

Warm Up

Lesson Presentation

Lesson Quiz

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Identify and draw rotations.

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Remember that a rotation is a transformation that turns a figure around a fixed point, called the center of rotation. A rotation is an isometry, so the image of a rotated figure is congruent to the preimage.



Example 1: Identifying Rotations

Tell whether each transformation appears to be a rotation. Explain.





No; the figure appears to be flipped.

Yes; the figure appears to be turned around a point.



Check It Out! Example 1

Tell whether each transformation appears to be a rotation.



No, the figure appears to be a translation.



Yes, the figure appears to be turned around a point.

Rotations

Rotations

A rotation is a transformation about a point *P*, called the center of rotation, such that each point and its image are the same distance from *P*, and such that all angles with vertex *P* formed by a point and its image are congruent. In the figure, $\angle APA'$ is the angle of rotation.





Helpful Hint

Unless otherwise stated, all rotations in this book are counterclockwise.



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 $(x, y) \rightarrow (-y, x)$ 90° Counter Clockwise 270° Clockwise

 $(x, y) \rightarrow (y, -x)$ 90° Clockwise 270° Counter Clockwise $(x, y) \rightarrow (y,-x)$ 180° same for CC & CW

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Example 3: Drawing Rotations in the Coordinate Plane

Rotate ΔJKL with vertices J(2, 2), K(4, -5), and L(-1, 6) by 180° about the origin.

The rotation of (x, y) is (-x, -y).

$$J(2, 2) \rightarrow (-2, -2)$$

 $K(4, -5) \rightarrow (-4, 5)$

 $L(-1, 6) \rightarrow (1, -6)$



Graph the preimage and image.



Check It Out! Example 3

Rotate $\triangle ABC$ by 180° about the origin.

The rotation of (x, y) is (-x, -y).

 $A(2, -1) \rightarrow i'(-2, 1)$

 $B(4, 1) \longrightarrow (-4, -1)$

 $C(3, 3) \rightarrow \widetilde{(-3, -3)}$

Graph the preimage and image.

