

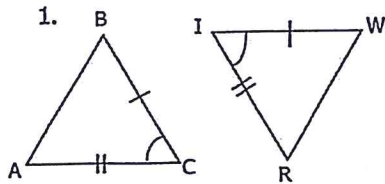
Unit 5: Triangle Congruence

Proving Triangles Congruent: ASA, AAS, SAS, SSS

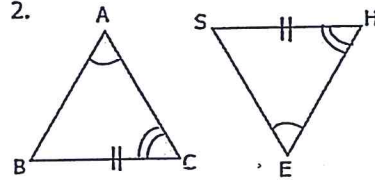
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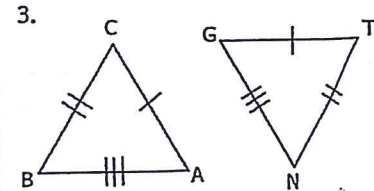
For each problem give the correct naming order of the congruent triangles. Write that name in order on the lines for the problem number (see box at bottom). Also, indicate which postulate or theorem is being used.



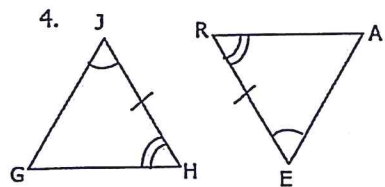
$\triangle ABC \cong \triangle RWI$ by SAS



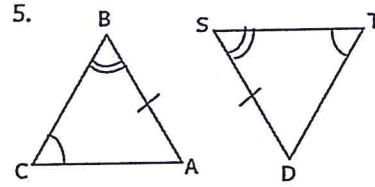
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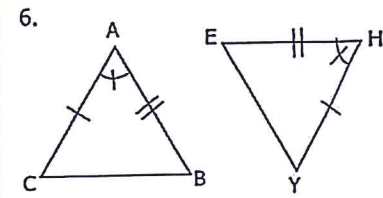
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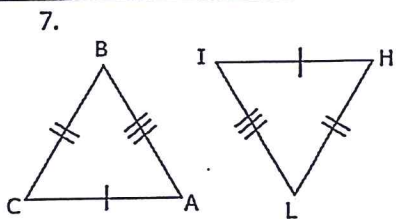
$\triangle GHJ \cong \triangle$ _____ by _____



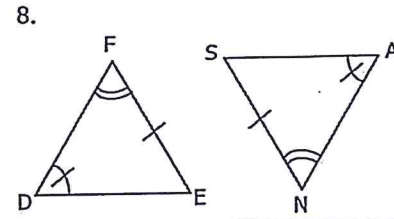
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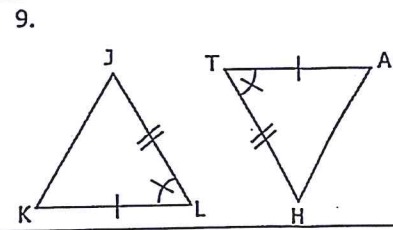
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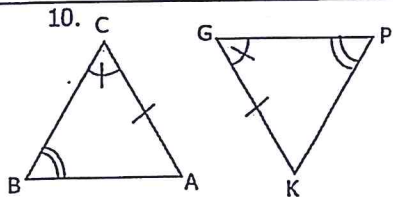
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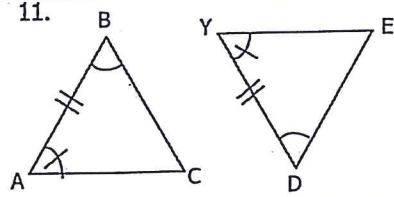
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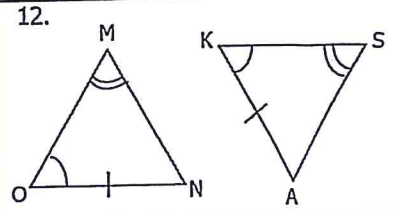
$\triangle JKL \cong \triangle$ _____ by _____



$\triangle ABC \cong \triangle$ _____ by _____



$\triangle ABC \cong \triangle$ _____ by _____



$\triangle MNO \cong \triangle$ _____ by _____

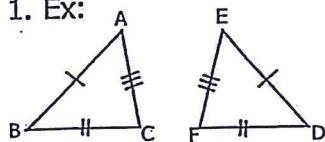
4 4 4 8 8 O 8 12 N 12 12 2 S 2 2 E 5 I 5 5 9 9 9 T 6

6 6 10 E E 10 10 1 O 1 1 N 3 U 3 3 7 7 T 7 E 11 11 I 11

(When you are done with the puzzle, there are: 3 SAS, 5 AAS, 2 ASA, and 2 SSS instances.)

For each figure, which triangles are congruent? Write the "proof parts" accurately that would lead to showing the congruence and give the correct reason why the triangles are congruent.

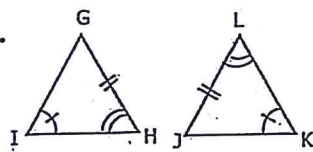
1. Ex:



$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \overline{AB} \cong \overline{ED} \\ \overline{AC} \cong \overline{EF} \\ \overline{BC} \cong \overline{DF} \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow \Delta ABC \cong \Delta EDF$$

(reason: SSS Postulate)

2.

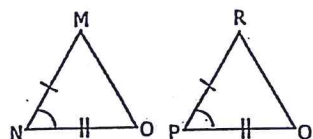


$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \angle I \cong \angle K \\ \overline{GH} \cong \overline{LJ} \\ \overline{HI} \cong \overline{JK} \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow \Delta GHI \cong \Delta LJK$$

(reason: SAA)

← congruence statement
← choose from SSS, SAS, ASA Post. SAA Theorem

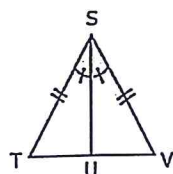
3.



$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \overline{MN} \cong \overline{RP} \\ \overline{NO} \cong \overline{PQ} \\ \overline{MO} \cong \overline{RQ} \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow \Delta MNO \cong \Delta RPQ$$

(reason: SSS)

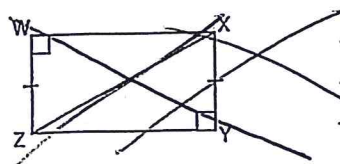
4.



$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \overline{ST} \cong \overline{SV} \\ \overline{TU} \cong \overline{UV} \\ \overline{SU} \cong \overline{SU} \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow \Delta STU \cong \Delta SVU$$

(reason: SSS)

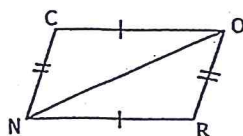
5.



$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \overline{WU} \cong \overline{YU} \\ \overline{XU} \cong \overline{ZU} \\ \overline{WY} \cong \overline{XZ} \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow \Delta WUY \cong \Delta XUZ$$

(reason: SSS)

6.



$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \overline{CN} \cong \overline{OR} \\ \overline{NR} \cong \overline{CO} \\ \overline{CU} \cong \overline{OU} \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow \Delta CNU \cong \Delta ORU$$

(reason: SSS)