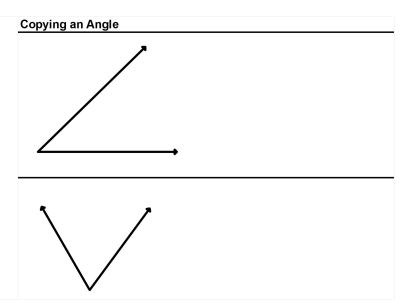
Copying a Segment: Must have same length (not same slope)

- 1. Use a straightedge to draw a line, I.
- 2. Choose a point on line I and label it point P.
- 3. Place the compass point on point A.
- 4. Adjust the ompass width to the length of AB.
- 5. Without changing the compass, place the compass point on point P and draw an arc intersecting line I. Label the point of intersection as point Q.

Copying a Line Segment	
<u>А</u> В	
B A	

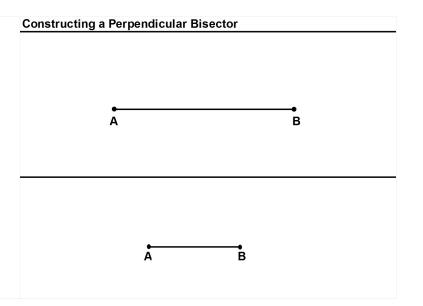
Copying an Angle

- 1. Draw a point R that will be the vertex of the new angle and draw a ray from point R which will be one side of the new angle.
- 2. Place the compass point on the original vertex and draw an arc so it intersects both sides of the angle.
- 3. Without changing the compass, place the compass on the new vertex R and draw an arc.
- 4. Open the compass to the length of the two intersections on the original angle and draw an arc.
- 5. Without changing the compass width, draw this same arc on the new angle.
- 6. Use a straightedge to draw a ray starting at the vertex to the intersection of these two arcs.



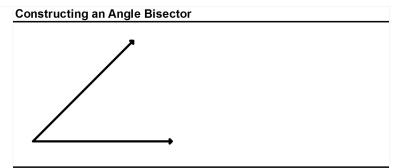
Perpendicular Bisector

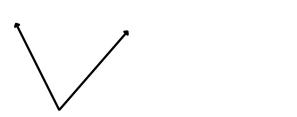
- Adjust the compass to a width greater than half the length of your segment.
- 2. Place the compass on point A and draw an inward semicircle (so that it is above and below your segment).
- 3. Draw this same inward semicircle but centered at point B.
- Use a straightedge to draw a line through the points of intersection of these two arcs (one above your segment and one below your segment).



Angle Bisector

- 1. Draw an arc centered at the vertex that crosses both sides of the angle.
- 2. Open the compass to a width of where the arc intersects the angle.
- Without changing the compass, draw an inward arc centered at one of the first intersection points.
- 4. Without changing the compass, draw an inward arc centered at the other of the first intersection points.
- 5. Using the straightedge, draw a ray starting at the vertex that goes through where these two arcs (step 3 and 4) cross.





Perpendicular Line Through a Point

- 1. Draw an arc centered at the given point that crosses through the line segment twice.
- 2. Open the compass to a width of the two arc intersections.
- 3. Without changing the compass, draw a semicircle centered at one of the first intersection points.
- 4. Without changing the compass, draw that same semicircle but centered at the other first intersection points.
- Using a straightedge, draw a line through the two semicircle intersections.

Constructing a Parallel Line Through a Point

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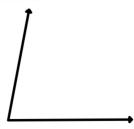
A B

Practice:

1. Copy the following segment.



2. Copy the angle.



3. Construct an angle bisector.

 ${\bf 4.} \quad {\bf Construct\, a\, perpendicular\, line\, through\, the\, given\, point.}$

Practice:

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