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# Properties of Parallel Lines

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**OBJECTIVE:** I can prove theorems about parallel lines To use properties of parallel lines to find angle measures



## Warm-Up

Look at the map of streets in Clearwater, Florida. Nicholson Street and Cedar Street are parallel. Which pairs of angles appear to be congruent?



## Essential Understanding

**Essential Understanding** The special angle pairs formed by parallel lines and a transversal are congruent, supplementary, or both.

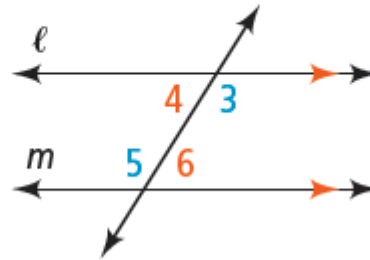
### Key Concept: Same-Side Interior Angles Postulate

#### Postulate

If a transversal intersects two parallel lines, then same-side interior angles are supplementary.

If ...

$$\ell \parallel m$$



Then ...

$$m\angle 4 + m\angle 5 = 180$$

$$m\angle 3 + m\angle 6 = 180$$

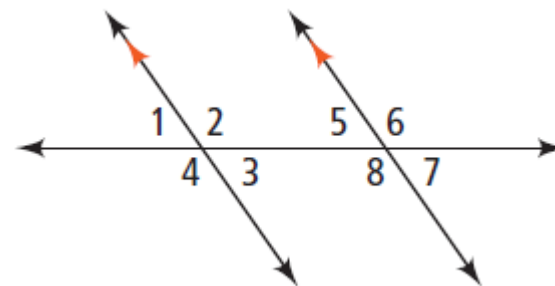


## Example

### #1 Identifying Supplementary Angles



The measure of  $\angle 3$  is 55. Which angles are supplementary to  $\angle 3$ ? How do you know?



## Your Turn to Work it Out



1. **Reasoning** If you know the measure of one of the angles, can you always find the measures of all 8 angles when two parallel lines are cut by a transversal? Explain.

# Concept Understanding



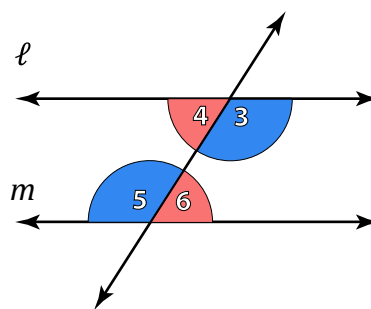
## Key Concept: Alternate Interior Angles Theorem

### Theorem

If a transversal intersects two parallel lines, then alternate interior angles are congruent.

If...

$$\ell \parallel m$$



Then ...

$$\angle 4 \cong \angle 6$$

$$\angle 3 \cong \angle 5$$

# Concept Understanding



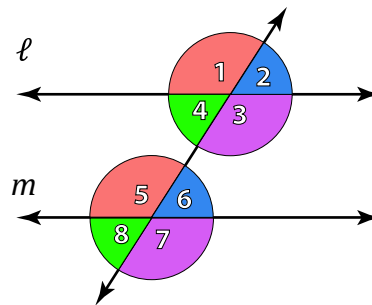
## Key Concept: Corresponding Angles Theorem

### Theorem

If a transversal intersects two parallel lines, then corresponding angles are congruent.

If...

$$\ell \parallel m$$



Then ...

$$\angle 1 \cong \angle 5$$

$$\angle 2 \cong \angle 6$$

$$\angle 3 \cong \angle 7$$

$$\angle 4 \cong \angle 8$$

# Concept Understanding



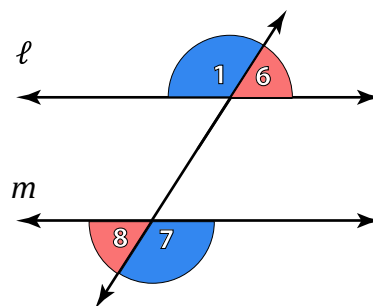
## Key Concept: Alternate Exterior Angles

### Theorem

If a transversal intersects two parallel lines, then alternate exterior angles are congruent.

If...

$$\ell \parallel m$$



Then ...

$$\angle 1 \cong \angle 7$$

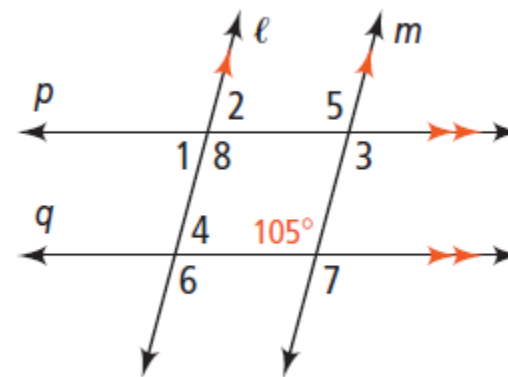
$$\angle 2 \cong \angle 8$$

## Example

### #2 Finding Measures of Angles



What are the measures of  $\angle 3$  and  $\angle 4$ ?





## Your Turn to Work it Out



3. What is the measure of each angle?

a.  $\angle 1$

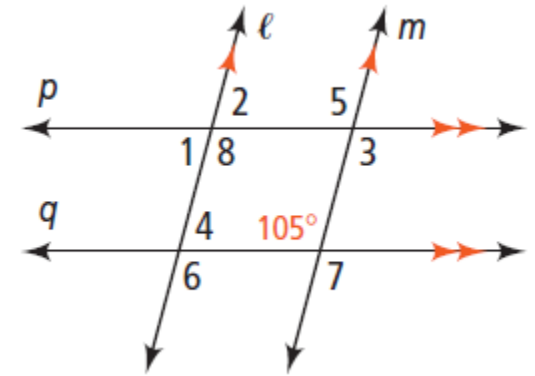
b.  $\angle 2$

c.  $\angle 5$

d.  $\angle 6$

e.  $\angle 7$

f.  $\angle 8$

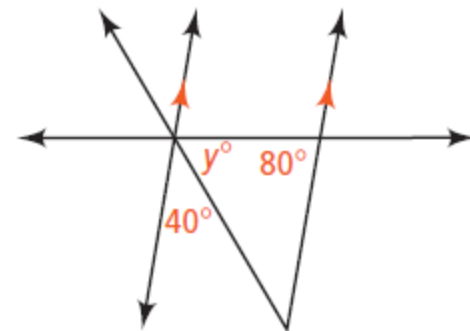


## Example

### #4 Finding an Angle Measure



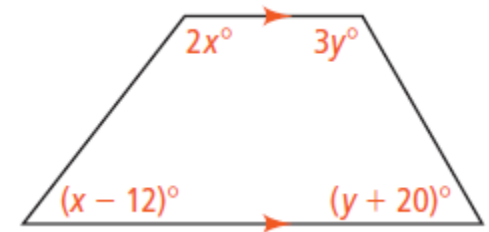
**Algebra** What is the value of  $y$ ?



## Your Turn to Work it Out



4.  
a. In the figure at the right, what are the values of  $x$  and  $y$ ?



- b. What are the measures of the four angles in the figure?