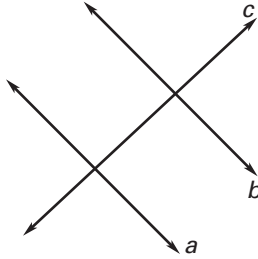


**Practice B**

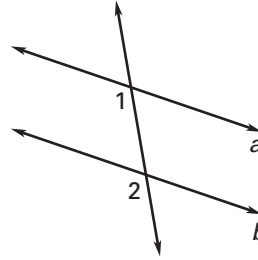
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State the postulate or theorem that allows you to conclude that  $a \parallel b$ .

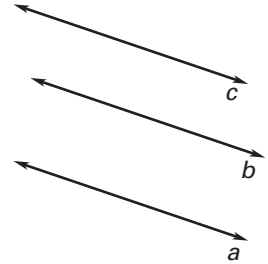
1. Given:  $a \perp c, b \perp c$



2. Given:  $\angle 1 \cong \angle 2$

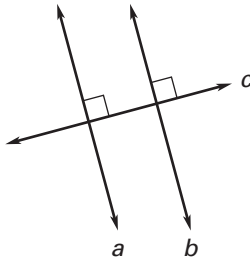


3. Given:  $a \parallel c, b \parallel c$

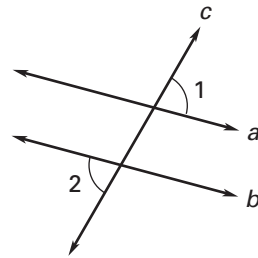


Explain how you would show that  $a \parallel b$ . State any postulates or theorems that you would use.

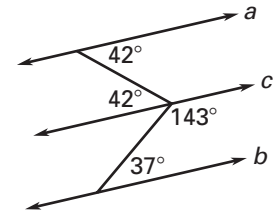
4.



5.



6.



7. Construct a line parallel to  $\ell$  through point  $P$ .

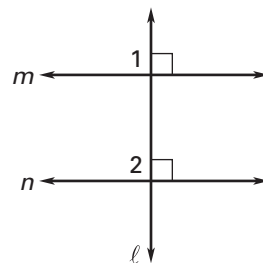
$P$



8. Complete the two-column proof of Theorem 3.12.

Given:  $m \perp \ell, n \perp \ell$

Prove:  $m \parallel n$



Statements	Reasons
1. $m \perp \ell, n \perp \ell$	1. _____
2. $\angle 1$ is a rt. $\angle$ .	2. _____
3. $\angle 2$ is a rt. $\angle$ .	3. _____
4. $\angle 1 \cong \angle 2$	4. _____
5. $m \parallel n$	5. _____