3–13 Identifying What Is Needed to Prove **Triangles Are Congruent**

We have three methods by which to prove that triangles are congruent: SSS, ASA, SAS

Study the diagrams and the information that is provided. Some information is missing. Determine what information is needed to prove that the triangles are congruent using the given theorem or postulate. There may be more than one correct answer for each. Remember to supply all the missing information that is needed.

1. C is the midpoint of BE. Prove ∆ABC

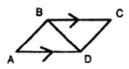
ADEC by SAS



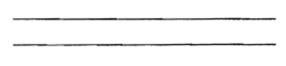
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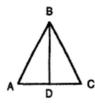
2. Prove $\triangle ABD \cong \triangle CDB$ by SAS.



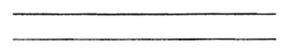
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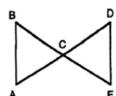
3. △ABC is isosceles. ∠A and ∠C are base angles. Prove $\triangle ABD \cong \triangle CBD$ by SSS



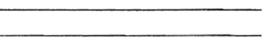
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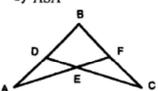
4. C is the midpoint of \overline{AD} . Prove that $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle DEC$ by ASA.



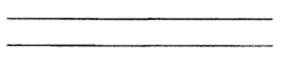
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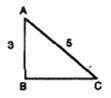
5. ∠A ≅ ∠C. Prove ΔADE ≅ ΔCFE by ASA



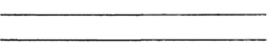
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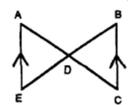
6. Prove ∆ABC ≅ ∆DEF by SAS



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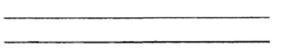


7. Prove $\triangle ADE \cong \triangle CDB$ by ASA.

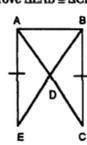


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8. Prove $\triangle EAB \cong \triangle CBA$ by SSS.



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