

Round 3 Geometry

Angles and Triangles

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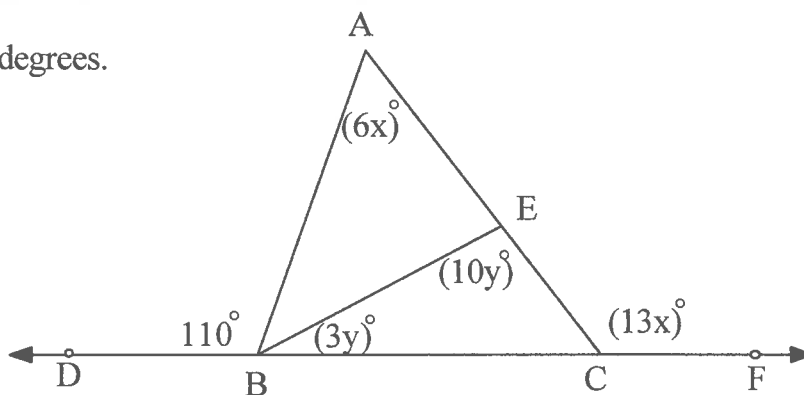
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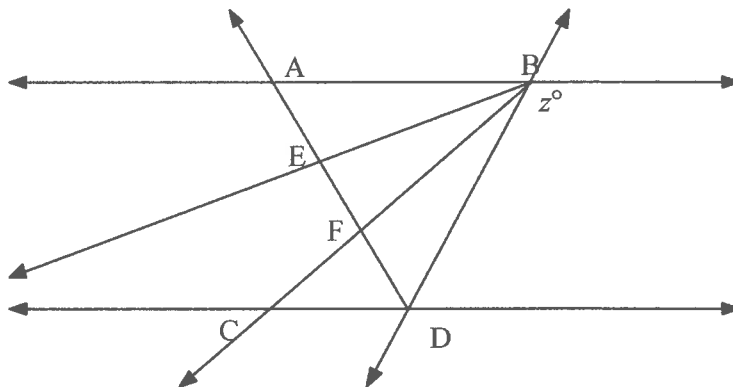
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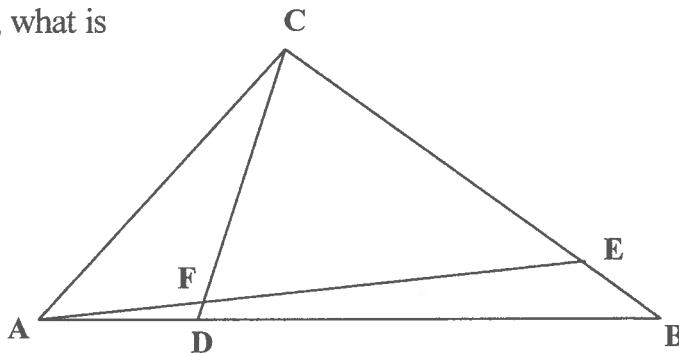
1. Find the measure of $\angle AEB$ in degrees.



2. If \overline{AB} is parallel to \overline{CD} , \overline{BE} and \overline{BF} trisect $\angle ABD$, \overline{DA} bisects $\angle CDB$, and $m \angle BED = 77^\circ$, find z .



3. Given $m \angle CBA : m \angle BAC : m \angle ACB = 3:4:8$, $\overline{BD} \cong \overline{BC}$, and $\overline{CA} \cong \overline{CE}$, what is measure of $\angle AFC$ in degrees?



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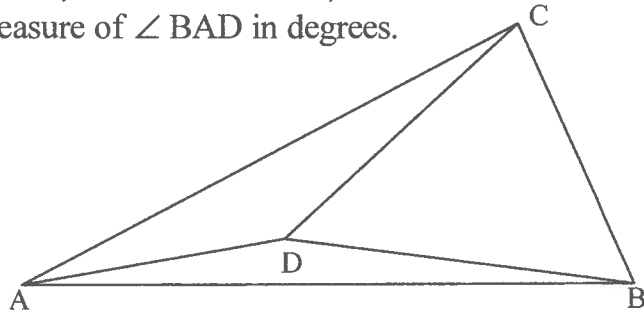
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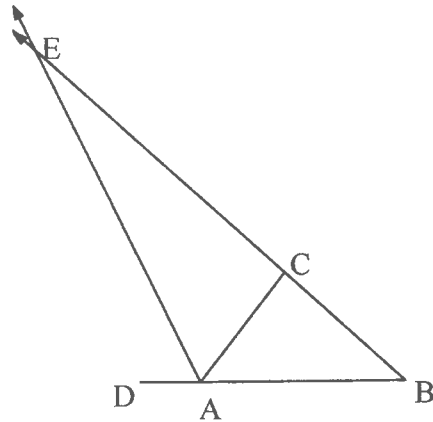
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1. Given $m \angle CAB = 36^\circ$, $m \angle BCD = 56^\circ$, $m \angle ADC = 141^\circ$, $AC = AB$, and $CB = CD$, find the measure of $\angle BAD$ in degrees.



2. If $m \angle CAD = (2x^2)^\circ$, $m \angle ABC = (5x + 2)^\circ$, $m \angle ACB = (10x + 6)^\circ$, and the bisector of $\angle CAD$ intersects \overrightarrow{BC} at point E, find the measure of $\angle AEB$ in degrees.



3. The measures of consecutive angles of a convex polygon are $171^\circ, 173^\circ, 176^\circ, 171^\circ, 173^\circ, 176^\circ, \dots, 171^\circ, 173^\circ, 176^\circ$, the same group of three measures appearing an integral number of times. Find the number of sides for this polygon.

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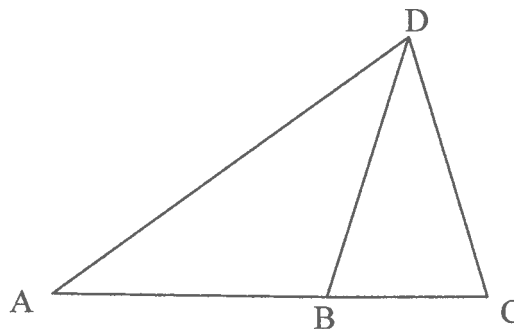
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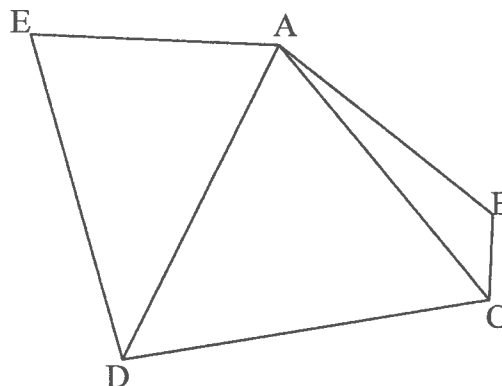
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1. The supplement of the complement of an angle is 6° less than the supplement of the angle. Find the number of degrees in the measurement of the angle.

2. Given \overline{ABC} , $AB = BD = CD$,
and $m\angle ADC = 66^\circ$, compute the
number of degrees in $m\angle C$.



3. The ratio of the measures of consecutive exterior angles of convex pentagon ABCDE at vertices A, B, C, D, and E is 2:3:4:5:6, respectively. If \overline{AD} bisects $\angle CAE$ and $\angle ADE \cong \angle ACB$, compute the number of degrees in $m\angle BAC$.



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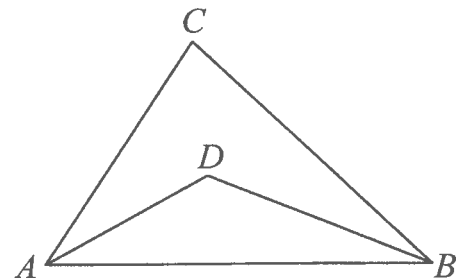
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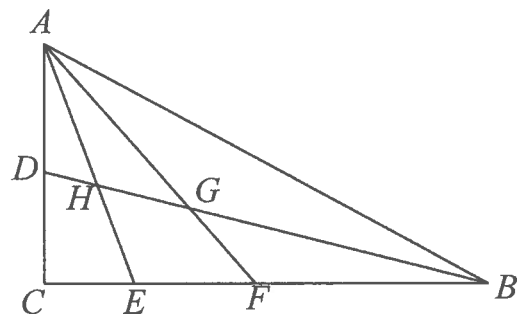
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1. Given $\triangle ABC$ with \overline{ADC} , $\overline{BD} \perp \overline{AC}$, and $BA:BC:BD = 2:\sqrt{2}:1$. Find the number of degrees in the measure of $\angle ABC$.

2. Given \overline{AD} bisects $\angle BAC$, \overline{BD} bisects $\angle ABC$, and $m\angle ACB + m\angle ADB = 210^\circ$, find the number of degrees in $m\angle ACB$.



3. Given $\angle C$ is right, \overline{BGHD} , \overline{AHE} , \overline{AGF} , \overline{ADC} , \overline{CEFB} , \overline{BD} bisects $\angle ABC$, \overline{AE} and \overline{AF} trisect $\angle BAC$. If $m\angle EHG - m\angle GFE = 10^\circ$, find the number of degrees in $m\angle AGB$.



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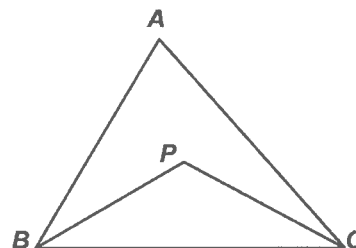
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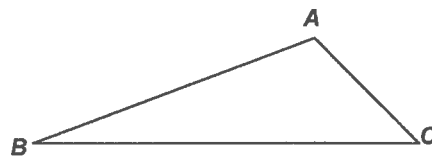
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1. The exterior angle of the base angle of an isosceles triangle is 12 more than twice the vertex angle. How many degrees are there in the vertex angle?

2. In $\triangle ABC$, \overline{PB} bisects $\angle B$ and \overline{PC} divides $\angle C$ so that $m\angle PCB = 2m\angle PCA$.
If $PB = PC$ and $m\angle A = m\angle PCA$, find $m\angle BPC$.



3. The complement of the supplement of A is 4 less than $\frac{1}{3}$ the supplement of the complement of C .
If $m\angle A = 8m\angle B$, find the measure of $\angle B$.



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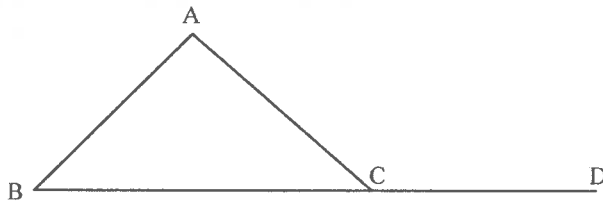
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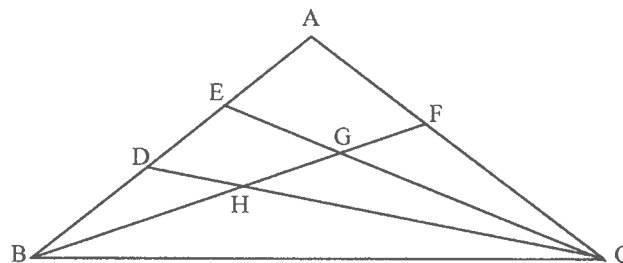
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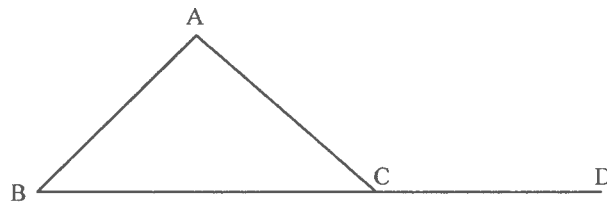
1. Given $\triangle ABC$, $m\angle A = (4x)^\circ$, $m\angle B = (6x - 10)^\circ$ and $m\angle ACD = (9x + 2)^\circ$. The supplement of the smallest angle of $\triangle ABC$ is 6° less than three times the complement of an angle whose measure is t° . Find the value of t .



2. Given the diagram, $m\angle A = 68^\circ$, $m\angle ABC : m\angle ACB = 4 : 3$, $\angle ABC$ is bisected by \overline{BF} , and $\angle ACB$ is trisected by \overline{EC} and \overline{DC} . Find $m\angle BHC - m\angle EGH$.



3. The supplement of the complement of $m\angle A$ is 8° more than the $m\angle ACD$. Find the measure $\angle B$.



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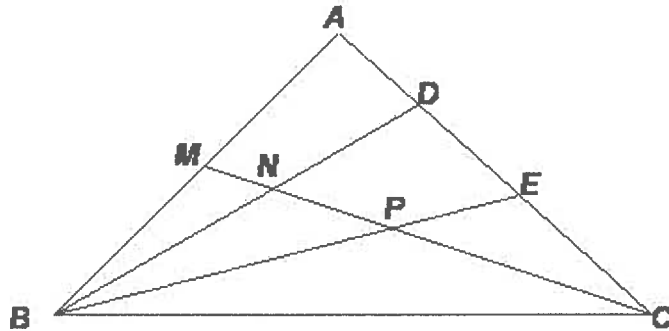
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1. In $\triangle ABC$, the ratio of the measures of the angles is $3:4:8$. In $\triangle DEF$, $m\angle D$ is the same as the measure of the smallest angle of $\triangle ABC$. If angles E and F are bisected, what is the measure of the obtuse angle formed by the bisectors?
2. In an isosceles triangle the exterior angle of one of the base angles has measure $(3x+3)^\circ$. The vertex angle has measure $(x-9)^\circ$. Find the ratio of the numerical measure of the vertex angle to the measure of a base angle.
3. In $\triangle ABC$, \overline{MC} bisects $\angle ACB$, \overline{BD} and \overline{BE} are drawn such that the ratio of the measures of $\angle BMN : \angle BNP : \angle BPC : \angle MCB = 9:10:11:3$. Determine the numerical value of the ratio $m\angle BDE : m\angle ABE$.



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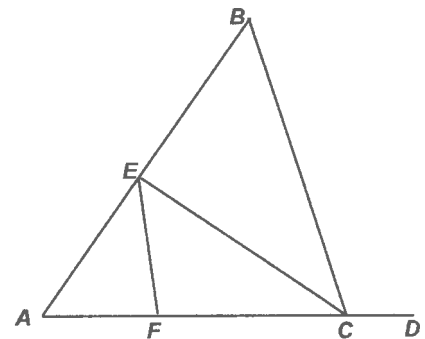
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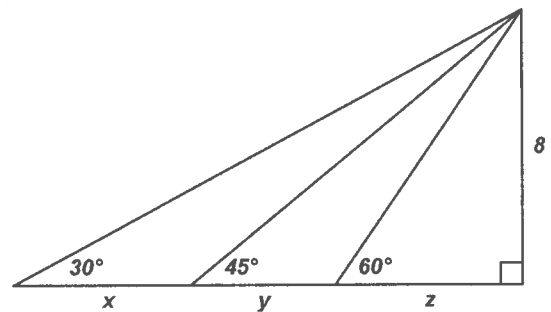
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1. The complement of the supplement of an angle G is trisected and the result is 14° .
How many degrees are in the supplement of G ?

2. In $\triangle ABC$, $m\angle BCD = 114^\circ$, \overline{CE} bisects $\angle ACB$,
 \overline{EF} bisects $\angle AEC$ and $m\angle B = 28^\circ$.
How many degrees are in the complement of $\angle AEF$?



3. Find the exact numerical value of $\frac{y}{x}$ as a simplified fraction.



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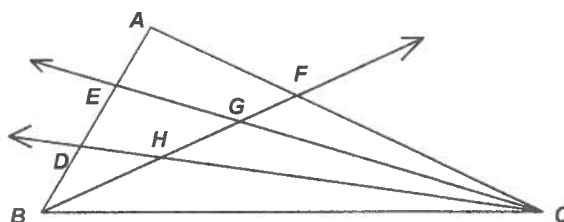
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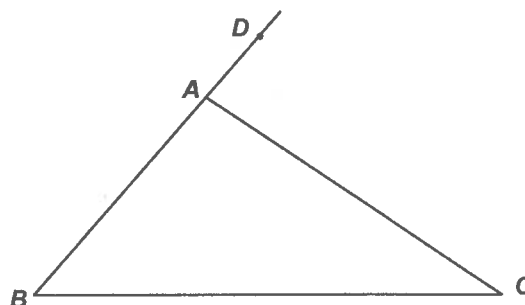
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1. The supplement of the complement of the supplement of an angle whose measure is x° equals $\left(\frac{2}{3}x\right)^\circ$. Compute the value of x .

2. Given: $\angle ABC$ is bisected by ray \overrightarrow{BF}
 $\angle ACB$ is trisected by rays \overrightarrow{CD} and \overrightarrow{CE}
 $m\angle BFC : m\angle BAC = 13 : 8$
 $m\angle BGC = 116^\circ$
 Compute $m\angle AEC : m\angle BHC$.



3. In $\triangle ABC$, $m\angle B = (4x)^\circ$, $m\angle DAC = (185 - 7x)^\circ$ and $5m\angle BAC = 6(m\angle C) - 24^\circ$.
 If the ratio of $m\angle BAC : m\angle C = P : Q$, where P and Q are relatively prime, compute the ordered triple (x, P, Q) .



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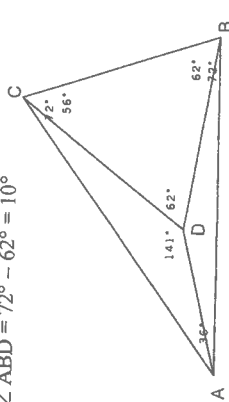
1. $13x = 3y + 10y \Rightarrow x = y$ Also,
 $13x + 110 + 180 - 6x = 360$ (Sum of ext. angles
 $= 360^\circ) \Rightarrow x = 10 \Rightarrow y = 10 \Rightarrow m \angle AEB =$
 $180^\circ - 100^\circ = 80^\circ$

2. Because of the parallel lines:
 $3x + 2y = 180^\circ$ and because of
 $\triangle BED$, $2x + y = 103^\circ \Rightarrow$
 $x = 26^\circ$ and $z = 180 - 78 =$
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3. $3x + 4x + 8x = 180^\circ \Rightarrow x = 12^\circ \Rightarrow$
 $36^\circ, 48^\circ$, and 96° are the angles of the triangle. \Rightarrow
 $m \angle AEC = (180^\circ - 96^\circ) + 2 = 42^\circ$
and $m \angle BCD = (180^\circ - 36^\circ) + 2 = 72^\circ \Rightarrow$
 $m \angle AFC = 42^\circ + 72^\circ = 114^\circ$

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1. $m \angle ACB = m \angle ABC = 72^\circ$; $m \angle CDB = m \angle CBD = 62^\circ$;
 $m \angle ADB = 360^\circ - 141^\circ - 62^\circ = 157^\circ$; $m \angle ABD = 72^\circ - 62^\circ = 10^\circ$
 $m \angle BAD = 180^\circ - 157^\circ - 10^\circ = 13^\circ$



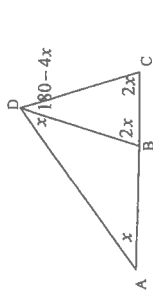
2. By the exterior angle theorem:
 $2x^2 = 15x + 8 \Rightarrow 2x^2 - 15x - 8 = 0 \Rightarrow (2x+1)(x-8) = 0 \Rightarrow x = 8$;
Note $x = -\frac{1}{2}$ leads to a negative measure for $\angle ABC$.
 $m \angle CAD = 128^\circ$; $m \angle ABC = 42^\circ$; Therefore $m \angle AEB = 64^\circ - 42^\circ = 22^\circ$

3. The exterior angles are $9^\circ, 7^\circ, 4^\circ, 9^\circ, 7^\circ, 4^\circ, \dots, 9^\circ, 7^\circ, 4^\circ$ where every three add to 20° ;
since the exterior angles must add to 360° , the number of sides $= 360 \div 20 \times 3 = 54$.

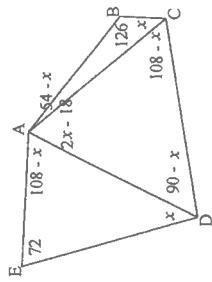
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1. $180 - (90 - x) = (180 - x) - 6 \Rightarrow 90 + x = 174 - x \Rightarrow 2x = 84 \Rightarrow x = 42$

2. $180 - 4x + x = 66 \Rightarrow 3x = 114 \Rightarrow x = 38$
 $\rightarrow 2x = 76$

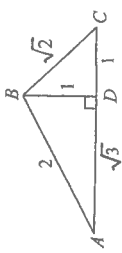


3. $2a + 3a + 4a + 5a + 6a = 360 \Rightarrow 20a = 360 \Rightarrow$
 $a = 18 \Rightarrow m \angle ABC = 180 - 3(18) = 126$;
 $m \angle BCD = 180 - 4(18) = 108$;
 $m \angle CDE = 180 - 5(18) = 90$
 $m \angle AED = 180 - 6(18) = 72$; $m \angle ADC = 90 - x$ and
 $m \angle ACD = 108 - x \Rightarrow m \angle DAC = 2x - 18$;
 $m \angle DAE = 108 - x \Rightarrow 108 - x = 2x - 18 \Rightarrow x = 42 \Rightarrow$
 $m \angle BAC = 54 - 42 = 12$

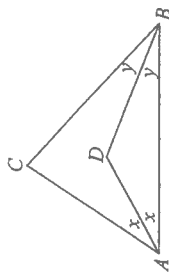


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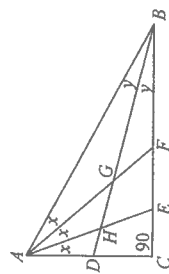
1. There is no loss of generality to let $AB = 2$, $BD = 1$
and $BC = \sqrt{2} \Rightarrow AD = \sqrt{3}$ and $DC = 1 \Rightarrow$
 $m \angle ABD = 60^\circ$ and $m \angle CBD = 45^\circ \Rightarrow m \angle ABC = 105^\circ$.



2. Let $z = x + y \Rightarrow m \angle ACB = (180 - 2z)^\circ$ and
 $m \angle ADB = (180 - z)^\circ \Rightarrow 360 - 3z = 210 \Rightarrow z = 50 \Rightarrow$
 $m \angle ACB = 80^\circ$.

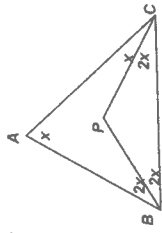


3. Let $m \angle CAE = m \angle FAE = m \angle BAF = x^\circ$;
let $m \angle ABD = m \angle CBD = y^\circ$; $3x + 2y = 90$;
by the exterior angle theorem, $m \angle EHG = (2x + y)^\circ$
and $m \angle GFE = (2y + x)^\circ \Rightarrow (2x + y) - (2y - x) = 10$
 $\Rightarrow x - y = 10 \Rightarrow 2x - 2y = 20 \Rightarrow 5x = 110 \Rightarrow x = 22 \Rightarrow$
 $y = 12 \Rightarrow m \angle AGB = (180 - 22 - 12)^\circ = 146^\circ$.



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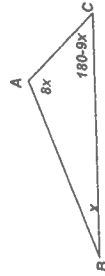
- Let the measure of the base angle be x° . Then the vertex angle is $(180 - 2x)^\circ$ and the exterior angle at the base is $(180 - x)^\circ$. $180 - x = 12 + 2(180 - 2x) \rightarrow 180 - x = 372 - 4x \rightarrow 3x = 192 \rightarrow x = 64$. Thus, the vertex angle measures $180 - 2(64) = 52^\circ$.
- The given information allows marking $\triangle ABC$ as indicated at the right.



$$3. 90 - (B + C) = \frac{1}{3}(180 - (90 - C)) - 4$$

$$90 - (180 - 8x) = \frac{1}{3}(90 + 180 - 9x) - 4$$

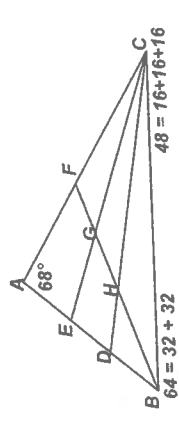
$$8x - 90 = 90 - 3x - 4 \rightarrow 11x = 176 \rightarrow x = 16^\circ$$



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- $(9x + 2) = 4x + (6x - 10) = 10x - 10 \rightarrow x = 12$
Then $7x = 180 - 68 = 112 \rightarrow x = 16$
and $m\angle BHC = 180 - 32 - 16 = 132$
and, as an exterior angle of $\triangle BGC$,
 $m\angle EGH = m\angle GBC + m\angle GCB = 64^\circ$
 $\rightarrow 132^\circ - 64^\circ = 68^\circ$

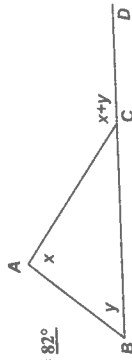


- Let $m\angle ABC = 4x$ and $m\angle ACB = 3x$
Then $7x = 180 - 68 = 112 \rightarrow x = 16$
and $m\angle BHC = 180 - 32 - 16 = 132$
and, as an exterior angle of $\triangle BGC$,
 $m\angle EGH = m\angle GBC + m\angle GCB = 64^\circ$
 $\rightarrow 132^\circ - 64^\circ = 68^\circ$

$$3. 180 - (90 - x) = 8 + (x + y)$$

$$\rightarrow 90 + x = x + y + 8$$

Thus, regardless of the value of x , $y = m\angle B = 82^\circ$



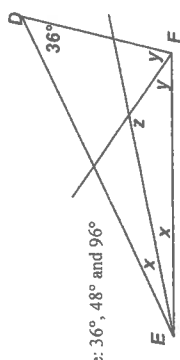
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- $3n + 4n + 8n = 180 \rightarrow n = 12 \rightarrow$ angles in $\triangle ABC$ are: 36° , 48° and 96°
 $\rightarrow m\angle D = 36^\circ$ Then:

$$m\angle D + m\angle E + m\angle F = 36 + 2x + 2y = 180 \rightarrow x + y = 72$$

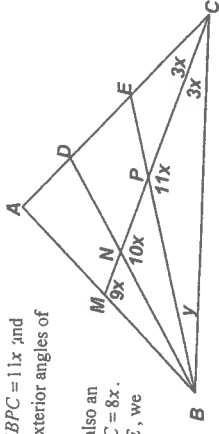
$$\text{But } z = 180 - (x + y) = 108$$



- Let the base angle be represented by x . $3x + 3 + y = 180 \rightarrow y = 177 - 3x$.

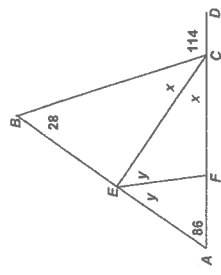
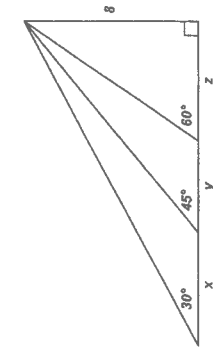
$$2(177 - 3x) + (x - 9) = 180 \rightarrow x = 24, y = 78 \rightarrow 24 : 78 \rightarrow 4 : 13$$

- Let $m\angle BMN = 9x$, $m\angle BNP = 10x$, $m\angle BPC = 11x$ and $m\angle MCB = 3x$. Since $\angle BPC$ and $\angle BNP$ are exterior angles of $\triangle BNP$ and $\triangle BMN$ respectively, we have $m\angle BNP = m\angle MBN = x$. Since $\angle BPC$ is also an exterior angle of $\triangle PEC$, we have $m\angle PEC = 8x$. Since $\angle BEC$ is an exterior angle of $\triangle BDE$, we have $m\angle BDE = 7x$. Thus, the required ratio is $7 : 2$.



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$$1. \frac{90 - (180 - G)}{3} = 14 \rightarrow G - 90 = 42 \rightarrow G = 132 \text{ and the supplement is } 48$$



- $2x = 66 \rightarrow x = 33$, $114 = 28 + m\angle A \rightarrow A = 86$
 $2y + 33 + 86 = 180 \rightarrow y = 30.5 \rightarrow$ complement is 59.5

$$3. 45^\circ \rightarrow y + z = 8$$

$$30^\circ \rightarrow x + y + z = 8\sqrt{3} \rightarrow x = 8\sqrt{3} - 8$$

$$60^\circ \rightarrow z = \frac{8}{\sqrt{3}} \rightarrow y = 8 - \frac{8}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Thus, the required ratio is

$$\frac{8 - \frac{8}{\sqrt{3}}}{\frac{8}{\sqrt{3}}} = \frac{1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}} = \frac{\sqrt{3} - 1}{1} = \frac{3\sqrt{3} - 3}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{3\sqrt{3} - 3 - \sqrt{3}}{1} = \frac{2\sqrt{3} - 3}{1}$$

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- Supplement of x : $180 - x$
Complement of $(180 - x)$: $90 - (180 - x) = x - 90$
Supplement of $(x - 90)$: $180 - (x - 90) = 270 - x$
Thus, $270 - x = \frac{2}{3}x \rightarrow 810 - 3x = 2x \rightarrow 5x = 810 \rightarrow x = 162$.

- The given information is marked in the diagram at the right.

$$13x \text{ is an exterior angle of } \triangle ABF \rightarrow m\angle ABF = 5x$$

$$BF \text{ bisects } \angle ABC \rightarrow m\angle FBC = 5x \text{ also}$$

$$CD \text{ and } CE \text{ trisect } \angle ACB$$

$$\rightarrow \angle ACE = \angle ECD = \angle DCB = a$$

$$\triangle BGC: 5x + 2a = 64$$

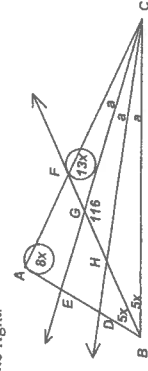
$$\triangle BFC: 18x + 3a = 180 \rightarrow a = 60 - 6x$$

$$\text{Substituting, } 5x + 2(60 - 6x) = 64 \rightarrow 7x = 56 \rightarrow x = 8, a = 12$$

$$\rightarrow m\angle AEC = 180 - (64 + 12) = 104$$

$$\rightarrow m\angle BHC = 180 - (40 + 12) = 128$$

$$\rightarrow m\angle AEC : m\angle BHC = 104 : 128 = 13 : 16$$



3. As the supplement of $\angle DAC$, $m\angle DAC = 180 - (185 - 7x) = 7x - 5$.

Applying the exterior angle theorem or invoking the sum of the interior angles of a triangle, $m\angle C = 185 - 11x$.

$$\rightarrow 35x - 25 = 1110 - 66x - 24$$

$$\rightarrow 101x = 1111 \rightarrow x = 11.$$

$$(7x - 5) : (185 - 11x) = 72 : 64 = 9 : 8$$

$$\rightarrow (x, P, Q) = \underline{(11, 9, 8)}.$$

