
Year 10 Term 2 Homework Worked Solutions

Student Name: _____	Grade: _____
Date: _____	Score: _____

Table of contents

1	Year 10 Term 2 Week 1 Homework Solutions	1
1.1	Deductive geometry	1
1.1.1	Congruent triangles	1
1.2	Deductive proofs involving quadrilaterals	4
1.3	Miscellaneous exercises	8

This edition was printed on March 14, 2022.

Camera ready copy was prepared with the \LaTeX typesetting system.

Copyright © 2000 - 2022 Yimin Math Centre (www.yiminmathcentre.com)

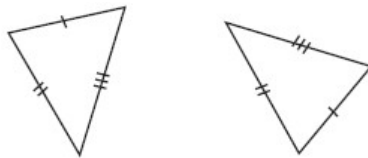
1 Year 10 Term 2 Week 1 Homework Solutions

1.1 Deductive geometry

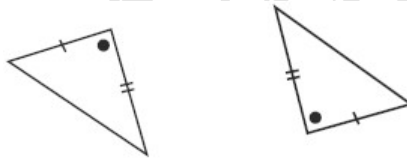
1.1.1 Congruent triangles

If two triangles are congruent, then:

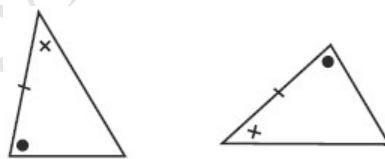
- the matching sides are equal in length.
- the matching angles are equal in size.
- the figures are equal in area.
- If three sides of one triangle are equal to the three sides of another triangle, then the two triangles are congruent (SSS).



- If two sides and the included angle of one of triangle are equal to two sides and the included angle of another triangle, then the two triangles are congruent (SAS).



- If two angles and one side of one triangle are equal to two angles and the matching side of another triangle, then the two triangles are congruent (AAS).



- If the hypotenuse and a second side of one right-angled triangle are equal to the hypotenuse and a second of another right-angled triangle, then the two triangles are congruent (RHS).

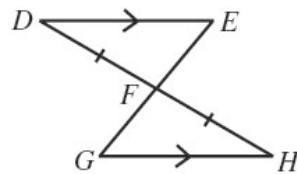


To prove that two triangles are congruent:

- Identify the triangles that are being used in the proof and name the three pairs of equal sides or angles.
- Name the congruent triangles, giving the vertices of the triangles in the matching order, and state the congruence test used.

Exercise 1.1.1

1. Prove that $\triangle DEF \equiv \triangle HGF$.



Solution:

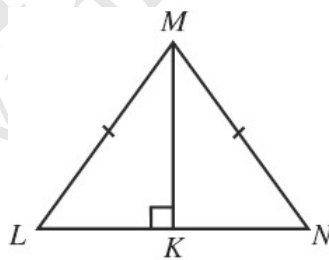
$$\angle EDF = \angle GHF, \text{ (alternative angles)}$$

$$\angle EFD = \angle GFH \text{ (vertically opposite)}$$

$$\angle DEF = \angle FGH \text{ (Alternative angles)}$$

$$DF = FH, \Rightarrow \therefore \triangle DEF \equiv \triangle HGF \text{ (AAS).}$$

2. Prove that $\triangle MLK \equiv \triangle MNK$.



Solution:

$$ML = MN \text{ (Given)}$$

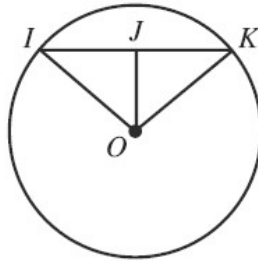
$$MK = MK \text{ (Common side)}$$

$$\angle MKL = \angle MKN = 90^\circ \text{ (Given)}$$

$$\therefore \triangle MLK \equiv \triangle MNK \text{ (RHS).}$$

Exercise 1.1.2

1. O is the centre of the circle and $OJ \perp IK$. Prove that OJ bisects $\angle IOK$.



Solution:

$OI = OK$ (equal radius)

OJ is a common side.

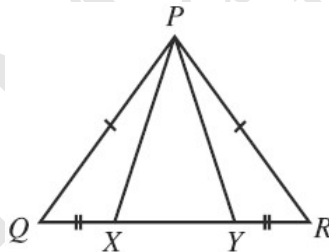
$\angle OJI = \angle OJK = 90^\circ$ ($OJ \perp IK$)

$\therefore \triangle OIJ \equiv \triangle OKJ$ (RHS)

$\therefore \angle IOJ = \angle KOJ$ (matching angles)

$\therefore OJ$ bisects $\angle IOK$.

2. In the isosceles triangle PQR , $PQ = PR$. $QX = RY$.



(a) Prove that $\triangle PQX \equiv \triangle PRY$.

Solution:

$PQ = PR$ (given)

$QX = RY$ (given)

$\angle PQX = \angle PRY$ (Base angles of isosceles)

$\therefore \triangle PQX \equiv \triangle PRY$ (SAS).

(b) Hence, show that $\triangle PXY$ is isosceles.

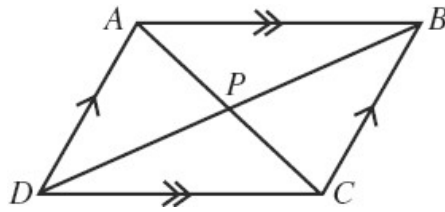
Solution:

$PX = PY$ (matching sides of congruent triangles)

$\therefore \triangle PXY$ is an isosceles triangle.

1.2 Deductive proofs involving quadrilaterals

Exercise 1.2.1 ABCD is a parallelogram. The diagonals AC and BD meet at P.



1. Prove that $\triangle APB \equiv \triangle CPD$.

Solution:

$\angle ABP = \angle PDC$ (alternative angles, $AB \parallel DC$)

$\angle BAP = \angle PCD$ (alternative angles, $AB \parallel DC$)

$AB = DC$ Opposite sides of a parallelogram.

$\therefore \triangle APB \equiv \triangle CPD$ (AAS).

2. Hence show that $AP = PC$ and $DP = PB$.

Solution:

$AP = PC$ (Matching sides of congruent triangles)

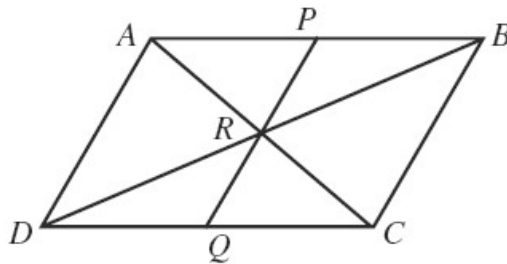
$BP = PD$ (Matching sides of congruent triangles.)

3. What property of a parallelogram have you proven?

Solution:

diagonals of a parallelogram bisect each other.

Exercise 1.2.2 ABCD is a parallelogram. The diagonals AC and BD meet at R. A line PQ is drawn through R, where P lies on AB and Q lies on DC.



1. Prove that $\triangle BPR \equiv \triangle DQR$.

Solution:

$$\angle PBR = \angle RDC \text{ (alternative angles } AB \parallel DC)$$

$$\angle BPR = \angle PQR \text{ (alternative angles } AB \parallel DC)$$

$$BR = DR \text{ (AC bisects BD)}$$

$$\therefore \triangle BPR \equiv \triangle DQR \text{ (AAS).}$$

2. Hence show that $PB = DQ$ and $AP = QC$.

Solution:

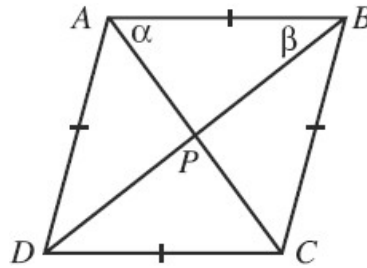
$$PB = DQ \text{ (matching sides of congruent triangles.)}$$

$$AB = DC \text{ (opposite sides of a parallelogram)}$$

$$AB - PB = DC - DQ$$

$$\therefore AP = QC.$$

Exercise 1.2.3 ABCD is a rhombus. The diagonals AC and BD meet at P. Let $\angle CAB = \alpha$ and $\angle ABD = \beta$.



1. Explain why $\angle BCA = \alpha$ and $\angle CBD = \beta$.

Solution:

$\angle BCA = \alpha$ (base angles of isosceles triangle, $AB = BC$)

$\angle CBD = \beta$ (diagonal of a rhombus bisect the angle at the vertex.)

2. Find the value of $\alpha + \beta$.

Solution:

$$2\alpha + 2\beta = 180^\circ, \Rightarrow \therefore \alpha + \beta = 90^\circ$$

3. Hence, explain why $AC \perp BD$.

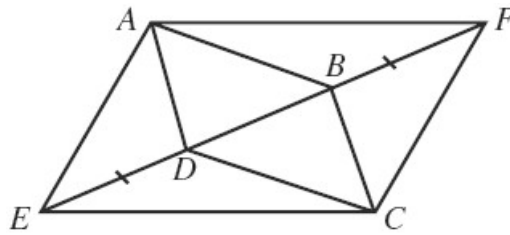
Solution:

$\angle BPC = \alpha + \beta$, (exterior angle of $\triangle ABP$)

$\therefore \angle BPC = 90^\circ$

$\therefore AC \perp BD$. (diagonals of a rhombus are perpendicular to each other.)

Exercise 1.2.4 ABCD is a parallelogram. BD is produced to E and DB is produced to F such that $DE = BF$.



1. Show that $\angle FBC = \angle ADE$.

Solution:

Let $\angle DBC = \alpha$, $\Rightarrow \angle ADB = \alpha$ (alternative angles, $AB \parallel DC$)
 $\angle FBC = 180^\circ - \alpha$, and $\angle ADE = 180^\circ - \alpha$
 $\therefore \angle FBC = \angle ADE$ (both equal to $180^\circ - \alpha$)

2. Prove that $\triangle FBC \cong \triangle EDA$.

Solution:

$\angle FBC = \angle ADE$ (proven above)
 $BC = AD$ (opposite sides of a parallelogram)
 $BF = ED$ (given)
 $\therefore \triangle FBC \cong \triangle EDA$ (SAS).

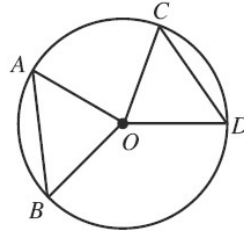
3. Hence prove that AFCE is a parallelogram.

Solution:

$\angle BFC = \angle DEA$ (matching angles of congruent triangles)
 $\therefore FC \parallel AE$ (Alternative angles are equal)
 $\therefore AFCE$ is a parallelogram. (one pair opposite side equal and parallel.)

1.3 Miscellaneous exercises

Exercise 1.3.1 O is the centre of the circle and $AB = CD$. Prove that $\angle AOB = \angle COD$.



Solution:

$$OA = OD \text{ (equal radii)}$$

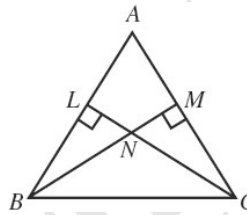
$$OB = OC \text{ (equal radii)}$$

$$AB = CD \text{ (given)}$$

$$\therefore \triangle AOB \equiv \triangle COD \text{ (SSS).}$$

$$\angle AOB = \angle COD \text{ (matching angles of congruent angles).}$$

Exercise 1.3.2 In the isosceles triangle ABC . $AB = AC$. $CL \perp AB$ and $BM \perp AC$.



1. Prove that $\triangle BLC \equiv \triangle CMB$.

Solution:

$$\angle ABC = \angle ACB \text{ (base angles of isosceles triangle.)}$$

$$\angle BLC = \angle CMB = 90^\circ \text{ (} CL \perp AB, BM \perp AC \text{.)}$$

$$BC \text{ is a common side } \therefore \triangle BLC \equiv \triangle CMB \text{ (AAS).}$$

2. Prove that $\triangle BLN \equiv \triangle CMN$.

Solution:

$$BL = CM \text{ (matching sides of congruent triangles)}$$

$$\angle BLN = \angle CMN = 90^\circ \text{ (} CL \perp AB, BM \perp AC \text{.)}$$

$$\angle BNL = \angle CNM \text{ (vertically opposite angles)}$$

$$\therefore \triangle BLN \equiv \triangle CMN \text{ (AAS).}$$

3. Hence show that $LN = MN$

Solution:

$$LN = MN \text{ (Matching sides of congruent triangles).}$$

Exercise 1.3.3

1. The length of a rectangle is 8 cm greater than its breadth. If the area of the rectangle is 345cm^2 , find the perimeter of the rectangle.

Solution:

$$\begin{cases} x + 8 = y \dots (1) \\ xy = 345 \dots (2) \end{cases} \Rightarrow x = 15 \text{ cm, and } y = 23 \text{ cm}$$

$$\therefore P = (15 + 23) \times 2 = 76 \text{ cm.}$$

2. The product of two positive integers is 112 and the larger number is 6 more than the smaller number. Find the numbers.

Solution:

$$\begin{cases} A \times B = 112 \dots (1) \\ A = B + 6 \dots (2) \end{cases} \Rightarrow A(A - 6) = 112, \Rightarrow A^2 - 6A - 112 = 0.$$

$$\therefore A = 8, \text{ and } B = 14.$$

3. Solve the following equations, giving the solutions correct to 2 decimal places where necessary.

(a) $x^2 - 25 = 2x + 10$

Solution:

$$x^2 - 25 = 2x + 10 \Rightarrow x^2 - 2x - 35 = 0 \Rightarrow (x - 7)(x + 5) = 0$$

$$\therefore x = 7, \text{ or } x = -5.$$

(b) $x + \frac{16}{x} = 8$

Solution:

$$x + \frac{16}{x} = 8 \Rightarrow x^2 + 16 = 8x \Rightarrow x^2 - 8x + 16 = 0,$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 4)^2 \Rightarrow \therefore x = 4.$$

(c) $\frac{3}{x} - \frac{7x}{2} = 4$

Solution:

$$\frac{3}{x} - \frac{7x}{2} = 4 \Rightarrow 6 - 7x^2 = 8x \Rightarrow 7x^2 + 8x - 6 = 0$$

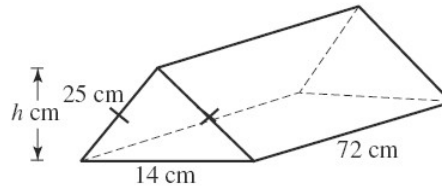
$$a = 7, b = 8, \text{ and } c = -6 \Rightarrow x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$= \frac{-8 \pm \sqrt{8^2 - 4 \times 7 \times (-6)}}{2 \times 7},$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{-8 \pm 2\sqrt{58}}{14} = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{58}}{7} \text{ or } x_1 = 0.52, x_2 = -1.66.$$

Exercise 1.3.4

1. Find the value of the pronumeral in the figure. Hence calculate the surface area.



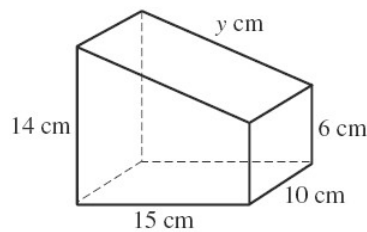
Solution:

$$h = \sqrt{25^2 - 7^2} = 24 \text{ cm}$$

$$A_1 = \frac{1}{2} \times 24 \times 14 = 168 \text{ cm}^2$$

$$A = 2 \times 168 + 2 \times 25 \times 72 + 14 \times 72 = 4944 \text{ cm}^2.$$

2. Find the value of the pronumeral in the figure. Hence calculate the surface area.



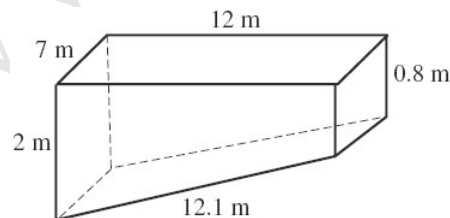
Solution:

$$y = \sqrt{15^2 + 8^2} = 17 \text{ cm}$$

$$A_1 = \frac{1}{2} (6 + 14) \times 15 = 150 \text{ cm}^2.$$

$$A = 2 \times 150 + 6 \times 60 + 14 \times 10 + 10 \times 15 + 17 \times 10 = 820 \text{ cm}^2.$$

3. Find the surface area and the volume of the figure shown below:



Solution:

$$A_1 = \frac{1}{2} (0.8 + 2) \times 12 = 16.8 \text{ m}^2$$

$$A = 0.8 \times 7 + 16.8 \times 2 + 7 \times 2 + 7 \times 12 + 7 \times 12.1 = 221.9 \text{ m}^2.$$

$$V = 16.8 \times 7 = 117.6 \text{ m}^3.$$