

# Proofs on the Ch. 2 Test

If  $3(x - \frac{5}{3}) = 1$ , then  $x = 2$ .

<u>Statements</u>	<u>Reasons</u>
1. $3(x - \frac{5}{3}) = 1$	1. Given
2. $3x - 5 = 1$	2. Distributive
3. $3x = 6$	3. Addition
4. $x = 2$	4. Division

Given:  $PQ = RS$

Prove:  $PR = QS$

Statements	Reasons
1. $PQ = RS$	1. Given
2. $PQ + QR = RS + QR$	2. Addition
3. $PR = PQ + QR$ $QS = QR + RS$	3. Segment Addition Postulate
4. $PR = QS$	4. Substitution

Given:  $\angle 1$  and  $\angle 3$  are complementary  
 $\angle 2$  and  $\angle 3$  are complementary

Prove:  $\angle 1 \cong \angle 2$

Statements

1.  $\angle 1, \angle 3$  complementary  
 $\angle 2, \angle 3$  complementary

2.  $m\angle 1 + m\angle 3 = 90$   
 $m\angle 2 + m\angle 3 = 90$

3.  $m\angle 1 + m\angle 3 = m\angle 2 + m\angle 3$

4.  $m\angle 1 = m\angle 2$

5.  $\angle 1 \cong \angle 2$

Reasons

1. Given

2. definition of  
complementary

3. substitution

4. subtraction

5. definition of  $\cong$