

Grade-8 (BLE) EXAM

Topic :- Geometry (15 marks)

Imp. questions-2082

For Q.N. 9, 10 and 11

Congruency & Similarity

Congruent

When two triangles have the same and size, they are called congruent. It is denoted by the symbol ' \cong '.

Test of congruent triangles

1. Side-Angle-Side (SAS)
2. Angle-Side-Angle (ASA)
3. Side-Side-Side (SSS)
4. Angle-Angle-Side (AAS)
5. Right angle hypotenuse Side (RHS)

Similar

Two plane figure are said to similar if they have the same shape. It is denoted by the symbol ' \sim '.

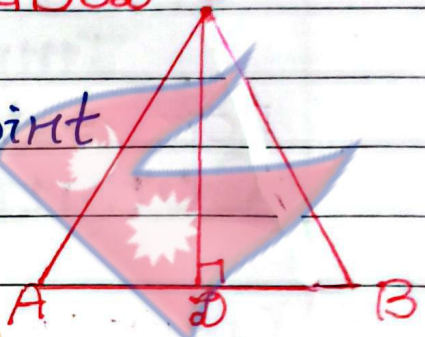
Q. 1.

In the adjoining figure, D is the midpoint of AB. CD is perpendicular to AB.

prove that: $\triangle ACD \cong \triangle BCD$

\Rightarrow Solⁿ.

Given:- D is the mid-point of AB, $CD \perp AB$



To prove:- $\triangle ACD \cong \triangle BCD$

Proof :-

Statement	Reason
1. $AD = BD$ (S)	1. Mid-point D divides AB into equal parts.
2. $\angle ADC = \angle BDC$ (A)	2. $CD \perp AB$
3. $CD = CD$ (S)	3. Common side
4. $\triangle ACD \cong \triangle BCD$	4. By SAS congruence rule

proved

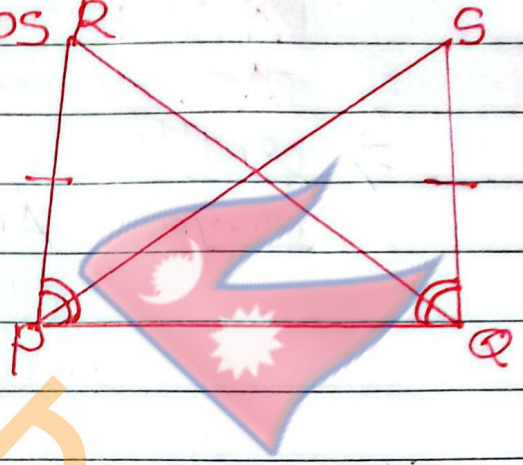
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Q. In the figure, $\angle RPQ = \angle PQS$ and $QS = PR$.

prove that: $\triangle PQR \cong \triangle QPS$

\Rightarrow Solⁿ.

Given:- $\angle RPQ = \angle PQS$
and $QS = PR$



To prove:- $\triangle PQR \cong \triangle QPS$

Proof:-

Statement	Reason
1. $QS = PR$ (S)	1. Given
2. $\angle RPQ = \angle PQS$ (A)	2. Given
3. $PQ = PQ$ (S)	3. Common side
4. $\triangle PQR \cong \triangle QPS$	4. By SAS Congruence rule

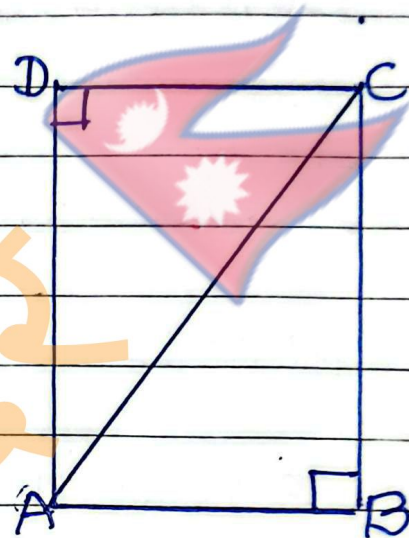
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3.

In a rectangle ABCD, prove that triangle $\triangle ABC$ is congruent to $\triangle ACD$ by drawing a diagonal AC.

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Given:- ABCD is a rectangle with diagonal AC.



To prove:- $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle ACD$

proof:-

Statement	Reason
1. $AB = CD$ & $AD = BC$ (S)	1. Opposite sides of rectangle
2. $\angle ABC = \angle ADC$ (A)	2. All the angles of rectangle are equal to 90°
3. $AC = AC$ (S)	3. Common side
4. $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle ACD$	4. By SAS congruence rule

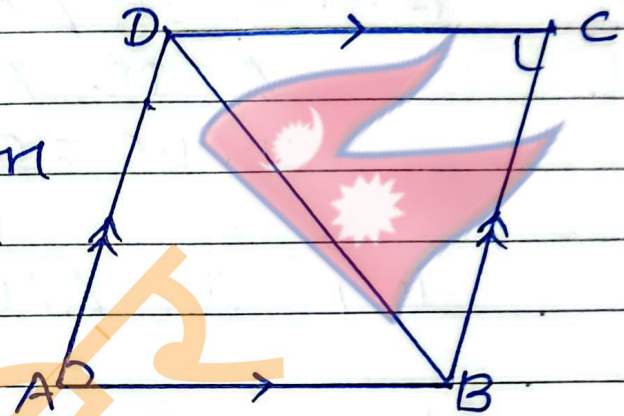
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Q4. Draw a diagonal BD in the parallelogram ABCD and prove that:-
 $\Delta ABD \cong \Delta CBD$.

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Given:- ABCD is a parallelogram and BD is a diagonal.



To prove:- $\Delta ABD \cong \Delta CBD$

Proof:-

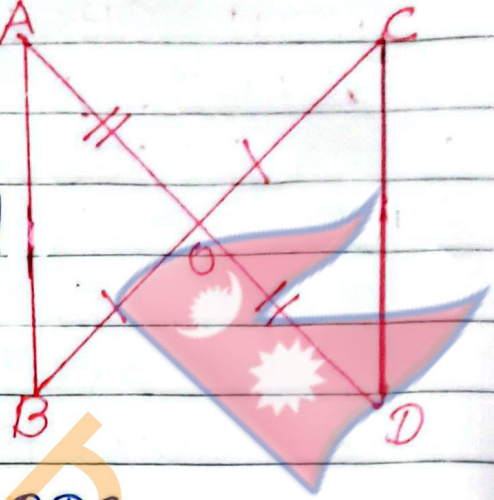
Statement	Reason
1. $AB = CD$ & $BC = AD$ (S)	1. opposite sides of parallelogram
2. $\angle DAB = \angle DCB$ (A)	2. opposite angle of parallelogram
3. $BD = BD$ (S)	3. Common side
4. $\Delta ABD \cong \Delta CBD$	4. By SAS Congruence rule

proved

Q. 5. In the figure, if $AO = OD$ and $BO = OC$, prove that: $\Delta ABO \cong \Delta ODC$.

⇒ Solⁿ.

Given:- In ΔABO and ΔODC , $AO = OD$ and $BO = OC$



To prove:- $\Delta ABO \cong \Delta ODC$

Proof:-

Statement	Reason
1. $BO = OC$ (S)	1. Given
2. $\angle AOB = \angle COD$ (A)	2. Vertically opposite angle
3. $AO = OD$ (S)	3. Given
4. $\Delta ABO \cong \Delta ODC$	4. By SAS congruency rule

proved

~~Q. 6.~~

In the given figure, $AB = CD$ and $AB \parallel CD$ prove that:-

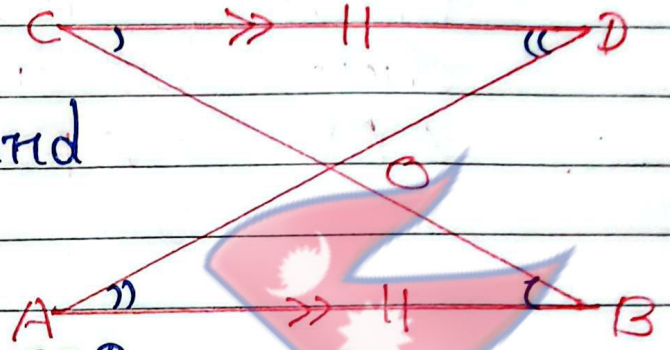
$\Delta AOB \cong \Delta COD$

⇒ Solⁿ.

Given:- In ΔAOB and ΔCOD , $AB = CD$ and $AB \parallel CD$

To prove:- $\Delta AOB \cong \Delta COD$

Proof:-

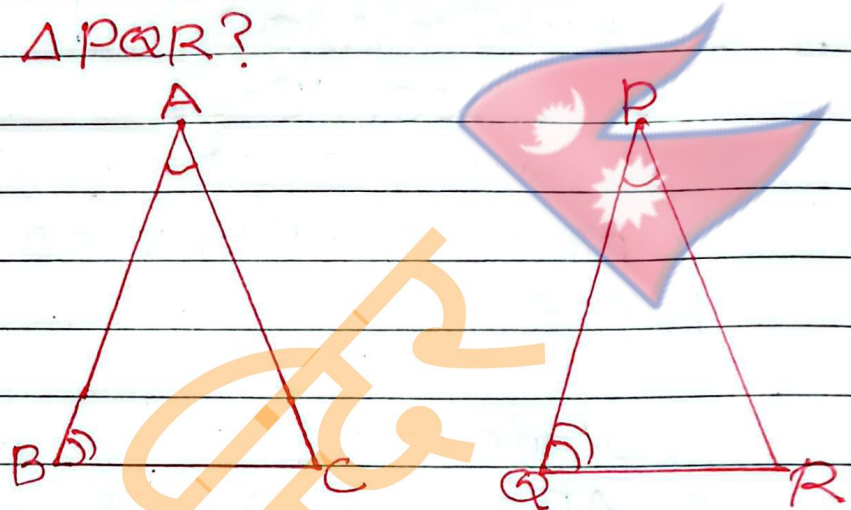


Statement	Reason
1. $AB = CD$ (S)	1. Given
2. $\angle COD = \angle AOB$ (A)	2. Vertically opposite angle
3. $\angle ABC = \angle BCD$ & $\angle ADC = \angle BAD$ (A)	3. Alternate angle
4. $\Delta AOB = \Delta COD$	4. By ASA congruence rule

proved

7. In $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle PQR$, $\angle BAC = \angle QPR$ and $\angle ABC = \angle PQR$.

Which of the given conditions should be added to make $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle PQR$?



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Given:- In $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle PQR$,

$\angle ABC = \angle PQR$ and $\angle BAC = \angle QPR$

To prove:- $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle PQR$

Condition to be Added:- $AB = PQ$

Proof:-

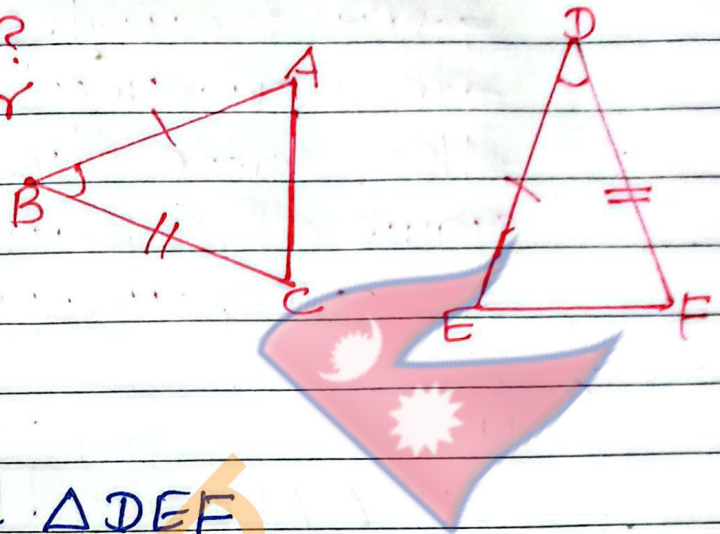
Statement	Reason
1. $\angle ABC = \angle PQR$ (A)	1. Given
2. $\angle BAC = \angle QPR$ (A)	2. Given
3. $AB = PQ$ (S)	3. Condition Added
4. $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle PQR$	4. By SAS Congruence rule

proved

8. By which axiom, $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle DEF$ are congruent?

Also, write a pair of corresponding angles.

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Here,

In $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle DEF$

$$AB = DE \quad (S)$$

$$BC = EF \quad (S)$$

$$\angle ABC = \angle EDF \quad (A)$$

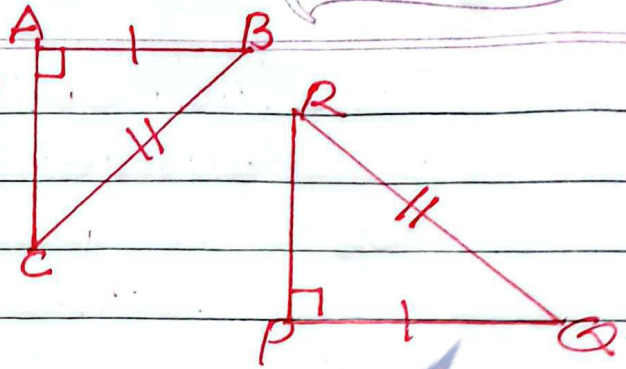
So, by SAS congruency rule, $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle DEF$ are congruent.

Also,

A pair of corresponding angles are:-

$$\angle ABC \text{ and } \angle EDF$$

9. By which axiom given triangles are congruent? Also, write the name of a pair of corresponding angles.



⇒ Solⁿ

Here,

In $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle PQR$,

$$\angle BAC = \angle QPR \text{ (R)}$$

$$BC = QR \text{ (H)}$$

$$AB = PQ \text{ (S)}$$

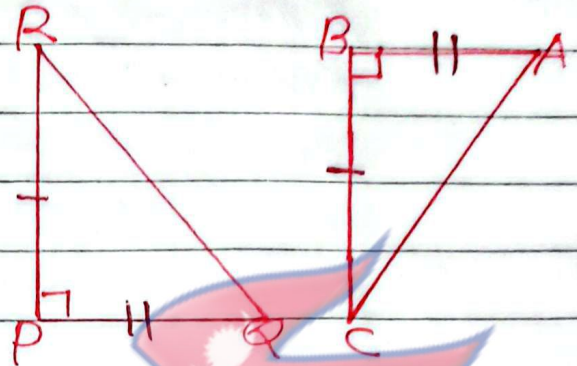
By RHS axiom, $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle PQR$ are congruent.

Also,

The name of a pair of corresponding angles are:-

$$\angle BAC \text{ and } \angle QPR$$

10. In the figure, $\angle RPQ = \angle ABC$, $PR = BC$ and $PQ = AB$,
prove that:-
 $\triangle PQR$ and $\triangle ABC$
are congruent.



⇒ Solⁿ.

Given:- In $\triangle PQR$
and $\triangle ABC$, $\angle RPQ = \angle ABC$, $PR = BC$,
and $PQ = AB$

To prove:- $\triangle PQR \cong \triangle ABC$

Proof:-

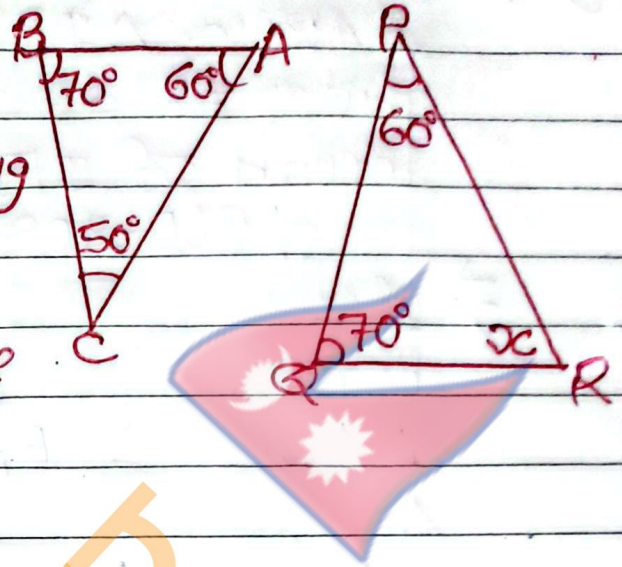
Statement	Reason
1. $\angle RPQ = \angle ABC = 90^\circ$ (A)	1. Given
2. $PR = BC$ (S)	2. Given
3. $PQ = AB$ (S)	3. Given
4. $\triangle PQR \cong \triangle ABC$	4. By SAS congruence rule

proved

Note:- You can also prove it by
[RHS rule]

11. In the given figure, $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle PQR$ then,

(a) Write down the name of corresponding angles and sides.



(b) Find the value of x .

⇒ Solⁿ.

Here,

$$\triangle ABC \sim \triangle PQR,$$

(a) The corresponding angles are:-

- * $\angle A$ and $\angle P$
- * $\angle B$ and $\angle Q$
- * $\angle C$ and $\angle R$

The corresponding sides are:-

- * AB and PQ
- * BC and QR
- * AC and PR

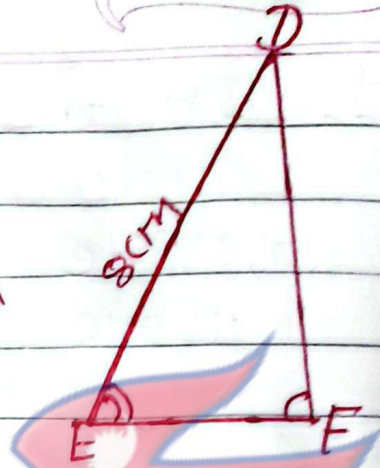
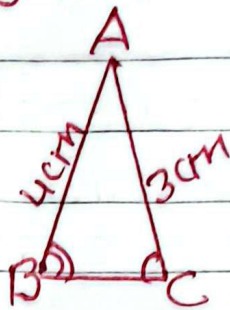
(b) Here,

$$\angle R = \angle C$$

$$\therefore x = 50^\circ$$

Thus, the value of x is 50° .

~~Q. 12.~~ In the given figure,
 $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle DEF$,
then find the
length of DF
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⇒ Solⁿ.

Here,

$\triangle ABC \sim \triangle DEF$ and $\angle B = \angle E$, $\angle C = \angle F$

Now,

$$\frac{AB}{DE} = \frac{AC}{DF} \quad [\because \text{Corresponding sides of similar triangles are proportional}]$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{4}{8} = \frac{3}{DF}$$

$$\text{or, } DF \times 4 = 3 \times 8$$

$$\text{or, } DF = \frac{24}{4}$$

$$\therefore DF = 6\text{cm}$$

Thus, the length of DF is 6cm.

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Q 13. If $\triangle ADE \sim \triangle ABC$, find the length of DE.

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Here,

$\triangle ABC \sim \triangle ADE$ and

$BC \parallel DE$

Now,

$\frac{AC}{AE} = \frac{BC}{DE}$ [\because corresponding sides of similar triangles are proportional]

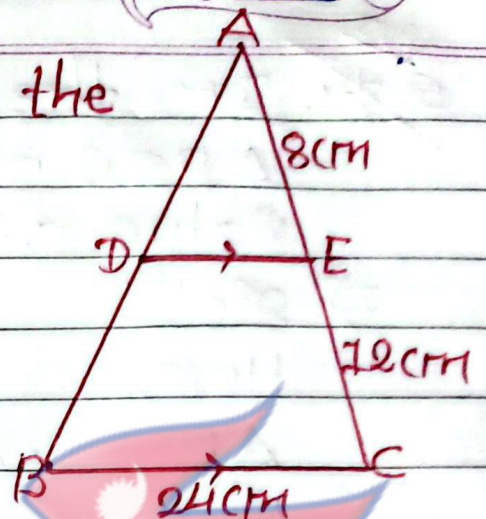
$$\text{or, } \frac{(12+8)}{8} = \frac{24}{DE}$$

$$\text{or, } 20 \times DE = 24 \times 8$$

$$\text{or, } DE = \frac{192}{20}$$

$$\therefore DE = 9.6 \text{ cm}$$

Thus, the length of DE is 9.6 cm



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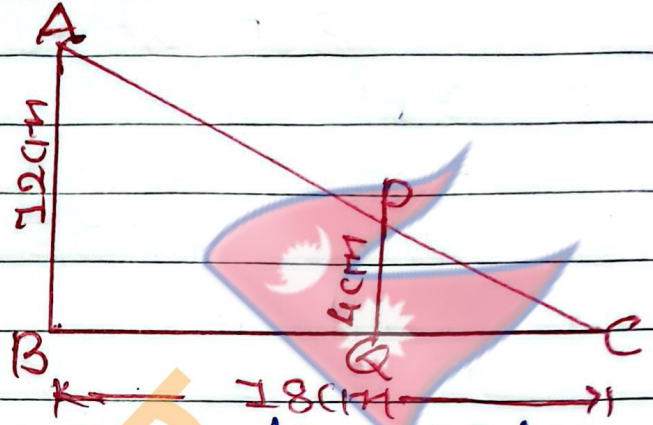
Q. 14. In the given figure if $\Delta PQC \sim \Delta ABC$, find the value of QC .

⇒ Solⁿ.

Here,

$$\Delta PQC \sim \Delta ABC$$

Now,



$$\frac{AB}{PQ} = \frac{BC}{QC} \quad [\because \text{corresponding sides of similar triangles are proportional}]$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{12}{4} = \frac{18}{QC}$$

$$\text{or, } QC \times 12 = 18 \times 4$$

$$\text{or, } QC = \frac{72}{12}$$

$$\therefore QC = 6\text{cm}$$

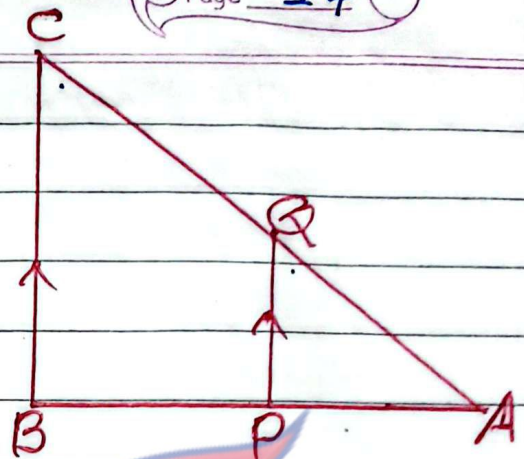
Thus,

the value of QC is 6cm.

Q. 15 In the given figure, $BC \parallel PQ$. show that $\Delta ABC \sim \Delta APQ$.

⇒ Solⁿ

Given:- In ΔABC and ΔAPQ , $BC \parallel PQ$



To prove:- $\Delta ABC \sim \Delta APQ$

proof:-

Statement	Reason
1. $\angle PQA = \angle BCA$ (A)	1. Corresponding angle ($BC \parallel PQ$)
2. $\angle QPA = \angle CBA$ (A)	2. Corresponding angle ($BC \parallel PQ$)
3. $\Delta ABC \sim \Delta APQ$	3. By AA rule

proved