



## Practice

### 3.4 Proving That Lines Are Parallel

For Exercises 1–5, refer to the diagram below, and fill in the name of the appropriate theorem or postulate.

1. If  $m\angle 5 = m\angle 4$ , then  $\ell \parallel m$  by the converse of the

Alternate Exterior Angles Theorem.

2. If  $m\angle 6 = m\angle 3$ , then  $\ell \parallel m$  by the converse of the

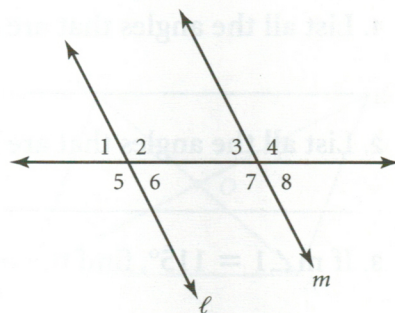
Alternate Interior Angles Theorem.

3. If  $m\angle 1 = m\angle 3$ , then  $\ell \parallel m$  by the converse of the

Corresponding Angles Postulate.

4. If  $m\angle 1 = m\angle 8$ , then  $\ell \parallel m$  by the converse of the Alternate Exterior Angles Theorem.

5. If  $m\angle 6 + m\angle 7 = 180^\circ$ , then  $\ell \parallel m$  by the converse of the Same-Side Interior Angles Theorem.

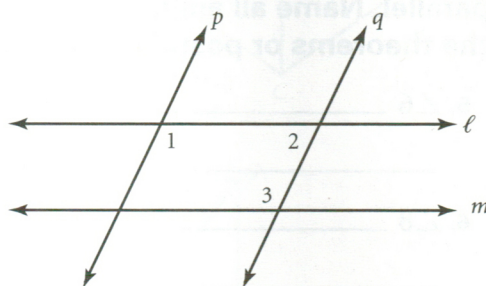


For Exercises 6–12, use the diagram at right to complete the two-column proof below.

Given:  $m\angle 1 = m\angle 3$

$p \parallel q$

Prove:  $\ell \parallel m$



Statements

Reasons

$p \parallel q$

6. Given

$\angle 1$  and  $\angle 2$  are supplementary.

7. Transversal with  $\parallel$  lines means supplementary same-side interior angles

$m\angle 1 + m\angle 2 = 180^\circ$

8. Definition of Supplementary Angles

$m\angle 1 = m\angle 3$

9. Given

$m\angle 3 + m\angle 2 = 180^\circ$

10. Substitution (from steps 8 and 9)

$\angle 3$  and  $\angle 2$  are supplementary.

11. Definition of Supplementary Angles

$\ell \parallel m$

12. Transversal with supplementary same-side interior angles means  $\parallel$  lines