Triangle Sum Theorem

Prerequisites and Objectives

- Students are familiar with the terms triangle and angle.
- Students assume by means of a dynamic construction that the sum of the measures of the angles of a triangle is 180°.
- ► They prove the triangle sum conjecture by use of alternate interior angles.

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The students should know

- how to draw a triangle,
- how to tag an angle,
- how to measure angles and the sum of angles,

Measure > > Measure > tap an angle > tap the board at a free spot to place the measurement

Measure > R Sum > tap angles or measurements > ...

▶ how to draw a line parallel to a given line segment.

Further Exploration

Discover the sum of the interior angles of a quadrilateral.
Hint: Try to use your knowledge about the triangle sum.



