

Chapter - 4

Geometry

Question 1.

Fill in the blanks.

- (a) Every triangle has at least ____ acute angles.
- (b) A triangle in which none of the sides equal is called a ____.
- (c) In an isosceles triangle ____ angles are equal.
- (d) The sum of three angles of a triangle is ____.
- (e) A right-angled triangle with two equal sides is called ____.

Solution:

- (a) Two
- (b) Scalene Triangle
- (c) Two
- (d) 180°
- (e) Isosceles right-angled triangle

Question 2.

Match the following

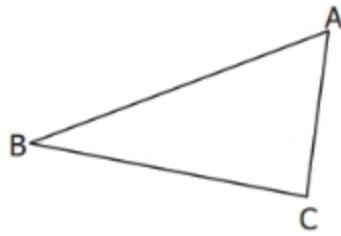
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| (i) No sides are equal | - Isosceles triangle |
| (ii) One right angle | - Scalene triangle |
| (iii) One obtuse angle | - Right angled triangle |
| (iv) Two sides of equal length | - Equilateral triangle |
| (v) All sides are equal | - Obtuse angled triangle |

Solution:

- (i) Scalene triangle
- (ii) Right-angled triangle
- (iii) Obtuse angled triangle
- (iv) Isosceles triangle
- (v) Equilateral triangle

Question 3.

In $\triangle ABC$, name the



- a) Three sides:,,
- b) Three Angles:,,
- c) Three Vertices:,,

Solution:

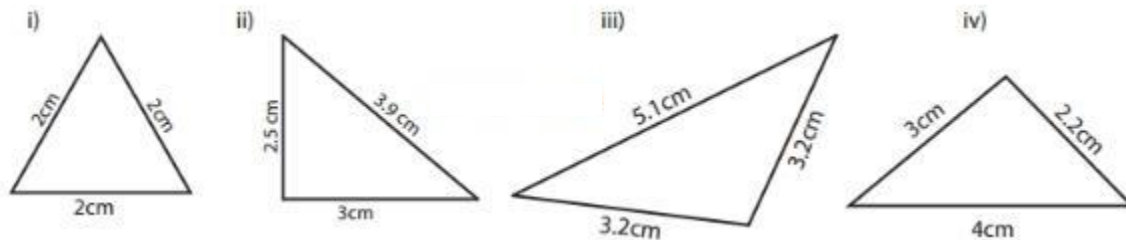
(a) \overline{AB} , \overline{BC} , \overline{CA}

(b) $\angle ABC$, $\angle BCA$, $\angle CAB$ or $\angle A$, $\angle B$, $\angle C$

(c) A, B, C

Question 4.

Classify the given triangles based on its sides as scalene, isosceles or equilateral.



Solution:

- (i) Equilateral triangle
- (ii) Scalene triangle
- (iii) Isosceles triangle
- (iv) Scalene triangle

Question 5.

Classify the given triangles based on their angles as acute-angled, right-angled, or obtuse-angled.

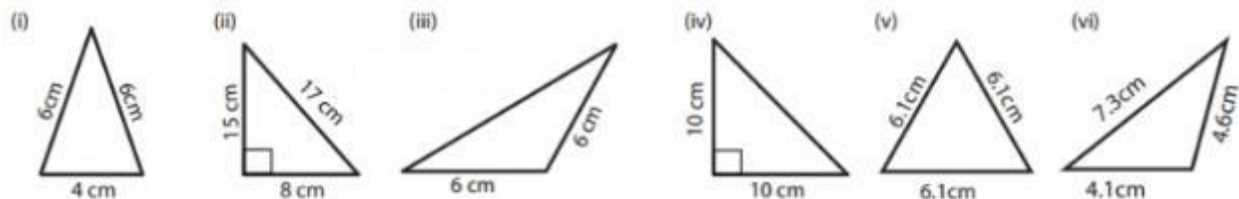


Solution:

- (i) Acute angled triangle
- (ii) Right-angled triangle
- (iii) Obtuse angled triangle
- (iv) Acute angled triangle

Question 6.

Classify the following triangles based on its sides and angles?



Solution:

- (i) Isosceles Acute angled triangle
- (ii) Scalene Right-angled triangle
- (iii) Isosceles Obtuse angled triangle
- (iv) Isosceles Right-angled triangle
- (v) Equilateral Acute angled triangle
- (vi) Scalene Obtuse angled triangle

Question 7.

Can a triangle be formed with the following sides? If yes, name the type of triangle.

- (i) 8 cm, 6 cm, 4 cm
- (ii) 10 cm, 8 cm, 5 cm
- (iii) 6.2 cm, 1.3 cm, 3.5 cm
- (iv) 6 cm, 6 cm, 4 cm
- (v) 3.5 cm, 3.5 cm, 3.5 cm
- (vi) 9 cm, 4 cm, 5 cm

Solution:

- (i) Sum of two smaller sides of the triangle

$$= 6 + 4 = 10 \text{ cm} > 8 \text{ cm}$$

It is greater than the third side. So, a triangle can be formed a scalene triangle.

- (ii) Sum of two smaller sides of the triangle

$$= 8 + 5 = 13 \text{ cm} > 10 \text{ cm}$$

It is greater than the third side. So, a triangle can be formed a scalene triangle.

(iii) Sum of two smaller sides of the triangle

$$= 1.3 + 3.5 = 4.8 \text{ cm} < 6.2 \text{ cm}$$

It is not greater than the third side. So, a triangle cannot be formed.

(iv) Two sides are equal.

So, a triangle can be formed. Isosceles triangle.

(v) Three sides are equal.

So, a triangle can be formed equilateral triangle.

(vi) Sum of two smaller sides of the triangle

$$= 4 + 5 = 9 \text{ cm} = 9 \text{ cm}$$

It is equal to the third side. No, a triangle cannot be formed.

Question 8.

Can a triangle be formed with the following angles? If yes, name the type of triangle.

(i) $60^\circ, 60^\circ, 60^\circ$

(ii) $60^\circ, 40^\circ, 42^\circ$

(iii) $90^\circ, 55^\circ, 35^\circ$

(iv) $60^\circ, 90^\circ, 90^\circ$

(v) $70^\circ, 60^\circ, 50^\circ$

(vi) $100^\circ, 50^\circ, 30^\circ$

Solution:

(i) $60^\circ, 60^\circ, 60^\circ$

$$\text{Sum of the angles} = 60^\circ + 60^\circ + 60^\circ = 180^\circ$$

A triangle can be formed as an acute-angled triangle.

(ii) $60^\circ, 40^\circ, 42^\circ$

$$\text{Sum of the angles} = 60^\circ + 40^\circ + 42^\circ = 142^\circ$$

A triangle cannot be formed.

(iii) $90^\circ, 50^\circ, 35^\circ$

$$\text{Sum of the angles} = 90^\circ + 55^\circ + 35^\circ = 180^\circ$$

A triangle can be formed Right-angled triangle.

(iv) $60^\circ, 90^\circ, 90^\circ$

No, a triangle can not be formed.

A triangle cannot have more than one right angle.

(v) $70^\circ, 60^\circ, 50^\circ$

$$\text{Sum of the angles} = 70^\circ + 60^\circ + 50^\circ = 180^\circ$$

A triangle can be formed as an acute-angled triangle.

(vi) $100^\circ, 50^\circ, 30^\circ$

Sum of the angles $= 100^\circ + 50^\circ + 30^\circ = 180^\circ$

A triangle can be formed as an obtuse-angled triangle.

Question 9.

Two angles of the triangles are given. Find the third angle

(i) $80^\circ, 60^\circ$

(ii) $75^\circ, 35^\circ$

(iii) $52^\circ, 68^\circ$

(iv) $50^\circ, 90^\circ$

(v) $120^\circ, 30^\circ$

(vi) $55^\circ, 85^\circ$

Solution:

(i) $80^\circ, 60^\circ$

Let the third angle be x .

Sum of the angles $= 180^\circ$

$$80^\circ + 60^\circ + x = 180^\circ$$

$$140 + x = 180^\circ$$

$$x = 180^\circ - 140^\circ$$

$$x = 40^\circ$$

Third angle $= 40^\circ$

(ii) $52^\circ, 68^\circ$

Let the third angle be x .

Sum of the angles $= 180^\circ$

$$52^\circ + 68^\circ + x = 180^\circ$$

$$120 + x = 180^\circ$$

$$180^\circ - 120^\circ$$

$$x = 60^\circ$$

Third angle $= 60^\circ$

(iii) $75^\circ, 35^\circ$

Let the third angle be x .

Sum of the angles 180°

$$75^\circ + 35^\circ + x = 180^\circ$$

$$110 + x = 180^\circ$$

$$x = 180^\circ - 110^\circ$$

$$x = 70^\circ$$

Third angle $= 70^\circ$

(iv) $50^\circ, 90^\circ$

Let the third angle be x . Sum of the angles = 180°

$$50^\circ + 90^\circ + x = 180^\circ$$

$$140 + x = 180^\circ$$

$$x = 180^\circ - 140^\circ$$

$$x = 40^\circ$$

Third angle = 40°

(v) $120^\circ, 30^\circ$

Let the third angle be x .

Sum of the angles = 180°

$$120^\circ + 30^\circ + x = 180^\circ$$

$$150 + x = 180^\circ$$

$$x = 180^\circ - 150^\circ$$

$$x = 30^\circ$$

Third angle = 30°

(vi) $55^\circ, 85^\circ$

Let the third angle be x .

Sum of the angles = 180°

$$55^\circ + 85^\circ + x = 180^\circ$$

$$140 + x = 180^\circ$$

$$x = 180^\circ - 140^\circ$$

$$x = 40^\circ$$

Third angle = 40°

Question 10.

I am a closed figure with each of my three angles is 60° . Who am I?

Solution:

Equilateral triangle

Question 11.

Using the given information, write the type of triangle in the table given below.

| S.No. | $\angle 1$ | $\angle 2$ | $\angle 3$ | Type of triangle based on angles | Type of triangle based on sides |
|-------|-------------|------------|------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| i. | 60° | 40° | 80° | Acute angled triangle. | Scalene Triangle |
| ii. | 50° | 50° | 80° | | |
| iii. | 45° | 45° | 90° | | |
| iv. | 55° | 45° | 80° | | |
| v. | 75° | 35° | 70° | | |
| vi. | 60° | 30° | 90° | | |
| vii. | 25° | 64° | 91° | | |
| viii. | 120° | 30° | 30° | | |

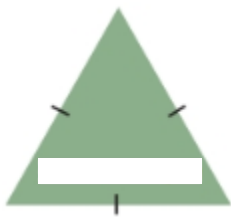
Solution:

- (ii) Acute angled triangle, Isosceles triangle
- (iii) Right-angled triangle, Isosceles triangle
- (iv) Acute angled triangle, Scalene triangle
- (v) Acute angled triangle, Scalene triangle
- (vi) Right-angled triangle. Scalene triangle
- (vii) Obtuse angled triangle, Scalene triangle
- (viii) Obtuse angled triangle, Isosceles triangle

Objective Type Questions

Question 12.

The given triangle is



- (a) a right-angled triangle
- b) an equilateral triangle
- (c) a scalene triangle
- (d) an obtuse-angled triangle

Solution:

(b) an equilateral triangle

Question 13.

If all angles of a triangle are less than a right angle, then it is called ____.

- (a) an obtuse-angled triangle
- (b) a right-angled triangle
- (c) an isosceles right-angled triangle
- (d) an acute-angled triangle

Solution:

(d) an acute-angled triangle

Question 14.

If two sides of a triangle are 5 cm and 9 cm, then the third side is

- (a) 5 cm
- (b) 3 cm
- (c) 4 cm
- (d) 14 cm

Solution:

(a) 5 cm

Question 15.

The angles of a right-angled triangle are

- (a) acute, acute, obtuse
- (b) acute, right, right
- (c) right, obtuse, acute
- (d) acute, acute, right

Solution:

(d) acute, acute, right

Question 16.

An equilateral triangle is

- (a) an obtuse-angled triangle
- (b) a right-angled triangle
- (c) an acute-angled triangle
- (d) a scalene triangle

Solution:

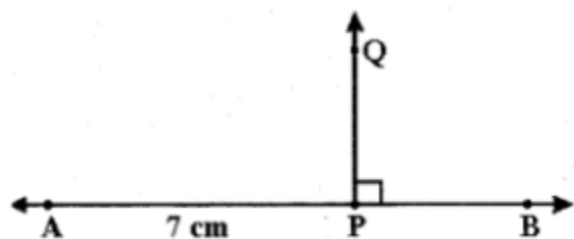
(c) an acute-angled triangle

Ex 4.2

Question 1.

Draw a line segment $AB = 7$ cm and mark a point P on it. Draw a line perpendicular to the given line segment at P .

Solution:



Step 1: Draw a line $AB = 7$ cm and take a point P anywhere on the line.

Step 2: Place the set square on the line in such a way that the vertex which forms right angle coincides with P and one arm of the right angle coincides with the line AB .

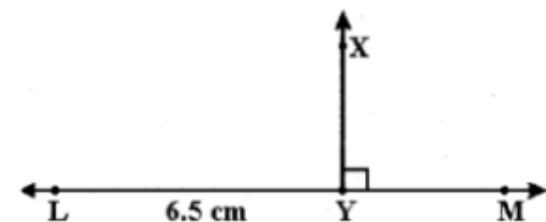
Step 3: Draw a line PQ through P along the other arm of the right angle of the set square.

Step 4: The line PQ is perpendicular to the line AB at P . That is, $PQ \perp AB$
 $\angle APQ = \angle BPQ = 90^\circ$

Question 2.

Draw a line segment $LM = 6.5$ cm and mark a point X not lying on it. Using a set square construct a line perpendicular to LM through X .

Solution:



Step 1: Draw a line $LM = 6.5$ cm and take a point X anywhere above the line LM .

Step 2: Place one of the arms of the right angle of a set square along the line LM and the other arm of its right angle touches the point X .

Step 3: Draw a line through the point X meeting LM at Y .

Step 4: The line XY is perpendicular to the line LM at Y . That is, $LM \perp XY$.

Question 3.

Find the distance between the given lines using a set square at two different points on each of the pairs of lines and check whether they are parallel.



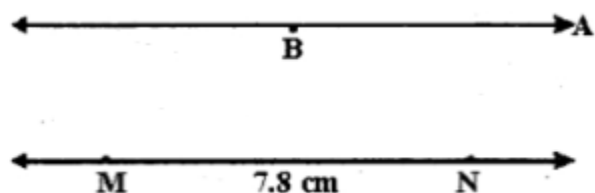
Solution:

They are parallel

Question 4.

Draw a line segment measuring 7.8 cm. Mark a point B above it at a distance of 5 cm. Through B draw a line parallel to the given segment.

Solution:



Step 1: Draw a line. Mark two points M and N on the line such that $MN = 7.8$ cm.

Mark a point B any where above the line.

Step 2: Place the set square below B in such a way that one of the edges that form a right angle lies along MN Place the scale along the other edge of the set square.

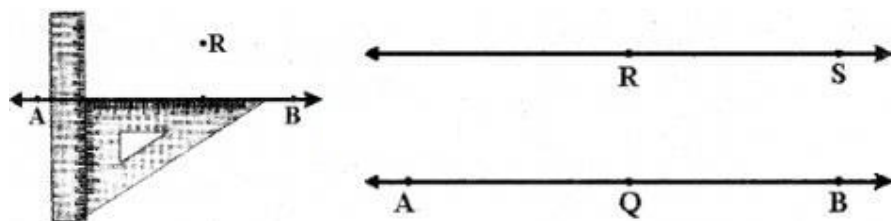
Step 3: Holding the scale firmly, Slide the set square along the edge of the scale until the other edge of the set square reaches the point B. Through B draw a line.

Step 4: The line MN is parallel to AB. That is, $MN \parallel AB$.

Question 5.

Draw a line and mark a point R above it at a distance of 5.4 cm Through R draw a line parallel to the given line.

Solution:



Step 1 : Using a scale draw a line AB and mark a point Q on the line.

Step 2 : Place the set square in such a way that the vertex of the right angle coincides with Q and one of the edges of right angle lies along AB. Mark the point R such that $QR = 5.4 \text{ cm}$

Step 3 : Place the scale and the set square as shown in the figure.

Step 4 : Hold the scale firmly and slide the set square along the edge of the scale until the other edge touches the point R. Draw a line RS through R.

Step 5 : The line RS is parallel to AB. That is, $RS \parallel AB$.

Ex 4.3

Miscellaneous Practice Problems

Question 1.

What are the angles of an isosceles right-angled triangle?

Solution:

Since it is a right-angled triangle

One of the angles is 90°

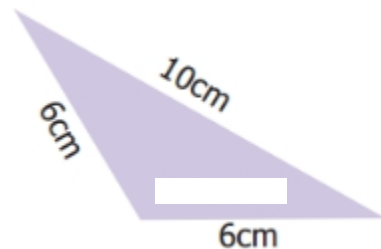
The other two angles are equal because it is an isosceles triangle.

The other two angles must be 45° and 45°

Angles are $90^\circ, 45^\circ, 45^\circ$.

Question 2.

Which of the following correctly describes the given triangle?



- (a) It is a right isosceles triangle
- (b) It is an acute isosceles triangle
- (c) It is an obtuse isosceles triangle
- (d) It is an obtuse scalene triangle

Solution:

- (c) It is an obtuse isosceles triangle

Question 3.

Which of the following is not possible?

- (a) An obtuse isosceles triangle.
- (b) An acute isosceles triangle.
- (c) An obtuse equilateral triangle.
- (d) An acute equilateral triangle.

Solution:

- (c) An obtuse equilateral triangle.

Question 4.

If one angle of an isosceles triangle is 124° , then find the other angles

Solution:

In an isosceles triangle, any two sides are equal. Also, the two angles are equal.

Sum of three angles of a triangle = 180°

Given one angle = 124°

Sum of other two angles = $180^\circ - 124^\circ = 56^\circ$

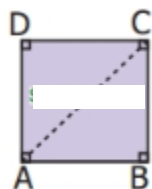
Other angles are = $\frac{56}{2} = 28^\circ$

28° and 28° .

Question 5.

The diagram shows a square ABCD. If the line segment joins A and C, then mention the type of triangle so formed.

Solution:

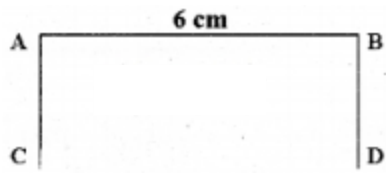


Isosceles right-angled triangles

Question 6.

Draw a line segment AB of length 6 cm. At each end of this line segment AB, draw a line perpendicular to the line segment AB. Are these lines parallel?

Solution:



yes, they are parallel

Challenge Problems

Question 7.

Is a triangle possible with the angles 90° , 90° , and 0° , Why?

Solution:

No, a triangle cannot have more than one right angle.

Question 8.

Which of the following statements is true? Why?

- (a) Every equilateral triangle is an isosceles triangle.
- (b) Every isosceles triangle is an equilateral triangle

Solution:

“(a)” is true, because an isosceles triangle need not have three equal sides

Question 9.

If one angle of an isosceles triangle is 70° , then find the possibilities for the other two angles.

Solution:

(i) Given one angle = 70°

Also, it is an isosceles triangle.

Another one angle also can be 70° .

Sum of these two angles = $70^\circ + 70^\circ = 140^\circ$

We know that the sum of three angles in a triangle = 180° .

Third angle = $180^\circ - 140^\circ = 40^\circ$

One possibility is 70° , 70° , and 40°

(ii) Also if one angle is 70°

Sum of other two angles = $180^\circ - 70^\circ = 110^\circ$

Both are equal. They are $\frac{110}{2} = 55^\circ$.

Another possibility is 70° , 55° and 55° .

Question 10.

Which of the following can be the sides of an isosceles triangle?

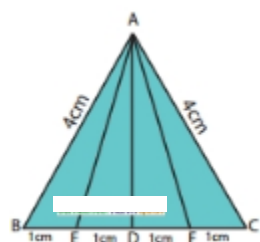
- (a) 6 cm, 3 cm, 3 cm
- (b) 5 cm, 2 cm, 2 cm
- (c) 6 cm, 6 cm, 7 cm
- (d) 4 cm, 4 cm, 8 cm

Solution:

- (c) 6 cm, 6 cm, 7 cm

Question 11.

Study the given figure and identify the following triangles,



- (a) equilateral triangle
- (b) isosceles triangle
- (c) scalene triangles
- (d) acute triangle
- (e) obtuse triangle
- (f) right triangle

Solution:

(a) $BC = 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 = 4 \text{ cm}$

$AB = AC = 4 \text{ cm}$

$\triangle ABC$ is an equilateral triangle.

(b) $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle AEF$ are isosceles triangles.

Since $AB = AC = 4 \text{ cm}$ Also $AE = AF$.

(c) In a scalene triangle, no two sides are equal.

$\triangle AEB$, $\triangle AED$, $\triangle ADF$, $\triangle AFC$, $\triangle ABD$, $\triangle ADC$, $\triangle ABF$, and $\triangle AEC$ are scalene triangles.

(d) In an acute-angled triangle all the three angles are less than 90° .

$\triangle ABC$, $\triangle AEF$, $\triangle ABF$, and $\triangle AEC$ are acute-angled triangles.

(e) In an obtuse-angled triangle any one of the angles is greater than 90° .

$\triangle AEB$ and $\triangle AFC$ are obtuse angled triangles.

(f) In a right triangle, one of the angles is 90° .

$\triangle ADB$, $\triangle ADC$, $\triangle ADE$, and $\triangle ADF$ are right-angled triangles.

Question 12.

Two sides of the triangle are given in the table. Find the third side of the triangle.

| Sl. No. | Side – 1 | Side - 2 | The length of the third side(any three measures) |
|---------|----------|----------|--|
| i. | 7 cm | 4 cm | |
| ii. | 8 cm | 8 cm | |
| iii. | 7.5 cm | 3.5 cm | |
| iv. | 10 cm | 14 cm | |

Solution:

- (i) between 3 and 11
- (ii) between 0 and 16
- (iii) between 4 and 11
- (iv) between 4 and 24

Question 13.

Complete the following table:

| Types of Triangle / Its Angles | Acute angled triangle | Right angled triangle | Obtuse angled triangle |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| Any two angles | Always acute angles | i. | Always acute angles |
| Third angle | ii. | Right angle | iii. |

Solution:

- (i) Always acute angles
- (ii) Acute angle
- (iii) Obtuse angle