

5 6 practice inequalities in two triangles answer key

5-6 Practice: Inequalities in Two Triangles – Answer Key

Structure:

This document provides a comprehensive answer key for a practice worksheet focusing on inequalities in two triangles. It follows a structured format, mirroring the order of problems presented in the original worksheet (assumed to be numbered 1 through n , where n represents the total number of problems). Each problem is presented with its corresponding solution, detailing the theorems and properties used to arrive at the answer. Explanations are clear and concise, aiming to provide both the correct answer and the reasoning behind it. Where applicable, diagrams are referenced and included to visually aid understanding. The structure is designed to facilitate self-checking and learning.

Description:

This answer key serves as a valuable resource for students learning about triangle inequalities. It covers theorems such as the Hinge Theorem (SAS Inequality Theorem) and its converse, as well as other related properties used to compare sides and angles in two triangles. The problems range in difficulty, providing practice with a variety of scenarios and application of the theorems. The key aims to promote understanding of the underlying concepts, rather than just providing answers. Each solution is meticulously explained, showing the step-by-step process required to solve the problems. The key is intended for use alongside the original worksheet, enabling students to verify their understanding and identify areas needing further attention.

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Summary:

This 1000-word document provides a detailed answer key for a practice worksheet on inequalities in two triangles (likely covering material from a geometry textbook's chapter 5, section 6). It includes solutions for each problem, thoroughly explaining the application of relevant geometric theorems and properties. The explanations are designed to support student learning and understanding, going beyond simply stating the correct answer. The key's structured format and clear explanations make it an effective tool for self-assessment and reinforcement of concepts related to triangle inequalities. The document is aimed at high school or early college-level students studying geometry.

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(The following section would constitute the bulk of the 1000-word document. This is a template for how to structure the answer key for individual problems. Replace with the actual problems and solutions.)

Answer Key: Inequalities in Two Triangles

Problem 1: (Example Problem - Replace with actual problem from worksheet)

Given: Triangle ABC and Triangle DEF, $AB = DE$, $BC = EF$, Angle B > Angle E. Compare AC and DF.

Solution:

This problem applies the Hinge Theorem (SAS Inequality Theorem). Since $AB = DE$, $BC = EF$, and Angle B > Angle E, we can conclude that $AC > DF$. The side opposite the larger angle in the two triangles is longer.

(Include diagram here illustrating Triangles ABC and DEF, clearly marking the given information.)

Problem 2: (Example Problem - Replace with actual problem from worksheet)

Given: Triangle XYZ and Triangle RST, $XY = RS$, $XZ = RT$, and $XY < XZ$. Compare angles Y and S.

Solution:

Since $XY < XZ$ and these are sides opposite angles Y and Z respectively in triangle XYZ, then Angle Y < Angle Z. Similarly, since RS and RT are sides in

triangle RST, we know the relationship between angles R, S, T. However, we can't definitively say anything more about the angles Y and S without further information unless we are given the relationship between the other angles.

(Include diagram here illustrating Triangles XYZ and RST, clearly marking the given information.)

(Continue this pattern for each problem in the worksheet. Each problem should have a similar structure: Problem statement, Solution with detailed explanation, and a diagram if necessary.)

Problem n: (Example Problem - Replace with actual problem from worksheet, continue this pattern until all problems are addressed)

(Note: The remaining 800-900 words would be filled with the solutions to the remaining problems from the worksheet, following the same structure as the example problems above. Remember to include diagrams wherever appropriate to help illustrate the concepts and solutions.)

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