# 3.05 Triangle Congruence & Similarity

**Triangle Similarity Postulates** 

Side-Angle-Side Similarity Postulate Video CLICK HERE	Side-Side-Side Similarity Postulate Video CLICK HERE
If two or more triangles have corresponding,	If all corresponding of two or
angles, and the sides	more triangles form the same
that make up these angles are	, then the
, then the triangles are	triangles are similar.
similar.	
Example:  Z  P  63° A  2.5  B  X  5  Y	Example:  C B A 16 B A 12

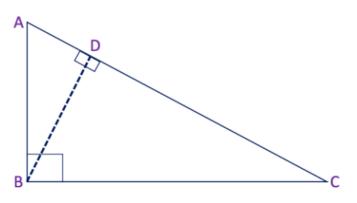
**Right Triangle Similarity Theorem** 

Pieces of Right Triangle Similarity Theorem Video CLICK HERE		
If an altitude is drawn from the	angle of a right triangle, the two smaller triangles	
created are to one another and to the larger triangle.		
A D C		

# Similar Right Triangles "Numbers" Method Video CLICK HERE

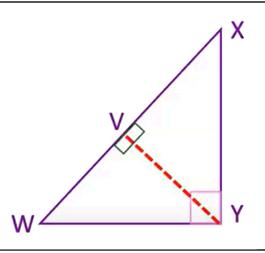
Label the triangles that are similar:

ΔΑΒC ~ Δ\_\_\_\_~ Δ\_\_\_\_



Practice: Identify the Similar Right Triangles

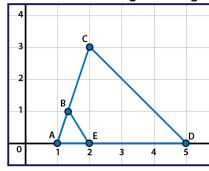
Δ\_\_\_~ ~ Δ\_\_\_~ Δ\_\_\_\_



#### **Practice**

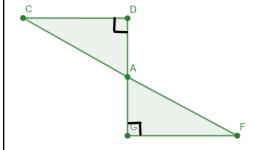
## Question 1 Video CLICK HERE

Katie is creating a smaller scaled replica of a triangular picture. Set up an equation to determine the length of segment AE.



## Question 2 Video CLICK HERE

The following triangles are in a ratio of 1:1. If AG=2x-18 and DA=x+6, what is the length from D to G?



Question 3 Video CLICK HERE	Question 4 Video CLICK HERE
Determine if the two triangles are similar and then solve for side CD.	Which triangle(s) is similar to triangle RST using the Pieces of Right Triangles Similarity Theorem?  STV SRVS SRV SVT