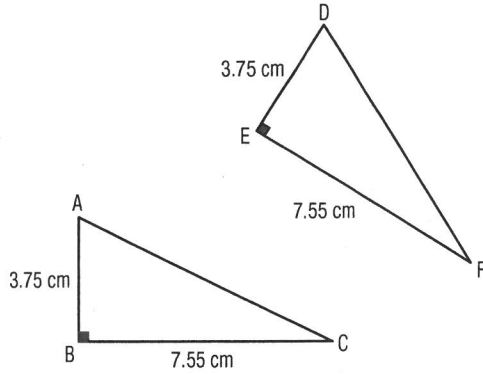


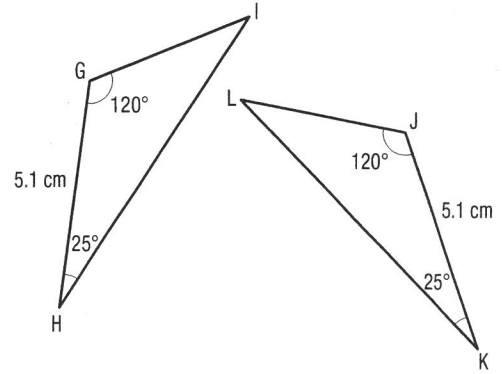
Congruent triangles

1 For each case, identify the geometric statement which allows you to state that the two triangles are congruent.

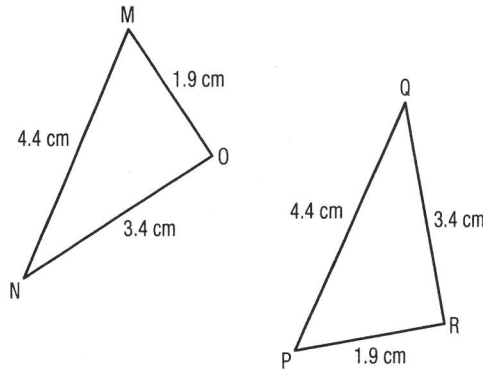
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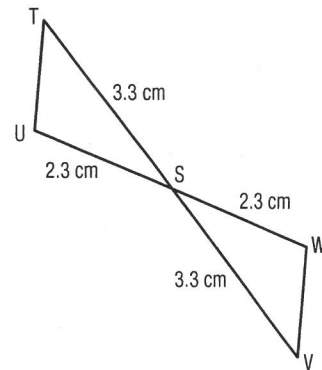
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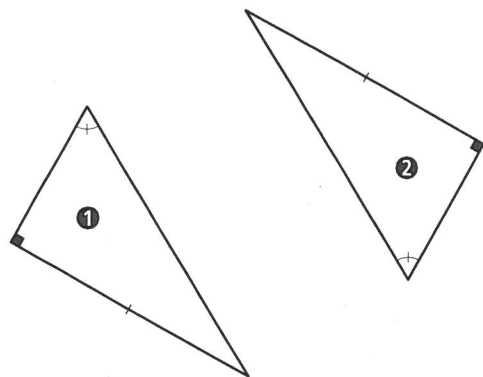


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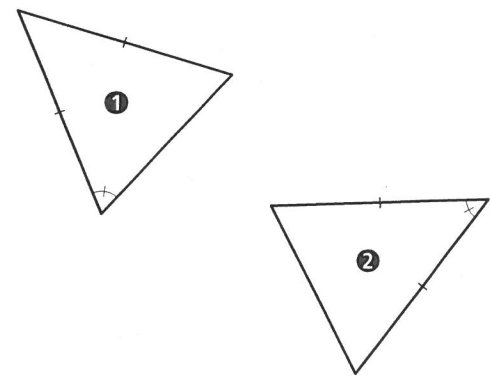


2 Among the following pairs of triangles, identify which are congruent.

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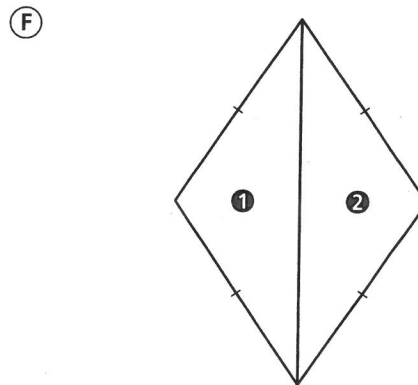
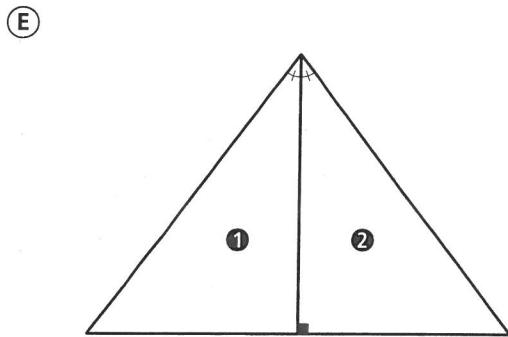
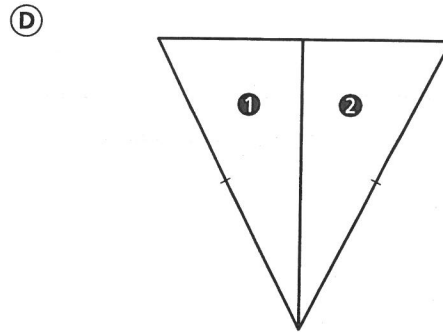
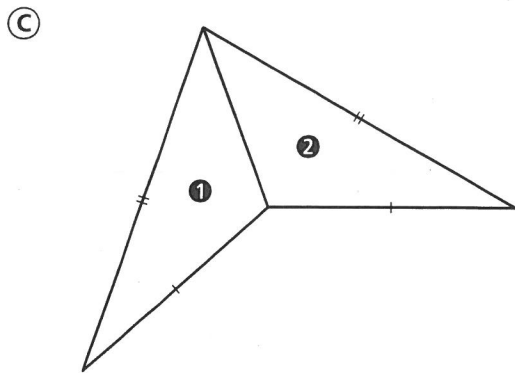


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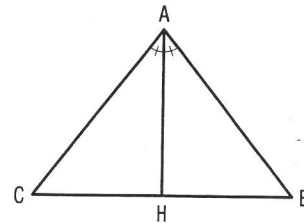
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3 In the adjacent illustration, ABC is an isosceles triangle and \overline{AH} is the bisector of angle BAC . Complete the following proof so that it is possible to conclude that triangles ABH and ACH are congruent.

Hypotheses:	Triangle ABC is isosceles.
	a)
Conclusion:	Triangles ABH and ACH are congruent.



STATEMENT	JUSTIFICATION
$\angle B \cong \angle C$	b)
$\overline{AB} \cong \overline{AC}$	By hypothesis, triangle ABC is isosceles.
$\angle BAH \cong \angle CAH$	c)
$\triangle ABH \cong \triangle ACH$	d)