

1. A point on the \perp bisector is equidistant from the endpoints of the bisected segment.

2. a. Solve for x . Then determine BC and BA .

$x = \underline{4}$

$BC = \underline{35}$

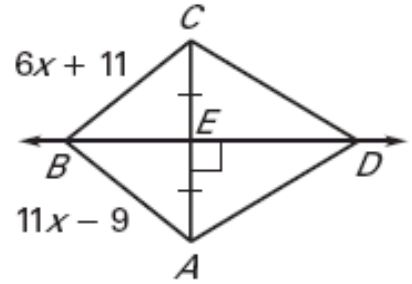
$BA = \underline{35}$

$6x + 11 = 11x - 9$
 $20 = 5x$

$4 = x$

$BC = 6(4) + 11 = 24 + 11 = 35$

$BA = 11(4) - 9 = 44 - 9 = 35$

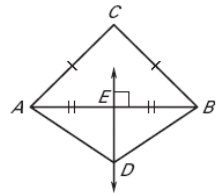


2b. Is point B on the perpendicular bisector? Explain.

yes because $\vec{BD} \perp \vec{AC}$ and point E is the midpoint of \vec{AC}

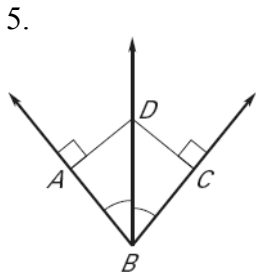
3. Tell whether the information in the diagram allows you to conclude that C is on the perpendicular bisector of \vec{AB} . Explain.

it is because C is equidistant from A and B

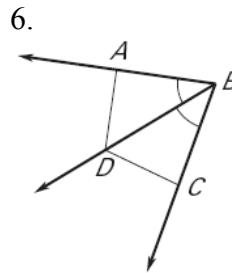


4. A point on the angle bisector is equidistant from the Sides of the bisected angle.

For questions 5 and 6 determine if $DA = DC$. Explain your reasoning.



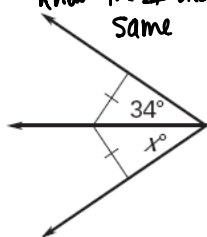
Yes, because \vec{BD} is the angle bisector and \vec{DA} and \vec{DC} are the \perp distances from D to the sides



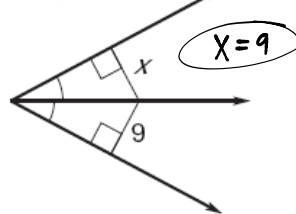
No, while \vec{BD} is an angle bisector, since there is no right angle at A nor C we do not know that \vec{DA} and \vec{DC} are the \perp distances from D to the sides

For questions 7-12 decide if it is possible to determine x . If it is possible, explain your reasoning and determine the value of x . If it is not possible, explain your reasoning.

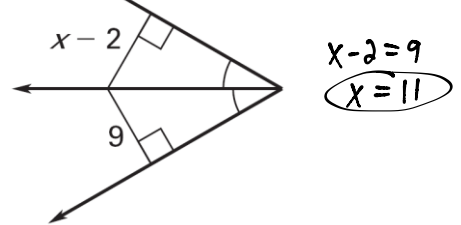
7. not possible, we do not know the \perp distances are the same



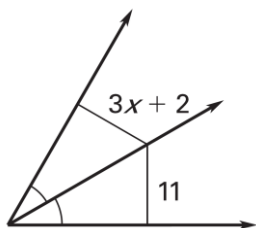
8. possible because it is an angle bisector and $x = 9$ is the \perp distance to the sides



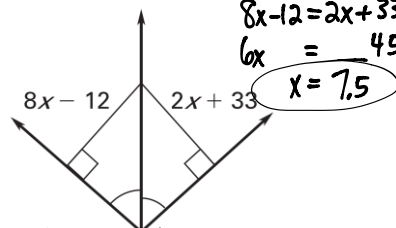
9. possible because it is an angle bisector and $x - 2 = 9$ is the \perp distance to the side



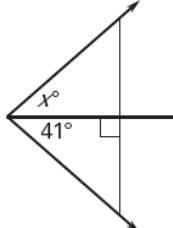
10. not possible because while it is an angle bisector, we do not know the \perp distance to the sides



11. possible because it is an angle bisector and $8x - 12 = 2x + 33$ is the \perp distance to the sides



12. not possible because we do not know if the line is an angle bisector because we do not know if the \perp distances to the side are equal



13. In $\triangle DEF$ below, points G, J, and K are midpoints.

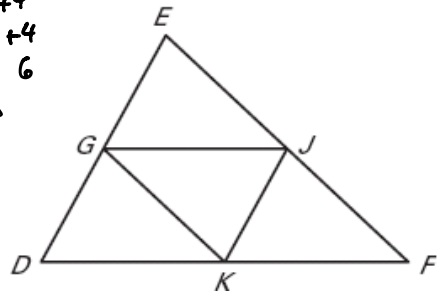
$$2 \cdot GK = EF$$

$$2(4x-1) = 5x+4$$

$$8x-2 = 5x+4$$

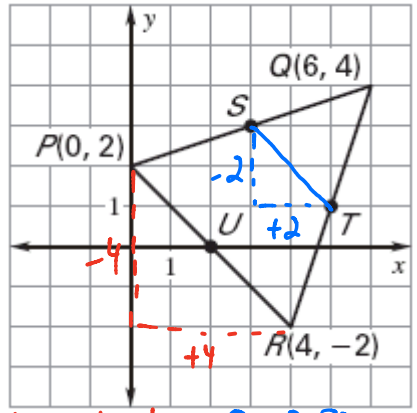
$$3x = 6$$

$$x = 2$$



- a. $\overline{GJ} \parallel \overline{DK} \text{ or } \overline{KF} \text{ or } \overline{DF}$
- b. $\overline{EJ} \cong \overline{JF} \cong \overline{GK}$
- c. $\overline{DE} \parallel \overline{JK}$
- d. $\overline{GJ} \cong \overline{DK} \cong \overline{KF}$ $EJ = GK = 4(2) - 1 = 7$
- e. If $GK = 4x - 1$ and $EF = 5x + 4$, determine:
 $x = \underline{2}$ $GK = \underline{7}$ $EJ = \underline{7}$ $EF = \underline{14}$

14. Use the graph shown at the right.

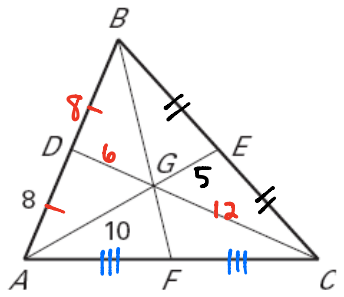


- a. Prove that \overline{ST} is parallel to \overline{PR} .
 Slope of \overline{ST} : $\frac{\text{change in } y}{\text{change in } x} = \frac{-2}{2} = -1$
 Slope of \overline{PR} : $\frac{\text{change in } y}{\text{change in } x} = \frac{-4}{4} = -1$
Since slopes are equal, the lines are parallel
- b. Prove that the length of \overline{PR} is twice the length of \overline{ST} .
 Length of \overline{PR} : $(-4)^2 + 4^2 = d^2$
 $16 + 16 = d^2$
 $\sqrt{32} = \sqrt{d^2}$
 $5.66 = d$
 Length of \overline{ST} : $(-2)^2 + 2^2 = d^2$
 $4 + 4 = d^2$
 $\sqrt{8} = \sqrt{d^2}$
 $2.83 \approx d$

\Rightarrow Since $PR = 5.66$ is two times $ST = 2.83$ we know PR is twice the length of ST

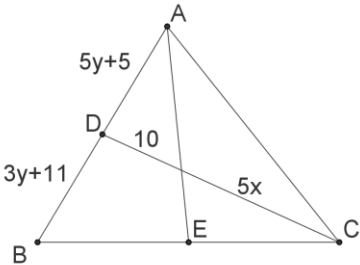
- c. Now that you have proven $\overline{ST} \parallel \overline{PR}$ and $PR = 2 \cdot ST$, what type of segment is ST ? What kind of points are points S and T for the triangle?
 \overline{ST} is a midsegment because S and T are midpoints

15. Point G is the point of intersection of the three medians of $\triangle ABC$. You are given $AD = 8$, $AG = 10$, and $CD = 18$. Find the length of each segment.



- a. $BD = \underline{8}$ (D is a midpoint)
- b. $AB = \underline{16}$
- c. $EG = \underline{5}$ (half of $AG = 10$)
- d. $AE = \underline{15}$
- e. $CG = \underline{12}$ ($\frac{2}{3}$ of CD)
- f. $DG = \underline{6}$ ($\frac{1}{3}$ of CD)

21. \overline{AE} and \overline{CD} are medians of $\triangle ABC$. Find the value of x and y.



$$5x = 2(10)$$

$$5x = 20$$

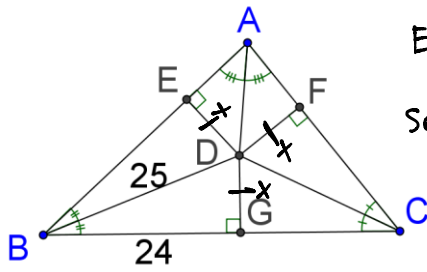
$$x = 4$$

$$5y + 5 = 3y + 11 \text{ (Midpoint)}$$

$$2y = 6$$

$$y = 3$$

22. The angle bisectors of $\triangle ABC$ intersect at point D . If $BD = 25$ and $BG = 24$, find FD .



$ED = DG = FD$ because any point on an angle bisector is equidistant from the sides and it is showing the \perp distance

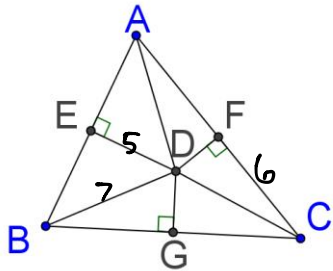
So if I find DG , I find FD too

using Pythagorean Theorem on $\triangle DGB$ to solve for DG :

$$x^2 + 24^2 = 25^2 \rightarrow x^2 = 49$$

$$x^2 + 576 = 625 \rightarrow x = 7$$

23. The perpendicular bisectors of $\triangle ABC$ meet at point D . If $BD = 7$, $ED = 5$, and $FC = 6$, find DC .



$DA = DB = DC$ because any point on a \perp bisector is equidistant from the endpoints of the bisected segment

thus since $DB = 7$, we know that DC also is 7

24. Given that \overline{CD} is the perpendicular bisector of \overline{AB} with $AB = 16$ and $CD = 15$ determine the following measures.

$m\angle ADC = 90^\circ$

$AD = 8$

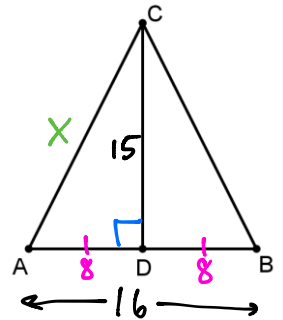
$AC = 17$

$$8^2 + 15^2 = x^2$$

$$64 + 225 = x^2$$

$$\sqrt{289} = \sqrt{x^2}$$

$$17 = x$$



25. In the picture you are given that $\overline{AD} \cong \overline{BD}$ and $\angle ACE \cong \angle BCE$. Identify an example of each.

An example of a perpendicular bisector is

\overline{GD}

An example of an angle bisector is

\overline{CE}

An example of a median is

\overline{CD}

An example of an altitude is

\overline{CF}

