

Acc Geometry
4.6 Isosceles & Equilateral Proof Practice

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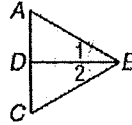
1.

Write a two-column proof.

Given: $\triangle ABC$ is equilateral; $\angle 1 \cong \angle 2$.

Prove: $\angle ADB \cong \angle CDB$

Proof:



WTS $\triangle ADB \cong \triangle CDB$

Statements	Reasons
①. $\triangle ABC$ is equilateral $\angle 1 \cong \angle 2$	① given
②. $\angle A \cong \angle C$	②. An equilateral \triangle is equiangular
③. $\overline{DB} \cong \overline{DB}$	③. Reflexive
④. $\triangle ADB \cong \triangle CDB$	④. AAS
⑤. $\angle ADB \cong \angle CDB$	⑤. CPCTC

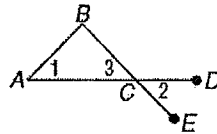
2.

Write a two-column proof.

Given: $\angle 1 \cong \angle 2$

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

WTS $\angle 1 \cong \angle 3$



Statements	Reasons
①. $\angle 1 \cong \angle 2$	① given
②. $\angle 2 = \angle 3$	② Vertical \angle s are \cong
③. $\angle 1 = \angle 3$	③ Transitive
④. $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{CB}$	④. If base \angle s are \cong , then the legs are \cong

⑤. $\angle LTR \cong \angle LRT$

⑧. $\overline{LX} \cong \overline{LY}$

⑩. 20

⑫. 36.5

⑭. 56

⑳. 18

⑥. $\angle LXW \cong \angle LWX$

⑨. $\overline{LS} \cong \overline{LR}$

⑪. 140

⑬. 30.5

⑮. 68

㉑. $m\angle 1 = 18$

⑦. $\angle LSQ \cong \angle LQS$

⑬. $\overline{LY} \cong \overline{LW}$

⑰. 81

⑲. 28

㉒. 38

㉓. $m\angle 2 = 17$

⑱. 106

㉔. 124

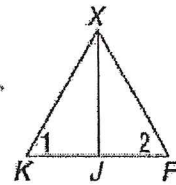
㉕. 111

㉖. $m\angle 3 = 26$

㉗. $m\angle 4 = 17$
㉘. $m\angle 5 = 18$

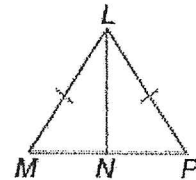
3. WTS $KJ \cong FJ$

Given: $\triangle XKF$ is equilateral.
 \overline{XJ} bisects $\angle X$.
 Prove: J is the midpoint of \overline{KF} .



Statement	Justification
①. $\triangle XKF$ is equilateral \overline{XJ} bisects $\angle X$	① given
②. $\angle 1 \cong \angle 2$	②. An equilateral \triangle is equiangular
③. $\angle KXJ \cong \angle FXJ$	③ Def of \angle bisector
④. $\overline{XJ} \cong \overline{XJ}$	④ Reflexive
⑤. $\triangle KXJ \cong \triangle FXJ$	⑤. AAS
⑥. $\overline{KJ} \cong \overline{FJ}$	⑥ CPCTC
⑦. J is the midpoint of \overline{KF}	⑦. Def of midpoint

4. Given: $\triangle MLP$ is isosceles.
 N is the midpoint of \overline{MP} .
 Prove: $\overline{LN} \perp \overline{MP}$

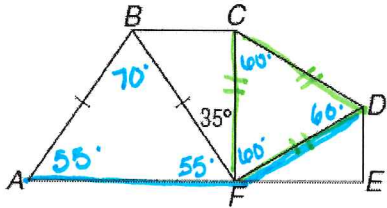


WTS $\angle LNP = 90^\circ$
 or
 $\angle LNM = 90^\circ$

Statements	Justifications
①. $\triangle MLP$ is isosceles N is midpoint of \overline{MP}	① given
②. $\overline{LM} \cong \overline{LP}$	② Def of isosceles \triangle
③. $\overline{MN} \cong \overline{PN}$	③. Def of midpoint
④. $\angle M \cong \angle P$	④ Base \angle s of an isosceles \triangle are \cong
⑤. $\triangle LMN \cong \triangle LPN$	⑤. SAS
⑥. $\angle LNM + \angle LNP = 180$	⑥ Linear pairs are suppl.
⑦. $\angle LNM \cong \angle LNP$	⑦ CPCTC
⑧. $\angle LNM + \angle LNM = 180$	⑧ Substitution
⑨. $2\angle LNM = 180$	⑨ Substitution (CLT)
⑩. $\angle LNM = 90$	⑩. Division
⑪. $\overline{LN} \perp \overline{MP}$	⑪ Def of \perp

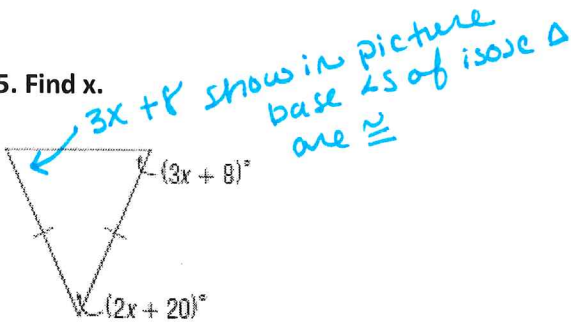
4.6 Examples

$\triangle ABF$ is isosceles, $\triangle CDF$ is equilateral, and $m\angle AFD = 150$.
Find each measure.



1. $m\angle CFD = 60^\circ$
equilateral is equiangular
2. $m\angle AFB = 55^\circ$
3. $m\angle ABF = 70^\circ$
4. $m\angle A = 55^\circ$

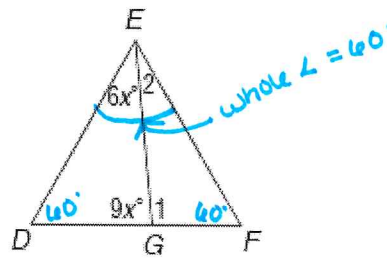
5. Find x .



$$3x + 8 + 3x + 8 + 2x + 20 = 180 \quad \Delta \text{ sum}$$

$$x = 18$$

6. $\triangle DEF$ is equilateral.



$$\angle D + \angle DEG + \angle EGD = 180 \quad \Delta \text{ sum}$$

$$60 + 6x + 9x = 180$$

$$x = 8$$

$$\angle 2 + 6x = 60$$

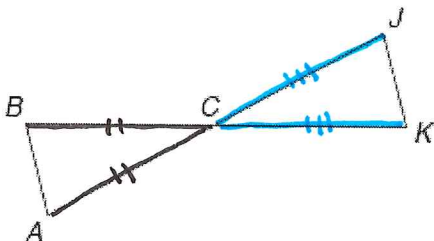
$$\angle 2 + 6 \cdot 8 = 60$$

$$\angle 2 + 48 = 60$$

$$\angle 2 = 12^\circ$$

$$\angle 1 = 108^\circ$$

7. Given: $\overline{CA} \cong \overline{BC}$; $\overline{KC} \cong \overline{CJ}$
C is the midpoint of \overline{BK} .
Prove: $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle JKC$



1. $CA \cong BC$
 $KC \cong CJ$
C is midpt of BK
2. $BC \cong KC$
3. $CA \cong CJ$
4. $\angle BCA \cong \angle K CJ$
5. $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle JKC$

1. given
2. def of midpt
3. substitution
4. vertical \angle s are \cong
5. SAS