

# Chapter - 4

## Geometry

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### Ex 4.1

#### Question 1.

Can  $30^\circ$ ,  $60^\circ$  and  $90^\circ$  be the angles of a triangle?

#### Solution:

Given angles  $30^\circ$ ,  $60^\circ$  and  $90^\circ$

Sum of the angles =  $30^\circ + 60^\circ + 90^\circ = 180^\circ$

$\therefore$  The given angles form a triangle.

#### Question 2.

Can you draw a triangle with  $25^\circ$ ,  $65^\circ$  and  $80^\circ$  as angles?

#### Solution:

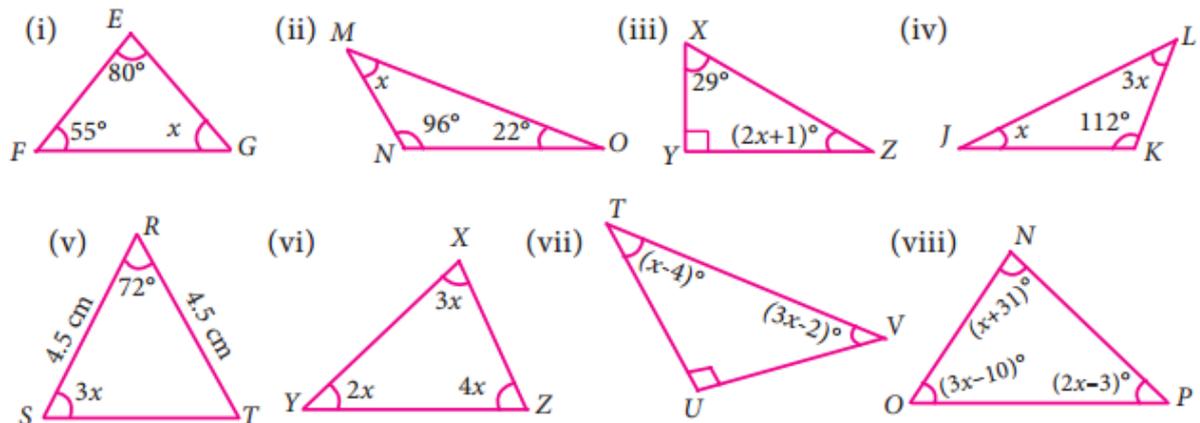
Given angle  $25^\circ$ ,  $65^\circ$  and  $80^\circ$ .

Sum of the angles =  $25^\circ + 65^\circ + 80^\circ = 170^\circ \neq 180$

$\therefore$  We cannot draw a triangle with these measures.

#### Question 3.

In each of the following triangles, find the value of x.



#### Solution:

(i) Let  $\angle G = x$

By angle sum property we know that,

$$\angle E + \angle F + \angle G = 180^\circ$$

$$80^\circ + 55^\circ + x = 180^\circ$$

$$135^\circ + x = 180^\circ$$

$$x = 45^\circ$$

(ii) Let  $\angle M = x$

By angle sum property of triangles we have

$$\angle M + \angle M + \angle O = 180^\circ$$

$$x + 96^\circ + 22^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$x + 118^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$x = 180^\circ - 118^\circ = 62^\circ$$

(iii) Let  $\angle Z = (2x + 1)^\circ$  and  $\angle Y = 90^\circ$

By the sum property of triangles we have

$$\angle x + \angle y + \angle z = 180^\circ$$

$$29^\circ + 90^\circ + (2x + 1)^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$119^\circ + (2x + 1)^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$(2x + 1)^\circ = 180^\circ - 119^\circ$$

$$2x + 1^\circ = 61^\circ$$

$$2x = 61^\circ - 1^\circ$$

$$2x = 60^\circ$$

$$x = 60^\circ \div 2$$

$$x = 30^\circ$$

(iv) Let  $\angle J = x$  and  $\angle L = 3x$ .

By angle sum property of triangles we have

$$\angle J + \angle K + \angle L = 180^\circ$$

$$x + 112^\circ + 3x = 180^\circ$$

$$4x = 180^\circ - 112^\circ$$

$$x = 68^\circ \div 4$$

$$x = 17^\circ$$

(v) Let  $\angle S = 3x^\circ$

Given  $RS = RT = 4.5 \text{ cm}$

Given  $\angle S = \angle T = 3x^\circ$  [ $\because$  Angles opposite to equal sides are equal]

By angle sum property of a triangle we have,

$$\angle R + \angle S + \angle T = 180^\circ$$

$$72^\circ + 3x + 3x = 180^\circ$$

$$72^\circ + 6x = 180^\circ$$

$$x = 108^\circ \div 6$$

$$x = 18^\circ$$

(vi) Given  $\angle X = 3x$ ;  $\angle Y = 2x$ ;  $\angle Z = 4x$

By angle sum property of a triangle we have

$$\angle X + \angle Y + \angle Z = 180^\circ$$

$$3x + 2x + 4x = 180^\circ$$

$$\therefore 9x = 180^\circ$$

$$x = 180 \div 9 = 20^\circ$$

(vii) Given  $\angle T = (x - 4)^\circ$

$$\angle U = 90^\circ$$

$$\angle V = (3x - 2)^\circ$$

By angle sum property of a triangle we have

$$\angle T + \angle U + \angle V = 180^\circ$$

$$(x - 4)^\circ + 90^\circ + (3x - 2)^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$x - 4^\circ + 90^\circ + 3x - 2^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$x + 3x + 90^\circ - 4^\circ - 2^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$4x + 84^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$4x = 180^\circ - 84^\circ$$

$$4x = 96^\circ$$

$$x = 96 \div 4 = 24^\circ$$

$$x = 24^\circ$$

(viii) Given  $\angle N = (x + 31)^\circ$

$$\angle O = (3x - 10)^\circ$$

$$\angle P = (2x - 3)^\circ$$

By angle sum property of a triangle we have

$$\angle N + \angle O + \angle P = 180^\circ$$

$$(x + 31)^\circ + (3x - 10)^\circ + (2x - 3)^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$x + 31^\circ + 3x - 10^\circ + 2x - 3^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$x + 3x + 2x + 31^\circ - 10^\circ - 3^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$6x + 18^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$6x = 180^\circ - 18^\circ$$

$$6x = 162^\circ$$

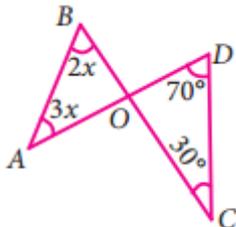
$$x = 162 \div 6 = 27^\circ$$

$$x = 27^\circ$$

#### Question 4.

Two line segments  $\overline{AD}$  and  $\overline{BC}$  intersect at O.

Joining  $\overline{AB}$  and  $\overline{DC}$  we get two triangles,  $\triangle AOB$  and  $\triangle DOC$  as shown in the figure. Find the  $\angle A$  and  $\angle B$ .



**Solution:**

In  $\triangle AOB$  and  $\triangle DOC$ ,

$\angle AOB = \angle DOC$  [ $\because$  Vertically opposite angles are equal]

Let  $\angle AOB = \angle DOC = y$

By angle sum property of a triangle we have

$$\angle A + \angle B + \angle AOB = \angle D + \angle C + \angle DOC = 180^\circ$$

$$3x + 2x + y = 70^\circ + 30^\circ + y = 180^\circ$$

$$5x + y = 100^\circ + y = 180^\circ$$

$$\text{Here } 5x + y = 100^\circ + y$$

$$5x = 100^\circ + y - y$$

$$5x = 100^\circ$$

$$x = 100 \div 5 = 20^\circ$$

$$\angle A = 3x = 3 \times 20 = 60^\circ$$

$$\angle B = 2x = 2 \times 20 = 40^\circ$$

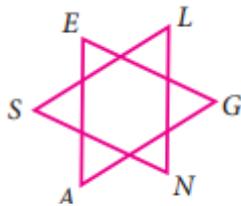
$$\angle A = 60^\circ$$

$$\angle B = 40^\circ$$

**Question 5.**

Observe the figure and find the value of

$\angle A + \angle N + \angle G + \angle L + \angle E + \angle S$ .

**Solution:**

In the figure we have two triangles namely  $\triangle AGE$  and  $\triangle NLS$ .

By angle sum property of triangles,

$$\text{Sum of angles of } \triangle AGE = \angle A + \angle G + \angle E = 180^\circ \dots(1)$$

$$\text{Also sum of angles of } \triangle NLS = \angle N + \angle L + \angle S = 180^\circ \dots (2)$$

$$(1) + (2) \angle A + \angle G + \angle E + \angle N + \angle L + \angle S = 180^\circ + 180^\circ$$

$$\text{i.e., } \angle A + \angle N + \angle G + \angle L + \angle E + \angle S = 360^\circ$$

**Question 6.**

If the three angles of a triangle are in the ratio 3 : 5 : 4, then find them.

**Solution:**

Given three angles of the triangles are in the ratio 3 : 5 : 4.

Let the three angle be  $3x$ ,  $5x$  and  $4x$ .

By angle sum property of a triangle, we have

$$3x + 5x + 4x = 180^\circ$$

$$12x = 180^\circ$$

$$x = 180 \div 12$$

$$x = 15^\circ$$

$$\therefore \text{The angle are } 3x = 3 \times 15^\circ = 45^\circ$$

$$5x = 5 \times 15^\circ = 75^\circ$$

$$4x = 4 \times 15^\circ = 60^\circ$$

Three angles of the triangle are  $45^\circ, 75^\circ, 60^\circ$

### Question 7.

In  $\triangle RST$ ,  $\angle S$  is  $10^\circ$  greater than  $\angle R$  and  $\angle T$  is  $5^\circ$  less than  $\angle S$ , find the three angles of the triangle.

#### Solution:

In  $\triangle RST$ . Let  $\angle R = x$ .

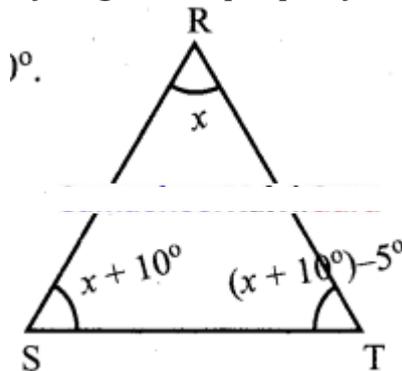
Then given S is  $10^\circ$  greater than  $\angle R$

$$\therefore \angle S = x + 10^\circ$$

Also given  $\angle T$  is  $5^\circ$  less than  $\angle S$ .

$$\text{So } \angle T = \angle S - 5^\circ = (x + 10^\circ) - 5^\circ = x + 10^\circ - 5^\circ$$

By angle sum property of triangles, sum of three angles =  $180^\circ$ .



$$\angle R + \angle S + \angle T = 180^\circ$$

$$x + x + 10^\circ + x + 5^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$3x + 15^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$3x = 180^\circ - 15^\circ$$

$$x = 165 \div 3 = 55^\circ$$

$$\angle R = x = 55^\circ$$

$$\angle S = x + 10^\circ = 55^\circ + 10^\circ = 65^\circ$$

$$\angle T = x + 5^\circ = 55^\circ + 5^\circ = 60^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle R = 55^\circ$$

$$\angle S = 65^\circ$$

$$\angle T = 60^\circ$$

### Question 8.

In  $\triangle ABC$ , if  $\angle B$  is 3 times  $\angle A$  and  $\angle C$  is 2 times  $\angle A$ , then find the angles.

#### Solution:

In  $\triangle ABC$ , Let  $\angle A = x$ ,

then  $\angle B = 3$  times  $\angle A = 3x$

$\angle C = 2$  times  $\angle A = 2x$

By angle sum property of a triangles,

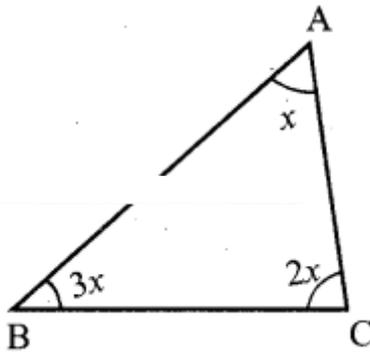
Sum of three angles of  $\triangle ABC = 180^\circ$ .

$$\angle A + \angle B + \angle C = 180$$

$$x + 3x + 2x = 180^\circ$$

$$x(1 + 3 + 2) = 180^\circ$$

$$6x = 180^\circ$$



$$x = 180 \div 6 = 30^\circ$$

$$\angle A = x = 30^\circ$$

$$\angle B = 3x = 3 \times 30^\circ = 90^\circ$$

$$\angle C = 2x = 2 \times 30^\circ = 60^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle A = 30^\circ$$

$$\angle B = 90^\circ$$

$$\angle C = 60^\circ$$

### Question 9.

In  $\triangle XYZ$ , if  $\angle X : \angle Z$  is  $5 : 4$  and  $\angle Y = 72^\circ$ . Find  $\angle X$  and  $\angle Z$ .

#### Solution:

Given in  $\triangle XYZ$ ,  $\angle X : \angle Z = 5 : 4$

Let  $\angle X = 5x$ ; and  $\angle Z = 4x$  given  $\angle Y = 72^\circ$

By the angle sum property of triangles sum of three angles of a triangles is  $180^\circ$ .

$$\angle X + \angle Y + \angle Z = 180^\circ$$

$$5x + 72 + 4x = 180^\circ$$

$$5x + 4x = 180^\circ - 72^\circ$$

$$9x = 108^\circ$$

$$x = 108 \div 9 = 12^\circ$$

$$\angle X = 5x = 5 \times 12^\circ = 60^\circ$$

$$\angle Z = 4x = 4 \times 12^\circ = 48^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle X = 60^\circ$$

$$\angle Z = 48^\circ$$

**Question 10.**

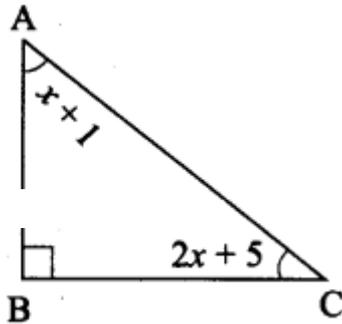
In a right angled triangle ABC,  $\angle B$  is right angle,  $\angle A$  is  $x + 1$  and  $\angle C$  is  $2x + 5$ . Find  $\angle A$  and  $\angle C$ .

**Solution:**

Given in  $\triangle ABC$   $\angle B = 90^\circ$

$$\angle A = x + 1$$

$$\angle C = 2x + 5$$



By angle sum property of triangles

Sum of three angles of  $\triangle ABC = 180^\circ$

$$\angle A + \angle B + \angle C = 180^\circ$$

$$(x + 1) + 90^\circ + (2x + 5) = 180^\circ$$

$$x + 2x + 1^\circ + 90^\circ + 5^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$3x + 96^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$3x = 180^\circ - 96^\circ = 84^\circ$$

$$x = 84 \div 3 = 28^\circ$$

$$\angle A = x + 1 = 28 + 1 = 29$$

$$\angle C = 2x + 5 = 2(28) + 5 = 56 + 5 = 61$$

$$\therefore \angle A = 29^\circ$$

$$\angle C = 61^\circ$$

**Question 11.**

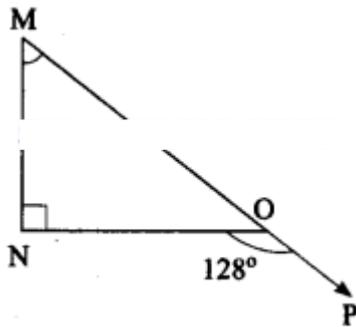
In a right angled triangle MNO,  $\angle N = 90^\circ$ , MO is extended to P. If  $\angle NOP = 128^\circ$ , find the other two angles of  $\triangle MNO$ .

**Solution:**

Given  $\angle N = 90^\circ$

MO is extended to P, the exterior angle  $\angle NOP = 128^\circ$

Exterior angle is equal to the sum of interior opposite angles.



$$\therefore \angle M + \angle N = 128^\circ$$

$$\angle M + 90^\circ = 128^\circ$$

$$\angle M = 128^\circ - 90^\circ$$

$$\angle M = 38^\circ$$

By angle sum property of triangles,

$$\therefore \angle M + \angle N + \angle O = 180^\circ$$

$$38^\circ + 90^\circ + \angle O = 180^\circ$$

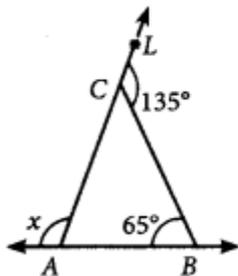
$$\angle O = 180^\circ - 128^\circ$$

$$\angle O = 52^\circ$$

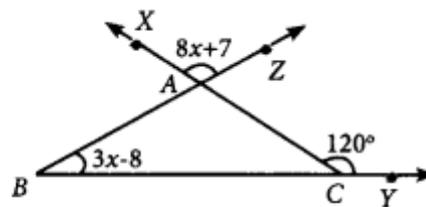
$$\therefore \angle M = 38^\circ \text{ and } \angle O = 52^\circ$$

### Question 12.

Find the value of  $x$  in each of the given triangles.



(ii)



### Solution:

(i) In  $\triangle ABC$ , given  $B = 65^\circ$ ,

AC is extended to L, the exterior angle at C,  $\angle BCL = 135^\circ$

Exterior angle is equal to the sum of opposite interior angles.

$$\angle A + \angle B = \angle BCL$$

$$\angle A + 65^\circ = 135^\circ$$

$$\angle A = 135^\circ - 65^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle A = 70^\circ$$

$$x + \angle A = 180^\circ \text{ [}\because \text{linear pair]}$$

$$x + 70^\circ = 180^\circ \text{ [}\because \angle A = 70^\circ\text{]}$$

$$x = 180^\circ - 70^\circ$$

$$\therefore x = 110^\circ$$

(ii) In  $\triangle ABC$ , given  $B = 3x - 8^\circ$

$\angle XAZ = \angle BAC$  [  $\because$  vertically opposite angles ]

$$8x + 7 + \angle BAC$$

i.e., In  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $\angle A = 8x + 7$

Exterior angle  $\angle XCY = 120^\circ$

Exterior angle is equal to the sum of the interior opposite angles.

$$\angle A + \angle B = 120^\circ$$

$$8x + 7 + 3x - 8 = 120^\circ$$

$$8x + 3x = 120^\circ + 8 - 7$$

$$11x = 121^\circ$$

$$x = 121 \div 11 = 11^\circ$$

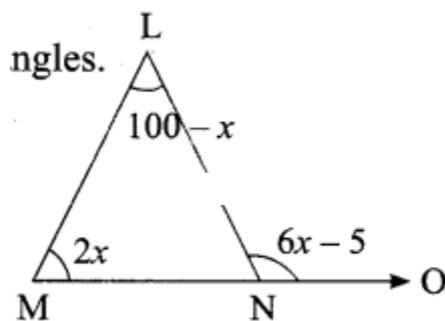
### Question 13.

In  $\triangle LMN$ ,  $MN$  is extended to  $O$ . If  $\angle MLN = 100 - x$ ,  $\angle LMN = 2x$  and  $\angle LNO = 6x - 5$ , find the value of  $x$ .

#### Solution:

Exterior angle is equal to the sum of the opposite interior angles.

$$\angle LNO = \angle MLN + \angle LMN$$



$$6x - 5 = 100^\circ - x + 2x$$

$$6x - 5 + x - 2x = 100^\circ$$

$$6x + x - 2x = 100^\circ + 5^\circ$$

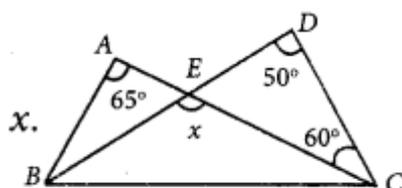
$$5x = 105^\circ$$

$$x = 105 \div 5 = 21^\circ$$

$$x = 21^\circ$$

### Question 14.

Using the given figure find the value of  $x$ .



#### Solution:

In  $\triangle EDC$ , side  $DE$  is extended to  $B$ , to form the exterior angle  $\angle CEB = x$ .

We know that the exterior angle is equal to the sum of the opposite interior

angles

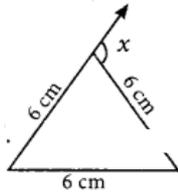
$$\angle CEB = \angle CDE + \angle ECD$$

$$x = 50^\circ + 60^\circ$$

$$x = 110^\circ$$

**Question 15.**

Using the diagram find the value of  $x$ .



**Solution:**

Given triangle is an equilateral triangle as the three sides are equal. For an equilateral triangle all three angles are equal and is equal to  $60^\circ$ . Also exterior angle is equal to sum of opposite interior angles.

$$x = 60^\circ + 60^\circ.$$

$$x = 120^\circ$$

**Objective Type Questions**

**Question 16.**

The angles of a triangle are in the ratio 2:3:4. Then the angles are

- (i) 20,30,40
- (ii) 40, 60, 80
- (iii) 80, 20, 80
- (iv) 10, 15, 20

**Answer:**

- (ii) 40, 60, 80

**Question 17.**

One of the angles of a triangle is  $65^\circ$ . If the difference of the other two angles is  $45^\circ$ , then the two angles are

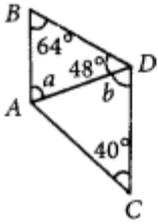
- (i)  $85^\circ, 40^\circ$
- (ii)  $70^\circ, 25^\circ$
- (iii)  $80^\circ, 35^\circ$
- (iv)  $80^\circ, 135^\circ$

**Answer:**

- (iii)  $80^\circ, 35^\circ$

**Question 18.**

In the given figure, AB is parallel to CD. Then the value of  $b$  is



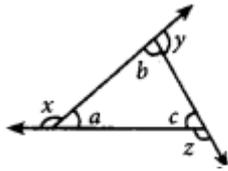
- (i)  $112^\circ$
- (ii)  $68^\circ$
- (iii)  $102^\circ$
- (iv)  $62^\circ$  A

**Answer:**

- (ii)  $68^\circ$

**Question 19.**

In the given figure, which of the following statement is true?



- (i)  $x + y + z = 180^\circ$
- (ii)  $x + y + z = a + b + c$
- (iii)  $x + y + z = 2(a + b + c)$
- (iv)  $x + y + z = 3(a + b + c)$

**Ans :**

- (iii)  $x + y + z = 2(a + b + c)$

**Question 20.**

An exterior angle of a triangle is  $70^\circ$  and two interior opposite angles are equal. Then measure of each of these angle will be

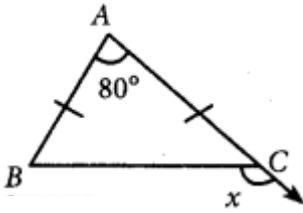
- (i)  $110^\circ$
- (ii)  $120^\circ$
- (iii)  $35^\circ$
- (iv)  $60^\circ$

**Answer:**

- (iii)  $35^\circ$

**Question 21.**

In a  $\Delta ABC$ ,  $AB = AC$ . The value of  $x$  is \_\_\_\_.



- (i)  $80^\circ$
- (ii)  $100^\circ$
- (iii)  $130^\circ$
- (iv)  $120^\circ$

**Answer:**

- (iii)  $130^\circ$

**Question 22.**

If an exterior angle of a triangle is  $115^\circ$  and one of the interior opposite angles is  $35^\circ$ , then the other two angles of the triangle are

- (i)  $45^\circ, 60^\circ$
- (ii)  $65^\circ, 80^\circ$
- (iii)  $65^\circ, 70^\circ$
- (iv)  $115^\circ, 60^\circ$

**Answer:**

- (ii)  $65^\circ, 80^\circ$

**Ex 4.2**

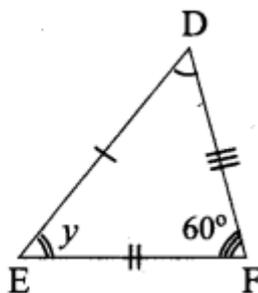
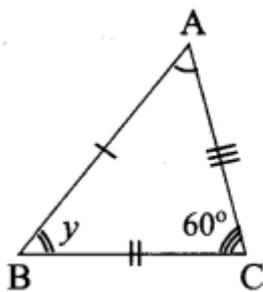
**Question 1.**

Given that  $\triangle ABC = \triangle DEF$  (i) List all the corresponding congruent sides

(ii) List all the corresponding congruent angles.

**Solution:**

Given  $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle DEF$ .



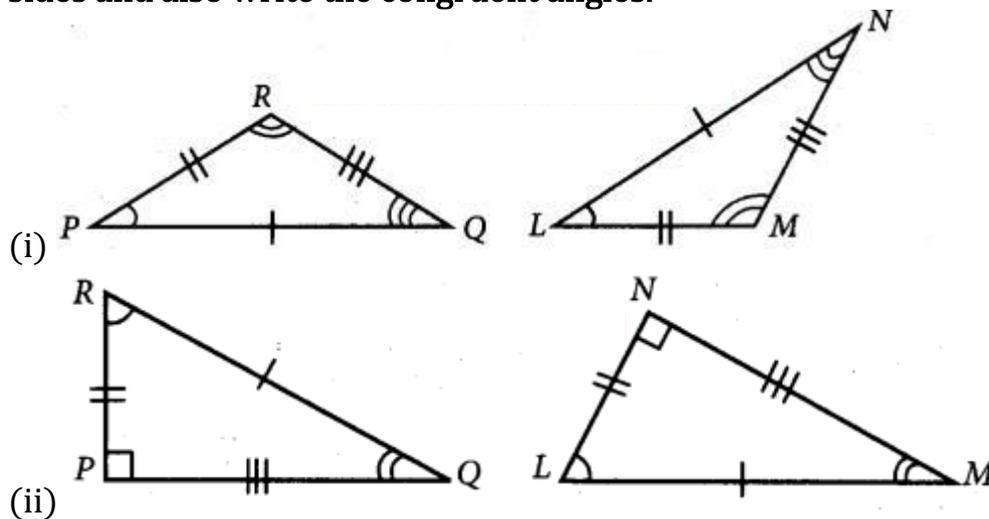
(i) Corresponding congruent sides.

$$AB = DE; BC = EF; AC = DF$$

(ii) Corresponding congruent angles.  
 $\angle ABC = \angle DEF$ ;  $\angle BCA = \angle EFD$ ;  $\angle CAB = \angle FDE$

**Question 2.**

If the given two triangles are congruent, then identify all the corresponding sides and also write the congruent angles.



**Solution:**

Given  $\Delta PQR \cong \Delta LNM$

(i) (a) Corresponding sides

$PQ = LN$ ;  $PQ = LM$ ;  $RQ = MN$

(b) Corresponding angles

$\angle RPQ = \angle NLM$ ;  $\angle PQR = \angle LNM$ ;  $\angle PRQ = \angle LMN$

(ii) Given  $\Delta PQR \cong \Delta NML$

(a) Corresponding angles

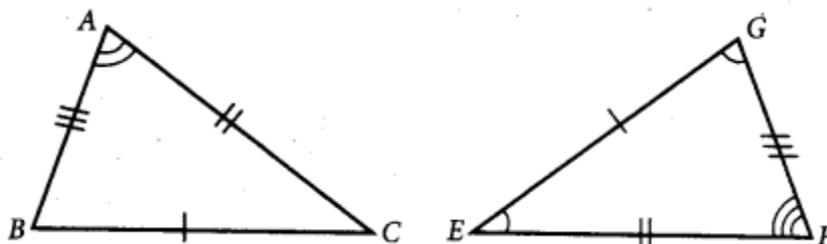
$QR = LM$ ;  $RP = LN$ ;  $PQ = MN$

(b) Corresponding angles

$\angle QRP = \angle MLN$ ;  $\angle QRP = \angle MLN$ ;  $\angle RPQ = \angle LNM$

**Question 3.**

Find the unit digit of expanded form.



(i)  $\angle A$  and  $\angle G$

(ii)  $\angle B$  and  $\angle E$

(iii)  $\angle B$  and  $\angle G$

- (iv)  $\overline{AC}$  and  $\overline{GF}$
- (v)  $\overline{BA}$  and  $\overline{FG}$
- (vi)  $\overline{EF}$  and  $\overline{BC}$

**Solution:**

Given  $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle EFG$ . Also from given triangles.

$$\overline{AB} = \overline{FG} \quad \overline{BC} = \overline{GF} \quad \overline{AC} = \overline{EF}$$

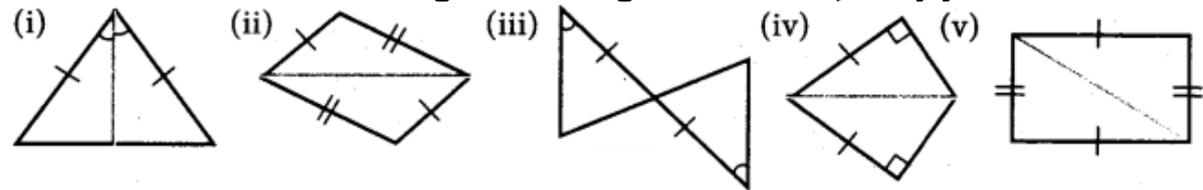
$$\text{Also } \angle A = \angle F \quad \angle B = \angle G \quad \angle C = \angle E$$

Answer:

- (i)  $\angle A$  and  $\angle G$  are not corresponding angles.
- (ii)  $\angle B$  and  $\angle E$  are not corresponding angles.
- (iii)  $\angle B$  and  $\angle G$  are corresponding angles.
- (iv)  $\overline{AC}$  and  $\overline{GF}$  are not corresponding sides.
- (v)  $\overline{BA}$  and  $\overline{FG}$  are corresponding sides.
- (vi)  $\overline{EF}$  and  $\overline{BC}$  are not corresponding sides.

**Question 4.**

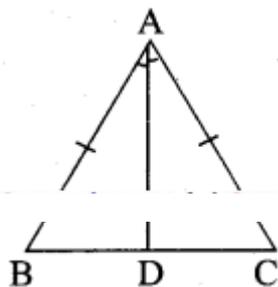
State whether the two triangles are congruent or not. Justify your answer.



**Solution:**

(i) Let the given triangle be  $\triangle ABC$ .  $\overline{AD}$  divides  $\triangle ABC$  into two parts giving  $\triangle ABD$  and  $\triangle ACD$ .

In  $\triangle ABD$  and  $\triangle ACD$



$$\overline{AB} = \overline{AC} \quad (\text{given})$$

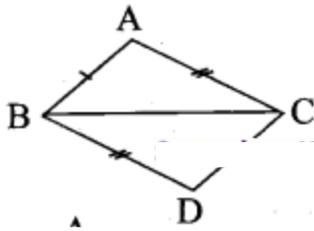
$$\overline{BD} = \overline{DC} \quad (\text{common side})$$

$$\angle BAD = \angle CAD \quad (\text{included angles})$$

$\therefore$  By SAS criterion  $\triangle ABD \cong \triangle ACD$ .

(ii) Let the given triangles in the figure be  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle DCB$ .

In both the triangles



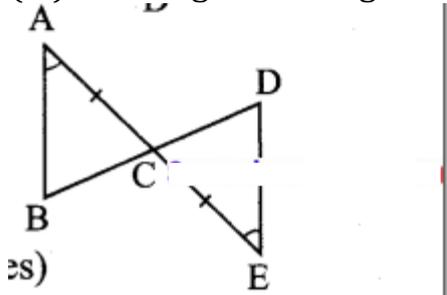
$BC = BC$  (Common side)

$AB = DC$

$AC = BD$

$\therefore$  By SSS Criterion  $\Delta ABC \cong \Delta DCB$

(iii) Let the given triangles be  $\Delta ABC$  and  $\Delta CDE$ .



Here  $AC = CE$  (given)

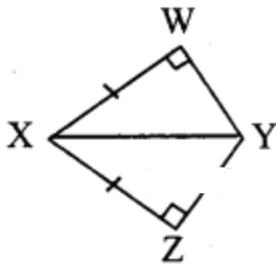
$\angle BAC = \angle DEC$  (given)

$\angle ACB = \angle DCE$  (vertically opposite angles)

Two angles and the included side are equal.

Therefore by ASA criterion  $\Delta ABC \cong \Delta CDE$ .

(iv) Let the two triangles be  $\Delta XYZ$  and  $\Delta XYW$



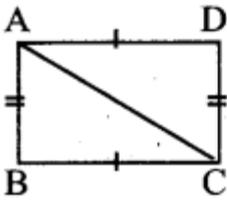
Here  $\angle W = \angle Z = 90^\circ$

$XY = XY$  (Common Hypotenure)

$XW = XZ$  (given)

By RHS criterion  $\Delta XYZ \cong \Delta XYW$

(v) Let the two triangles be  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle ADC$



In both the triangles  $AC = AC$  (common sides)

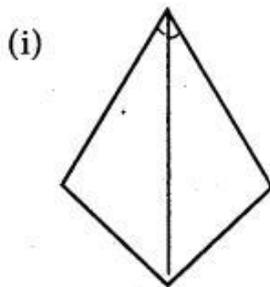
$AD = BC$  (given)

$AB = DC$  (given)

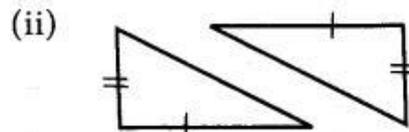
By SSS criterion  $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle ADC$ .

### Question 5.

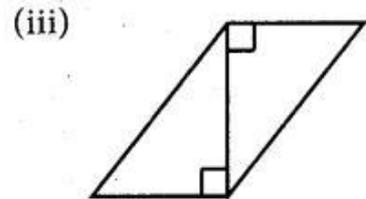
To conclude the congruency of triangles, mark the required information in the following figures with reference to the given congruency criterion.



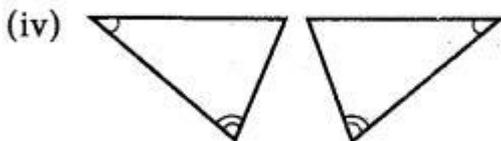
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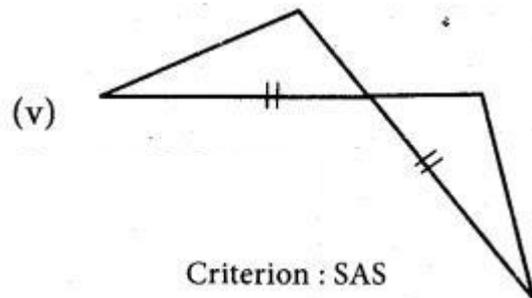
Criterion : SSS



Criterion : RHS



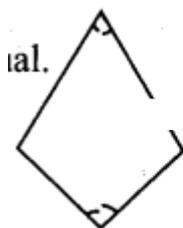
Criterion : ASA



Criterion : SAS

### Solution:

(i) In the given triangles one angle is equal and a side is common and so equal.



To satisfy ASA criterion one more angle should be equal such that the

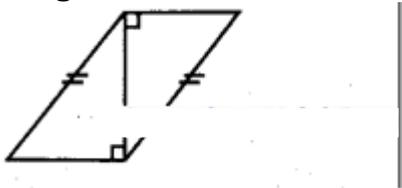
common side is the included side of both angles of a triangle.  
The figure will be as follows.

(ii) In the two given triangles two sides of one triangle is equal to two sides of the other triangle.



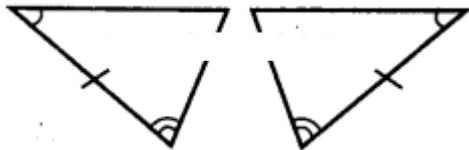
To satisfy SSS criterion the third sides must be equal.

(iii) The given triangles have one side in common. They are right angled triangles.



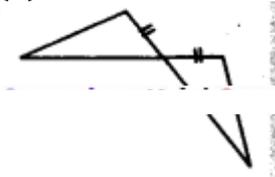
To satisfy RHS criterion their hypotenuse must be equal.

(iv) In the given triangles two angles of one triangle is equal to two angles of the other triangles?



To satisfy ASA criterion included side of two angles must be equal.

(v) In both the triangles one of their sides are equal.

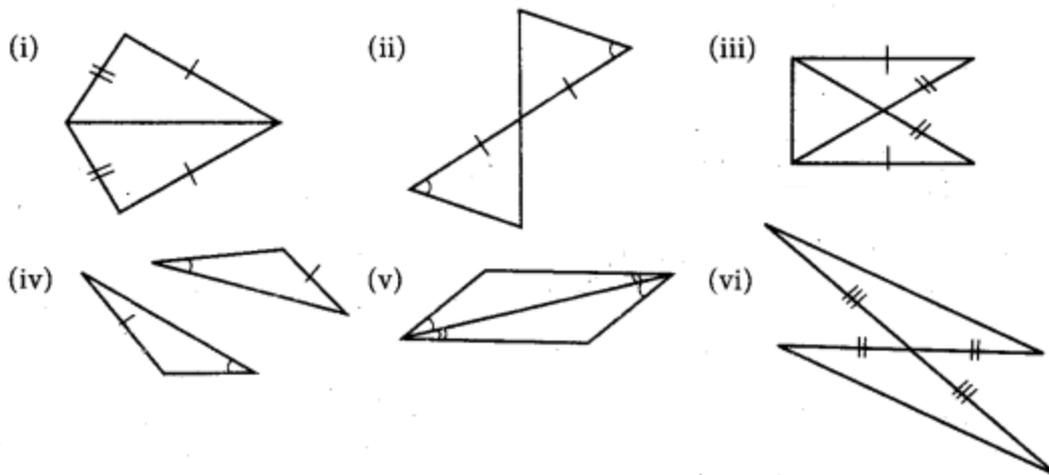


One of their angles are equal or they are vertically opposite angles.

To satisfy SAS criterion, one more side is to be equal such that the angle is the included of the equal sides.

### Question 6.

For each pair of triangles state the criterion that can be used to determine the congruency?



**Solution:**

(i) Given two pair of sides are equal and one side is common to both the triangles.

∴ SSS congruency criterion is used.

(ii) One of the sides and one of the angles are equal.

∴ One more angle is vertically opposite angle and so it is also equal.

ASA criterion is used.

(iii) From the figure hypotenuse and one side are equal in both the triangles.

RHS congruency criterion is used. (∴ Considering  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle BAD$ )

$$\angle A = \angle B = 90^\circ$$

$$AD = BC$$

$$AB = AB \text{ (common)}$$

$$\therefore AC = BD \text{ (hypotenuse)}$$

(iv) By ASA criterion both triangles are congruent.

(v) By ASA criterion both triangles are congruent. Since two angles in one triangle are equal to two corresponding angles of the other triangle. Again one side is common to both triangle and the side is the included side of the angles.

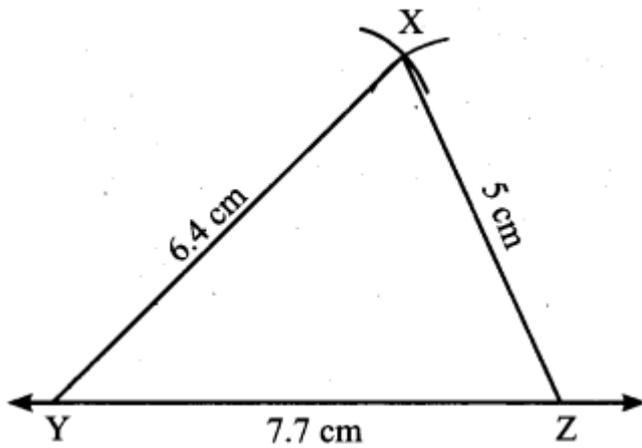
(vi) Two sides are equal. One angle is vertically opposite angles and one equal. By SAS criterion both triangles are congruent.

**Question 7.**

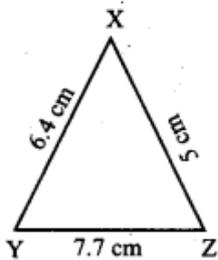
**I. Construct a triangle XYZ with the given conditions.**

(i)  $XY = 6.4 \text{ cm}$ ,  $ZY = 7.7 \text{ cm}$  and  $XZ = 5 \text{ cm}$

Solution:



**Rough Diagram**



**Construction:**

Step 1: Draw a line. Marked Y and Z on the line such that YZ 7.7 cm.

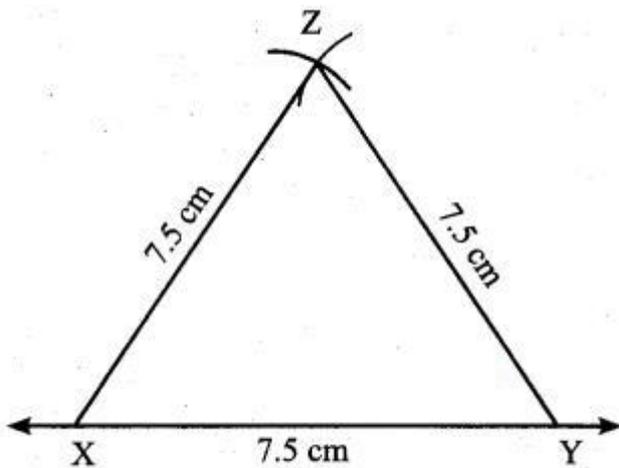
Step 2: With Y as centre drawn an arc of radius 6.4 cm above the line YZ.

Step 3: With Z as centre, draw an arc of radius 5 cm to intersect arc drawn in step 2. Marked the point of intersection as X.

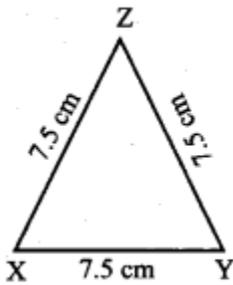
Step 4: Joined YX and ZX. Now XYZ is the required triangle.

(ii) An equilateral triangle of side 7.5 cm

**Solution:**



**Rough Diagram**



**Construction:**

Step 1: Drawn a line. Marked X and Y on the line such that  $XY = 7.5$  cm.

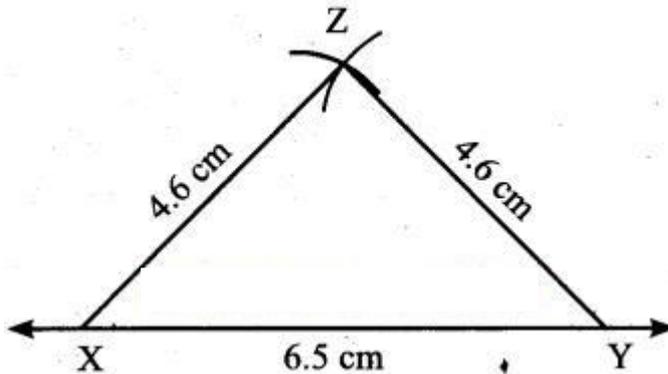
Step 2: With X as centre, drawn an arc of radius 7,5 cm above the line XY.

Step 3: With Y as centre, drawn an arc of radius 7.5 cm to intersect arc drawn in steps. Marked the point of intersection as Z.

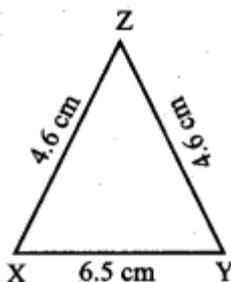
Step 4: Joined XZ and YZ. Now XYZ in the required triangle.

(iii) An isosceles triangle with equal sides 4.6 cm and third side 6.5 cm

**Solution:**



**Rough Diagram**



**Construction: .**

Step 1: Drawn a line. Marked X and Y on the line such that  $XY = 6.5$  cm.

Step 2: With X as centre, drawn an arc of radius 4.6 cm above the line XY

Step 3: with Y as centre, drawn an arc of radius 4.6 cm to intersect arc drawn

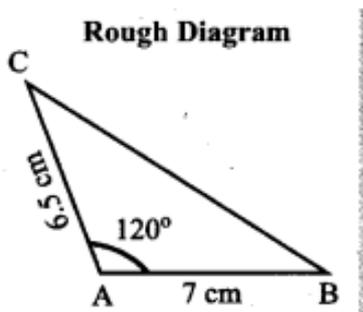
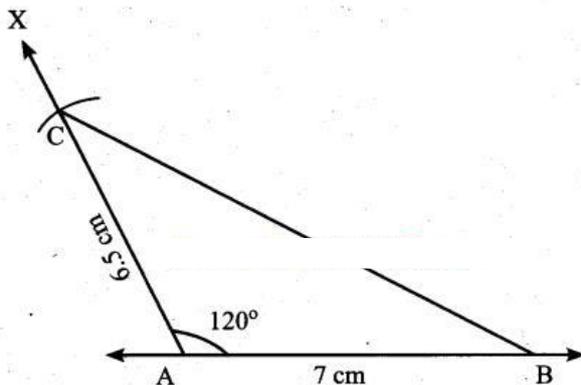
in steps. Marked the point of intersection as Z.

Step 4: Joined XZ and YZ. Now XYZ is the required triangle.

II. Construct a triangle ABC with given conditions.

(i)  $AB = 7$  cm,  $AC = 6.5$  cm and  $\angle A = 120^\circ$ .

Solution:



Construction:

Step 1: Draw a line. Marked A and B on the line such that  $AB = 7$  cm.

Step 2: At A, draw a ray AX making an angle of  $120^\circ$  with AB.

Step 3: With A as centre, draw an arc of radius 6.5 cm to cut the ray AX.

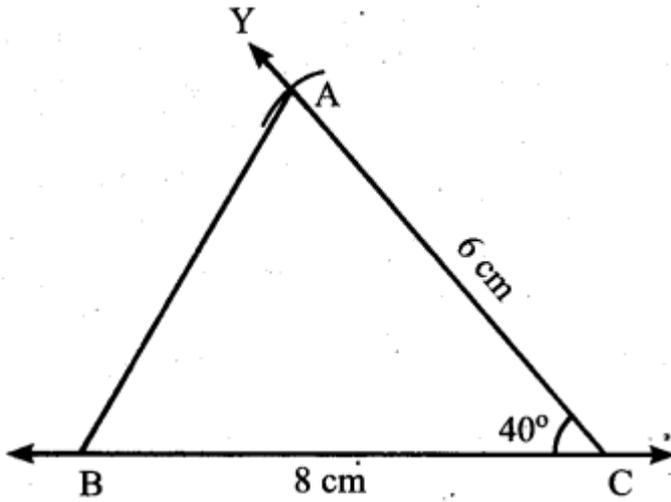
Marked the point of intersection as C.

Step 4: Joined BC.

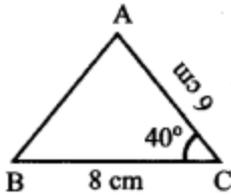
ABC is the required triangle.

(ii)  $BC = 8$  cm,  $AC = 6$  cm and  $\angle C = 40^\circ$ .

Solution:



**Rough Diagram**

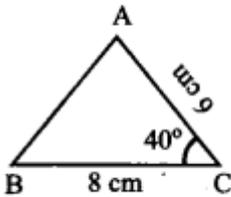


Construction:

Step 1: Drawn a line. Marked B and C on the line such that  $BC = 8 \text{ cm}$ .

Step 2: At C, drawn a ray CY making an angle of  $40^\circ$  with BC.

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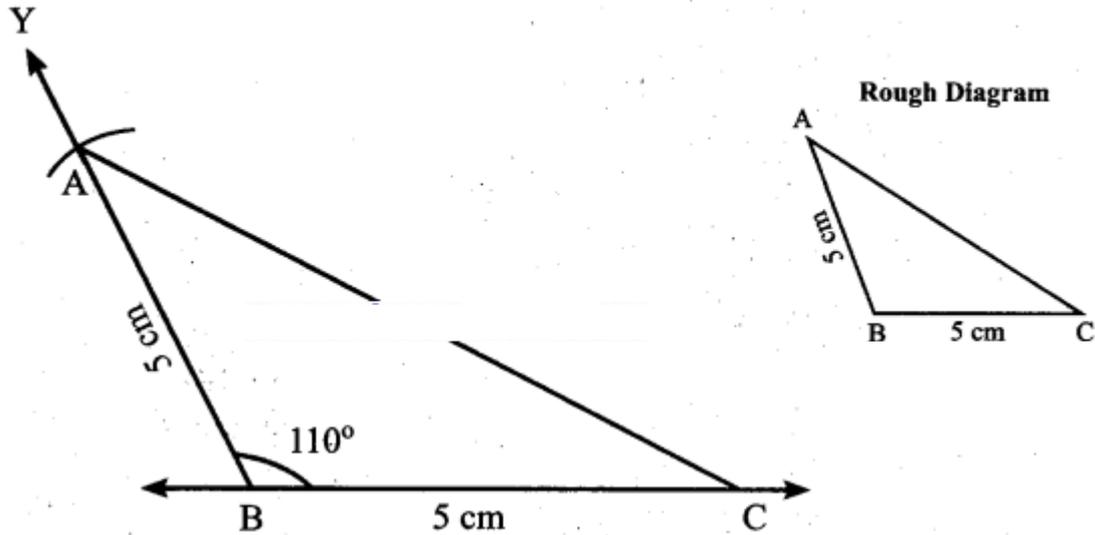
Step 3: With C as centre, drawn an arc of radius 6 cm to cut the ray CY, marked the point of intersection as A.

Step 4: Joined AB.

AB is the required triangle.

(iii) An isosceles obtuse triangle with equal sides 5 cm

Solution:



Construction:

Step 1: Draw a line. Marked B and C on the line such that  $BC = 5\text{ cm}$ .

Step 2: At B draw a ray BY making an obtuse angle  $110^\circ$  with BC.

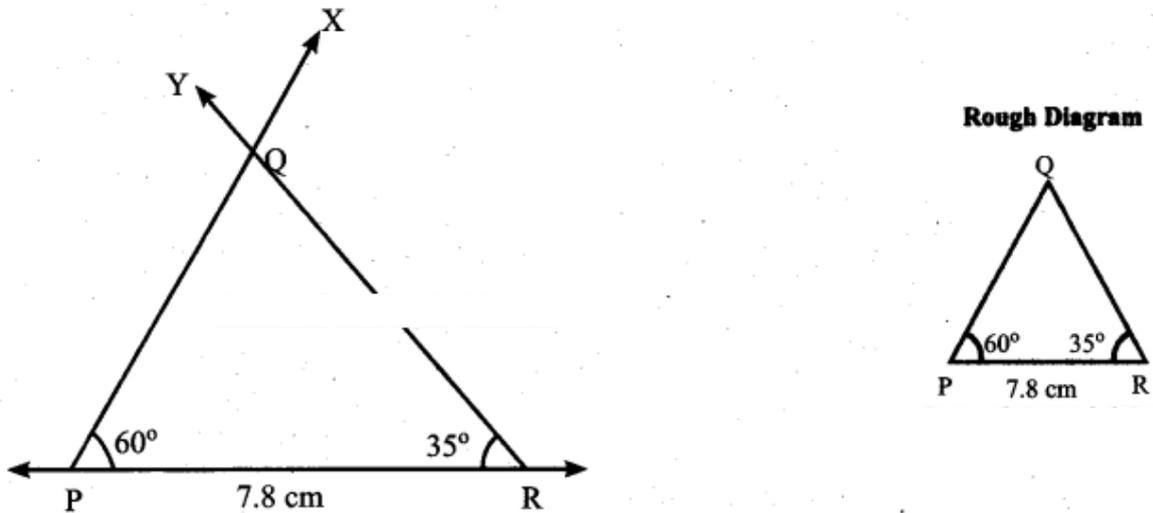
Step 3: With B as centre, draw an arc of radius 5 cm to cut ray BY. Marked the point of intersection as C.

Step 4: Joined BC. ABC is the required triangle.

III. Construct a triangle PQR with given conditions.

(i)  $\angle P = 60^\circ$ ,  $\angle R = 35^\circ$  and  $PR = 7.8\text{ cm}$

Solution:



Construction:

Step 1: Draw a line. Marked P and R on the line such that  $PR = 7.8\text{ cm}$ .

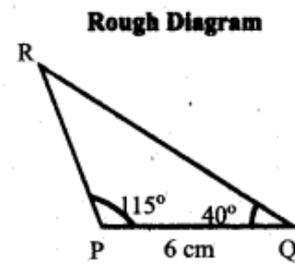
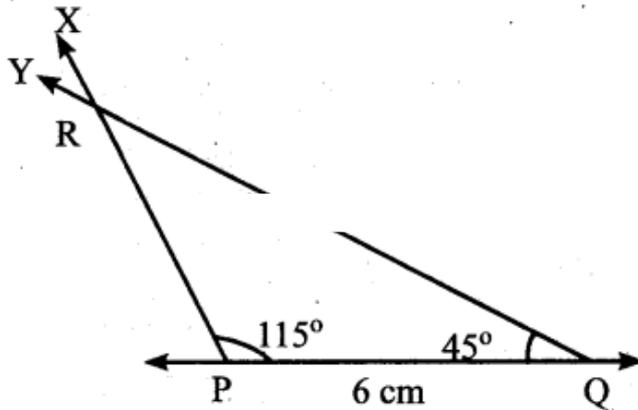
Step 2: At P, draw a ray PX making an angle of  $60^\circ$  with PR.

Step 3: At R, draw another ray RY making an angle of  $35^\circ$  with PR. Mark the point of intersection of the rays PX and RY as Q.

PQR is the required triangle.

(ii)  $\angle P = 115^\circ$ ,  $\angle Q = 40^\circ$  and  $PQ = 6$  cm

**Solution:**



**Construction:**

Step 1: Draw a line. Marked P and Q on the line such that  $PQ = 6$  cm.

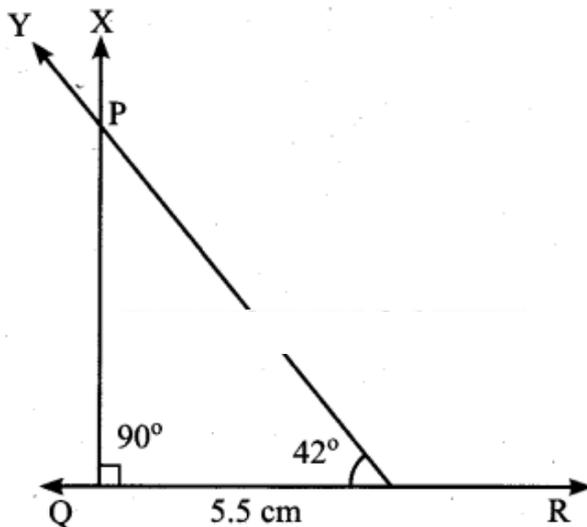
Step 2: At P, drawn a ray PX making an angle of  $115^\circ$  with PQ.

Step 3: At Q, drawn another ray QY making an angle of  $40^\circ$  with PQ. Marked the point of intersection of the rays PX and QY as R.

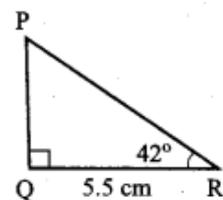
PQR is the required triangle.

(iii)  $\angle Q = 90^\circ$ ,  $\angle R = 42^\circ$  and  $QR = 5.5$  cm

**Solution:**



**Rough Diagram**



**Construction:**

Step 1: Draw a line. Marked Q and R on the line such that  $QR = 5.5$  cm.

Step 2: At Q, drawn a ray QX making an angle of  $90^\circ$  with QR.

Step 3: At R, drawn another ray RY making an angle of  $42^\circ$  with QR. Marked the point of intersection of the rays QX and RY as P.

PQR is the required triangle.

**Objective Type Questions**

**Question 8.**

**If two plane figures are congruent then they have**

- (i) same size
- (ii) same shape
- (iii) same angle
- (iv) same shape and same size

**Answer:**

- (iv) same shape and same size

**Question 9.**

**Which of the following methods are used to check the congruence of plane figures?**

- (i) translation method
- (ii) superposition method
- (iii) substitution method
- (iv) transposition method

**Answer:**

- (ii) superposition method

**Question 10.**

**Which of the following rule is not sufficient to verify the congruency of two triangles.**

- (i) SSS rule
- (ii) SAS rule
- (iii) SSA rule
- (iv) ASA rule

**Answer:**

- (iii) SSA rule

**Question 11.**

**Two students drew a line segment each. What is the condition for them to be congruent?**

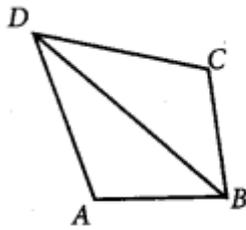
- (i) They should be drawn with a scale.
- (ii) They should be drawn on the same sheet of paper.
- (iii) They should have different lengths.
- (iv) They should have the same length.

**Answer:**

- (iv) They should have the same length.

**Question 12.**

In the given figure,  $AD = CD$  and  $AB = CB$ . Identify the other three pairs that are equal.



- (i)  $\angle ADB = \angle CDB$ ,  $\angle ABD = \angle CBD$ ,  $BD = BD$
- (ii)  $AD = AB$ ,  $DC = CB$ ,  $BD = BD$
- (iii)  $AB = CD$ ,  $AD = BC$ ,  $BD = BD$
- (iv)  $\angle ADB = \angle CDB$ ,  $\angle ABD = \angle CBD$ ,  $\angle DAB = \angle DCB$

**Answer:**

- (i)  $\angle ADB = \angle CDB$ ,  $\angle ABD = \angle CBD$ ,  $BD = BD$

**Question 13.**

In  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle PQR$ ,  $\angle A = 50^\circ = \angle P$ ,  $PQ = AB$ , and  $PR = AC$ . By which property  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle PQR$  are congruent?

- (i) SSS property
- (ii) SAS property
- (iii) ASA property
- (iv) RHS property

**Answer:**

- (ii) SAS property

**Ex 4.3**

**Miscellaneous Practice Problems**

**Question 1.**

In an isosceles triangle one angle is  $76^\circ$ . If the other two angles are equal, find them.

**Solution:**

In an isosceles triangle, angle opposite to equal sides are equal. Let the equal angles be  $x^\circ$  and  $x^\circ$ .

In a triangle the sum of the three angles is  $180^\circ$ .

$$x^\circ + x^\circ + 76^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$x^\circ (1 + 1) = 180^\circ - 76^\circ = 104^\circ$$

$$2x = 104^\circ$$

$$x = 104 \div 2 = 52^\circ$$

$$x = 52^\circ$$

$\therefore$  Other two angles are  $52^\circ$  and  $52^\circ$ .

### Question 2.

If two angles of a triangle are  $46^\circ$  each, how can you classify the triangle?

#### Solution:

Given two angles of the triangle are same and is equal to  $46^\circ$ . If two angles are equal the sides opposite to equal angles are equal. Therefore it will be an isoscales triangle.

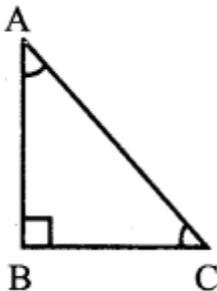
### Question 3.

If an angle of a triangle is equal to the sum of the other two angles, find the type of the triangle.

#### Solution:

Let  $\angle B$  is the greater angle then by the given condition  $\angle B = \angle A + \angle C$ .

Sum of three angle of a triangle =  $180^\circ$ .



$$\angle A + \angle B + \angle C = 180^\circ.$$

$$\angle A + (\angle A + \angle C) + \angle C = 180^\circ.$$

$$2\angle A + 2\angle C = 180^\circ$$

$$2(\angle A + \angle C) = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle A + \angle C = 180 \div 2$$

$$\angle B = 90^\circ$$

$\therefore$  One of the angle of the triangle =  $90^\circ$

It will be a right angled triangle.

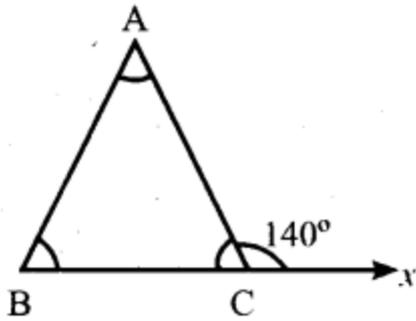
### Question 4.

If the exterior angle of a triangle is  $140^\circ$  and its interior opposite angles are equal, find all the interior angles of the triangle.

#### Solution:

Given the exterior angle =  $140^\circ$

Interior opposite angle are equal.



Let one of the interior opposite angle be  $x$ .

Then  $x + x = 140^\circ$ .

[ $\because$  Exterior angle = sum of interior opposite angles]

$$2x = 140^\circ$$

$$x = 140 \div 2 = 70^\circ$$

$$x = 70^\circ$$

Interior opposite angle =  $70^\circ, 70^\circ$ .

Sum of the three angles of a triangle =  $180^\circ$ .

$$70^\circ + 70^\circ + \text{Third angle} = 180^\circ$$

$$140^\circ + \text{Third angle} = 180^\circ$$

$$\text{Third angle} = 180^\circ - 140^\circ = 40^\circ$$

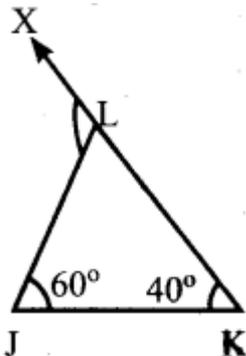
$\therefore$  Interior angle are  $40^\circ, 70^\circ, 70^\circ$ .

### Question 5.

In  $\Delta JKL$ , if  $\angle J = 60^\circ$  and  $\angle K = 40^\circ$ , then find the value of exterior angle formed by extending the side  $KL$ .

### Solution:

When extending the side  $KL$ , the exterior angle formed is equal to the sum of the interior opposite angles.



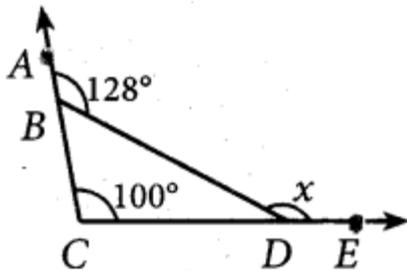
$$\angle JLX = \angle LJK + \angle LKJ$$

$$= 60^\circ + 40^\circ = 100^\circ$$

Exterior angle formed =  $100^\circ$

**Question 6.**

Find the value of 'x' in the given figure.



**Solution:**

Given  $\angle DCB = 100^\circ$  and  $\angle DBA = 128^\circ$

In the given figure

$$\angle CBD + \angle DBA = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle CBD + 128^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle CBD = 52^\circ$$

Now exterior angle  $x =$  Sum of interior opposite angles.

$$x = \angle DCB + \angle CBD = 100^\circ + 52^\circ = 152^\circ$$

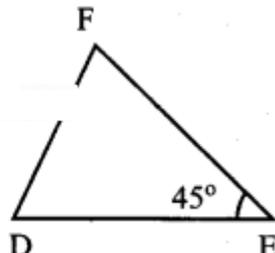
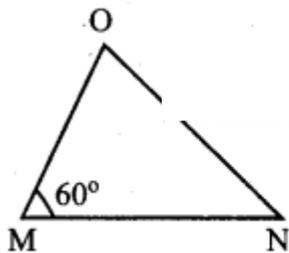
$$x = 152^\circ$$

**Question 7.**

If  $\triangle MNO \cong \triangle DEF$ ,  $\angle M = 60^\circ$  and  $\angle E = 45^\circ$  then find the value of  $\angle O$ .

**Solution:**

Given  $\triangle MNO \cong \triangle DEF$



$\therefore$  Corresponding parts of congruent triangle are congruent.

$$\angle M = \angle D = 60^\circ \text{ [given } \angle M = 60^\circ \text{]}$$

$$\angle N = \angle E = 45^\circ \text{ [given } \angle E = 45^\circ \text{]}$$

$$\angle O = \angle F$$

In triangle MNO, sum of the three angle -  $180^\circ$ .

$$\angle M + \angle N + \angle O = 180^\circ$$

$$60^\circ + 45^\circ + \angle O = 180^\circ$$

$$105^\circ + \angle O = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle O = 180^\circ - 105^\circ = 75^\circ$$

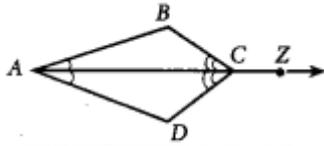
$$\text{Value of } \angle O = 75^\circ$$

**Question 8.**

In the given figure ray AZ bisects  $\angle BAD$  and  $\angle DCB$ , prove that

(i)  $\triangle BAC \cong \triangle DAC$

(ii)  $AB = AD$



**Solution:**

(i) In  $\triangle BAC$  and  $\triangle DAC$

$\angle BAC = \angle DAC$  [Given  $AZ$  bisects  $\angle BAD$ ]

$\angle BCA = \angle DCA$  [ $AZ$  bisects  $\angle DCB$ ]

$AC = AC$  [ $\because$  common side]

$\therefore$  Here  $AC$  is the included side of the angles. By ASA criterion,  $\triangle BAC \cong \triangle DAC$ .

(ii) By (i)  $\triangle BAC \cong \triangle DAC$

$BA = DA$  [By CPCTC]

i.e.,  $AB = AD$

**Question 9.**

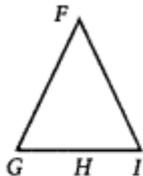
In the given figure  $FG = FI$  and  $H$  is midpoint of  $GI$ , prove that  $\triangle FGH \cong \triangle FHI$

**Solution:**

In  $\triangle FGH$  and  $\triangle FHI$

Given  $FG = FI$

Also,  $GH = HI$  [ $\because$   $H$  is the midpoint of  $GI$ ]



$FH = FH$  [Common]

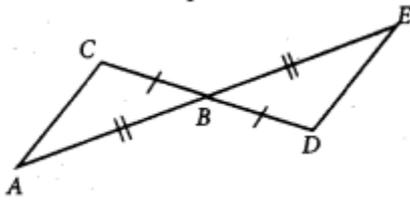
$\therefore$  By S.SS congruency criteria,  $\triangle FGH \cong \triangle FHI$ . Hence proved.

**Question 10.**

Using the given figure, prove that the triangles are congruent. Can you conclude that  $AC$  is parallel to  $DE$ .

**Solution:**

In  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle EBD$ ,



$$AB = EB$$

$$BC = BD$$

$\angle ABC = \angle EBD$  [ $\because$  Vertically opposite angles]

By SAS congruency criteria.  $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle EBD$ .

We know that corresponding parts of congruent triangles are congruent.

$\therefore \angle BCA \cong \angle BDE$

and  $\angle BAC \cong \angle BED$

$\angle BCA \cong \angle BDE$  means that alternate interior angles are equal if CD is the transversal to lines AC and DE.

Similarly, if AE is the transversal to AC and DE, we have  $\angle BAC \cong \angle BED$

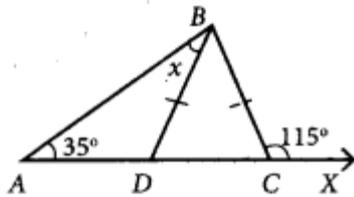
Again interior opposite angles are equal.

We can conclude that AC is parallel to DE.

### Challenge Problems

#### Question 11.

In given figure  $BD = BC$ , find the value of x.



#### Solution:

Given that  $BD = BC$

$\triangle BDC$  is an isosceles triangle.

In an isosceles triangle, angles opposite to equal sides are equal.

$$\angle BDC = \angle BCD \dots\dots(1)$$

Also  $\angle BCD + \angle BCX = 180^\circ$  [ $\because$  Linear Pair]

$$\angle BCD + 115^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle BCD = 180^\circ - 115^\circ$$

$$\angle BCD = 65^\circ \text{ [By (1)]}$$

In  $\triangle ADB$

$$\angle BAD + \angle ADB = \angle BDC$$

[ $\because$  BDC is the exterior angle and  $\angle BAD$  and  $\angle ABD$  are interior opposite angles]

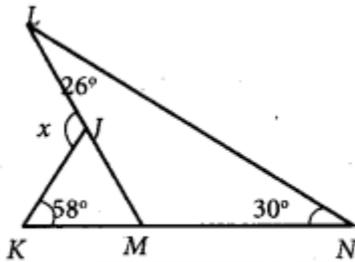
$$35^\circ + x = 65^\circ$$

$$x = 65^\circ - 35^\circ$$

$$x = 30^\circ$$

**Question 12.**

In the given figure find the value of  $x$ .



**Solution:**

For  $\triangle LNM$ ,  $\angle LMK$  is the exterior angle at  $M$ .

Exterior angle = sum of opposite interior angles

$$\angle LMK = \angle MLN + \angle LNM = 26^\circ + 30^\circ = 56^\circ$$

$$\angle JMK = 56^\circ [\because \angle LMK = \angle JMK]$$

$x$  is the exterior angle at  $J$  for  $\triangle JKM$ .

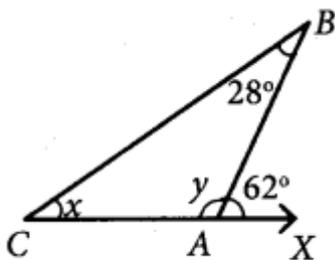
$$\therefore x = \angle JKM + \angle KMJ [\because \text{Sum of interior opposite angles}]$$

$$x = 58^\circ + 56^\circ [\because \angle JMK = 56^\circ]$$

$$x = 114^\circ$$

**Question 13.**

In the given figure find the values of  $x$  and  $y$ .



**Solution:**

In  $\triangle BCA$ ,  $\angle BAX = 62^\circ$  is the exterior angle at  $A$ .

Exterior angle = sum of interior opposite angles.

$$\angle ABC + \angle ACB = \angle BAX$$

$$28^\circ + x = 62^\circ$$

$$x = 62^\circ - 28^\circ = 34^\circ$$

Also  $\angle BAC + \angle BAX = 180^\circ$  [ $\because$  Linear pair]

$$y + 62^\circ = 180^\circ$$

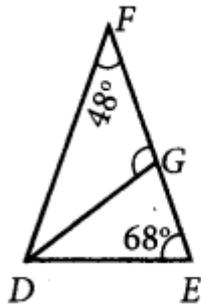
$$y = 180^\circ - 62^\circ = 118^\circ$$

$$x = 34^\circ$$

$$y = 118^\circ$$

**Question 14.**

In  $\triangle DEF$ ,  $\angle F = 48^\circ$ ,  $\angle E = 68^\circ$  and bisector of  $\angle D$  meets  $FE$  at  $G$ . Find  $\angle FGD$ .



**Solution:**

Given  $\angle F = 48^\circ$

$\angle E = 68^\circ$

In  $\triangle DEF$ ,

$\angle D + \angle F + \angle E = 180^\circ$  [By angle sum property]

$\angle D + 68^\circ + 68^\circ = 180^\circ$

$\angle D + 116^\circ = 180^\circ$

$\angle D = 180^\circ - 116^\circ = 64^\circ$

Since  $DG$  is the angular bisector of  $\angle D$ .

$\angle FDG = \angle GDE$

Also  $\angle FDG + \angle GDE = \angle D$

$2 \angle FDG = 64^\circ$

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$\angle FDG = 64 \div 2 = 32^\circ$

$\angle FDG = 32^\circ$

In  $\triangle FDG$ ,

$\angle FDG + \angle GFD = 180^\circ$  [By angle sum property of triangles]

$32^\circ + \angle GFD + 48^\circ = 180^\circ$

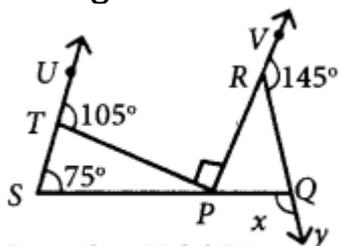
$\angle GFD + 80^\circ = 180^\circ$

$\angle GFD = 180^\circ - 80^\circ$

$\angle GFD = 100^\circ$

**Question 15.**

In the figure find the value of  $x$ .



**Solution:**

Exterior angle is equal to the sum of opposite interior angles.

in  $\Delta TSP$   $\angle TSP + \angle SPT = \angle UTP$

$$75^\circ + \angle SPT = 105^\circ$$

$$\angle SPT = 105^\circ - 75^\circ$$

$$\angle SPT = 30^\circ \dots\dots(1)$$

$\angle SPT + \angle TPR + \angle RPQ = 180^\circ$  [ $\because$  Sum of angles at a point on a line is  $180^\circ$ ]

$$30^\circ + 90^\circ + \angle RPQ = 180^\circ$$

$$120^\circ + \angle RPQ = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle RPQ = 180^\circ - 120^\circ$$

$$\angle RPQ = 60^\circ \dots\dots (2)$$

$\angle VRQ + \angle QRP = 180^\circ$  [ $\because$  linear pair]

$$145^\circ + \angle QRP = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle QRP = 180^\circ - 145^\circ$$

$$\angle QRP = 35^\circ$$

Now in  $\Delta PQR$

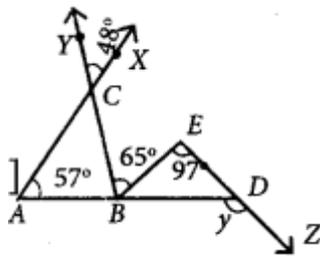
$\angle QRP + \angle RPQ = x$  [ $\because$  x in the exterior angle]

$$35^\circ + 60^\circ = x$$

$$95^\circ = x$$

### Question 16.

From the given figure find the value of y.



### Solution:

From the figure,

$\angle ACB = \angle XCY$  [Vertically opposite angles]

$$\angle ACB = 48^\circ \dots(1)$$

In  $\Delta ABC$ ,  $\angle CBD$  is the exterior angle at B.

Exterior angle = Sum of interior opposite angles.

$$\angle CBD = \angle BAC + \angle ACB$$

$$\angle CBE + \angle EBD = 57^\circ + 48^\circ$$

$$65^\circ + \angle EBD = 105^\circ$$

$$\angle EBD = 105^\circ - 65^\circ = 40^\circ \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

In  $\Delta EBD$ , y is the exterior angle at D.

$$y = \angle EBD + \angle BED$$

[ $\because$  Exterior angle = Sum of opposite interior angles]

$$y = 40^\circ + 97^\circ [\because \text{From (2)}]$$

$$y = 137^\circ$$