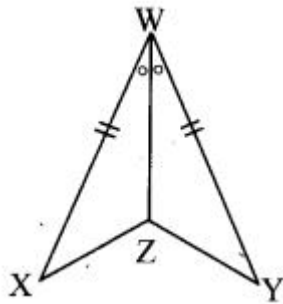


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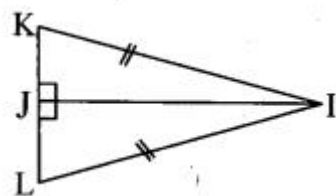
Congruence of Triangles Practice Set 13.1 Question 1.

In each pair of triangles in the following figures, parts bearing identical marks are congruent. State the test and correspondence of vertices by which triangles in each pair are congruent.

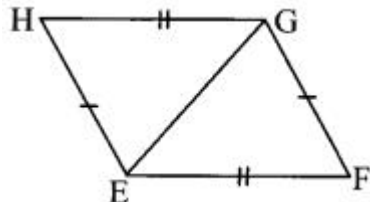
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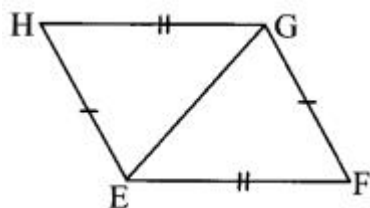
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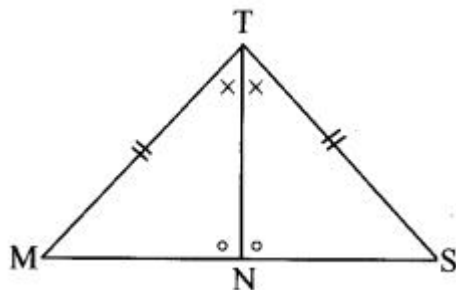
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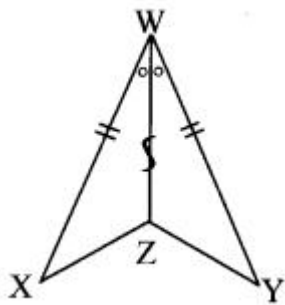


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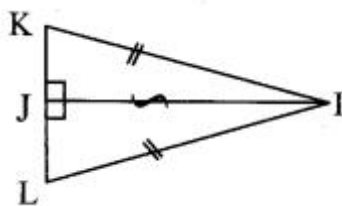
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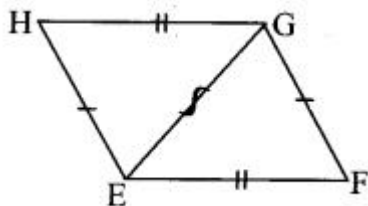
The two triangles are congruent by SAS test in the correspondence $XWZ \leftrightarrow YWZ$.

ii.



The two triangles are congruent by hypotenuse-side test in the correspondence $KJI \leftrightarrow LJI$.

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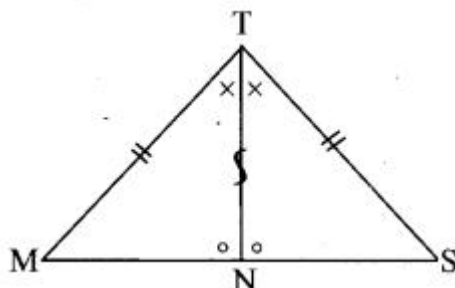


The two triangles are congruent by SSS test in the correspondence $HEG \leftrightarrow FGE$.

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The two triangles are congruent by ASA test in the correspondence $SMA \leftrightarrow OPT$.

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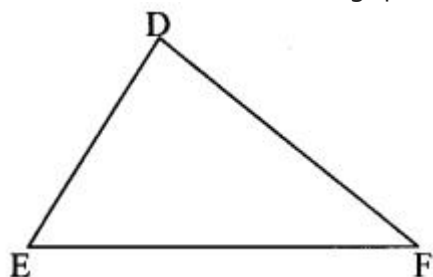


The two triangles are congruent by ASA test or SAS test or SAA test in the correspondence $MTN \leftrightarrow STN$.

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Practice Set 13.1 Question 1.

Write answers to the following questions referring to the given figure.



1. Which is the angle opposite to the side DE?
2. Which is the side opposite to $\angle E$?
3. Which angle is included by side DE and side DF?
4. Which side is included by $\angle E$ and $\angle F$?
5. State the angles adjacent to side DE. (Textbook pg, no. 81)

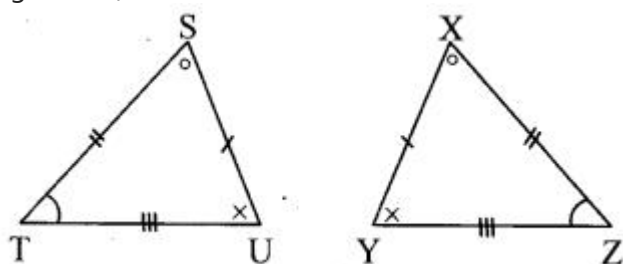
Solution:

1. $\angle DFE$ i.e. $\angle F$ is the angle opposite to side DE.
2. Side DF is the side opposite to $\angle E$.
3. $\angle EDF$ i.e. $\angle D$ is included by side DE and side DF.
4. Side EF is included by $\angle E$ and $\angle F$.
5. $\angle DEF$ and $\angle EDF$ i.e. $\angle E$ and $\angle D$ are adjacent to side DE.

Congruence of Triangles Class 8th Practice Set 13.1 Question 2.

In the given figure, parts of triangles indicated by identical marks are congruent.

- a. Identify the one-to-one correspondence of vertices in which the two triangles are congruent and write the congruence.
- b. State with reason, whether the statement, $\triangle XYZ \cong \triangle STU$ is right or wrong. (Textbook pg. no. 82)



Solution:

- a. From the figure,
 $S \leftrightarrow X, T \leftrightarrow Z, U \leftrightarrow Y$ i.e.,
 $STU \leftrightarrow XZY$, or $SUT \leftrightarrow XYZ$, or
 $TUS \leftrightarrow ZYX$, or $TSU \leftrightarrow ZXY$, or
 $UTS \leftrightarrow YZX$, or $UST \leftrightarrow YXZ$

$\therefore \triangle STU \cong \triangle XZY$, or $\triangle SUT \cong \triangle XYZ$, or
 $\triangle TUS \cong \triangle ZYX$, or $\triangle TSU \cong \triangle ZXY$, or
 $\triangle UTS \cong \triangle YZX$, or $\triangle UST \cong \triangle YXZ$

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b. If $\triangle XYZ \cong \triangle STU$, then

$\angle Y \cong \angle T$, $\angle Z \cong \angle U$,

seg XY \cong seg ST, seg XZ \cong seg SU

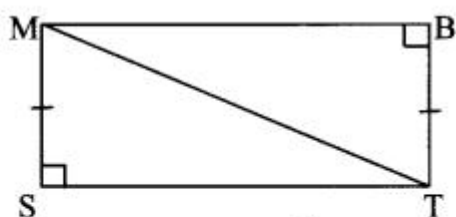
\therefore But, all the above statements are wrong. The statement $\triangle XYZ \cong \triangle STU$ is wrong.

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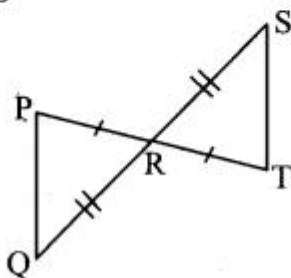
Congruence of Triangles Class 8th Practice Set 13.2 Question 1.

In each pair of triangles given below, parts shown by identical marks are congruent. State the test and the one-to-one correspondence of vertices by which triangles in each pair are congruent. Also state the remaining congruent parts.

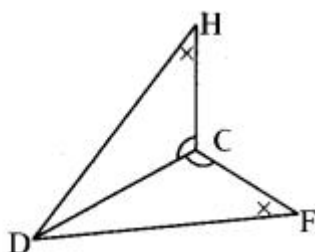
i.



ii.



iii.



Solution:

i. In ΔMST and ΔTBM ,

\therefore side $MS \cong$ side TB ... [Given]

$m\angle MST = m\angle TBM = 90^\circ$... [Given]

hypotenuse $MT \cong$ hypotenuse MT

...[Common side]

$\therefore \Delta MST \cong \Delta TBM$...[by hypotenuse-side test]

\therefore side $ST \cong$ side BM ...[Corresponding sides of congruent triangles]

$\angle SMT \cong \angle BTM$...[Corresponding sides of congruent triangles]

$\angle STM \cong \angle BMT$...[Corresponding sides of congruent triangles]

ii. In ΔPRQ and ΔTRS ,

side $PR \cong$ side TR ... [Given]

$\angle PRQ \cong \angle TRS$...[Vertically opposite angles]

side $RQ \cong$ side RS ... [Given]

$\therefore \Delta PRQ \cong \Delta TRS$...[by SAS test]

\therefore side $PQ \cong$ side TS ...[Corresponding sides of congruent triangles]

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$\angle RPQ \cong \angle RTS$...[Corresponding sides of congruent triangles]

$\angle PQR \cong \angle TSR$...[Corresponding sides of congruent triangles]

iii. In $\triangle DCH$ and $\triangle DCF$,

$\angle DCH \cong \angle DCF$...[Given]

$\angle DHC \cong \angle DFC$...[Given]

side $DC \cong$ side DC ...[Common side]

$\therefore \triangle DCH \cong \triangle DCF$...[by AAS test]

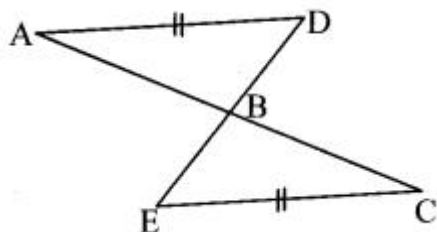
\therefore side $HC \cong$ side FC ...[Corresponding sides of congruent triangles]

side $DH \cong$ side DF ...[Corresponding sides of congruent triangles]

$\angle HDC \cong \angle FDC$...[Corresponding sides of congruent triangles]

Congruence of Triangles Practice Set 13.2 Question 2.

In the given figure, $\text{seg } AD \cong \text{seg } EC$. Which additional information is needed to show that $\triangle ABD$ and $\triangle ECB$ will be congruent by AAS test?



Solution:

In $\triangle ABD$ and $\triangle CBE$,

$\therefore \text{seg } AD \cong \text{seg } CE$...[Given]

$\angle ABD \cong \angle CBE$...[Vertically opposite angles]

\therefore The necessary condition for the two triangles to be congruent by AAS test is

$\angle ADB \cong \angle CEB$, or

$\angle DAB \cong \angle ECB$

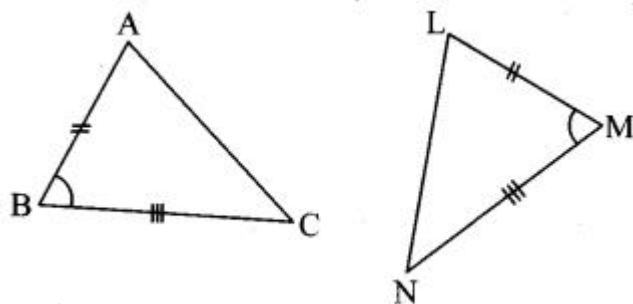
Maharashtra Board Class 8 Maths Chapter 13 Congruence of Triangles Practice Set 13.2 Intext Questions and Activities

Practice Set 13.2 Class 8 Question 1.

Draw $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle LMN$ such that two pairs of their sides and the angles included by them are congruent.

Draw $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle LMN$, $l(AB) = l(LM)$, $l(BC) = l(MN)$, $m\angle ABC = m\angle LMN$.

Copy $\triangle ABC$ on a tracing paper. Place the paper on $\triangle LMN$ in such a way that point A coincides with point L, side AB overlaps side LM. What do you notice?(Textbook pg. no. 83)



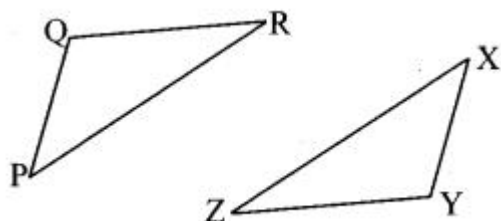
Solution:

We notice that $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle LMN$.

Congruence of Triangles Class 8 Solutions Question 2.

Draw $\triangle PQR$ and $\triangle XYZ$ such that $l(PQ) = l(XY)$, $l(QR) = l(YZ)$, $l(RP) = l(ZX)$. Copy $\triangle PQR$ on a tracing paper. Place it on $\triangle XYZ$ observing the correspondence $P \leftrightarrow X$, $Q \leftrightarrow Y$, $R \leftrightarrow Z$.

What do you notice? (Textbook pg. no. 84)



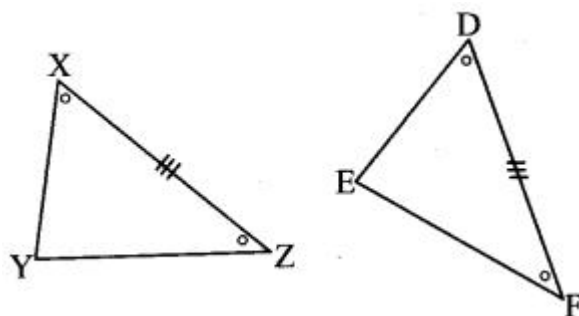
Solution:

We notice that $\triangle PQR \cong \triangle XYZ$.

Congruence of Triangles Class 8 Question 3.

Draw $\triangle XYZ$ and $\triangle DEF$ such that $l(XZ) = l(DF)$, $\angle X \cong \angle D$ and $\angle Z \cong \angle F$.

Copy $\triangle XYZ$ on a tracing paper and place it over $\triangle DEF$. What do you notice? (Textbook pg. no. 84)

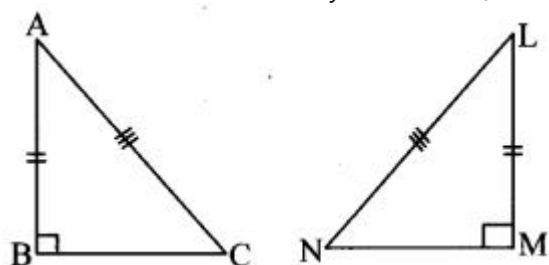


Solution:

We notice that $\triangle XYZ \cong \triangle DEF$ in the correspondence $X \leftrightarrow D$, $Y \leftrightarrow E$, $Z \leftrightarrow F$.

Question 4.

Draw two right angled triangles such that a side and the hypotenuse of one is congruent with the corresponding parts of the other. Copy one triangle on tracing paper and place it over the other. What do you notice? (Textbook pg. no. 84)



Solution:

We notice that the two triangles are congruent.

(Students should draw figures and verify the answers.)

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