

Objective

After studying this section, you will be able to

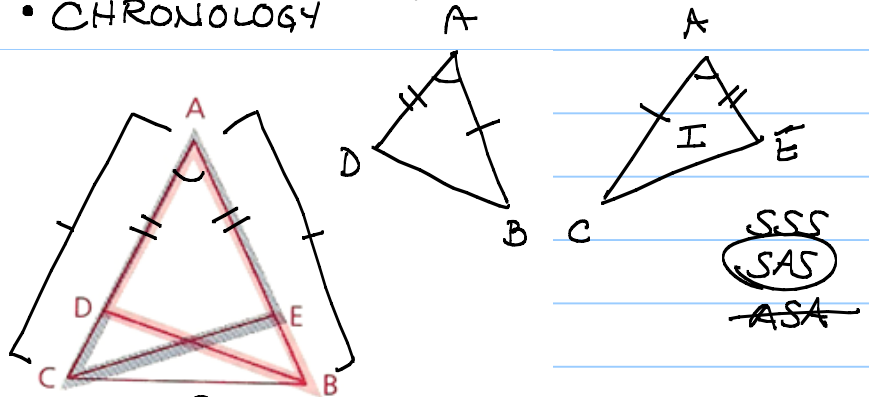
- Use overlapping triangles in proofs

ORDER:

- $\cong \Delta$ Postulates: SAS, ASA, SSS
- CHRONOLOGY

Problem 1

Given: $\overline{AC} \cong \overline{AB}$,
 $\overline{AE} \cong \overline{AD}$
 Conclusion: $\overline{CE} \cong \overline{BD}$



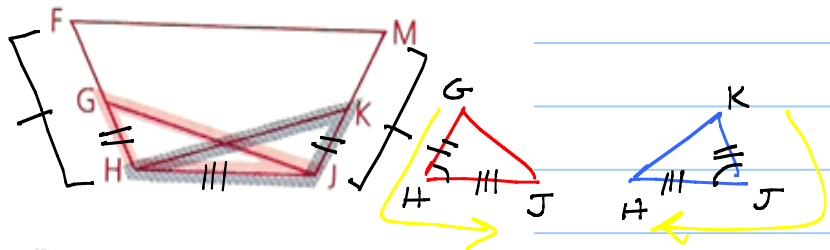
Proof

Statements	Reasons	Rewrite:
1 $\overline{AC} \cong \overline{AB}$	1 Given	1. $\overline{AC} \cong \overline{AB}$ (S)
2 $\overline{AE} \cong \overline{AD}$	2 Reflexive	2. $\angle A \cong \angle A$ (A)
3 $\angle A \cong \angle A$	3 Given	3. $\overline{AE} \cong \overline{AD}$ (S)
4 $\triangle ADB \cong \triangle AEC$	4 SAS (1,2,3)	4. $\triangle AEC \cong \triangle ADB$
5 $\overline{CE} \cong \overline{BD}$	5 CPCTC (4)	5. $\overline{CE} \cong \overline{BD}$

Chronology →

Problem 2

Given: $\overline{FH} \cong \overline{MJ}$;
 G is the midpt. of \overline{FH} .
 K is the midpt. of \overline{MJ} .
 $\angle GHJ \cong \angle KJH$
 Prove: $\overline{GJ} \cong \overline{HK}$



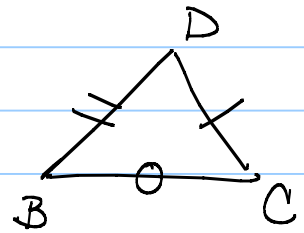
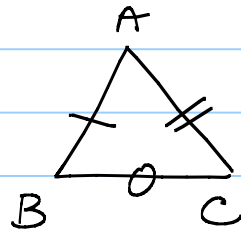
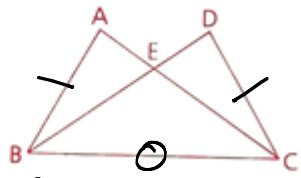
Proof

Statements	Reasons
1 $\overline{FH} \cong \overline{MJ}$	1 Given
2 G is the midpt. of \overline{FH} .	2 Given
3 K is the midpt. of \overline{MJ} .	3 Given
4 $\overline{GH} \cong \overline{KJ}$	4 \div or midpt of \cong segs $\Rightarrow \cong$ segs (1,2,3)
5 $\angle GHJ \cong \angle KJH$	5 Given
6 $\overline{HJ} \cong \overline{JH}$	6 Reflexive
7 $\triangle GHJ \cong \triangle KJH$	7 SAS (4,5,6)
8 $\overline{GJ} \cong \overline{HK}$	8 CPCTC (7)

Problem Set A

1 Given: $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{DC}$,
 $\overline{AC} \cong \overline{DB}$

Prove: $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle DCB$



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1. $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{DC}$

2. $\overline{AC} \cong \overline{DB}$

3. $\overline{BC} \cong \overline{CB}$

4. $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle DCB$

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1. Given

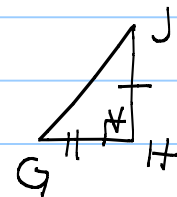
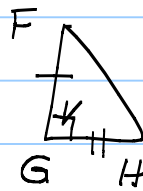
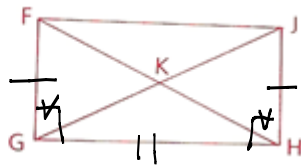
2. Given

3. Ref

4. SSS (123)

2 Given: $\angle FGH$ is a right \angle .
 $\angle JHG$ is a right \angle .
 $\overline{FG} \cong \overline{JH}$

Prove: $\triangle FGH \cong \triangle JHG$



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1. $\overline{FG} \cong \overline{JH}$

2. $\angle FGH$ & $\angle JHG$ r.t.s

3. $\angle FGH \cong \angle JHG$

4. $\overline{GH} \cong \overline{HG}$

5. $\triangle FGH \cong \triangle JHG$

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1. GIVEN

2. GIVEN

3. r.t.s $\Rightarrow \cong \angle$ s (2)

4. REFLEXIVE

5. SAS (134)

