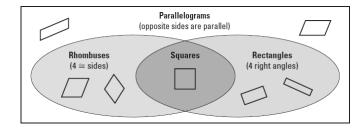
Rhombuses, Rectangles, Squares

The Venn diagram below describes the relationship between different kinds of parallelograms:

- A *rhombus* is a parallelogram with four congruent sides
- A *rectangle* is a parallelogram with four right angles
- A **square** is a parallelogram with four congruent sides and four right angles



Corollaries:

- A quadrilateral is a rhombus IFF it has four congruent sides
- A quadrilateral is a rectangles IFF it has four right angles
- A quadrilateral is a square IFF it is a rhombus and a rectangle.
- Since rhombuses, squares, and rectangles are parallelograms, they have all the properties of parallelograms (opposite sides parallel, opposite angles congruent, diagonals bisect each other, etc.)
- In addition...

Rhombus	Rectangle	Square
4 congruent sidesdiagonals bisect anglesdiagonals perpendicular	4 right anglesdiagonals congruent	 4 congruent sides diagonals bisect each other diagonals perpendicular 4 right angles diagonals congruent

Theorems:

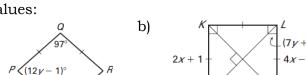
- A parallelogram is a rhombus IFF its diagonals are perpendicular.
- A parallelogram is a rhombus IFF each diagonal bisects a pair of opposite angles.

a)

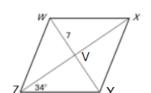
• A parallelogram is a rectangle IFF its diagonals are congruent.

Examples:

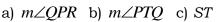
- 1) Given rhombus *DEFG*, are the statements sometimes, always, or never true:
 - a) $\angle D \cong \angle F$ b) $\angle D \cong \angle E$ c) $\overline{DG} \cong \overline{GF}$
- 2) Classify the parallelogram and find missing values:

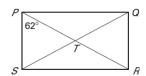


3) Given rhombus WXYZ and $m\angle XZY = 34^\circ$, find: a) $m\angle WZV$ b) WY c) XY



4) Given rectangle *PQRS* and $m\angle RPS = 62^{\circ}$ and *QS*=18, find:



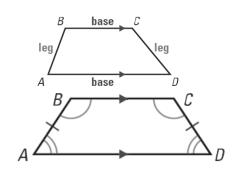


Trapezoids and Kites

- A *trapezoid* is a quadrilateral with OAOO pair of parallel sides
- A midsegment (also called a median) of a trapezoid connects the midpoints of each leg
- An isosceles trapezoid has legs that are congruent

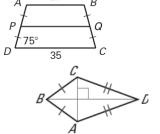
Theorems:

- If a trapezoid is isosceles then each pair of base angles is congruent.
- If a trapezoid has a pair of congruent base angles, then it is isosceles.
- A trapezoid is isosceles IFF its diagonals are congruent.
- The midsegment of a trapezoid is parallel to each base and its length is one half the sum of the lengths of the bases.



Examples:

- a) The vertices of *ABCD* are A(-5, 6), B(1,3), C(0, 0) and D(-7, 0). Show that it is a trapezoid.
- b) Find $m \angle B$ and PQ



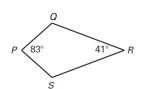
• A *kite* is a quadrilateral that has two pairs of consecutive congruent sides, but its opposite sides are not congruent.

Theorems:

- If a quadrilateral is a kite, then its diagonals are perpendicular.
- If a quadrilateral is a kite, then exactly one pair of opposite angles are congruent.

Examples:

a) Find $m\angle Q$ and $m\angle S$ in the kite.

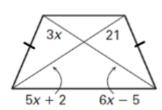


b) Find the missing side lengths of the kite.

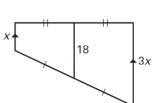


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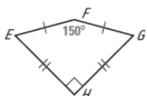
a) Find the value of *x* in the trapezoid



b) Find the value of *x* in the trapezoid



c) Find the missing angles in the kite



d) Find the missing side lengths of the kite

