



Flowchart and Paragraph Proofs

Although the presentation is titled flowchart and paragraph proofs, the following slides are all 2 column proofs for your practice. All proofs have no supportive information embedded within the proof. The solutions to them will be uploaded at some point before the Unit 1 test. Until then, compare with each other and see me in tutorial. I hope this helps!!!!

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PROOF PROCESS

Step 1: State the given

Step 2: Make some equivalency

**Step 3: Transition from given to
prove**

Step 4: Conclude with the proven

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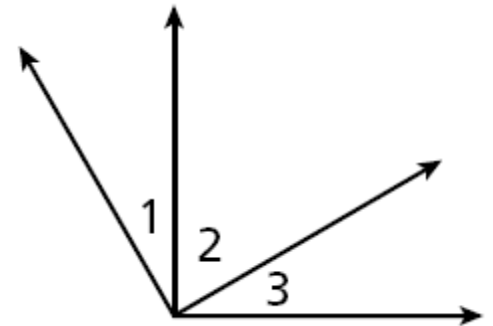
Example 1: Reading a Flowchart Proof

Use the given to write a two-column proof.

Given: $\angle 2$ and $\angle 3$ are comp.

$$\angle 1 \cong \angle 3$$

Prove: $\angle 2$ and $\angle 1$ are comp.



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Check It Out! Example 1

Use the given to write a two-column proof.

Given: $RS = UV$, $ST = TU$



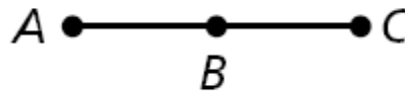
Prove: $\overline{RT} \cong \overline{TV}$

Flowchart proof:

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Example 2: Writing a Flowchart Proof

Use the given to write a two-column proof proof.



Given: B is the midpoint of \overline{AC} .

Prove: $2AB = AC$

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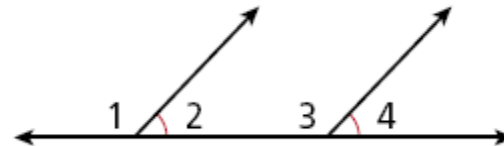
Check It Out! Example 2

Use the given to write a two-column proof

Given: $\angle 2 \cong \angle 4$

Prove: $m\angle 1 \cong m\angle 3$

Two-column Proof:



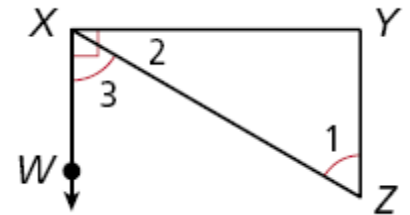
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Check It Out! Example 3

Use the given to write a 2 column proof.

Given: $\angle WXY$ is a right angle. $\angle 1 \cong \angle 3$

Prove: $\angle 1$ and $\angle 2$ are complementary.

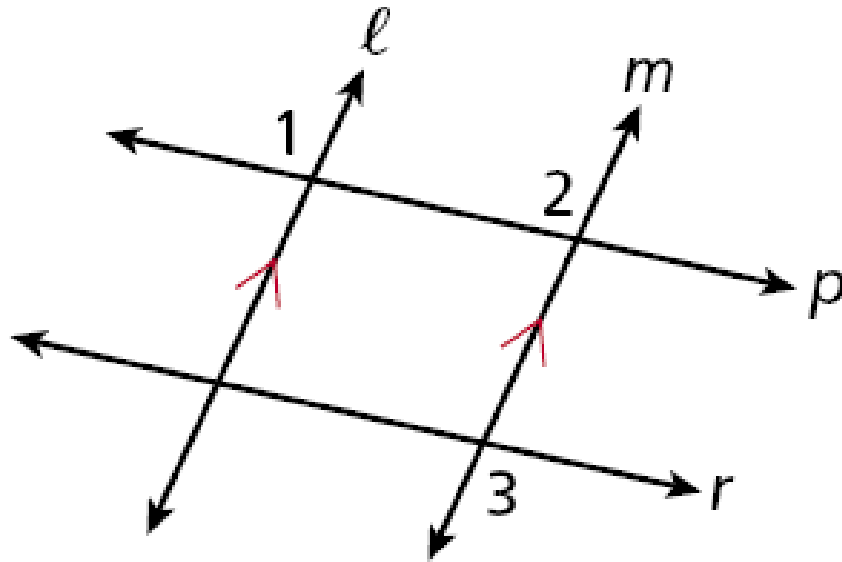


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Example 3: Proving Lines Parallel

Given: $p \parallel r$, $\angle 1 \cong \angle 3$

Prove: $\ell \parallel m$

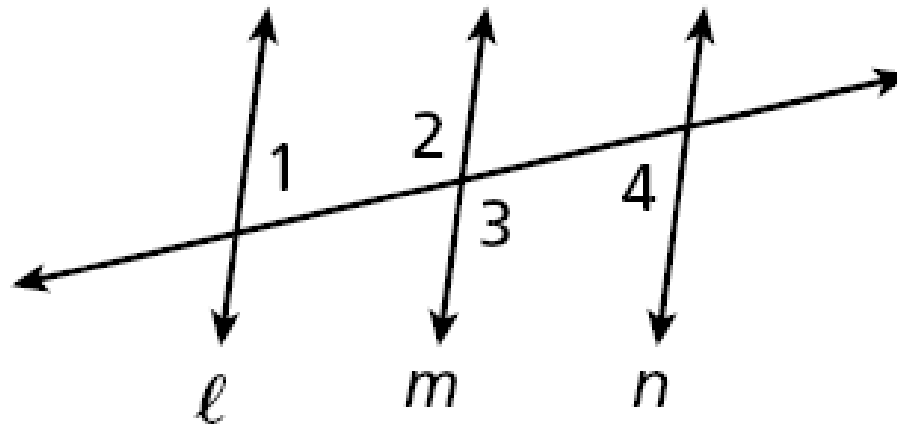


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Given: $\angle 1 \cong \angle 4$, $\angle 3$ and $\angle 4$ are supplementary.

Prove: $\ell \parallel m$



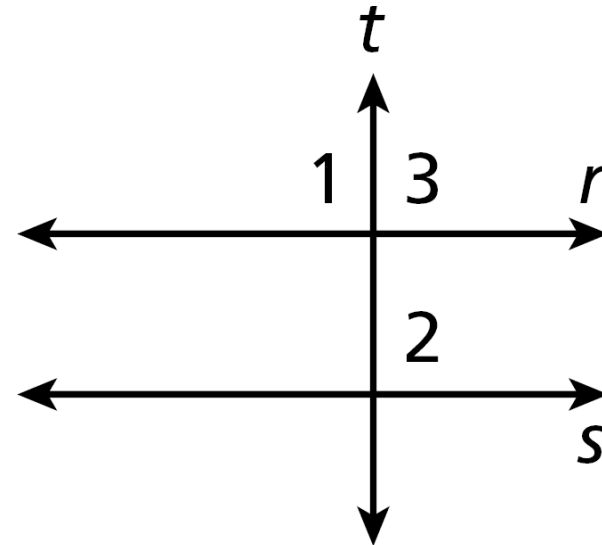
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Example 2: Proving Properties of Lines

Write a two-column proof.

Given: $r \parallel s$, $\angle 1 \cong \angle 2$

Prove: $r \perp t$



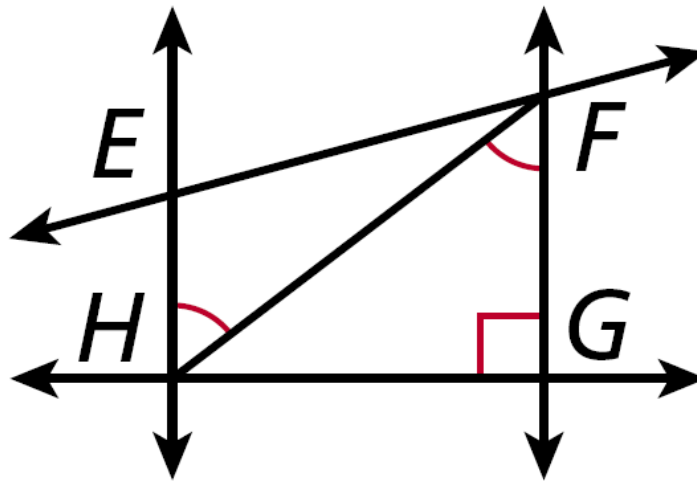
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Check It Out! Example 2

Write a two-column proof.

Given: $\angle EHF \cong \angle HFG$, $\overrightarrow{FG} \perp \overrightarrow{GH}$

Prove: $\overrightarrow{EH} \perp \overrightarrow{GH}$



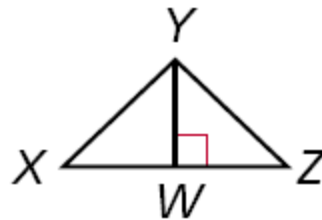
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Example 3: Proving Triangles Congruent

Given: $\angle YWX$ and $\angle YWZ$ are right angles.

\overline{YW} bisects $\angle XYZ$. W is the midpoint of \overline{XZ} . $\overline{XY} \cong$

\overline{YZ}
Prove: $\triangle XYW \cong \triangle ZYW$



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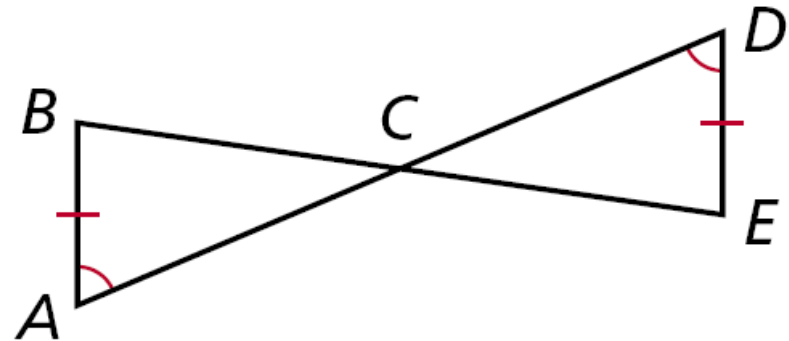
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Given: \overline{AD} bisects \overline{BE} .

\overline{BE} bisects \overline{AD}

$\overline{AB} \cong \overline{DE}$, $\angle A \cong$

$\angle D$
Prove: $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle DEC$



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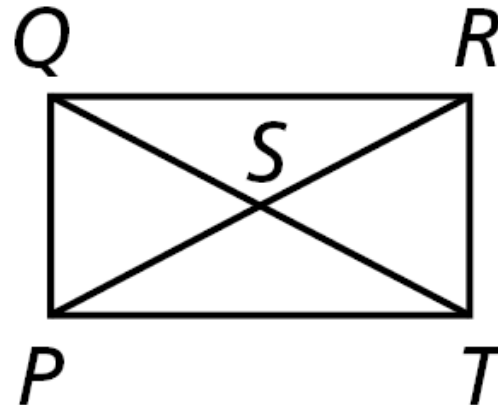
Example 4: Engineering Application

The diagonal bars across a gate give it support. Since the angle measures and the lengths of the corresponding sides are the same, the triangles are congruent.

Given: \overline{PR} and \overline{QT} bisect each other.

$\angle PQS \cong \angle RTS$, $\overline{QP} \cong \overline{RT}$

Prove: $\triangle QPS \cong \triangle TRS$

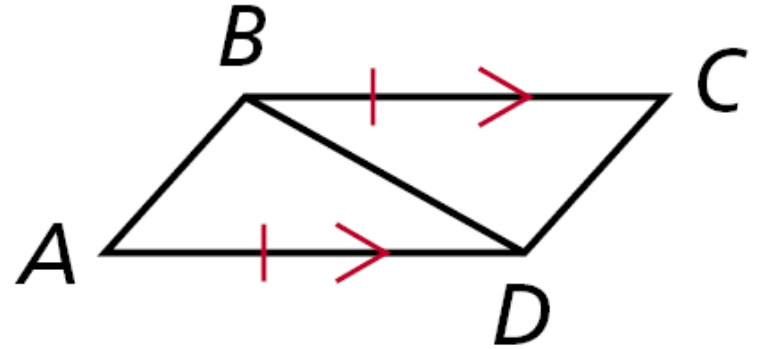


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Example 4: Proving Triangles Congruent

Given: $BC \parallel AD$, $\overline{BC} \cong \overline{AD}$

Prove: $\triangle ABD \cong \triangle CDB$

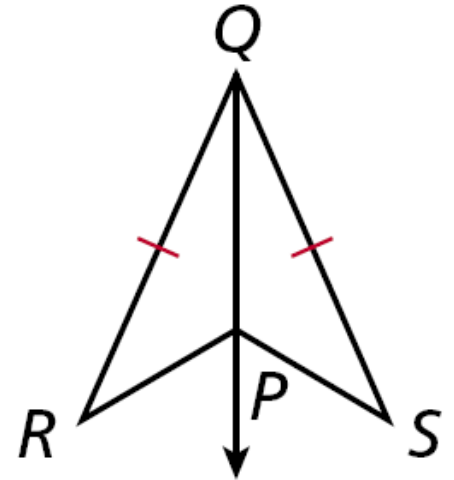


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Check It Out! Example 4

Given: \overrightarrow{QP} bisects $\angle RQS$. $\overline{QR} \cong \overline{QS}$

Prove: $\triangle RQP \cong \triangle SQP$



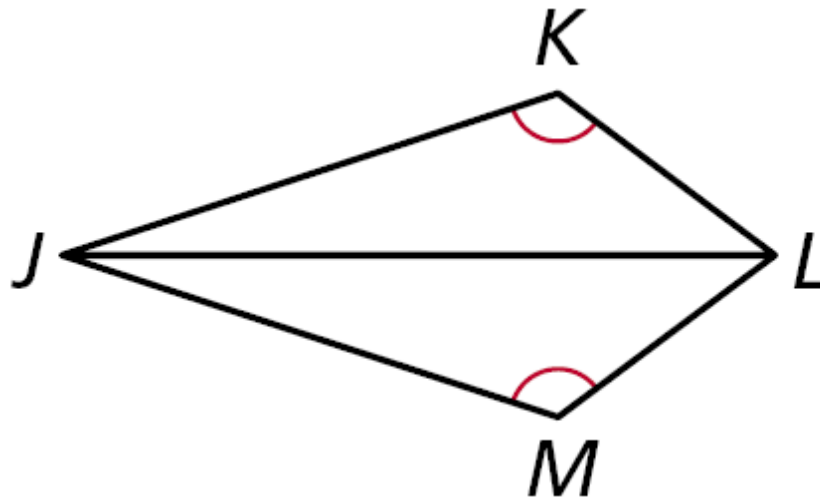
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Check It Out! Example 3

Use AAS to prove the triangles congruent.

Given: \overline{JL} bisects $\angle KLM$, $\angle K \cong \angle M$

Prove: $\triangle JKL \cong \triangle JML$

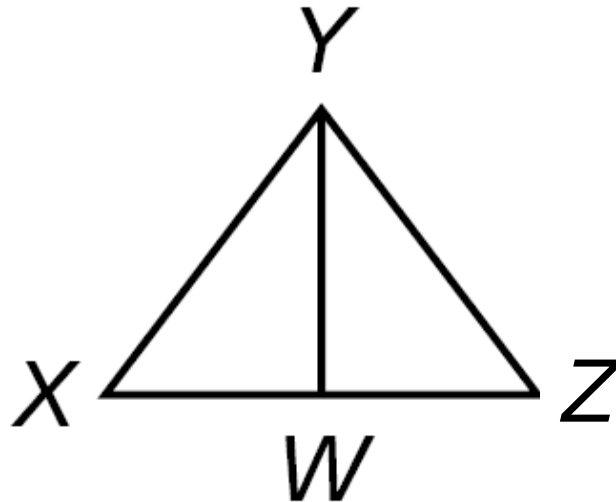


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Example 2: Proving Corresponding Parts Congruent

Given: \overline{YW} bisects \overline{XZ} , $\overline{XY} \cong \overline{YZ}$.

Prove: $\angle XYW \cong \angle ZYW$

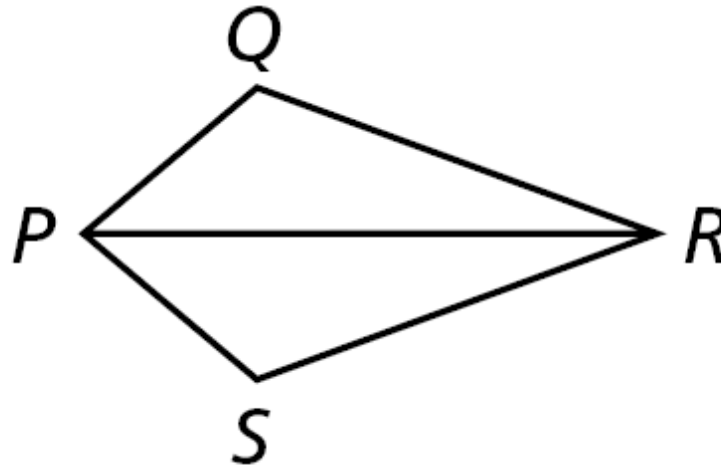


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Check It Out! Example 2

Given: \overline{PR} bisects $\angle QPS$ and $\angle QRS$.

Prove: $\overline{PQ} \cong \overline{PS}$



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Example 4: Using Coordinate Proof

Prove that the segment joining the midpoints of two sides of an isosceles triangle is half the base.

Given: In isosceles $\triangle ABC$, X is the mdpt. of \overline{AB} , and Y is the mdpt. of \overline{AC} .

Prove: $XY = \frac{1}{2} AC$.

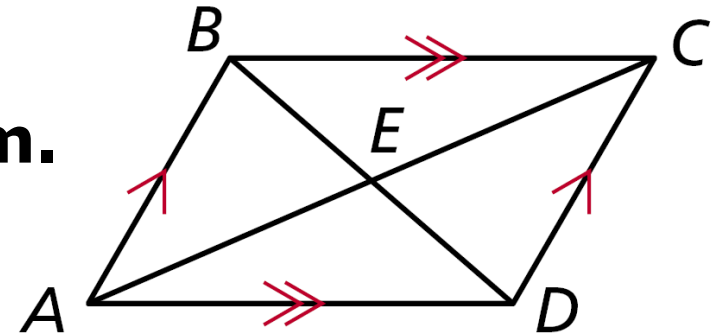
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Example 4A: Using Properties of Parallelograms in a Proof

Write a two-column proof.

Given: $ABCD$ is a parallelogram.

Prove: $\triangle AEB \cong \triangle CED$



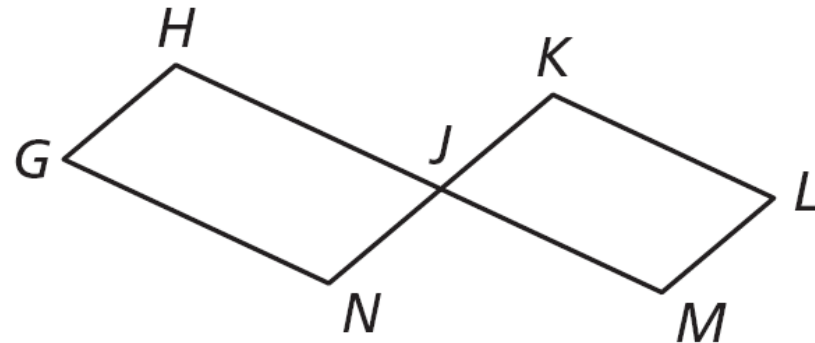
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Example 4B: Using Properties of Parallelograms in a Proof

Write a two-column proof.

Given: $GHJN$ and $JKLM$ are parallelograms. H and M are collinear. N and K are collinear.

Prove: $\angle H \cong \angle M$

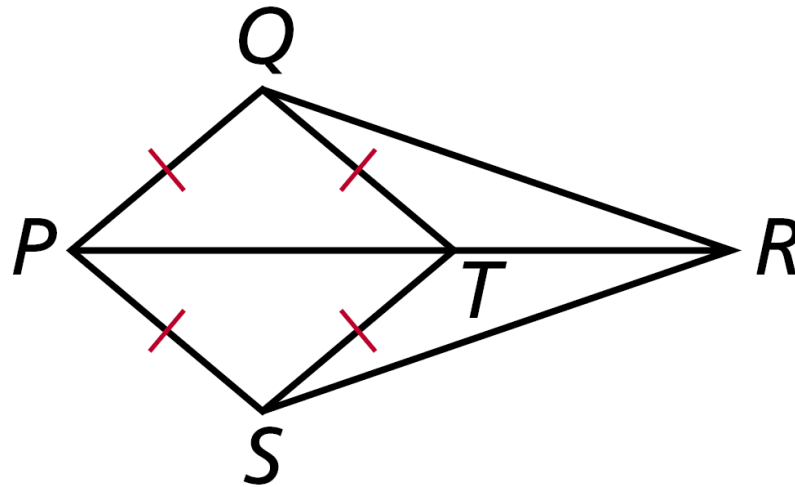


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Check It Out! Example 4

Given: $PQTS$ is a rhombus with diagonal \overline{PR} .

Prove: $\overline{RQ} \cong \overline{RS}$



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Example 4: Writing Proofs with Similar Triangles

Given: $3UT = 5RT$ and $3VT = 5ST$

Prove: $\triangle UVT \sim \triangle RST$

