

1. Copy and complete the proof.

**Given:**  $\overline{PQ} \cong \overline{RS}$ ,  $\overline{QS} \cong \overline{ST}$

**Prove:**  $\overline{PS} \cong \overline{RT}$

**Proof:**

**Statements**

a. ?, ?  $\overline{PQ} \cong \overline{RS}$ ,  $\overline{QS} \cong \overline{ST}$

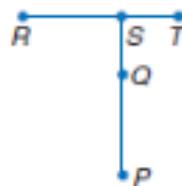
b.  $PQ = RS$ ,  $QS = ST$

c.  $PS = PQ + QS$ ,  $RT = RS + ST$

d. ?  $PS = RS + ST$

e. ?  $PS = RT$

f.  $\overline{PS} \cong \overline{RT}$



**Reasons**

a. Given

b. ? Def. of  $\cong$  segments

c. ? Segment Addition Post.

d. Substitution Property

e. Substitution Property

f. ? Def. of  $\cong$  segments

6. Given:  $AB = BC$

Prove:  $AC = 2BC$



**Proof:**

**Statements (Reasons)**

1.  $AB = BC$  (Given)

2.  $AC = AB + BC$  (Seg. Add. Post.)

3.  $AC = BC + BC$  (Substitution)

4.  $AC = 2BC$  (Substitution)

**Final:**

**Statements (Reasons)**

1.  $\overline{LM} \cong \overline{PN}$  and  $\overline{XM} \cong \overline{XN}$  (Given)

2.  $LM = PN$  and  $XN = XN$  (Def. of  $\cong$  segs.)

3.  $LM = LX + XM$ ,  $PN = PX + XN$  (Seg. Add. Post.)

4.  $LX + XM = PX + XN$  (Substitution)

5.  $LX + XN = PX + XN$  (Substitution)

6.  $XN = XN$  (Reflexive Prop.)

7.  $LX = PX$  (Subt. Prop.)

8.  $\overline{LX} \cong \overline{PX}$  (Def. of  $\cong$  segs.)

9. Given:  $\overline{XY} \cong \overline{WZ}$  and  $\overline{WZ} \cong \overline{AB}$

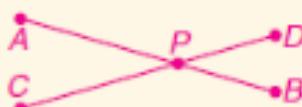
Prove:  $\overline{XY} \cong \overline{AB}$



**Additional Answer**

2. Given:  $\overline{AP} \cong \overline{CP}$ ;  $\overline{BP} \cong \overline{DP}$

Prove:  $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{CD}$



**Proof:**

**Statements (Reasons)**

1.  $\overline{AP} \cong \overline{CP}$  and  $\overline{BP} \cong \overline{DP}$  (Given)

2.  $AP = CP$  and  $BP = DP$

(Def. of  $\cong$  segs.)

3.  $AP + PB = AB$  (Seg. Add. Post.)

4.  $CP + DP = AB$  (Substitution)

5.  $CP + DP = CD$  (Seg. Add. Post.)

6.  $AP + PB = CP + DP$

(Substitution)

7.  $AB = CD$  (Substitution)

8.  $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{CD}$  (Def. of  $\cong$  segs.)

3. Copy and complete the proof.

Given:  $\overline{WY} \cong \overline{ZX}$

A is the midpoint of  $\overline{WY}$ .

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Prove:  $\overline{WA} \cong \overline{ZA}$

Proof:

**Statements**

a.  $\overline{WY} \cong \overline{ZX}$

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b.  $WY = ZX$

c. ?  $WA = AY$ ,  $ZX = ZA$

d.  $WY = WA + AY$ ,  $ZX = ZA + AX$

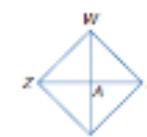
e.  $WA + AY = ZA + AX$

f.  $WA + WA = ZA + ZA$

g.  $2WA = 2ZA$

h. ?  $WA = ZA$

i.  $WA \cong ZA$



**Reasons**

a. ? Given

b. ? Def. of  $\cong$  segments

c. Def. of midpoint

d. ? Seg. Add. Post.

e. ? Substitution

f. ? Substitution

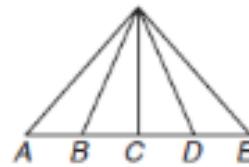
g. ? Substitution

h. Division Property

i. ? Def. of  $\cong$  segments

10. Given:  $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{DE}$ , C is the midpoint of  $\overline{BD}$ .

Prove:  $\overline{AC} \cong \overline{CE}$



**Proof:**

**Statements (Reasons)**

1.  $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{DE}$ , C is the midpoint of  $\overline{BD}$ . (Given)

2.  $BC = CD$  (Def. of midpoint)

3.  $AB = DE$  (Def. of  $\cong$  segs.)

4.  $AB + BC = CD + DE$  (Add. Prop.)

5.  $AB + BC = AC$ ,  $CD + DE = CE$  (Seg. Add. Post.)

6.  $AC = CE$  (Substitution)

7.  $\overline{AC} \cong \overline{CE}$  (Def. of  $\cong$  segs.)