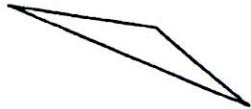


Accelerated Math
Section 11-2
Triangles



- Be able to do the following:
- *use correct mathematics vocabulary
 - *identify types of triangles
 - *find missing angles in a triangle
 - *analyze data to see if a triangle can be formed



Types of Triangles

Classify by angles

- acute - all three angles are less than 90°
- obtuse - exactly one angle is greater than 90°
- right - exactly one 90° angle

Classify by sides

- scalene - no sides are congruent (all sides different)
- equilateral - all sides congruent
- isosceles - two sides congruent

The sum of the angles in any triangle is 180° .

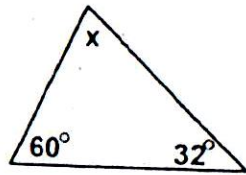
Find the measure of x.

$$60 + 32 + x = 180$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 92 + x = 180 \\ -92 \quad -92 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$x = 88$$

88°



Is it possible to have a triangle that is a right isosceles triangle?

yes



1 90° angle
2 congruent sides

yes

Is it possible to have an acute scalene triangle?

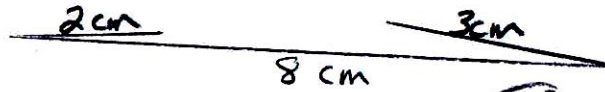
59° 60° 61°
51 60 69



yes

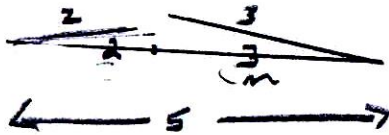
3 angles $< 90^\circ$
3 different sides
3 different angles

Is it possible to make a triangle that has sides of 2cm, 3cm, and 8cm? Why or why not?



NO

Is it possible to make a triangle that has sides of 2cm, 3cm, and 5cm? Why or why not?



NO

Δ
Inequality
Theorem

In a triangle, we know the angles must have a sum of 180° . What must be true about the three sides of a triangle?

The sum of the 2 smallest sides must be greater than 3rd side

If 2 3 \square are 3 sides,

Then $1 < \square < 5$

If 10 12 \square are 3 sides,

Then $2 < \square < 22$

The measures of the angles in a triangle are in the ratio of 1:3:6. Find the measures of these angles algebraically.

$$x = 1^{\text{st}}$$

$$3x = 2^{\text{nd}}$$

$$6x = 3^{\text{rd}}$$

$$3(18) = 54^\circ$$

$$6(18) = 108^\circ$$

$$x + 3x + 6x = 180$$

$$10x = 180$$

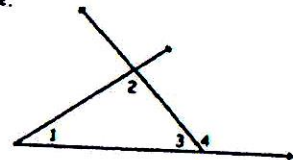
$$\frac{10x}{10} = \frac{180}{10}$$

$$x = 18$$

How does an exterior angle of a triangle relate to the angles in a triangle? In this triangle, $\angle 4$ is an exterior angle.

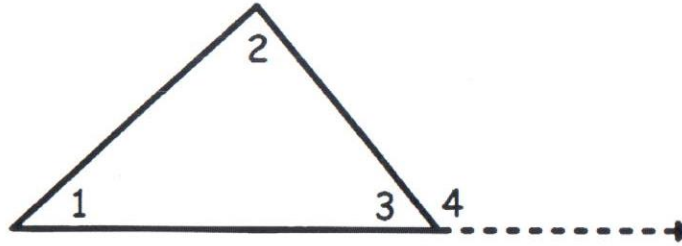
Statement

Reasons



* (see next page)

Exterior Angle of a Triangle Theorem



Steps	Reasons
1) $m\angle 1 + m\angle 2 + m\angle 3 = 180$	1) Sum of angles in a triangle is 180 degrees
2) $m\angle 3 + m\angle 4 = 180$	2) $\angle 3$ and $\angle 4$ are supplementary so they add up to 180
3) $m\angle 1 + m\angle 2 + m\angle 3 = m\angle 3 + m\angle 4$	3) Property of Equality - Since both sides = 180, they must equal each other
4) $m\angle 1 + m\angle 2 = m\angle 4$	4) Subtraction Property of Equality - subtract $m\angle 3$ from both sides of the equation
	Therefore, An exterior angle of a triangle is equal to the sum of the opposite interior angles.