Angle Measure





NewVocabulary

ray opposite rays angle side vertex interior exterior degree right angle acute angle obtuse angle angle bisector



Common Core State Standards

Content Standards G.CO.1 Know precise definitions of angle, circle, perpendicular line, parallel line, and line segment, based on the undefined notions of point, line, distance along a line, and distance around a circular arc.

G.CO.12 Make formal geometric constructions with a variety of tools and methods (compass and straightedge, string, reflective devices, paper folding, dynamic geometric software, etc.).

Mathematical Practices 5 Use appropriate tools strategically.

6 Attend to precision.

Measure and Classify Angles A ray is a part of a line. It has one endpoint and extends indefinitely in one direction. Rays are named by stating the endpoint first and then any other point on the ray. The ray shown cannot be named as OM because O is not the endpoint of the ray.

0 ray MP, MP, ray MO, or MO

If you choose a point on a line, that point determines exactly two rays called **opposite** rays. Since both rays share a common endpoint, opposite rays are collinear





An **angle** is formed by two *noncollinear* rays that have a common endpoint. The rays are called **sides** of the angle. The common endpoint is the **vertex**.

When naming angles using three letters, the vertex must be the second of the three letters. You can name an angle using a single letter only when there is exactly one angle located at that vertex. The angle shown can be named as $\angle X$, $\angle YXZ$, $\angle ZXY$, or $\angle 3$.

An angle divides a plane into three distinct parts.

- Points *Q*, *M*, and *N* lie on the angle.
- Points *S* and *R* lie in the **interior** of the angle.
- Points *P* and *O* lie in the **exterior** of the angle.



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Seal-World Example 1 Angles and Their Parts

MAPS Use the map of a high school shown.



a. Name all angles that have *B* as a vertex.

 $\angle 1$ or $\angle ABD$, and $\angle 2$ or $\angle DBC$

- **b.** Name the sides of $\angle 3$. \overrightarrow{CA} and \overrightarrow{CE} or \overrightarrow{CB} and \overrightarrow{CE}
- **c.** What is another name for $\angle GHL$? $\angle 7$, $\angle H$, or $\angle LHG$
- **d.** Name a point in the interior of $\angle DBK$. Point *E*

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The protractor has two

scales running from 0 to

180 degrees in opposite

Place the center point

of the protractor on

directions.

the vertex.

- **1A.** What is the vertex of $\angle 5$?
- **1C.** Write another name for $\angle ECL$.
- **1B.** Name the sides of $\angle 5$.
- **1D.** Name a point in the exterior of $\angle CLH$.

Angles are measured in units called degrees. The **degree** results from dividing the distance around a circle into 360 parts.

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To measure an angle, you can use a *protractor*. Angle *DEF* below is a 50 degree (50°) angle. We say that the *degree measure* of $\angle DEF$ is 50, or $m \angle DEF = 50$.



StudyTip

Segments as Sides Because a ray can contain a line segment, the side of an angle can be a segment.



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one side of the angle.

Angles can be classified by their measures as shown below.

ReadingMath

Straight Angle Opposite rays with the same vertex form a *straight angle*. Its measure is 180. Unless otherwise specified in this book, however, the term *angle* means a nonstraight angle.



Example 2 Measure and Classify Angles



Copy the diagram below, and extend each ray. Classify each angle as *right*, *acute*, or *obtuse*. Then use a protractor to measure the angle to the nearest degree.



WatchOut!

Classify Before Measuring Classifying an angle before measuring it can prevent you from choosing the wrong scale on your protractor. In Example 2b, you must decide whether $\angle LJP$ measures 75 or 105. Since $\angle LJP$ is an obtuse angle, you can reason that the correct measure must be 105.

a. ∠MJP

 $\angle MJP$ is marked as a right angle, so $m \angle MJP = 90$.

b. ∠LJP

Point *L* on angle $\angle LJP$ lies on the exterior of right angle $\angle MJP$, so $\angle LJP$ is an obtuse angle. Use a protractor to find that $m \angle LJP = 105$

CHECK Since 105 > 90, $\angle LJP$ is an obtuse angle.

c. $\angle NJP$

Point *N* on angle $\angle NJP$ lies on the interior of right angle $\angle MJP$, so $\angle NJP$ is an acute angle. Use a protractor to find that $m \angle NJP = 20$.

CHECK Since 20 < 90, $\angle NJP$ is an acute angle. \checkmark

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- **2A.** ∠*AFB*
- **2B.** ∠*CFA*
- **2C.** ∠AFD
- **2D.** *LCFD*



2 Congruent Angles Just as segments that have the same measure are congruent segments, angles that have the same measure are *congruent angles*.

In the figure, since $m \angle ABC = m \angle FED$, then $\angle ABC \cong \angle FED$. Matching numbers of arcs on a figure also indicate congruent angles, so $\angle CBE \cong \angle DEB$.



You can produce an angle congruent to a given angle using a construction.



StudyTip

Segments A line segment can also bisect an angle.

A <u>ray</u> that divides an angle into two congruent angles is called an **angle bisector**. If YW is the angle bisector of $\angle XYZ$, then point W lies in the interior of $\angle XYZ$ and $\angle XYW \cong \angle WYZ$.



Just as with segments, when a line, segment, or ray divides an angle into smaller angles, the sum of the measures of the smaller angles equals the measure of the largest angle. So in the figure, $m \angle XYW + m \angle WYZ = m \angle XYZ$.





StudyTip

Checking Solutions Check that you have computed the value of *x* correctly by substituting the value into the expression for $\angle NKL$. If you don't get the same measure as $\angle JKN$, you have made an error.

You can produce the angle bisector of any angle without knowing the measure of the angle.

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A Construction Bisect an Angle						
Step 1 Draw an angle on your paper. Label the vertex as <i>P</i> . Put your compass at point <i>P</i> and draw a large arc that intersects both sides of $\angle P$. Label the points of intersection <i>Q</i> and <i>R</i> .	Step 2 With the compass at point <i>Q</i> , draw an arc in the interior of the angle.	Step 3 Keeping the same compass setting, place the compass at point <i>R</i> and draw an arc that intersects the arc drawn in Step 2. Label the point of intersection <i>T</i> .	Step 4 Draw \overrightarrow{PT} . \overrightarrow{PT} is the bisector of $\angle P$.			
P R		P R				



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Example 1 Use the figure at the right.

Practice and Problem Solving

- **1.** Name the vertex of $\angle 4$.
- **2.** Name the sides of $\angle 3$.
- **3.** What is another name for $\angle 2$?
- **4.** What is another name for $\angle UXY$?

Example 2 Copy the diagram shown, and extend each ray. Classify each angle as *right, acute,* or *obtuse*. Then use a protractor to measure the angle to the nearest degree.

5.	∠CFD	6.	ZAFD
7.	∠BFC	8.	∠ <i>AFB</i>

Example 3 ALGEBRA In the figure, \overrightarrow{KJ} and \overrightarrow{KL} are opposite rays. \overrightarrow{KN} bisects $\angle LKM$.

- **9.** If $m \angle LKM = 7x 5$ and $m \angle NKM = 3x + 9$, find $m \angle LKM$.
- **10.** If $m \angle NKL = 7x 9$ and $m \angle JKM = x + 3$, find $m \angle JKN$.
- **11. (CS) PRECISION** A miter cut is used to build picture frames with corners that meet at right angles.
 - **a.** José miters the ends of some wood for a picture frame at congruent angles. What is the degree measure of his cut? Explain and classify the angle.
 - **b.** What does the joint represent in relation to the angle formed by the two pieces?





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Extra Practice is on page R1.

Example 1 For Exercises 12–29, use the figure at the right. Name the vertex of each angle. **12.** ∠4 **13.** ∠7 **14.** ∠2 **15.** ∠1 Name the sides of each angle. **16.** ∠*TPQ* **17.** ∠*VNM* **18.** ∠6 **19.** ∠3 S Write another name for each angle. **20.** ∠9 **21.** *ZOPT* **22.** *∠MQS* **23.** ∠5 **24.** Name an angle with vertex *N* that appears obtuse. **25.** Name an angle with vertex *Q* that appears acute. **26.** Name a point in the interior of $\angle VRQ$. **27.** Name a point in the exterior of $\angle MRT$. **28.** Name a pair of angles that share exactly one point.





Example 2 Copy the diagram shown, and extend each ray. Classify each angle as *right, acute,* or *obtuse*. Then use a protractor to measure the angle to the nearest degree.

30. ∠ <i>GFK</i>	31. ∠ <i>EFK</i>
32. ∠LFK	33. ∠EFH
34. ∠GFH	35. ∠EFL



- **a.** right angle
- **b.** obtuse angle
- **c.** congruent acute angles



- **37**) If $m \angle ABE = 2n + 7$ and $m \angle EBF = 4n 13$, find $m \angle ABE$.
- **38.** If $m \angle EBH = 6x + 12$ and $m \angle HBC = 8x 10$, find $m \angle EBH$.
- **39.** If $m \angle ABF = 7b 24$ and $m \angle ABE = 2b$, find $m \angle EBF$.
- **40.** If $m \angle EBC = 31a 2$ and $m \angle EBH = 4a + 45$, find $m \angle HBC$.
- **41.** If $m \angle ABF = 8s 6$ and $m \angle ABE = 2(s + 11)$, find $m \angle EBF$.
- **42.** If $m \angle EBC = 3r + 10$ and $m \angle ABE = 2r 20$, find $m \angle EBF$.
- **43.** MAPS Estimate the measure of the angle formed by each city or location listed, the North Pole, and the Prime Meridian.
 - a. Nuuk, Greenland
 - b. Fairbanks, Alaska
 - c. Reykjavik, Iceland
 - d. Prime Meridian



- **44. COMPASIENT OF A COMPASS TOSE IS A DESIGN ON A MAP THAT SHOWS** directions. In addition to the directions of north, south, east, and west, a compass rose can have as many as 32 markings.
 - **a.** With the center of the compass as its vertex, what is the measure of the angle between due west and due north?
 - **b.** What is the measure of the angle between due north and north-west?
 - **c.** How does the north-west ray relate to the angle in part **a**?



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Plot the points in a coordinate plane and sketch $\angle XYZ$. Then classify it as *right*, *acute*, or *obtuse*.

45. *X*(5, -3), *Y*(4, -1), *Z*(6, -2)

- **46.** *X*(6, 7), *Y*(2, 3), *Z*(4, 1)
- **47 PHYSICS** When you look at a pencil in water, it looks bent. This illusion is due to *refraction*, or the bending of light when it moves from one substance to the next.
 - **a.** What is *m*∠1? Classify this angle as *acute*, *right*, or *obtuse*.
 - **b.** What is *m*∠2? Classify this angle as *acute*, *right*, or *obtuse*.
 - **c.** Without measuring, determine how many degrees the path of the light changes after it enters the water. Explain your reasoning.



- **48. Solution MULTIPLE REPRESENTATIONS** In this problem, you will explore the relationship of angles that compose opposite rays.
 - **a. Geometric** Draw four lines, each with points *A*, *B*, and *C*. Draw \overrightarrow{BD} for each line, varying the placement of point *D*. Use a protractor to measure $\angle ABD$ and $\angle DBC$ for each figure.



- **b. Tabular** Organize the measures for each figure into a table. Include a row in your table to record the sum of these measures.
- **c. Verbal** Make a conjecture about the sum of the measures of the two angles. Explain your reasoning.
- **d.** Algebraic If *x* is the measure of $\angle ABD$ and *y* is the measure of $\angle DBC$, write an equation that relates the two angle measures.

H.O.T. Problems Use Higher-Order Thinking Skills

- **49. OPEN ENDED** Draw an obtuse angle named *ABC*. Measure ∠*ABC*. Construct an angle bisector *BD* of ∠*ABC*. Explain the steps in your construction and justify each step. Classify the two angles formed by the angle bisector.
- **50. CHALLENGE** Describe how you would use a protractor to measure the angle shown.
- **51. CSS ARGUMENTS** The sum of two acute angles is *sometimes*, *always*, or *never* an obtuse angle. Explain.
- **52.** CHALLENGE \overrightarrow{MP} bisects $\angle LMN$, \overrightarrow{MQ} bisects $\angle LMP$, and \overrightarrow{MR} bisects $\angle QMP$. If $m \angle RMP = 21$, find $m \angle LMN$. Explain your reasoning.
- **53.** WRITING IN MATH Rashid says that he can estimate the measure of an acute angle using a piece of paper to within six degrees of accuracy. Explain how this would be possible. Then use this method to estimate the measure of the angle shown.

Standardized Test Practice

54. Which of the following angles measures closest to 60°?



55. SHORT RESPONSE Leticia surveyed 50 English majors at a university to see if the school should play jazz music in the cafeteria during lunch. The school has 75 different majors and a total of 2000 students. Explain why the results of Leticia's survey are or are not representative of the entire student body.

56. In the figure below, if $m \angle BAC = 38$, what must be the measure of $\angle BAD$ in order for \overrightarrow{AC} to be an angle bisector?



57. SAT/ACT If *n* is divisible by 2, 5, and 14, which of the following is also divisible by these numbers?

A $n + 7$	D <i>n</i> + 20
B <i>n</i> + 10	E <i>n</i> + 70
C <i>n</i> + 14	

Spiral Review

Find the distance between each pair of points. Round to the nearest hundredth. (Lesson 1-3)

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59. *C*(0, 1), *D*(-2, 9)

60. E(-3, -12), F(5, 4)**63.** $L\left(-5, \frac{8}{5}\right), M\left(5, \frac{2}{5}\right)$

Find the value of the variable and *ST* if *S* is between *R* and *T*. (Lesson 1-2)

64. RS = 7a, ST = 12a, RT = 76

65. RS = 12, ST = 2x, RT = 34





Complete each sentence. (Lesson 0-1)

67. 54 in. = _?___ft

n. = <u>?</u> ft

68. 275 mm = _?_ m

69. 7 gal = ____ pt

Skills Review

Solve each equation.

70. (90 - x) - x = 18

73. (180 - x) - 4x = 56

-x) - 4x = 56

71. (5x + 3) + 7x = 180**74.** (4n + 17) + (n - 2) = 180

72. (13*x* + 10) + 2*x* = 90 **75.** (8*a* - 23) + (9 - 2*a*) = 90

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