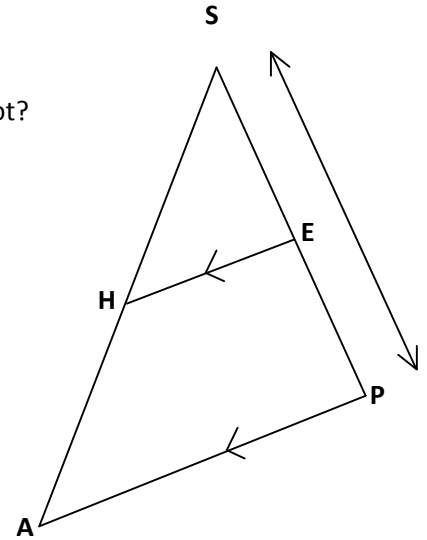


Unit 7 Notes6: Side-Splitting Theorem

I can describe the Side Splitting Theorem. I can use this Theorem and its corollary to solve problems.

Review and Explore: Using what you know about similarity, answer the following.

- Are there similar polygons shown in the diagram to the right? Why or why not?
- Solve for the missing measurements (variables in the diagram).



- Using your answers from #2, test each of the following proportions to identify whether they are true or false.

a) $\frac{SH}{SA} = \frac{SE}{SP}$ True False b) $\frac{SH}{HA} = \frac{HE}{AP}$ True False

c) $\frac{AS}{HS} = \frac{HE}{AP}$ True False d) $\frac{SP}{SE} = \frac{HE}{AP}$ True False

e) $\frac{EP}{SE} = \frac{HA}{SH}$ True False

- Using one of the descriptions below, fill in the proportions used in each part of #3 with their corresponding labels. The first one has been done as an example.

Description Choices: 1. Small side 2. Large side 3. Neither

a) $\frac{SH}{SA} = \frac{SE}{SP} \rightarrow \frac{\text{small}\Delta\text{side}}{\text{large}\Delta\text{side}} = \frac{\text{small}\Delta\text{side}}{\text{large}\Delta\text{side}}$ b) $\frac{SH}{HA} = \frac{HE}{AP}$

c) $\frac{AS}{HS} = \frac{HE}{AP}$ d) $\frac{SP}{SE} = \frac{HE}{AP}$

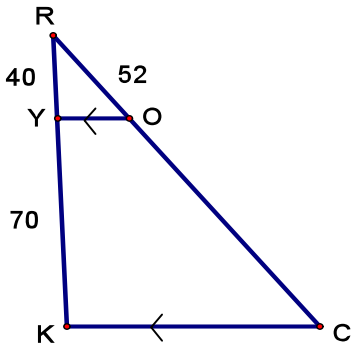
e) $\frac{EP}{SE} = \frac{HA}{SH}$

- What occurred that caused the false proportion(s)?
- Did any true statements surprise you? Why?

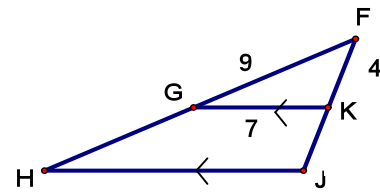
The Side Splitting Theorem states: _____

Examples:

1.

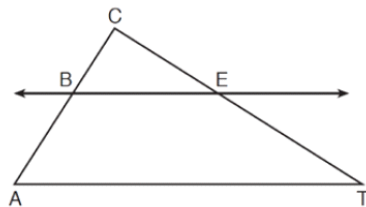


2.



3. If $BE \parallel AT$, $CB = 3$, $CA = 10$, and $CE = 6$, what is ET ?

- a) 5
- b) 14
- c) 20
- d) 26



4. In $\triangle ABC$, D is on AB , and E is on BC such that $DE \parallel AC$. If $DB = 2$, $DA = 7$, and $DE = 3$, what is AC ?

Explore:

a) $\frac{GA}{AB} = \frac{GD}{DE}$ True False

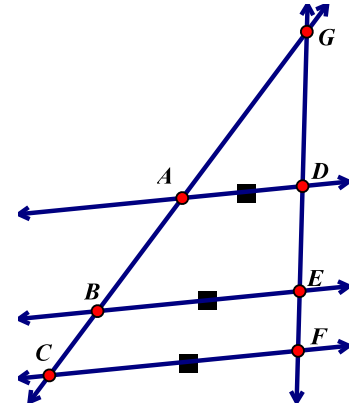
b) $\frac{GA}{BC} = \frac{GD}{DE}$ True False

c) $\frac{AB}{EF} = \frac{DE}{BC}$ True False

d) $\frac{AC}{DF} = \frac{GB}{GE}$ True False

e) $\frac{BC}{AB} = \frac{EF}{DE}$ True False

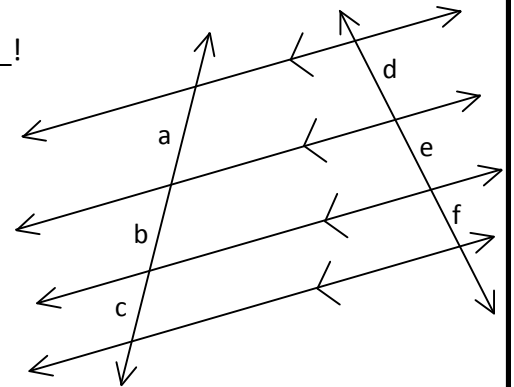
f) $\frac{FD}{ED} = \frac{BA}{CA}$ True False



Corollary (Result) of Side Splitting Theorem: If multiple parallel lines intersect _____, then the segments _____ are proportional.

Just be careful to always match up _____!

Examples:



Complete the proportions.

a) $\frac{AB}{BC} = \frac{DE}{\square}$

b) $\frac{AC}{DF} = \frac{AB}{\square}$

c) $\frac{GE}{DF} = \frac{\square}{AC}$

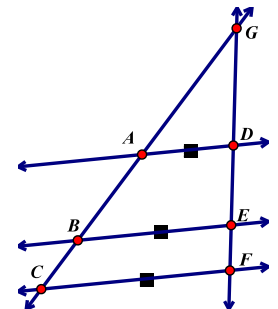
d) $\frac{GF}{DE} = \frac{GC}{\square}$

e) $\frac{\square}{DF} = \frac{BC}{EF}$

f) $\frac{CB}{CG} = \frac{FE}{\square}$

g) $\frac{GA}{AB} = \frac{AD}{BE}$

h) $\frac{CF}{AD} = \frac{\square}{DG}$



Examples: Find the values for the missing variables.

