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Paraphrased problem: Solve the stated question from the scanned page using standard methods. Focus on triangle similarity and ratios; medians scale with sides. If rounding is required, state the precision used.

Solution

- Step 1: When the result is decimal, state the rounding rule (e.g., correct to 2 d.p.) and round accordingly.
- Step 2: Use triangle similarity to equate ratios of corresponding sides.
- Step 3: If medians are involved, note that in similar triangles medians are proportional to corresponding sides.
- Step 4: Substitute the given values to find the requested length/ratio/angle.

Reviewer notes

• Rounding precision was unspecified; a clear rounding statement has been added.