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CONGRUENT TRIANGLES

Two triangles are said to be **congruent** to each other, if on placing one over the other, they exactly coincide.

In fact, two triangles are congruent, if they have exactly the *same shape* and the *same size*. i.e., all the angles and all the sides of one triangle are equal to the corresponding angles and the corresponding sides of the other triangle each to each.

Triangles with same shape means : Angles of one triangle are equal to angles of other triangle each to each.

Triangles with same size means : Sides of one triangle are equal to sides of other triangle each to each.

The given figure shows two triangles ABC and DEF such that :

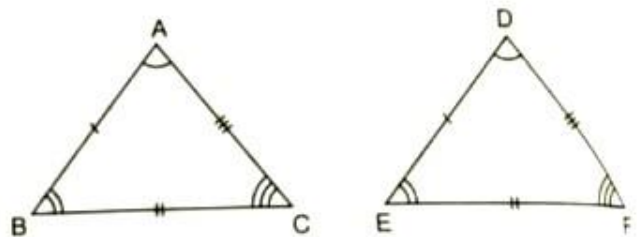
(i) $\angle A = \angle D$; $\angle B = \angle E$ and $\angle C = \angle F$.

(ii) $AB = DE$; $BC = EF$ and $AC = DF$.

$\therefore \Delta ABC$ is congruent to ΔDEF

and we write : $\Delta ABC \cong \Delta DEF$.

The symbol \cong is read as "is congruent to".



1. Congruent figures (triangles) always coincide by *superposition* i.e. by placing one figure over the other.
2. In congruent triangles, the sides and the angles that *coincide* by *superposition* are called *corresponding sides* and *corresponding angles*.
3. The corresponding sides lie *opposite* to the *equal angles* and corresponding angles lie *opposite* to the *equal sides*.

In the figure alongside, $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle EFD$.

Since, $\angle A = \angle E$, therefore the side opposite to $\angle A$ and the side opposite to $\angle E$ are corresponding sides i.e., BC and DF are corresponding sides.

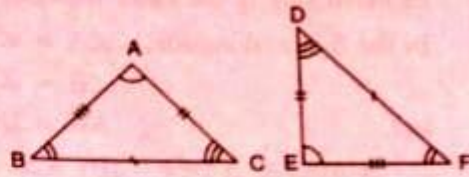
Similarly, AB and EF are corresponding sides as $\angle C = \angle D$.

Also, AC and DE are corresponding sides.

Conversely, as side AB = side EF, therefore, angles opposite to these sides i.e. $\angle C$ and $\angle D$ are the corresponding angles and so on.

4. Corresponding Parts of Congruent Triangles are also Congruent.

Abbreviated as : **C.P.C.T.C.**



CONDITIONS FOR CONGRUENCY OF TRIANGLES

1. If two sides and the included angle of one triangle are equal to two sides and the included angle of the other triangle, the triangles are congruent.

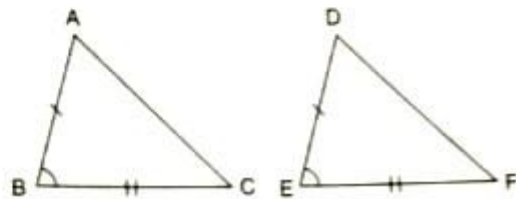
Abbreviated as : **S.A.S.**

In the figure alongside,

$$AB = DE;$$

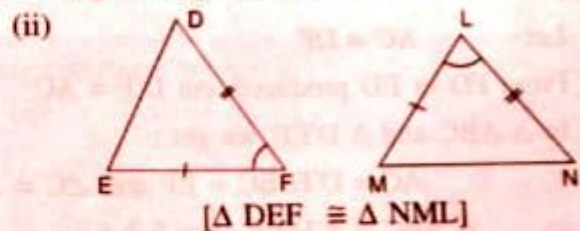
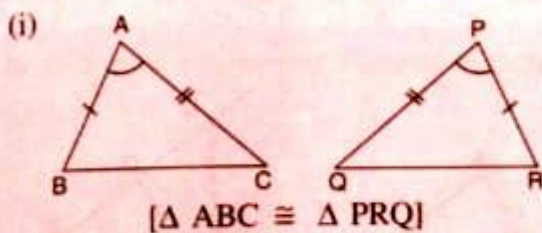
$$BC = EF \text{ and } \angle B = \angle E.$$

$$\therefore \triangle ABC \cong \triangle DEF \text{ [By S.A.S.]}$$



Triangles will be congruent only when the equal angles are the included angles.

In each of the following figures, triangles are congruent by S.A.S. :



Proof :

Let triangles ABC and DEF have $AB = DE$, $AC = DF$ and $\angle A = \angle D$.

Required to prove : $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle DEF$

Place $\triangle ABC$ over $\triangle DEF$ such that A falls on D and B falls on E.

Since, $\angle A = \angle D$, so AC will fall on DF.

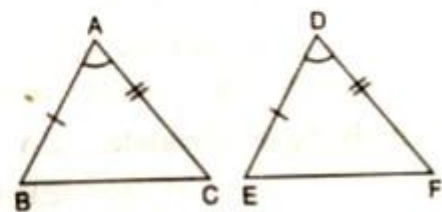
$\therefore AC = DF$ and A falls on D

$\therefore C$ will fall on F

Since, A falls on D, B falls on E and C falls on F

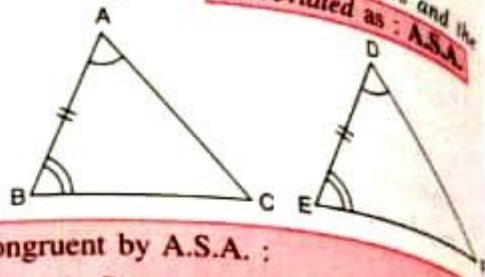
$\Rightarrow \triangle ABC$ covers $\triangle DEF$ completely

$\Rightarrow \triangle ABC \cong \triangle DEF$

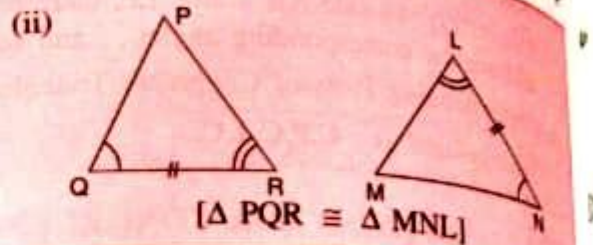
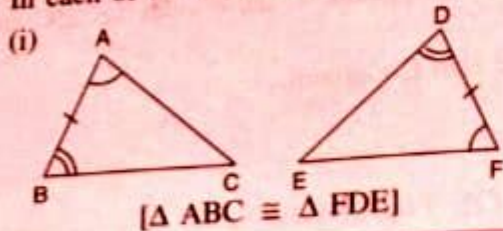


2. If two angles and the included side of one triangle are equal to two angles and the included side of the other triangle, the triangles are congruent. **Abbreviated as : A.S.A.**

In the figure alongside, $\angle A = \angle D$,
 $\angle B = \angle E$
 and, $AB = DE$
 $\therefore \Delta ABC \cong \Delta DEF$ [By A.S.A.]



In each of the following figures, triangles are congruent by A.S.A. :



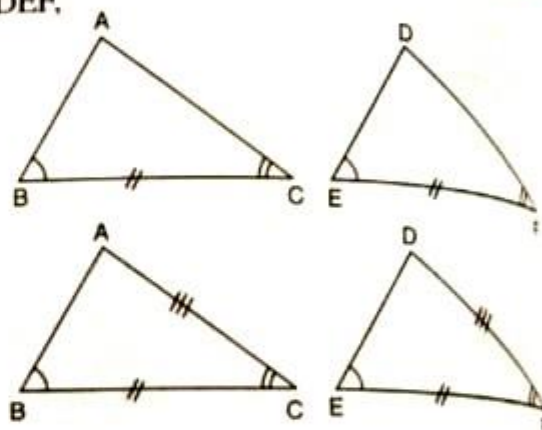
Proof :

Let triangles ABC and DEF have $\angle ABC = \angle DEF$,
 $\angle ACB = \angle DFE$ and $BC = EF$

Required to prove : $\Delta ABC \cong \Delta DEF$

Case 1 :

Let $AC = DF$
 $\therefore BC = EF$ (given)
 and $\angle C = \angle F$ (given)
 $\therefore \Delta ABC \cong \Delta DEF$ (by S.A.S.)



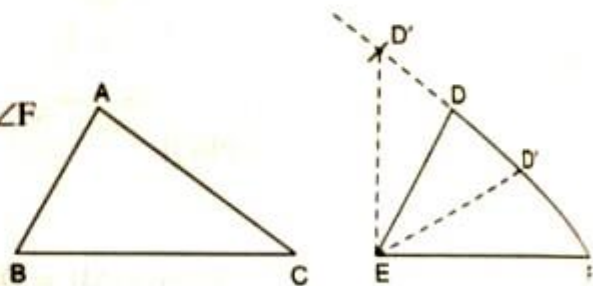
Case 2 :

Let $AC \neq DF$

From FD or FD produced, cut $D'F = AC$

In ΔABC and $\Delta D'EF$, we get :

$AC = D'F$, $BC = EF$ and $\angle C = \angle F$
 $\Rightarrow \Delta ABC \cong \Delta D'EF$ (by S.A.S.)
 $\Rightarrow \angle B = \angle D'EF$
 $\Rightarrow \angle D'EF = \angle DEF$



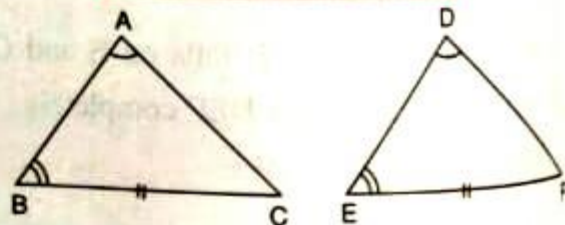
Now $AC = D'F = DF$, $BC = EF$ and $\angle C = \angle F$

This is possible only if D and D' coincide.

$\Rightarrow \Delta ABC \cong \Delta DEF$ (by S.A.S.)

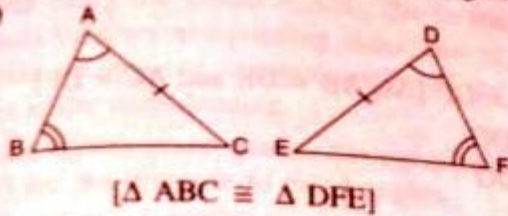
3. If two angles and one side of one triangle are equal to two angles and the corresponding side of the other triangle, the triangles are congruent. **Abbreviated as : A.A.S.**

In the figure alongside, $\angle A = \angle D$,
 $\angle B = \angle E$
 and, $BC = EF$
 $\therefore \Delta ABC \cong \Delta DEF$ [By A.A.S.]



In each of the following figures, triangles are congruent by A.A.S. :

(i)



(ii)



Proof

Let in ΔABC and ΔDEF ; $\angle A = \angle D$,
 $\angle B = \angle E$ and $BC = EF$

Required to prove : $\Delta ABC \cong \Delta DEF$

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

and $\angle D + \angle E + \angle F = 180^\circ$

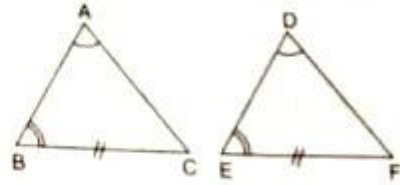
$\Rightarrow \cancel{\angle A} + \cancel{\angle B} + \angle C = \cancel{\angle D} + \cancel{\angle E} + \angle F$ [As, $\angle A = \angle D$ and $\angle B = \angle E$]

$\Rightarrow \angle C = \angle F$

Now, $\angle B = \angle E$, $\angle C = \angle F$ and $BC = EF$

$\Rightarrow \Delta ABC \cong \Delta DEF$

(by A.S.A)



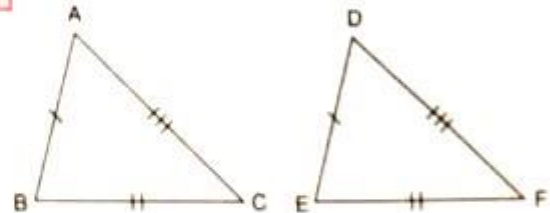
4. If three sides of one triangle are equal to three sides of the other triangle, each to each, the triangles are congruent. **Abbreviated as : S.S.S.**

In the figure alongside, $AB = DE$,

$BC = EF$

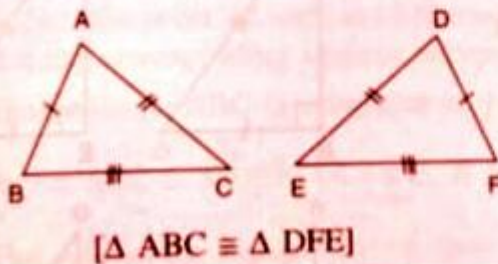
and, $AC = DF$

$\therefore \Delta ABC \cong \Delta DEF$. [By S.S.S.].

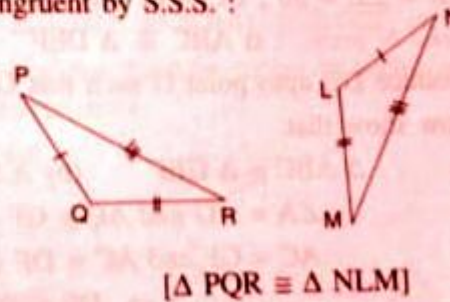


In each of the following figures, triangles are congruent by S.S.S. :

(i)



(ii)



Proof :

Let ΔABC and ΔDEF have $AB = DE$, $AC = DF$ and $BC = EF$.

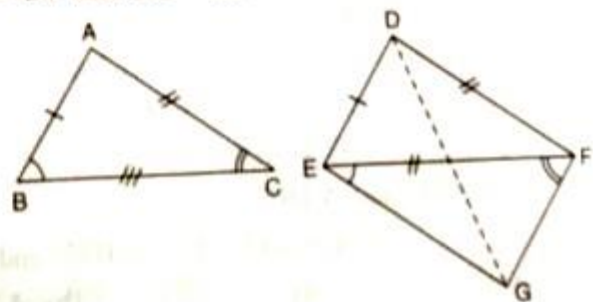
Required to prove : $\Delta ABC \cong \Delta DEF$

Let BC be the longest side of triangle ABC and so EF is the longest side of triangle DEF .

Draw EG so that $\angle FEG = \angle CBA$ and $\angle EFG = \angle BCA$. Join D and G .

Now in ΔABC and ΔGEF ,

$BC = EF$ (given)

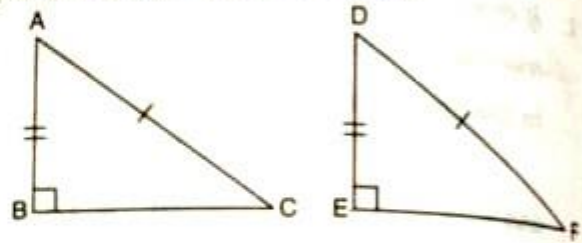


$\angle CBA = \angle FEG$ (by construction)
 $\angle BCA = \angle EFG$ (by construction)
 $\Rightarrow \Delta ABC \equiv \Delta GEF$ (by A.S.A.)
 $\Rightarrow \angle A = \angle EGF, DE = GE$ and $DF = GF$ [As, $AB = DE$ and $AC = DF$]
 In $\Delta EGD, DE = GE \Rightarrow \angle EGD = \angle EDG$
 and, in $\Delta FGD, DF = GF \Rightarrow \angle FGD = \angle FDG$
 $\Rightarrow \angle EGD + \angle FGD = \angle EDG + \angle FDG$
 $\Rightarrow \angle EGF = \angle EDF$
 $\Rightarrow \angle A = \angle EDF$ [$\because \angle EGF = \angle A$]
 $\Rightarrow \angle A = \angle D$
 In ΔABC and $\Delta DEF,$
 $AB = DE,$
 $AC = DF$ and
 $\angle A = \angle D$
 $\Rightarrow \Delta ABC \equiv \Delta DEF$ (by S.A.S.)

5. Two right-angled triangles are congruent, if the hypotenuse and one side of one triangle are equal to the hypotenuse and corresponding side of the other triangle. **Abbreviated as : R.H.S.**

The given figure shows two right-angled triangles ABC and DEF such that :

$\angle B = \angle E = 90^\circ;$
 $AC = DF$
 and, $AB = DE$
 $\therefore \Delta ABC \equiv \Delta DEF.$ [By R.H.S.]



Proof :

Let in right angled triangles ABC and DEF,
 $\angle B = \angle E = 90^\circ, BC = EF$ and $AC = DF$

Required to prove : $\Delta ABC \equiv \Delta DEF$

Produce DE upto point G such that $GE = AB$.

Now show that

$\Rightarrow \Delta ABC \equiv \Delta GEF$ (by A.S.A.)
 $\Rightarrow \angle A = \angle G$ and $AC = GF$
 $\Rightarrow AC = GF$ and $AC = DF$ (given)
 $\Rightarrow DF = GF$
 $\Rightarrow \angle G = \angle D$
 $\Rightarrow \angle A = \angle D$ (as, $\angle A = \angle G$)

In ΔABC and ΔDEF

$\angle A = \angle D$ (proved above)

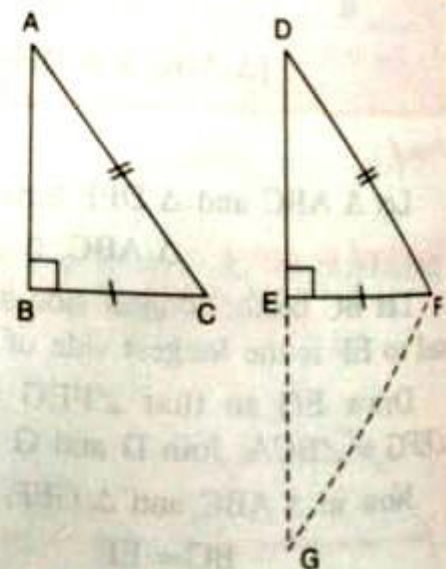
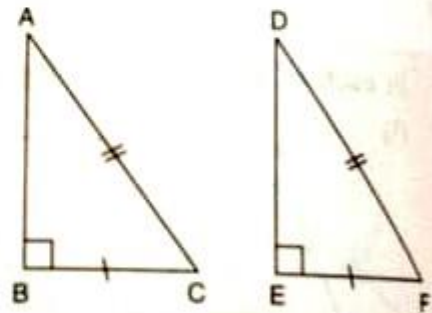
$\angle B = \angle DEF = 90^\circ$

$\Rightarrow \angle C = \angle DFE$

In ΔABC and $\Delta DEF,$

$\angle A = \angle D, \angle C = \angle DFE$ and $AC = DF$

$\Rightarrow \Delta ABC \equiv \Delta DEF$ (by A.S.A.)



CONGRUENCY OF TRIANGLES

Ex.1. Which of the following pairs of triangles are congruent? Give reason.

(a) $\triangle ABC : BC = 4 \text{ cm}, CA = 5 \text{ cm}, \angle C = 70^\circ$

$\triangle PQR : PQ = 4 \text{ cm}, QR = 5 \text{ cm}, \angle Q = 70^\circ$

(b) $\triangle ABC : AB = 4 \text{ cm}, BC = 5 \text{ cm}, \angle B = 70^\circ$

$\triangle PQR : PQ = 4 \text{ cm}, RP = 5 \text{ cm}, \angle R = 70^\circ$

(c) $\triangle ABC : AB = 5 \text{ cm}, BC = 7 \text{ cm}, CA = 9 \text{ cm}$

$\triangle PQR : PQ = 7 \text{ cm}, QR = 5 \text{ cm}, RP = 9 \text{ cm}$

Sol. (a) $\triangle ABC : BC = 4 \text{ cm}, CA = 5 \text{ cm}, \angle C = 70^\circ$

$\triangle PQR : PQ = 4 \text{ cm}, QR = 5 \text{ cm}, \angle Q = 70^\circ$

Yes, $\triangle BCA \cong \triangle PQR$

[SAS condition of congruency is satisfied]

(b) $\triangle ABC : AB = 4 \text{ cm}, BC = 5 \text{ cm}, \angle B = 70^\circ$

$\triangle PQR : PQ = 4 \text{ cm}, RP = 5 \text{ cm}, \angle R = 70^\circ$

$\triangle ABC$ is not congruent to $\triangle PQR$, because two sides are equal but included angle is not same

(c) $\triangle ABC : AB = 5 \text{ cm}, BC = 7 \text{ cm}, CA = 9 \text{ cm}$

$\triangle PQR : PQ = 7 \text{ cm}, QR = 5 \text{ cm}, RP = 9 \text{ cm}$

$\triangle ABC \cong \triangle RQP$

[SSS condition of congruency is satisfied]

Ex.2. ABC and DEF are two triangles in which $AB = DF$, $\angle ACB = 70^\circ$, $\angle ABC = 50^\circ$, $\angle DEF = 70^\circ$ and $\angle EDF = 60^\circ$. Prove that the two triangles are congruent.

Sol. In $\triangle ABC$, $\angle BAC = 60^\circ$ and in $\triangle DEF$, $\angle DFE = 50^\circ$

(\because Sum of angles of a triangle is 180°)

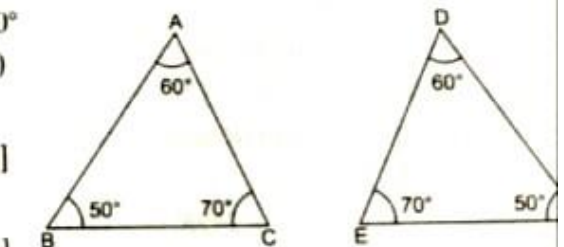
In $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle DEF$,

$AB = DF$ [Given]

$\angle BAC = \angle EDF = 60^\circ$

$\angle ACB = \angle DEF = 70^\circ$ [Given]

Hence, $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle DFE$



[\because AAS-condition of congruency is satisfied]

Ex.3. In the given figure, $\angle R = \angle S$ and $\angle RPQ = \angle PQS$. Prove that $PS = QR$.

Sol. Given: $\angle R = \angle S$ and $\angle RPQ = \angle PQS$

To prove: $PS = QR$

Proof: In $\triangle PQS$ and $\triangle PQR$, we have

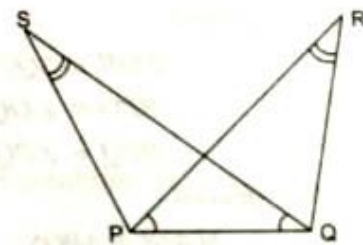
$PQ = PQ$

$\angle PSQ = \angle PRQ$

$\angle RPQ = \angle PQS$

Hence, $\triangle PQS \cong \triangle PQR$

$\therefore PS = QR$



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Ex.4. In the given figure, $AB = BC$, $AD \perp BC$, $CE \perp AB$. Prove that $AD = CE$.

Sol. Given: $AB = BC$, $AD \perp BC$ and $CE \perp AB$ [Given]

To prove: $AD = CE$

Proof: $AB = BC$ [Given]

\therefore In $\triangle ABC$, $\angle ACB = \angle CAB$ [\because opposite \angle s of equal sides are equal]

In $\triangle ACE$ and $\triangle DCB$, $\angle EAC = \angle DCB$ [$\angle ACB = \angle CAB$]

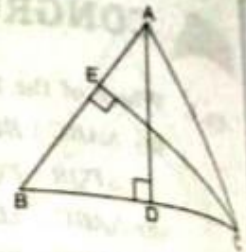
$$\angle CEA = \angle DCB = 90^\circ$$

$$AC = AC$$

Hence, $\triangle ACE \cong \triangle DCB$

$$AD = CE$$

\therefore Hence proved.



[AC is common]
[AAS]
[CPCT]

Ex.5. In the given figure, AD bisects $\angle A$, $DE \perp CA$ and $DF \perp AB$. Prove that $AF = AE$.

Sol. Given: AD is the bisector of $\angle BAC$, $DE \perp CA$ and $DF \perp AB$

To prove: $AF = AE$

Proof: In $\triangle AFD$ and $\triangle AED$

$$AD = AD$$

$$\angle FAD = \angle DAE$$

$$\angle AFD = \angle AED = 90^\circ$$

$\therefore \triangle AFD \cong \triangle AED$

Hence, $AF = AE$

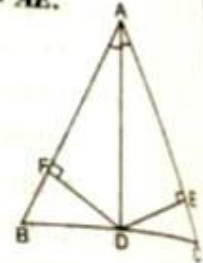
[Common]

[$\because AD$ is bisector of $\angle FAE$]

[$\because DF \perp AB$ and $DE \perp AC$]

[\because AAS-conditions of congruency is satisfied]

[CPCT]



Ex.6. Two line segments PQ and RS bisect each other at O . Prove that:

(a) $PR = QS$

(b) $\angle RPQ = \angle PQS$

(c) $PS \parallel RQ$

(d) $PS = RQ$

Sol. Given: PQ and RS bisect each other at O .

To prove: (a) $PR = QS$ (b) $\angle RPQ = \angle PQS$ (c) $PS \parallel RQ$ (d) $PS = RQ$

Proof: (a) In $\triangle POR$ and $\triangle QOS$, we have joined PR , PS , RQ and QS , $OR = OS$

$$PO = OQ$$

$$\angle POR = \angle QOS$$

Hence, $\triangle POR \cong \triangle QOS$

$\therefore PR = QS$

Hence proved.

(b) $\because \triangle POR \cong \triangle QOS$

Hence, $\angle RPO = \angle OQS$

$\Rightarrow \angle RPQ = \angle PQS$

Hence proved.

(c) Similarly, $\triangle QOR \cong \triangle POS$

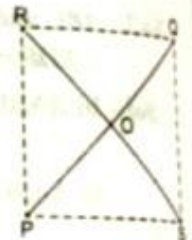
$\therefore \angle OQR = \angle OPS$

Hence, $PS \parallel QR$

(d) $\because \triangle QOR \cong \triangle POS$

Hence, $PS = RQ$

Hence proved.



[Given]

[Vertically opposite \angle s]

[\because SAS-condition of congruency is satisfied]

[CPCT]

[CPCT]

[\because SAS-condition of congruency is satisfied]

[CPCT]

[Pair of alternate interior \angle s are equal]

[CPCT]

Ex.7. In the given figure, $AB = BC$ and $AD = CD$. Prove that:
 (a) $\angle ADE = \text{a right angle}$ (b) $AE = EC$.

Sol. Given: $AB = BC$ and $AD = DC$
 To prove: (a) $\angle ADE = 90^\circ$ (b) $AE = EC$
 Proof: In $\triangle ABD$ and $\triangle CBD$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} AB &= BC \\ AD &= DC \\ BD &= BD \end{aligned}$$

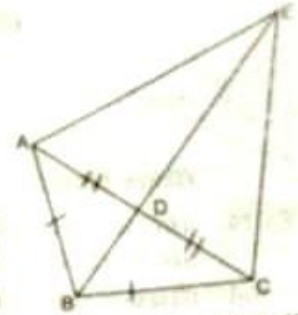
Hence, $\triangle ABD \cong \triangle CBD$
 $\angle ADB = \angle CDB$

(a) But, $\angle ADB$ and $\angle CDB$ form a linear pair of angles,
 $\angle ADB + \angle CDB = 180^\circ$
 $\angle ADE = \angle CDB = 90^\circ$
 $\angle ADE = 90^\circ$

(b) In $\triangle ADE$ and $\triangle CDE$, we have DE is common

$$\begin{aligned} AD &= DC \\ \angle ADE &= \angle EDC = 90^\circ \end{aligned}$$

So $\triangle ADE \cong \triangle CDE$
 Hence, $AE = EC$.



[Given]
 [Given]
 [Common]

\therefore SSS-condition of congruency is satisfied
 [CPCT]

[Vertically opposite \angle s]
 Hence proved.

Ex.8. In the given figure, $AB = AC$ and $AP = AQ$. Prove that:

(a) $\triangle APC \cong \triangle AQB$. (b) $\triangle BPC \cong \triangle CQB$.

Sol. Given: $AB = AC$ and $AP = AQ$
 To prove: (a) $\triangle APC \cong \triangle AQB$ (b) $\triangle BPC \cong \triangle CQB$

Proof: $AB - AP = AC - AQ$
 i.e. $PB = QC$

(a) In $\triangle APC$ and $\triangle AQB$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} AP &= AQ \\ \angle PAC &= \angle BAQ \\ AB &= AC \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $\triangle APC \cong \triangle AQB$
 $CP = BQ$

Hence proved.

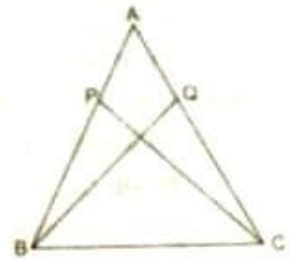
(b) In $\triangle BPC$ and $\triangle CQB$, we have BC is common

$$PB = CQ \text{ and } CP = BQ$$

$\therefore \triangle BPC \cong \triangle CQB$

Hence proved.

$\therefore AP = AQ$



[Given]
 [Common]
 [Given]

\therefore SAS-condition of congruency is satisfied
 [CPCT]

[Proved above]

\therefore SSS-condition of congruency is satisfied

Ex.9. In the given figure, it is given that $AE = AD$ and $BD = CE$. Prove that $\triangle AEB \cong \triangle ADC$.

Sol. $AE = AD$
 and $BD = CE$

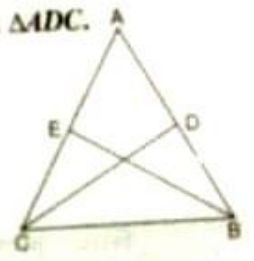
In $\triangle AEB$ and $\triangle ADC$,

$$\begin{aligned} AE &= AD \\ CE &= BD \end{aligned}$$

[Given]

[Given]

[Given]



$$\begin{aligned}
 AE + CE &= AD + BD \\
 AC &= AB \\
 \angle EAB &= \angle DAC \\
 \triangle AEB &\cong \triangle ADC
 \end{aligned}$$

(\therefore SAS condition of congruency is satisfied) [Common]

Hence proved.

Ex. 10. ABC is a triangle. The bisector of the angle BCA meets AB in D . A point Y lies on CD such that $AD = AY$. Prove that $\angle CAY = \angle ABC$.

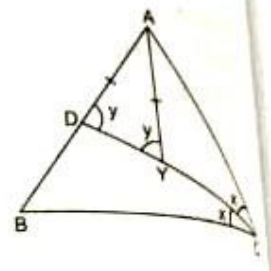
Sol. Given: CD is the bisector of $\angle ACB$. $AD = AY$
To prove: $\angle CAY = \angle ABC$

Proof: Let $\angle ACD = \angle BCD = x$
and $\angle ADY = \angle AYD = y$
In $\triangle ADC$, $y + x + \angle DAC = 180^\circ$ [Sum of all \angle s of a \triangle is 180°]
 $\angle DAC = 180^\circ - (x + y)$

Also in $\triangle ABC$, $\angle ABC + 2x + 180^\circ - (x + y) = 180^\circ$
 $\angle ABC = y - x$

In $\triangle AYC$, $\angle AYC = 180^\circ - y$
 $\angle YAC = 180^\circ - [x + (180^\circ - y)]$
 $\angle YAC = y - x$

From equation (i) and (ii), $\angle CAY = \angle ABC$



[Linear pair]

Hence proved.

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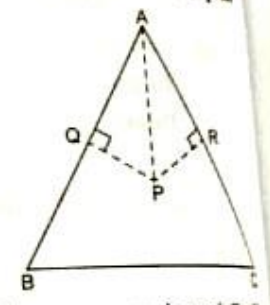
Ex. 11. P is any point in the $\triangle ABC$ such that the perpendicular drawn from P on AB and AC are equal. Prove that AP is the bisector of $\angle BAC$.

Sol. Given: P is a point in $\triangle ABC$. $PQ \perp AB$ and $PR \perp AC$. Also $PQ = PR$
To prove: $\angle BAP = \angle CAP$

Proof: In $\triangle APQ$ and $\triangle APR$, we have
 AP is common.

$$\begin{aligned}
 PQ &= PR \\
 \angle AQP &= \angle ARP = 90^\circ \\
 \triangle APQ &\cong \triangle APR \\
 \angle QAP &= \angle RAP
 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore AP$ is bisector of $\angle BAC$



[Given] \therefore RHS-condition of congruency is satisfied [CPCT]

Hence proved.

Ex. 12. ABC is a triangle. D and E are mid-points of the sides AB and AC respectively. DE is produced to F , such that $DE = EF$. Prove that $\triangle ADE \cong \triangle EFC$.

Sol. Given: D and E are mid-points of AB and AC respectively.
 DE is produced to F such that $DE = EF$

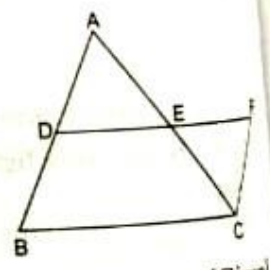
To prove: $\triangle ADE \cong \triangle EFC$
Proof: In $\triangle ADE$ and $\triangle EFC$

$$\begin{aligned}
 DE &= EF \\
 \angle AED &= \angle FEC \\
 AE &= EC \\
 \triangle ADE &\cong \triangle EFC
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence proved.

[Given] [Vertically opposite \angle s]

\therefore SAS-condition of congruency is satisfied



[Given]

Ex.13. In the given figure, $AB = AC$. $BD \perp AC$, $CE \perp AB$. Prove that $BD = CE$.

Sol. Given: $BD \perp AC$ and $CE \perp AB$. $AB = AC$

To Prove: $BD = CE$

Proof: In $\triangle ABD$ and $\triangle ACE$, we have

$$AB = AC$$

$\angle A$ is common

$$\angle BDA = \angle AEC = 90^\circ$$

Hence,

$$\triangle ABD \cong \triangle ACE$$

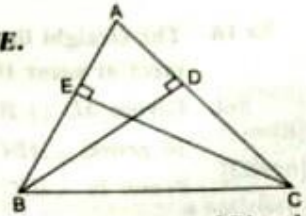
$$BD = EC$$

[\because AAS-condition of congruency is satisfied]

[Given]

[Given]

[CPCT]



Ex.14. Prove that any point on the bisector of an angle is equidistant from the arms of the angle.

Sol. Given: An $\angle ABC$ and P is any point on bisector of $\angle ABC$.

Const. Draw $PQ \perp AB$ and $PR \perp BC$.

To prove: $PQ = PR$

Proof: In $\triangle BPQ$ and $\triangle BPR$, we have

BP is common.

$$\angle QBP = \angle PBR$$

[BP is bisector of $\angle ABC$]

$$\angle PQB = \angle PRB = 90^\circ$$

[Given]

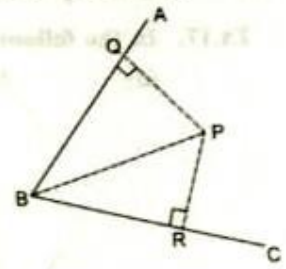
Hence,

$$\triangle BPQ \cong \triangle BPR$$

[\because AAS-condition of congruency is satisfied]

$$PQ = PR$$

[CPCT]



Ex.15. Prove that the internal bisectors of the angles of a triangle are concurrent.

Sol. Given: ABC is a triangle. BI , CI internal bisectors of $\angle B$ and $\angle C$ meet at I . AI bisects $\angle A$ internally.

To prove: Bisectors of $\angle A$, $\angle B$ and $\angle C$ meet at I .

i.e., they are concurrent.

Const. Draw ID , IE , IF perpendiculars on BC , CA and AB respectively.

Proof: In $\triangle IBF$ and $\triangle IDB$,

$$\angle IFB = \angle IDB = 90^\circ$$

[By construction]

$$\angle IBD = \angle IBF$$

[BI is bisector]

$$BI = BI \text{ is common}$$

\therefore

$$\triangle IBF \cong \triangle IDB$$

[\because AAS-condition of congruency is satisfied]

\therefore

$$IF = ID$$

[CPCT]

Similarly, in $\triangle IDC$, $\triangle IEC$ and in $\triangle IAF$, $\triangle IAE$, we can have,

$$IE = ID, IF = IE$$

In $\triangle AIF$ and $\triangle AIE$

[By construction]

$$\angle AFI = \angle AEI = 90^\circ$$

$$AI = AI$$

\therefore

$$\triangle AFI \cong \triangle AEI$$

[\because RHS-condition of congruency is satisfied]

\therefore

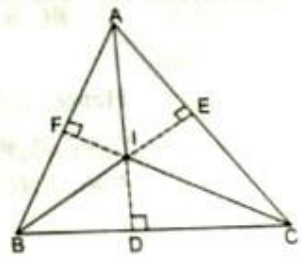
$$\angle FAI = \angle EAI$$

[CPCT]

$\therefore AI$ bisects $\angle BAC$

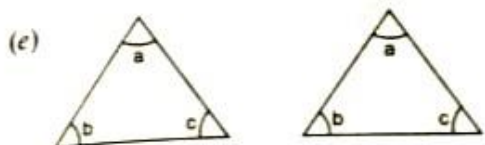
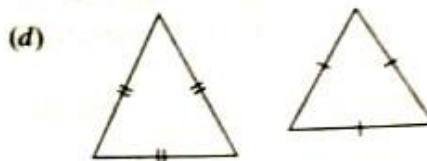
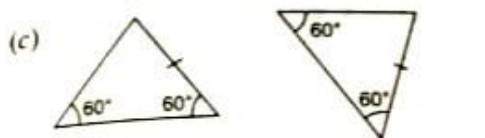
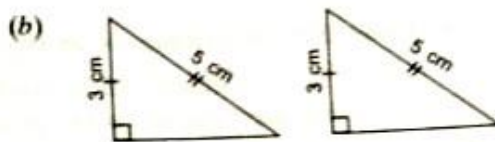
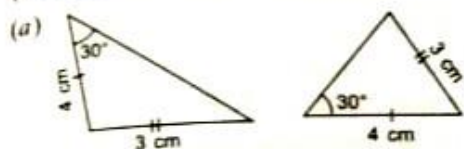
Hence, internal bisectors of the angles of a Δ are concurrent.

Hence prove



Practice Questions

1. State which of the pair of triangles are congruent. Mention in each case the type of congruency (namely, *SSS*, *SAS*, *AAS*, *RHS*)



2. In the given fig. (i), prove that $AE = BD$.
 3. In the given fig. (ii), prove that AD and BC bisect each other at O .
 4. In the given fig. (iii), P is a point in the interior of $\angle LMN$ such that $PA \perp ML$, $PB \perp MN$ and $PA = PB$. Show that P lies on the bisector of $\angle LMN$.

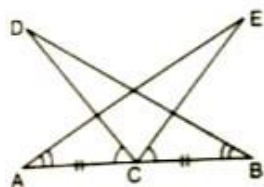


Fig. (i)

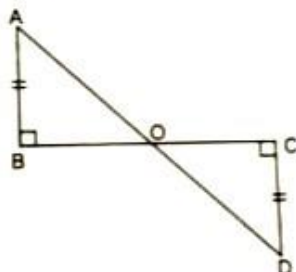


Fig. (ii)

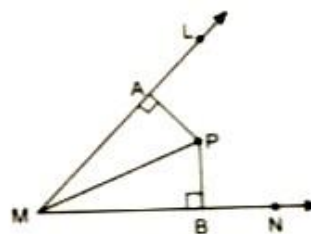


Fig. (iii)

5. In the given fig. (iv), prove that
 (a) $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle ADC$ (b) $\angle B = \angle D$ (c) $AB = CD$ and $BC = AD$
 6. In the given fig. (v), OP bisects $\angle P$ and $\angle OQP = \angle ORP$, prove that $\triangle OPQ \cong \triangle OPR$.
 7. In the given fig. (vi), $ABCD$ is a square and EF is parallel to BD . R is the mid-point of EF . Prove that
 (a) $BE = DF$ (b) AR bisects $\angle BAD$ (c) If AR is produced it will pass through C .

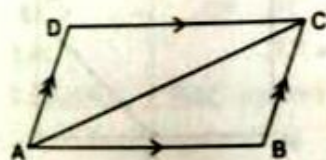


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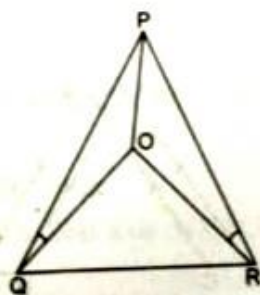


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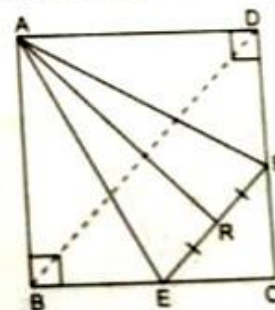


Fig. (vi)