## Angles in Polygons

Downloadable Resource Generalising angles in polygons (Part I)

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## Try this



| Name |  |
| :--- | :--- |
|  |  |
| Number of sides | 4 |
| Number of triangles |  |
| Sum of interior angles |  |



Name
Pentagon
Number of sides
Number of triangles
Sum of interior angles $\qquad$


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Number of sides
Number of triangles
Sum of interior angles $\qquad$


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Number of sides
Number of triangles
Sum of interior angles
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## Connect

## Number of sides <br> Number of internal triangles <br> Sum of interior angles

| Triangle | 3 | 1 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Quadrilateral | 4 | 2 |
| Pentagon | 5 | 3 |
| Hexagon | 6 | 4 |
| Decagon | 10 | 8 |
| Dodecagon | 12 | 10 |
| $n-g o n$ | $n$ |  |

## Independent Task

Fill in the table below with the information required
(you may need to research some names!)

$$
\begin{array}{cc}
\text { Number of sides } & \text { Number of } \\
\text { internal triangles }
\end{array}
$$

## Sum of interior angles

| Pentadecagon | 15 | - |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Icosagon | 20 | - |
| Tetracontagon | - | - |
| Hexacontagon | - | - |
|  | 1000 | - |

## Explore



What other shapes can you find by combining parts of this pattern? What is the sum of the angles in that shape?

