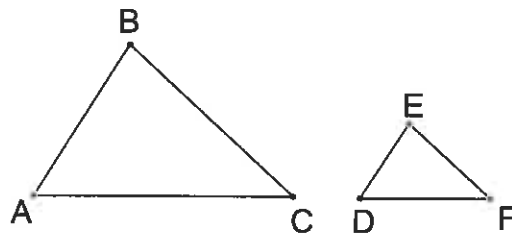


## Practice Proportions and Products

1. AA Similarity: 2 pairs of corresponding  $\angle$ 's  $\cong$
2. SSS Similarity: ~~equal~~ ratios of corr. sides proportional (=)
3. SAS Similarity: ratios of 2 pairs of corresponding sides = and the pair of included  $\angle$ 's  $\cong$ .

There are 3 Ways to End a Triangle Similarity Proof:



Asked to Prove:	Must Do This:
<p>A Proportion</p> <p>i.e.) <math>\frac{AB}{DE} = \frac{AC}{DF}</math></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. prove the <math>\Delta</math>'s are <math>\cong</math> first.</li> <li>2. say the ratios are = because ... "Ratios of corr. sides of similar polygons are ="</li> </ol>
<p>Equal Products</p> <p>i.e.) <math>AB \cdot DF = AC \cdot DE</math></p> <p><math>\frac{AB}{DE} = \frac{AC}{DF}</math></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. prove the <math>\Delta</math>'s similar</li> <li>2. Give the proportion (by the reason above.)</li> <li>3. state the products are equal (cross mult. the proportion) because: "the product of the means = product of the extremes"</li> </ol>

postulate

i.e.)  $A : B = C : D \Rightarrow \frac{A}{B} = \frac{C}{D}$

extremes

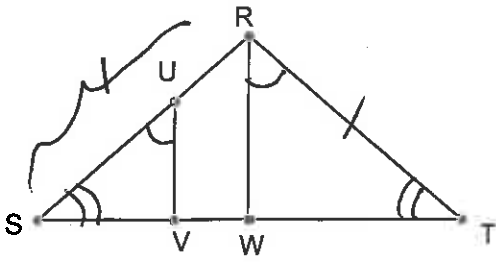
means

$\Rightarrow (A)(D) = (C)(B)$

product of extremes

product of means

Example:



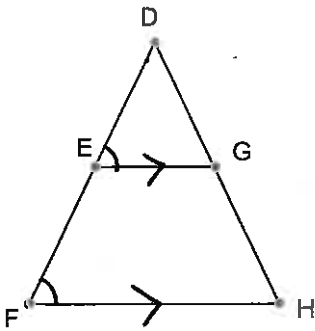
Given:  $\overline{RS} \cong \overline{RT}$   
 $\angle SUV \cong \angle TRW$

Small  $\Delta$  Prove:  $\frac{SU}{TR} = \frac{SV}{TW}$  ←  $\Delta SUV$   
 Big  $\Delta$ . ←  $\Delta TRW$

- ①  $\overline{RS} \cong \overline{RT}$   
 $\angle SUV \cong \angle TRW$
- ②  $\angle S \cong \angle T$
- ③  $\Delta SUV \sim \Delta TRW$
- ④  $\frac{SU}{TR} = \frac{SV}{TW}$

- ① Given
- ② in a  $\Delta$ ,  $\angle$  opp.  $\cong$  sides are  $\cong$ .
- ③ AA similarity.
- ④ for two similar polygons, the ratios of corr. sides are =.

Example:



Given:  $\overline{EG} \parallel \overline{FH}$

Prove:  $DE \cdot FH = EG \cdot DF$   
Small  $\cdot$  Big = Small  $\cdot$  Big

Small  
Big →  $\frac{DE}{DF} = \frac{EG}{FH}$  ←  $\Delta DEG$   
 ←  $\Delta DFH$

- ①  $\overline{EG} \parallel \overline{FH}$
- ②  $\angle DEG \cong \angle DFH$
- ③  $\angle D \cong \angle D$
- ④  $\Delta DEG \sim \Delta DFH$
- ⑤  $\frac{DE}{DF} = \frac{EG}{FH}$
- ⑥  $(DE)(FH) = (EG)(DF)$

- ① Given
- ② 2  $\parallel$  lines cut by trans. form ~~corr.  $\angle$ 's~~  $\angle$ 's  $\cong$  (corresponding).
- ③ Reflexive.
- ④ AA similarity.
- ⑤ Ratios of corr. sides of  $\sim \Delta$ 's are =.
- ⑥ In a proportion, the product of the means = product of the extremes.

## Radicals Review

Perfect Squares: 1, 4, 9, 16, 25, 36, 49, 64, 81, 100, 121, 144, ... etc.

Write in simplest radical form:

$$1. \sqrt{36} = \sqrt{6 \cdot 6} = \boxed{6}$$

↑  
perfect square.

$$2. \sqrt{72} = \sqrt{36 \cdot 2} = \boxed{6\sqrt{2}}$$

↑  
perfect square

$$3. 5\sqrt{108} = 5\sqrt{36 \cdot 3}$$
$$= (5)(6)\sqrt{3}$$
$$= \boxed{30\sqrt{3}}$$

$$4. \frac{2}{3}\sqrt{27} = \frac{2}{3}\sqrt{9 \cdot 3} = \frac{2}{3}(3)\sqrt{3} = \boxed{2\sqrt{3}}$$

↑  
perfect square.

$$5. (3\sqrt{5})(2\sqrt{6}) = (3 \cdot 2)\sqrt{5 \cdot 6}$$
$$= \boxed{6\sqrt{30}}$$

$$6. (5\sqrt{7})^2 = (5\sqrt{7})(5\sqrt{7}) = 25\sqrt{49}$$
$$= 25(7)$$
$$= \boxed{175}$$

$$7. \frac{\sqrt{80}}{\sqrt{125}} = \frac{\sqrt{16 \cdot 5}}{\sqrt{25 \cdot 5}}$$
$$= \frac{\sqrt{16}}{\sqrt{25}}$$
$$= \boxed{\frac{4}{5}}$$

$$8. \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{2\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{25}} = \boxed{\frac{2\sqrt{5}}{5}}$$

↑  
√'s not allowed  
in the denominator.