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Unit C: Triangles

Geometry 1st Semester

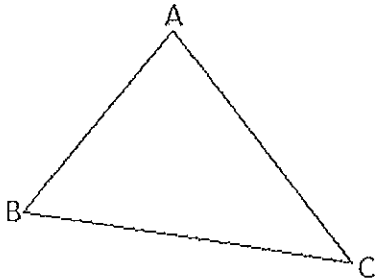


Lesson 2-7: Triangle Inequality

Vocabulary

Triangle Inequality Postulate: the sum of the lengths of any 2 sides is greater than the third side.

So, for triangle ABC below, this postulate means three things:



1. $AB + BC > AC$

2. $AB + AC > BC$

3. $BC + AC > AB$

Practice

1. Is it possible to have a triangle with side lengths 3, 5, 9? Explain...

$3 + 5 = 8$, no since $8 < 9$.

2. Is it possible to have a triangle with side lengths 3, 7, 9? Explain...

$3 + 7 = 10$, yes since $10 > 9$.

3. Two sides of a triangle are 15 and 20.

- a. The third side must be longer than what length? Why?

$20 - 15 = 5$.

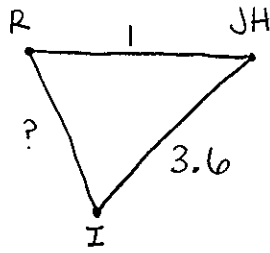
- b. The third side must be shorter than what length? Why?

$20 + 15 = 35$.

- c. If the third side is called x , write an inequality showing its possible lengths.

$5 < x < 35$

4. The distance from Roberto's house to the Junior High is 1 mile. The distance from Ian's house to the Junior High is 3.6 miles. Write an inequality about the possible distances between Roberto and Ian's houses.



$$1 + 3.6 = 4.6$$

$$3.6 - 1 = 2.6$$

$$2.6 < x < 4.6$$

5. A triangle has two side lengths of 10 and 3.

- a. The third side must be longer than what length? Why?

$$10 - 3 = 7$$

- b. The third side must be shorter than what length? Why?

$$10 + 3 = 13$$

- c. If the third side is called x , write an inequality showing its possible lengths.

$$7 < x < 13$$

6. Can a triangle have side lengths:

- a. 3cm, 8cm, 6cm? $3 + 6 = 9$, yes since $9 > 8$

- b. 3cm, 8cm, 5cm? $3 + 5 = 8$, no since $8 = 8$

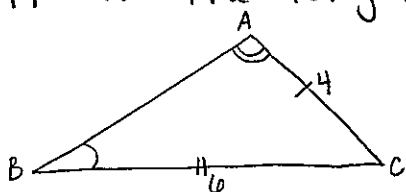
- c. 3cm, 3cm, 3cm? $3 + 3 = 6$, yes since $6 > 3$

Lesson 7-9: Unequal Sides & Angles Theorem

Vocabulary

Unequal Sides Theorem: If 2 sides are not \cong , then the angles opposite them are not \cong & the longer side is opposite the longer angle.

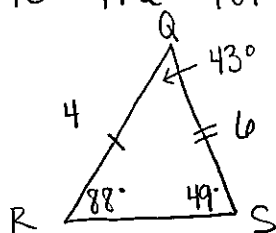
Example



$\angle A$ is larger than $\angle B$

Unequal Angles Theorem: If 2 angles are not \cong , then the sides opposite them are not \cong & the larger angle is opposite the longer side.

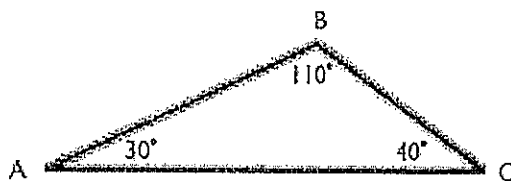
Example



$RS < QR < QS$

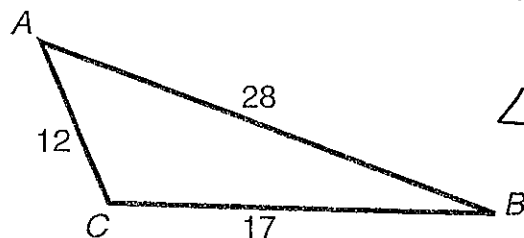
Practice

- Put the sides of $\triangle ABC$ in order from smallest to largest.



$BC < AB < AC$

- Put the angles of $\triangle ABC$ in order from smallest to largest.

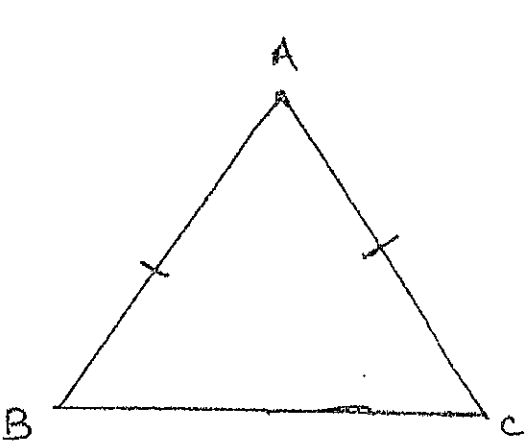


$\angle B < \angle A < \angle C$

Lesson 6-2: Isosceles Triangles

Vocabulary

Parts of an Isosceles Triangle:

| | |
|---|---|
|  | Two Congruent Sides tick marks \overline{AB} & \overline{AC} |
| | Vertex Angle between 2 \cong sides, $\angle A$ |
| | Base Angles other angles $\angle B$ & $\angle C$ |
| | Base non- \cong side \overline{BC} |

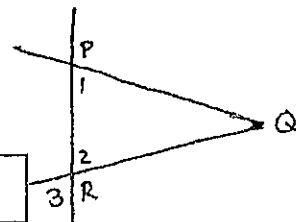
Isosceles Triangle Symmetry Theorem: the line bisecting vertex angle is a symmetry line

Isosceles Triangle Coincidence Theorem: symmetry line is the \perp bisector of base & is the median of base.

* Isosceles Triangle Base Angles Theorem (ITBAT): If a triangle has 2 \cong sides, then the angles opposite them are \cong

Practice

1. Given: The figure at the right, with $PQ = QR$.
Prove: $m\angle 1 = m\angle 3$.



| Conclusions | Justifications |
|----------------------------|-----------------|
| 1. $PQ = QR$ | Given |
| 2. $m\angle 1 = m\angle 2$ | ITBAT |
| 3. $m\angle 2 = m\angle 3$ | Vertical Angles |
| 4. $m\angle 1 = m\angle 3$ | Transitivity |

Vocabulary

Equilateral Triangles have... 3 equal sides & 3 lines of symmetry.

Equilateral Triangle Symmetry Theorem: every equil. Δ has 3
symm. lines, which are the bisectors of its angles
& the \perp bisectors of its sides.

Equilateral Triangle Angle Theorem: _____

If a Δ is equilateral, then it is equiangular.

Equiangular: all angles have the same measure

Corollary: every equil. Δ has angles that each
measure 60° .

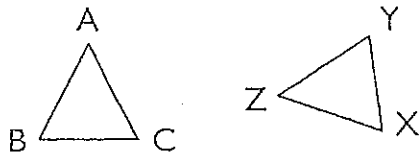
~~Practice~~

Lesson 5-1: Corresponding Parts of Congruent Figures

Vocabulary

Corresponding Parts of Congruent Figures Theorem (CPCF Theorem): If two figures are congruent, then any pair of corresponding parts is congruent.

Example



If $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle ZYX$, then by CPCF:

$$\angle A \cong \angle Z, \angle B \cong \angle Y, \angle C \cong \angle X$$

$$\overline{AB} \cong \overline{ZY}, \overline{BC} \cong \overline{YX}, \text{ \& } \overline{AC} \cong \overline{ZX}$$

ABCD Theorem: every transformation preserves:

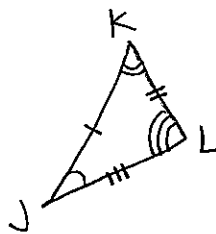
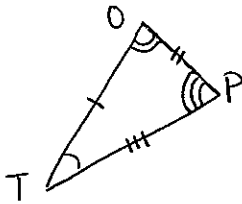
Angle measure, Betweenness, Collinearity, & Distance

Equivalence Properties of Congruence: For any figure F, G, and H:

- $F \cong F$ (Reflexive Property)
- If $F \cong G$, then $G \cong F$ (Symmetric Property)
- If $F \cong G$ & $G \cong H$, then $F \cong H$. (Transitive Prop.)

Practice

- $\triangle TOP \cong \triangle JKL$. List the six pairs of congruent parts. Sketch a possible situation and mark the congruent parts.



$$\angle T \cong \angle J$$

$$\angle O \cong \angle K$$

$$\angle P \cong \angle L$$

$$\overline{TO} \cong \overline{JK}$$

$$\overline{OP} \cong \overline{KL}$$

$$\overline{TP} \cong \overline{JL}$$

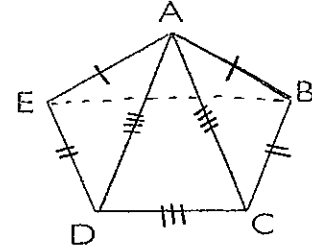
2. $ABCD \cong AEDC$.

a. List all pairs of congruent parts.

$\angle A \cong \angle A$, $\angle B \cong \angle E$, $\angle C \cong \angle D$,
 $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{AE}$, $\overline{BC} \cong \overline{ED}$, $\overline{DC} \cong \overline{CD}$, &
 $\overline{AD} \cong \overline{AC}$.

b. Name two triangles which are isosceles.

$\triangle ADC$ & $\triangle AEB$.



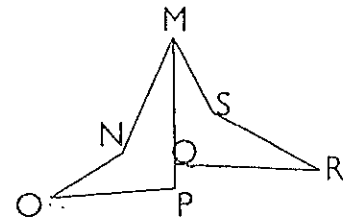
3. Suppose $MNOP \cong RSMQ$. Using the ABCD Theorem:

a. Which angle has measure equal to $m\angle PMN$.

$\angle QRS$

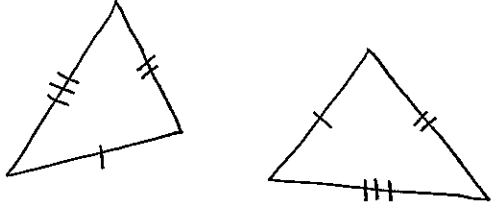
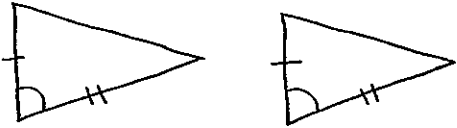
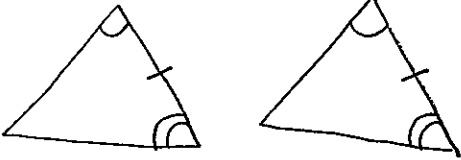
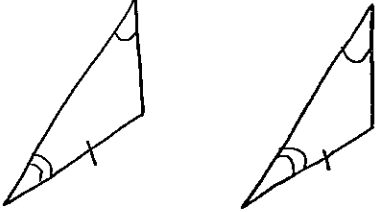
b. Which segment has length equal to NP ?

\overline{SQ}



Lesson 7-2: Triangle Congruence Theorems

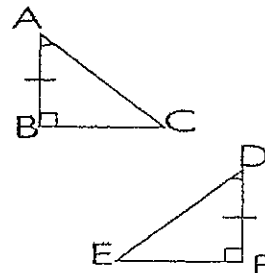
Vocabulary

| Congruence Theorem | Picture |
|---|--|
| <p>SSS Triangle Congruence Theorem: If 3 sides of one \triangle are \cong to 3 sides of another, then the \triangle's are \cong.</p> |  <p>The diagram shows two triangles. The first triangle has three sides marked with tick marks: one side with a single tick, one with a double tick, and one with a triple tick. The second triangle has the same three sides marked with the same number of ticks, indicating they are congruent.</p> |
| <p>SAS Triangle Congruence Theorem: If 2 sides & the angle between is \cong to 2 sides & the angle between on another, then the \triangle's are \cong.</p> |  <p>The diagram shows two triangles. In each triangle, two sides are marked with tick marks (one with a single tick, one with a double tick) and the angle between them is marked with an arc, indicating they are congruent.</p> |
| <p>ASA Triangle Congruence Theorem: If 2 angles & the side bet. is \cong to 2 angles & the side between on another, then the \triangle's are \cong.</p> |  <p>The diagram shows two triangles. In each triangle, two angles are marked with arcs and the side between them is marked with a single tick, indicating they are congruent.</p> |
| <p>AAS Triangle Congruence Theorem: If 2 angles & the side NOT between is \cong to 2 angles & the side NOT between on another, then the \triangle's are \cong.</p> |  <p>The diagram shows two triangles. In each triangle, two angles are marked with arcs and a side that is not between them is marked with a single tick, indicating they are congruent.</p> |

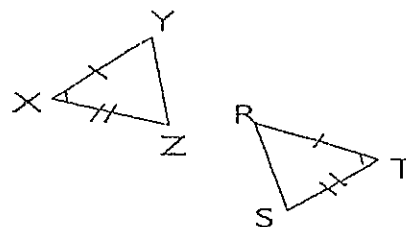
Practice

For #1-4, a) tell whether the triangles are congruent, b) justify with a triangle congruence theorem, c) indicate the corresponding vertices. Otherwise, write "Not enough information."

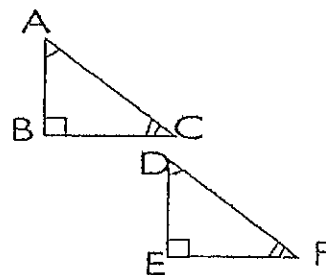
1. a. Yes
 b. ASA
 c. $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle DFE$



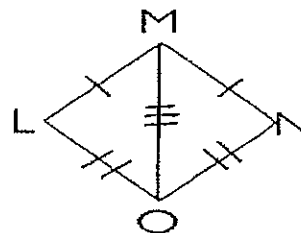
2. a. Yes
 b. SAS
 c. $\triangle XYZ \cong \triangle RTS$



3. a. NO
 b. N.E.I.
 c. ↓



4. a. Yes
 b. SSS
 c. $\triangle MLO \cong \triangle MNO$

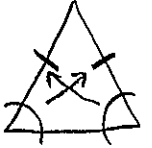


Lesson 7-3: Proofs Using Triangle Congruence




Vocabulary

Justification: a theorem, postulate, or definition that enables a conclusion drawn.

Isosceles Triangle Bases Angles Converse Theorem (ITBAT Converse): If two angles of a \triangle are \cong , then the two sides opposite them are also \cong .



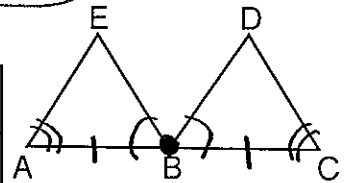
Regular Figure: a figure w/ all sides =, and all angles =.

→ ex:  or  or 

Practice

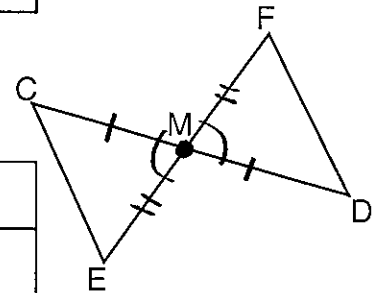
1. Given: In the figure below, $\angle EBA \cong \angle DBC$, B is the midpoint of AC, and $\angle A \cong \angle C$
 Prove: $\triangle ABE \cong \triangle CBD$.

| Conclusions | Justifications |
|---|------------------|
| 0. $\angle EBA \cong \angle DBC$, B is the midpoint of AC, and $\angle A \cong \angle C$ | Given |
| 1. $AB \cong BC$ | Def. of midpoint |
| 2. $\triangle ABE \cong \triangle CBD$ | ASA |

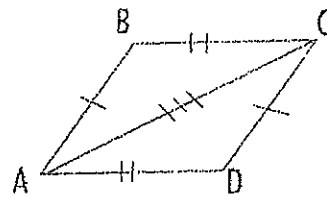


2. Given: M is the midpoint of CD and EF
 Prove: $\triangle CME \cong \triangle DMF$.

| Conclusions | Justifications |
|--|-------------------------|
| 0. M is midpoint of CD & EF | Given |
| 1. $CM = MD$ & $EM = MF$ | Definition of midpoint |
| 2. $\angle CME = \angle FMD$ | Vertical Angle Theorem |
| 3. $\triangle CME \cong \triangle DMF$ | SAS Triangle Congruence |

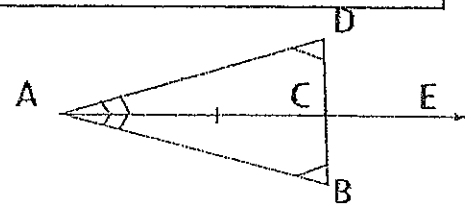


3. Given: $AB \cong CD$, $BC \cong AD$.
 Prove: $\angle B \cong \angle D$.



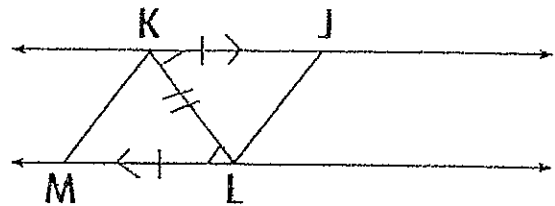
| Conclusions | Justifications |
|--|-----------------|
| 0. $AB \cong CD$, $BC \cong AD$ | Given |
| 1. $AC \cong AC$ | Reflexive Prop. |
| 2. $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle CDA$ | SSS |
| 3. $\angle B \cong \angle D$ | CPCF |

4. Given: AE bisects $\angle BAD$ and $\angle B \cong \angle D$.
 Prove: $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle ADC$.



| Conclusions | Justifications |
|--|------------------------|
| 0. AE bisects $\angle BAD$ & $\angle B \cong \angle D$ | Given |
| 1. $\angle BAC \cong \angle DAC$ | Definition of bisector |
| 2. $AC \cong AC$ | Reflexive Prop. |
| 3. $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle ADC$ | AAS |

5. Given: $KJ \parallel ML$ and $KJ \cong LM$.
 Prove: $\triangle KJL \cong \triangle LMK$.



| Conclusions | Justifications |
|--|--|
| 0. $KJ \parallel ML$ & $KJ \cong LM$ | Given |
| 1. $\angle JKL \cong \angle MLK$ | // Lines \rightarrow AIA \cong Theorem |
| 2. $KL \cong KL$ | Reflexive Property of Congruence |
| 3. $\triangle MKL \cong \triangle JKL$ | SAS $\triangle \cong$ Theorem |

Lesson 7-4: Overlapping Triangles

Vocabulary

Overlapping Figures: figures that have some parts of their interiors in common.

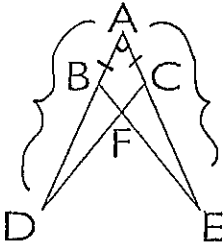
Example



Non-overlapping Figures: figures that do NOT share any part of their interiors.

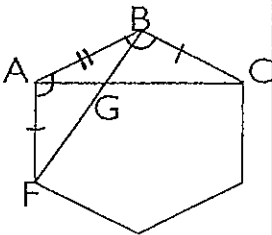
Practice

1. Given: $AC = AB$ and $AD = AE$.
Prove: $\angle D \cong \angle E$.



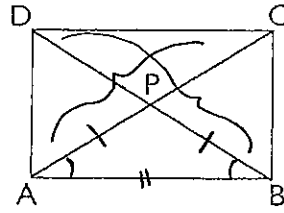
| Conclusions | Justifications |
|--|-----------------|
| 0. $AC = AB$ and $AD = AE$ | Given |
| 1. $\angle CAD \cong \angle BAE$ | Reflexive Prop. |
| 2. $\triangle ADC \cong \triangle AEB$ | SAS |
| 3. $\angle D \cong \angle E$ | CPCF |

2. Given: Regular hexagon ABCDEF.
Prove: $BF \cong AC$.



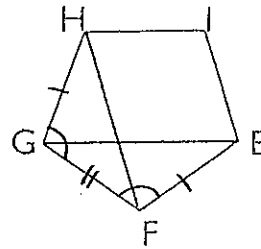
| Conclusions | Justifications |
|--|---------------------|
| 0. Regular hexagon ABCDEF | Given |
| 1. $AF \cong BC$ | Def. of regular |
| 2. $\angle FAB \cong \angle ABC$ | Def. of regular |
| 3. $AB \cong AB$ | Reflexive Prop. |
| 4. $\triangle FAB \cong \triangle CBA$ | SAS \cong Theorem |
| 5. $BF \cong AC$ | CPFC |

3. Given: $PA \cong PB$, $CA \cong DB$.
 Prove: $DA \cong CB$.



| Conclusions | Justifications |
|--|--|
| 0. $PA \cong PB$ & $CA \cong DB$ | Given |
| 1. $BA \cong AB$ | Reflexive Prop. |
| 2. $\angle PAB \cong \angle ABP$ | Isosceles Triangle Base Angles Theorem (ITBAT) |
| 3. $\triangle DAB \cong \triangle CBA$ | SAS $\triangle \cong$ Theorem |
| 4. $DA \cong CB$ | CPCF |

4. Given: Regular pentagon EFGHI.
 Prove: $EG \cong FH$.



| Conclusions | Justifications |
|--|-----------------|
| 0. Regular pentagon EFGHI | Given |
| 1. $EF \cong GH$ | Def. of regular |
| 2. $\angle EFG \cong \angle FGH$ | Def. of regular |
| 3. $FG \cong FG$ | Reflexive Prop. |
| 4. $\triangle EFG \cong \triangle FGH$ | SAS |
| 5. $EG \cong FH$. | CPCF |

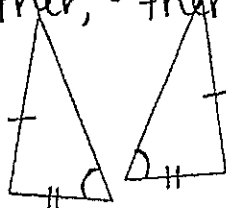
Lesson 7-5: SsA & HL Congruence

Ever wondered why we never use SSA? Well, we will start to use it here...but we never actually call it SSA, this is because it only works in specific cases. The two specific cases are SsA and HL.

Vocabulary

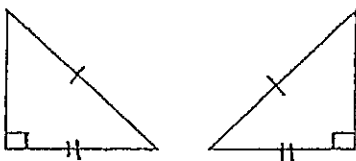
SsA Congruence: If a longer side & angle w/ a short side between are \cong to a longer side & angle w/ a short side between on another, then the Δ 's are \cong .

Example



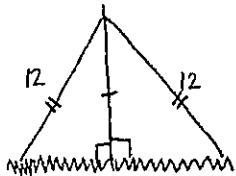
HL Congruence: If a hypotenuse & leg are \cong to a hypotenuse & leg of another, then the Δ 's are \cong .

Example



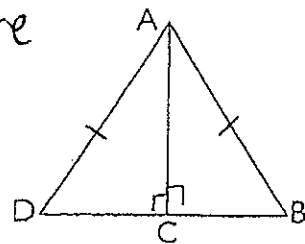
Practice

1. A high fence is perpendicular to the ground. Jack leans a 12' ladder against the fence. On the other side of the fence, Jill also leans a 12' ladder against the fence, reaching the same height as the first ladder. Why is it no surprise that the two ladders touch the ground at the same distance from the fence?



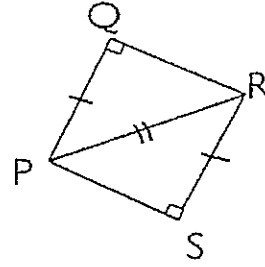
By HL the Δ 's are \cong , so
by CPCF the other legs are
also \cong .

2. Given: $AC \perp BD$ and $AD = AB$.
Prove: $\Delta ABC \cong \Delta ADC$.



| Conclusions | Justifications |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|
| 0. $AC \perp BD$ & $AD = AB$ | Given |
| 1. $AC \cong AC$ | Reflexive Prop. |
| 2. $\Delta ABC \cong \Delta ADC$ | HL |

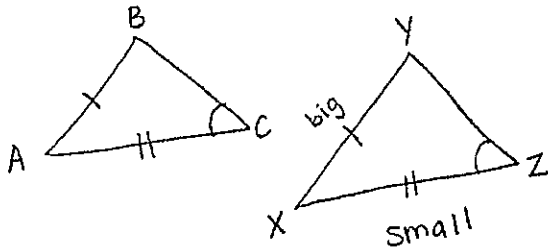
3. Given: $PQ \cong RS$, $\angle Q$ and $\angle S$ are right angles.
 Prove: $\angle QPR \cong \angle SRP$



| Conclusions | Justifications |
|---|-----------------|
| 0. $PQ \cong RS$, $\angle Q = \angle S = 90^\circ$ | Given |
| 1. $PR \cong PR$ | Reflexive Prop. |
| 2. $\triangle PQR \cong \triangle SRP$ | HL |
| 3. $\angle QPR \cong \angle SRP$ | CPCF |

4. Given: $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{XY}$, $\overline{AC} \cong \overline{XZ}$, $\angle C \cong \angle Z$ and $XY > XZ$.

Are $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle XYZ$ congruent? Justify with a congruence statement and indicate the corresponding vertices.



Yes, by SsA.

$$\triangle ABC \cong \triangle XYZ.$$