Find the measurement of each segment. Assume that each figure is not drawn to scale.

17. SV

SOLUTION:

ST = SV + VT	Betweenness of points
ST - VT = SV + VT - VT	-VT from each side.
ST - VT = SV	Simplify.
4.1 - 2.6 = SV	Substitution
1.5 = SV	Subtraction.
So, $SV = 1.5$ in.	

## SOLUTION:

Segments that have the same measure are called congruent segments.

Here, WY = YX. Let WY = YX = x.

WX = WY + YX	Betweenness of points
8.8 = x + x	Substitution
8.8 = 2x	Simplify.
$\frac{8.8}{2} = \frac{2x}{2}$	Divide each side by 2
4.4 = x	Simplify.

Therefore, WY = 4.4 mm.

19. FG

$$\begin{vmatrix} \bullet & \bullet \\ F & G & H & J & K \end{vmatrix}$$

## SOLUTION:

Segments that have the same measure are called congruent segments.

Here,  $\overline{FG} \cong \overline{GH} \cong \overline{HJ} \cong \overline{JK}$ . So, FG = GH = HJ = JK. Let each of the lengths be *x*.

FK = FG + GH + HJ + JKBetweenness of points16.8 = x + x + x + xSubstitution.16.8 = 4xAddition. $\frac{16.8}{4} = \frac{4x}{4}$ Divide each side by 4.4.2 = xSimplify.

Therefore, FG = 4.2 cm.

Determine whether each pair of segments is congruent.

27. 
$$KJ, HL$$
  
 $K$  4 in.  $J$   
3 in. 3 in.  
 $H$  4 in.  $L$ 

SOLUTION:

Segments that have the same measure are called congruent segments.

Here, KJ = HL = 4 in. Therefore,  $\overline{KJ} \cong \overline{HL}$ .

28. 
$$\overline{AC}, \overline{BD}$$

SOLUTION:

Segments that have the same measure are called congruent segments. Here, AC = BD = 3 ft.

Therefore,  $AC \cong BD$ .

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29. 
$$\overline{EH}, \overline{FG}$$
  
0.45 cm  $\overline{G}$   
 $H$   $G$ 

## SOLUTION:

Segments that have the same measure are called congruent segments.

Here, EH = 0.45 cm and FG = 0.5 cm. So,  $EH \neq FG$ . Therefore,  $\overline{EH}$  and  $\overline{FG}$  are not congruent.





SOLUTION:

Segments that have the same measure are called congruent segments.

Here, the lengths of the segments ZY and VW are given to be equal. But the length of UZ is not known. So, the congruency cannot be determined from the information given.

31. MN, RQ



SOLUTION:

Segments that have the same measure are called congruent segments.

Here, MN = RQ = 4x.

All segments must have a measure greater than 0.

Therefore, for all x > 0,  $MN \cong RQ$ .

32. 
$$\overline{SU}, \overline{VT}$$

SOLUTION:

Segments that have the same measure are called congruent segments.

Here, SU = 4a + a = 5a and RQ = 2a + 3a = 5a. All segments must have a length greater than 0. Therefore, for all a > 0,  $\overline{SU} \cong \overline{VT}$ .