

# SAT Math Practice

## **Topic:** Angles, Parallel Lines, and Transversals

#### Instructions

Solve the following problems related to angles, parallel lines, and transversals. Show all work clearly. For multiple-choice questions, circle the correct answer. For grid-in questions, fill in the grid with your answer.

### **Practice Problems**

- 1. If two parallel lines are cut by a transversal, what is the relationship between the alternate interior angles?
  - (a) They are congruent.
  - (b) They are supplementary.
  - (c) They are complementary.
  - (d) They are equal in measure but not necessarily congruent.
- 2. If  $\angle 1$  and  $\angle 2$  are consecutive interior angles and the lines are parallel, what is the sum of the two angles?
  - (a) 90°
  - (b) 180°
  - (c)  $270^{\circ}$
  - (d) 360°

- 3. If two parallel lines are cut by a transversal and the corresponding angles are 120°, what is the measure of the alternate exterior angle?
  - (a)  $60^{\circ}$
  - (b) 120°
  - (c) 180°
  - (d) 90°
- 4. What type of angles are formed by a transversal intersecting two parallel lines?
  - (a) Corresponding angles
  - (b) Vertical angles
  - (c) Alternate exterior angles
  - (d) All of the above
- 5. If two parallel lines are cut by a transversal, what is the relationship between the consecutive exterior angles?
  - (a) They are complementary.
  - (b) They are supplementary.
  - (c) They are congruent.
  - (d) They are equal in measure but not congruent.
- 6. In the diagram,  $\angle 3$  and  $\angle 4$  are supplementary. What can be concluded about the lines?
  - (a) The lines are perpendicular.
  - (b) The lines are parallel.
  - (c) The lines are skew.
  - (d) No information can be concluded.
- 7. If  $\angle 1 = 80^{\circ}$  and  $\angle 2$  is the alternate interior angle to  $\angle 1$ , what is the measure of  $\angle 2$ ?
  - (a)  $80^{\circ}$
  - (b) 100°
  - (c) 60°
  - (d)  $40^{\circ}$

- 8. In the figure,  $\angle 3 = 45^{\circ}$  and  $\angle 4$  is vertically opposite to  $\angle 3$ . What is the measure of  $\angle 4$ ?
  - (a) 45°
  - (b) 135°
  - (c) 90°
  - (d) 180°
- 9. If  $\angle 1$  and  $\angle 2$  are alternate exterior angles formed by a transversal cutting through two parallel lines, what can be said about these two angles?
  - (a) They are supplementary.
  - (b) They are congruent.
  - (c) They are complementary.
  - (d) There is no relationship.
- 10. If the sum of the consecutive interior angles on the same side of the transversal is 160°, what is the measure of each of the consecutive exterior angles?
  - (a) 20°
  - (b) 60°
  - (c) 80°
  - (d) 100°
- 11. Find the measure of the corresponding angle to  $\angle 5 = 70^{\circ}$  formed by a transversal intersecting two parallel lines.
  - (a)  $70^{\circ}$
  - (b) 90°
  - (c) 110°
  - (d) 45°

12. In the figure, if  $\angle 1 = 50^{\circ}$  and is a vertical angle to  $\angle 2$ , what is the measure of  $\angle 2$ ?

- (a)  $50^{\circ}$
- (b) 40°
- (c) 100°
- (d) 130°

- 13. Given two parallel lines cut by a transversal, if one of the alternate interior angles is 35°, what is the measure of the corresponding angle?
  - (a) 35°
  - (b)  $55^{\circ}$
  - (c)  $45^{\circ}$
  - (d)  $65^{\circ}$
- 14. Solve for x: In a right triangle with one angle measuring  $45^{\circ}$ , find the other two angles using the property of parallel lines and transversals.
  - (a)  $45^{\circ}$
  - (b) 90°
  - (c)  $75^{\circ}$
  - (d) 60°
- 15. Find the value of x in the transversal intersecting two parallel lines such that the sum of ∠1 and ∠2 is 180°.
  (Grid-in Question: Answer in the grid as a number.)
- 16. If ∠1 = 120°, find the corresponding angle formed by a transversal cutting through parallel lines.
  (Grid-in Question: Answer in the grid as a number.)

### Answer Key

- 1. (a) They are congruent.
- 2. (b) 180°
- 3. (b) 120°
- 4. (d) All of the above
- 5. (b) They are supplementary.
- 6. (a) The lines are perpendicular.
- 7. (a)  $80^{\circ}$
- 8. (a) 45°

- 9. (b) They are congruent.
- 10. (c) 80°
- 11. (a) 60
- 12. (a)  $70^{\circ}$
- 13. (a)  $50^{\circ}$
- 14. (a)  $35^{\circ}$
- 15. x = 20 (Grid-in answer)
- 16.  $60^{\circ}$  (Grid-in answer)

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