

## Explore Triangle Congruence Worksheets (ASA)

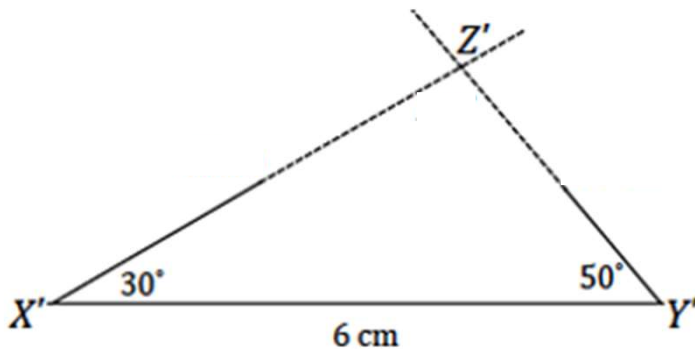
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*All of the triangles are identical; the condition determined a unique triangle. After drawing the included side length, I used the protractor to draw the provided angle measurements at either endpoint of the included side  $\overline{X'Y'}$ . Since these two angle measurements are fixed, the two remaining side lengths will intersect in one location, which is the third vertex of the triangle,  $Z'$ . There is no other way to draw this triangle; therefore, the condition determines a unique triangle.*

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