

## Key Concept and Vocabulary

The sum  $S$  of the angle measures of a polygon with  $n$  sides is

$$S = (n - 2) \cdot 180^\circ.$$



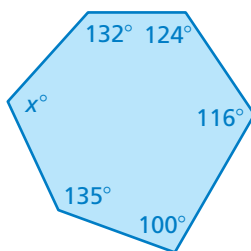
In a **regular polygon**, all of the sides are congruent and all of the angles are congruent.

## Skill Example

1. Find the sum of the angle measures of the polygon.

The polygon has 6 sides.

$$\begin{aligned} S &= (n - 2) \cdot 180^\circ \\ &= (6 - 2) \cdot 180^\circ \\ &= 4 \cdot 180^\circ \\ &= 720^\circ \end{aligned}$$



- ❖ The sum of the angle measures is  $720^\circ$ .

## Application Example

2. Find the value of  $x$  for the polygon in Exercise 1.

From Exercise 1, the sum of the angle measures is  $720^\circ$ . Write and solve an equation.

$$\begin{aligned} 132 + 124 + 116 + 100 + 135 + x &= 720 \\ 607 + x &= 720 \\ x &= 113 \end{aligned}$$

- ❖ The value of  $x$  is 113.

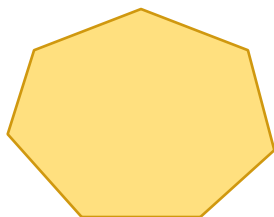
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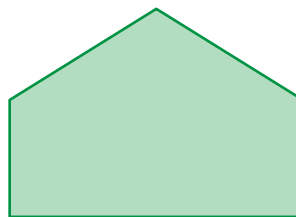
Find the sum of the angle measures of the polygon.

3.



$S = \underline{900^\circ}$

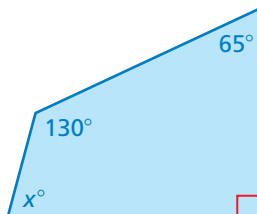
4.



$S = \underline{540^\circ}$

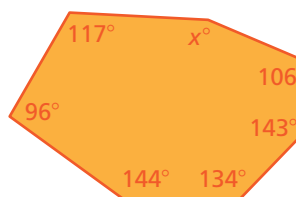
Find the value of  $x$ .

5.



$x = \underline{75^\circ}$

6.



$x = \underline{160^\circ}$

7. **LOGO** A company's logo is in the shape of a regular polygon. How many sides does the polygon have? What is the measure of each angle of the polygon? 12; 150°

