

Geometry Unit 3 Day 10 Proofs

key

Questions to ask when writing a proof.

1. What is the same?
2. Is there a key word? Between, midpoint, bisector, or perpendicular
3. Do I need a diagram?
4. What can I take from the diagram?

Between

Midpoint

Bisector

Perpendicular

Things you can use from a drawing:


- A. reflexive property
- B. Segment Addition
- C. Angle Addition
- D. Vertical Angles
- E. Labeled parts (right <)
- F. Linear Pairs

Write a two column proof for each.

1.

Given: A is between C and T
 $CA = XY$

Prove: $CT = XY + AT$

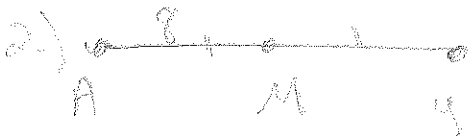


statements	reasons
1.) A is between C & T $CA = XY$	1.) given
2.) $CA + AT = CT$	2.) segment addition postulate
3.) $XY + AT = CT$	3.) substitution
4.) $CT = XY + AT$	4.) symmetric

2.

Given: M is the midpoint of \overline{AY}
 $AM = 8$

Prove: $MY = 8$



statements	reasons
1.) M is the midpoint of \overline{AY} $AM = 8$	1.) given
2.) $AM = MY$	2.) def. of midpoint
3.) $8 = MY$	3.) substitution
4.) $MY = 8$	4.) symmetric

3.

2. Given: O is between S and N
 N is the midpoint of \overline{OG}
 $NO = 5$

Prove: $SN = SO + 5$



4.

~~2. Given: \overline{TR} bisects $\angle ATS$
 Prove: $m\angle CTR = m\angle 1 + m\angle 3$~~

5.

Given: $XY \perp WZ$

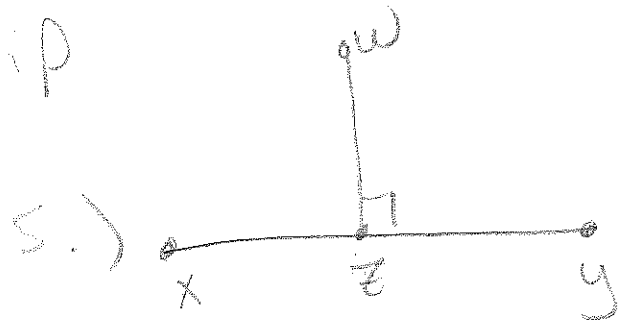
Prove: $\angle WZX = \angle WZY$

6. Given: $\angle A$ and $\angle B$ are Complementary.
 $\angle A$ and $\angle K$ are Complementary.
 Prove: $\angle B \cong \angle K$

statements	reasons
1.) $\angle A + \angle B$ are complementary $\angle A + \angle K$ are complementary	1.) given
2.) $\angle A + \angle B = 90$ $\angle A + \angle K = 90$	2.) def of complementary
3.) $\angle A + \angle B = \angle A + \angle K$	3.) substitution
4.) $\angle B = \angle K$	4.) subtractive Prop
5.) $\angle B \cong \angle K$	5.) def. of \cong

statements	reasons
1.) O is between S and N N is the midpoint of \overline{OG} $NO = 5$	1.) given
2.) $ON = NO$	2.) def. of midpoint
3.) $ON = 5$	3.) substitution
4.) $SN = SO + ON$	4. Seg. add. post.
5.) $SN = SO + 5$	5. substitution

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statements	reasons
1.) $XY \perp WZ$	1.) given
2.) $\angle WZX$ and $\angle WZY$ are right \angle s	2.) def of \perp
3.) $m\angle WZX = 90^\circ$ $m\angle WZY = 90^\circ$	3.) def of right \angle
4.) $\angle WZY = \angle WZY$	4. substitution