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## G4-M4-Lesson 5

1. Identify the measures of the following angles.

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To measure an angle, I place the protractor on the angle so that one of the rays aligns to zero and the vertex is at the center of the protractor. I read the number aligned with the second ray to determine the measure of the angle.

> I use a protractor to measure angles. A protractor has tick marks like a ruler, but instead of measuring inches or centimeters, it measures degrees around a point.

2. If you didn't have a protractor, how could you construct one? Use words, pictures, or numbers to explain in the space below.

Sample Student Response:

If I didn't have a protractor, I could cut out a paper circle. Using a right angle template, I could partition the circle in fourths and then mark 0°, 90°, 180°, 270°, and 360°. Although my protractor would not be able to give an exact measurement of any angle, I could estimate the measure using these benchmarks.

I reflect on my experiences and discussions in class. We partitioned paper circles in various ways, labeling degrees accurately.

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