

Geometry
Notes: Rotations

Rotate: moving in a direction around a fixed point.

Clockwise (CW):



Counterclockwise (CCW):

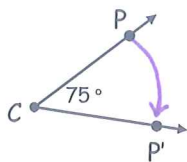


There are 360 degrees in a circle. When we rotate clockwise or counterclockwise, the two rotations should always add up to 360° degrees.

Examples

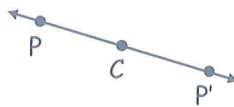
What rotation will take P to P'?

1.



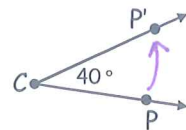
CW 75°
CCW 285°

2.



CW 180°
CCW 180°

3.



CW 320°
CCW 40°

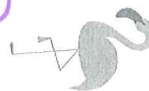
4. Which figure is a rotation of the original?



~~a)~~



b)



~~c)~~



5. Which figure is a rotation of the original?



~~a)~~



~~b)~~



c)



Rules of Rotation

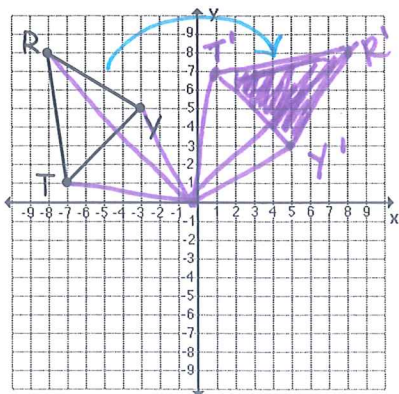
$$90^\circ \text{ CW or } 270^\circ \text{ CCW} \quad (x, y) \rightarrow (y, -x)$$

$$180^\circ \text{ CW or } 180^\circ \text{ CCW} \quad (x, y) \rightarrow (-x, -y)$$

$$90^\circ \text{ CCW or } 270^\circ \text{ CW} \quad (x, y) \rightarrow (-y, x)$$

1. Rotate TRY 90° CW from the origin. Call it T'R'Y'.

$$(x, y) \rightarrow (y, -x)$$



$$T \quad \underline{(-7, 1)}$$

$$T' \quad \underline{(1, 7)}$$

$$R \quad \underline{(-8, 8)}$$

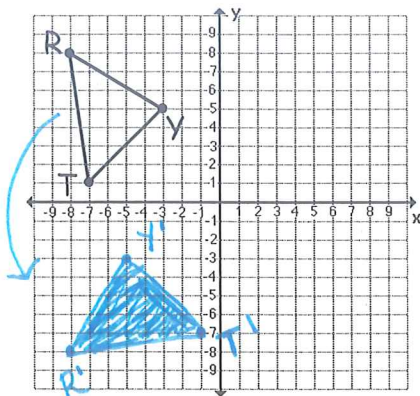
$$R' \quad \underline{(8, 8)}$$

$$Y \quad \underline{(-3, 5)}$$

$$Y' \quad \underline{(5, 3)}$$

2. Rotate TRY 90° CCW from the origin. Call it T'R'Y'.

$$(x, y) \rightarrow (-y, x)$$



$$T \quad \underline{(-7, 1)}$$

$$T' \quad \underline{(-1, -7)}$$

$$R \quad \underline{(-8, 8)}$$

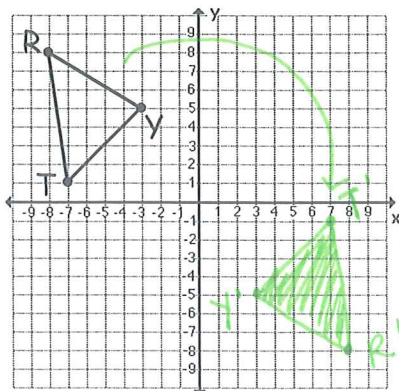
$$R' \quad \underline{(-8, -8)}$$

$$Y \quad \underline{(-3, 5)}$$

$$Y' \quad \underline{(-5, -3)}$$

3. Rotate TRY 180° CW from the origin. Call it T'R'Y'.

$$(x, y) \rightarrow (-x, -y)$$



$$T \quad \underline{(-7, 1)}$$

$$T' \quad \underline{(7, -1)}$$

$$R \quad \underline{(-8, 8)}$$

$$R' \quad \underline{(8, -8)}$$

$$Y \quad \underline{(-3, 5)}$$

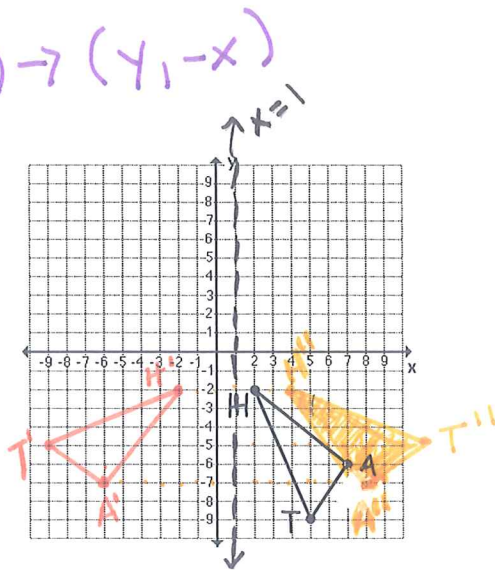
$$Y' \quad \underline{(3, -5)}$$

4. a. Rotate 90° CW from the origin.
Call it $H'A'T'$.

$$H \underline{(2, -2)} \quad H' \underline{(-2, -2)}$$

$$A \underline{(7, -6)} \quad A' \underline{(-6, -7)}$$

$$T \underline{(5, -9)} \quad T' \underline{(-9, -5)}$$



- b. Reflect over the line $x = 1$.
Call it $H''A''T''$.

$$H'' \underline{(4, -2)} \quad A'' \underline{(8, -7)} \quad T'' \underline{(11, -5)}$$

- c. Translate 3 right and 4 down.
Call it BUG .

$$B \underline{(7, -6)} \quad U \underline{(11, -11)} \quad G \underline{(14, -9)}$$

$(x, y) \rightarrow (x+3, y-4)$
add 3 to x
subtract 4 from y

	Translation	Reflection	Rotation
Is congruency preserved?	Yes	Yes	Yes
Is orientation preserved?	Yes	NO	NO