

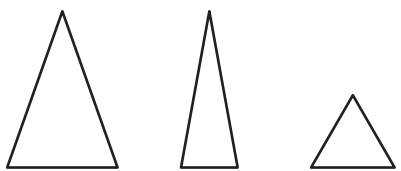
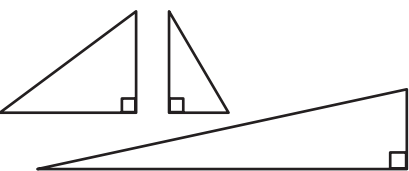
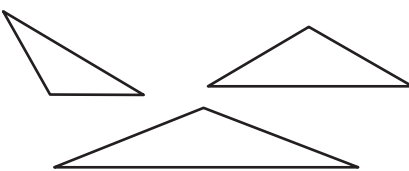
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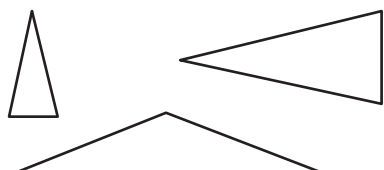
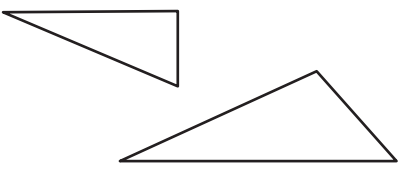


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You can group triangles by the size of their angles.

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Acute triangles</b> All 3 angles are acute.</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Right triangles</b> 1 angle is a right angle.</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Obtuse triangles</b> 1 angle is an obtuse angle.</p> 
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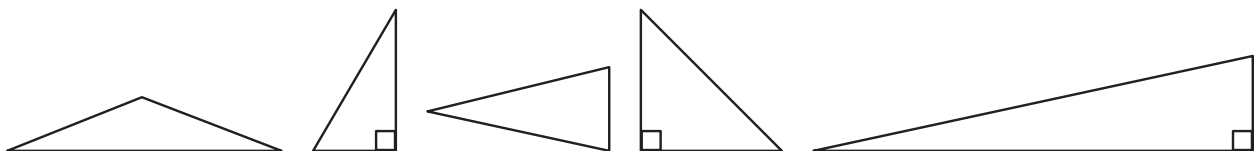
You can also group triangles by the lengths of their sides.

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Equilateral triangles</b> All 3 sides are the same length.</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Isosceles triangles</b> 2 sides are the same length.</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Scalene triangles</b> No sides are the same length.</p> 
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**1** Look carefully at the triangles below and fill in the chart.

Triangle	Acute Angles?	Right Angles?	Obtuse Angles?	Congruent Sides?	What Kind? (circle as many as apply)
<b>a</b>					<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;">                     acute right obtuse                 </div> <div style="width: 45%;">                     equilateral isosceles scalene                 </div> </div>
<b>b</b>					<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;">                     acute right obtuse                 </div> <div style="width: 45%;">                     equilateral isosceles scalene                 </div> </div>

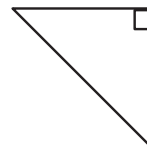
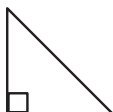
**2** Circle the *right triangle* (one right angle) that is also an *isosceles triangle* (two sides the same length).



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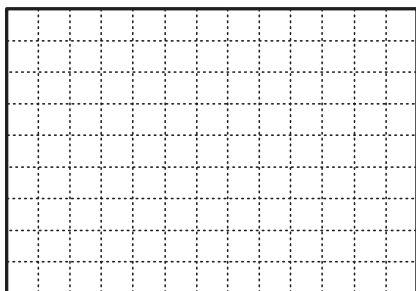
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- 3** Circle the *right triangle* (one right angle) that is also a *scalene triangle* (no sides the same length).

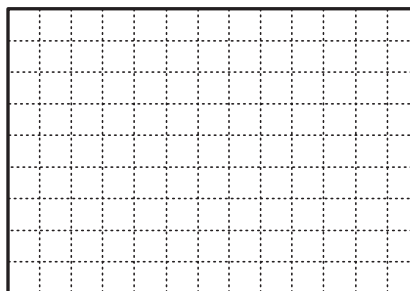


- 4** Draw the triangles described below.

**a** An obtuse isosceles triangle



**b** An acute isosceles triangle



- 5** **CHALLENGE** Lawrence said he drew a right obtuse triangle. Rosa said that was impossible. Explain why Rosa is correct.

**Hint** The sum of the angle measures in any triangle is  $180^\circ$ .

