: Worksheet

On-line and textbook help references: p. 44

- <http://www.ixl.com/math/geometry/proofs-involving-parallel-lines>

- <https://www.khanacademy.org/math/geometry/geometry-worked-examples/v/ca-geometry-more-proofs>

- <http://www.regentsprep.org/Regents/math/geometry/GP11/LsimilarProof.htm>

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