

## QUIZ #1 Solutions

Write in a neat and organized fashion. Use a pencil. Show all work to get credit.

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1) Write the converse, inverse, and contrapositive of the following statement.

*You cannot comprehend geometry if you do not know how to reason deductively .*

$P \rightarrow Q$ : If you do not know how to reason deductively, then you cannot comprehend geometry.

Converse

$$Q \rightarrow P$$

If you cannot comprehend geometry, then you do not know how to reason deductively.

Inverse

$$\sim P \rightarrow \sim Q$$

If you know how to reason deductively, then you can comprehend geometry.

Contrapositive

$$\sim Q \rightarrow \sim P$$

If you can comprehend geometry, then you know how to reason deductively.

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2) If  $P$  is true,  $Q$  is false, and  $R$  is true, find the truth value of

$$(\sim P \wedge Q) \rightarrow (Q \vee R)$$

$$(\sim T \wedge F) \rightarrow (F \vee T)$$

$$(F \wedge F) \rightarrow T$$

$$F \rightarrow T$$

$$T$$

So the statement is true.

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3) Complete the following to make valid arguments:

a) Premise 1:  $A \rightarrow B$

Premise 2:  $\sim B$

Conclusion:  $\sim A$

c) Premise 1:  $M \vee N$

Premise 2:  $\sim M$

Conclusion:  $N$

b) Premise 1:  $P \rightarrow Q$

Premise 2:  $Q \rightarrow R$

Conclusion:  $P \rightarrow R$

d) Premise 1:  $C \rightarrow D$

Premise 2:  $C$

Conclusion:  $D$

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4) a) Write the negation of  $P \wedge Q$ ; that is, complete the statement:  $\sim (P \wedge Q) \equiv \sim P \vee \sim Q$

b) Prove the above law using a truth table. Explain in words why the table shows that the two statements are equivalent.

P	Q	$\sim (P \wedge Q)$	$\sim P \vee \sim Q$
T	T	F T	F F F
T	F	T F	F T T
F	T	T F	T T F
F	F	T F	T T T

The two statements are logically equivalent because their truth values are the same for all possible true/false combinations of their components.

5) State whether each argument is VALID or INVALID:

- a) All contractors use cell phones.  
 b) Doug does not use a cell phone.  
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 Doug is not a contractor.

Valid.

- a) All people who apply for a loan must pay for a title search.  
 b) Cindy paid for a title search.  
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 Cindy applied for a loan.

Invalid.

6) Given the figure, name:

- a) three acute angles

$\angle 1, \angle 2, \angle 4$

- b) Two right angles

$\angle 3, \angle AVC$

- c) One obtuse angle

$\angle EVA$  (or  $DVB, EVC$ )

- d) One straight angle

$\angle EVB$  (or  $DVA$ )

- e) Two complementary angles

$\angle 1$  and  $\angle 2$

- g) Two adjacent angles

$\angle 3$  and  $\angle 4$

- i) Two opposite rays

$\overrightarrow{VA}, \overrightarrow{VD}$  (or  $\overrightarrow{VE}, \overrightarrow{VB}$ )

- f) Two supplementary angles

$\angle 1$  and  $\angle 5$

- h) Two nonadjacent angles

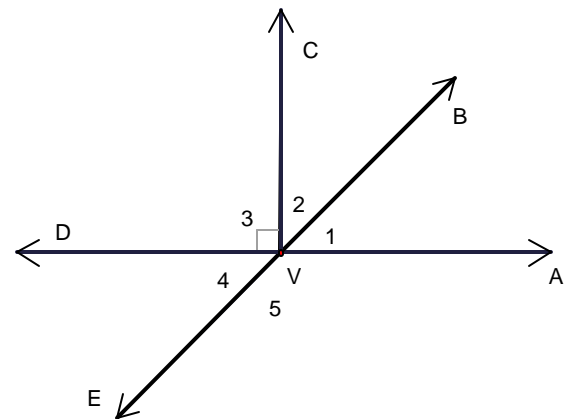
$\angle 1$  and  $\angle 3$

- j) Three noncollinear points.

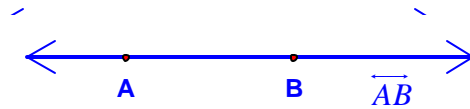
$D, V, B$

- k) Two vertical angles

$\angle 1$  and  $\angle 4$



7) a) Draw a line. Name it using math notation.

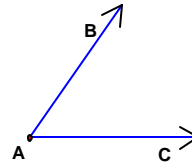


b) Draw a line segment. Name it using math notation.



c) Draw an angle. Name it using math notation.

$\angle BAC$

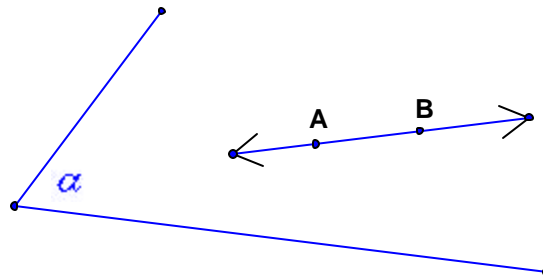


8) Complete the following Postulates and make a drawing to illustrate each one.

a) Two distinct points determine a line.

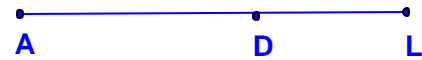


b) Given two distinct points in a plane, the line through these points is in the plane.



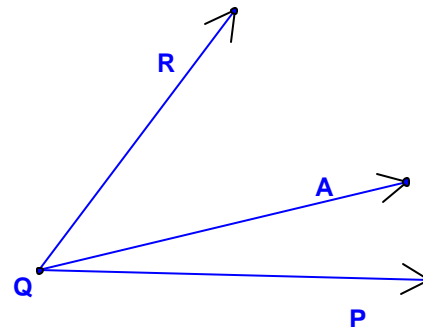
c) *Segment – Addition Postulate:*

If  $D$  is a point on a segment  $AL$ , then  $AD + DL = AL$



d) *Angle – Addition Postulate:*

If  $A$  is a point in the interior of the angle  $PQR$ , then  $m\angle PQA + m\angle AQP = m\angle PQR$



9) State the hypothesis and conclusion for each statement.

a) If a triangle is isosceles, then the triangle has two congruent sides.

Hypothesis: A triangle is isosceles.

Conclusion: The triangle has two congruent sides.

b) Two angles are congruent if they are both right angles.  
If two angles are right angles, then they are congruent.

Hypothesis: Two angles are right angles  
Conclusion: The two angles are congruent.

c) Vertical angles are congruent.  
If two angles are vertical, then they are congruent.

Hypothesis: Two angles are vertical  
Conclusion: The angles are congruent.

d) Two equal supplementary angles are right angles.  
If two angles are equal and supplementary, then they are right angles.

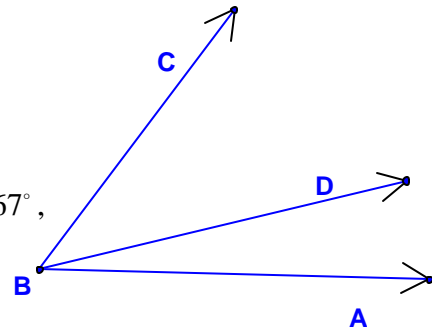
Hypothesis: Two angles are equal and supplementary.  
Conclusion: The angles are right angles.

e) Complements of equal angles are equal in measure.  
If two angles are equal in measure, then their complements are equal, too.

Hypothesis: Two angles are equal in measure  
Each angle has a given complement.  
Conclusion: The complements are equal in measure.

- 10) a) Do the following:
- Draw an angle  $ABC$ .
  - Let  $D$  a point in the interior of the given angle.
  - Draw ray  $BD$ .

b) If  $m\angle ABD = 2x + 9$ ,  $m\angle DBC = 3x - 2$ , and  $m\angle ABC = 67^\circ$ ,  
find  $x$  (formal proof: two column proof).



Proof

Statements

1.  $\angle ABC, D \in \text{int } \angle ABC$
2.  $m\angle ABD + m\angle DBC = m\angle ABC$
3.  $m\angle ABD = 2x + 9$ ,  $m\angle DBC = 3x - 2$ ,  $m\angle ABC = 67^\circ$
4.  $2x + 9 + 3x - 2 = 67$   
(2,3)
5.  $5x + 7 = 67$
6.  $5x = 60$
7.  $x = 12$

Q.E.D.

Reasons

1. Given
2. Angle-Addition Postulate
3. Given
4. Substitution
5. Simplifying (combining like terms or distributive property)
6. Addition/Subtraction property for equality
7. Multiplication/Division property for equality