


RBSE BOARD

CLASS - Xth

SHARMA TUTION CLASSES  Let's Rule it

SIMILARITY [PREVIOUS YEAR 2015-19]

- ① In the figure, $\triangle OPR \sim \triangle OSK$, $\angle POS = 125^\circ$ and $\angle PRO = 70^\circ$. Find the value of $\angle OKS$ and $\angle ROP$. [RBSE 2015]

Sol Given that,

$$\triangle OPR \sim \triangle OSK$$

$$\angle POS = 125^\circ \text{ and } \angle PRO = 70^\circ$$

Now, the linear pair

$$y + 125 = 180$$

$$y = 180 - 125$$

$$y = 55$$

Now, angle sum properties says,

Sum of all angles of \triangle is 180°

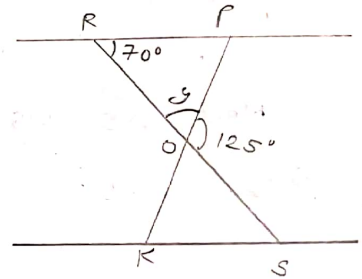
$$\text{So, } \angle P + 70^\circ + y = 180$$

$$\angle P = 180 - 70 - 55$$

$$\angle P = 55$$

Therefore, $\angle P = \angle OKS$ ($\because \triangle OPR \sim \triangle OSK$)

$$\therefore \angle OKS = 55$$



- ② O is any point inside rectangle ABCD. Prove that $OB^2 + OD^2 = OA^2 + OC^2$. [RBSE 2015]

Sol

Sol. Consider,

the point O construct \perp OP, OR, OS and OS to the sides of the Δ
to prove

$$OB^2 + OD^2 = OA^2 + OC^2.$$

taking RHS

$$OA^2 + OC^2 = (AS^2 + OS^2) + (OQ^2 + QC^2)$$

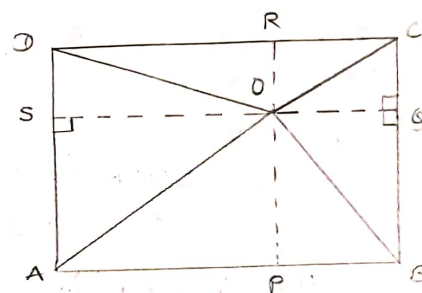
$$\text{Here } AS = BQ \text{ and } QC = SD$$

$$\text{So, } OA^2 + OC^2 = BQ^2 + OS^2 + OQ^2 + SD^2$$

$$= BQ^2 + OQ^2 + OS^2 + SD^2$$

$$OA^2 + OC^2 = OB^2 + OD^2$$

HP.



③ In the given figure $\frac{PK}{KS} = \frac{PT}{TR}$ and $\angle PKT = \angle PRS$. Prove that ΔPSR is an isosceles Δ . [RBSF 2015]

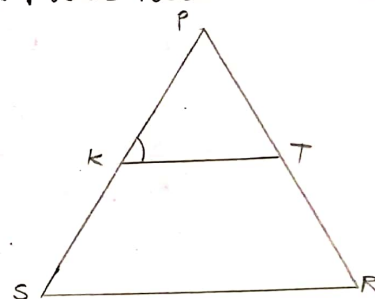
Sol. Given that, $\frac{PK}{KS} = \frac{PT}{TR}$ and $\angle PKT = \angle PRS$

Now, ΔPSR , $\frac{PK}{KS} = \frac{PT}{TR}$, then $KT \parallel SR$

$$\angle PKT = \angle PSR \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Also $\angle PKT = \angle PRS$ (given)

So, $\angle PSR = \angle PRS$, So ΔPSR is a isosceles Δ



④ The area of two similar Δ are in ratio 16:81. Find the ratio of its sides.
 [RBSE 2016]

Sol. Given that, $\Delta ABC \sim \Delta PQR$

$$\frac{\text{ar}(\Delta ABC)}{\text{ar}(\Delta PQR)} = \left(\frac{AB}{PQ}\right)^2 \quad \left[\text{ratio of areas of two similar } \Delta \text{ is equal to ratio of squares of their corresponding sides}\right]$$

$$\frac{16}{81} = \left(\frac{AB}{PQ}\right)^2 \Rightarrow \frac{AB}{PQ} = \frac{4}{9}$$

⑤ In the given figure, ABC is a Δ . If $AC/AE = AB/AD$, then prove that $BC \parallel DE$
 [RBSE 2016]

Sol. Given that,

$$\frac{AC}{AE} = \frac{AB}{AD}$$

construction - draw DE

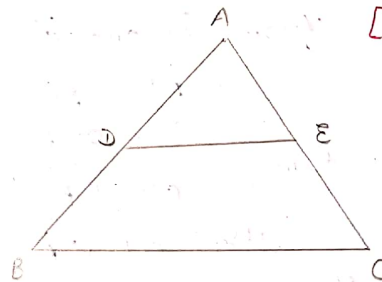
$$\text{Proof: } \frac{AC}{AE} = \frac{AB}{AD}$$

subtract 1 both side.

$$\frac{AC}{AE} - 1 = \frac{AB}{AD} - 1 \Rightarrow \frac{AC - AE}{AE} = \frac{AB - AD}{AD}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{CE}{AE} = \frac{DB}{AD} \Rightarrow \frac{AE}{EC} = \frac{AD}{DB}$$

$\therefore DE \parallel BC$ (By converse of BPT)



OR

The diagonals of a quadrilateral PQRS intersect each other at a point O such that $\frac{PO}{OR} = \frac{OQ}{OS}$. Show that PQRS is a trapezium. [RBSE 2016]

Sol (In $\triangle PQR$, $OE \parallel AB$) Consto. \therefore From O draw line $OT \parallel PQ$
By using BPT, in $\triangle PQS$

$$\frac{PT}{TS} = \frac{OQ}{OS} \quad - (i)$$

Also, it is given $\frac{PO}{OR} = \frac{OQ}{OS} \quad - (ii)$

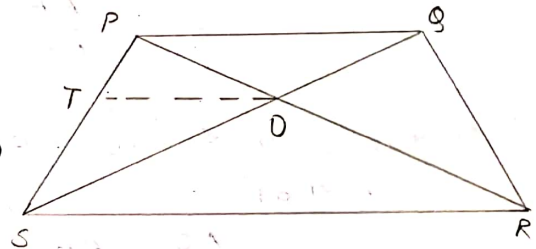
from (i) and (ii)

$$\frac{PT}{TS} = \frac{PO}{OR}$$

thus, $OT \parallel RS$

also $OT \parallel PQ$

thus $PQ \parallel RS$, Hence PQRS is a trapezium.

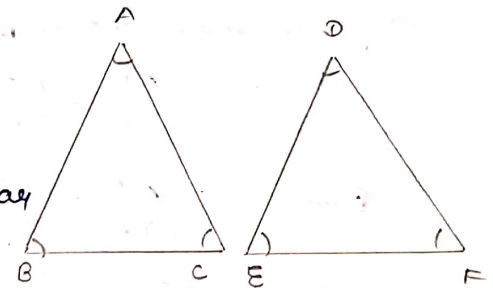


⑥ If the ratio of corresponding medians of two similar triangle are 9:16, then find the areas ratio. [RBSE 2017]

Sol Simplify the expression,
we know that

$\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle DEF$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \angle A = \angle D \\ \angle B = \angle E \\ \angle C = \angle F \end{array} \right\} \text{as } \triangle \text{ are similar}$$



also $\frac{AB}{DE} = \frac{BC}{EF} = \frac{CA}{DF}$

Then, $\frac{\text{area of } \triangle ABC}{\text{area of } \triangle DEF} = \frac{(AB)^2}{(DE)^2} = \frac{(9)^2}{(16)^2} = \frac{81}{256}$

Ratio will be $\text{ar}(\triangle ABC) : \text{ar}(\triangle DEF) = 81 : 256$

⑦ Prove that a line drawn through the mid point of one side of a triangle parallel to the second side bisect the third side.

Sol Given: A line l intersect lines AB and AC of triangle ABC at D and E respectively such that

$$\frac{AD}{DB} = \frac{AE}{EC}$$

to prove: $l \parallel BC$ i.e. $DE \parallel BC$

Proof: Let us suppose that DE is not parallel to BC . Then show other line is parallel to BC .

Suppose that $DF \parallel BC$

$$\therefore \frac{AD}{DB} = \frac{AF}{FC} \quad (\text{by BPT}) \quad - (1)$$

But, $\frac{AD}{DB} = \frac{AE}{EC}$ (Given) $- (2)$

So, $\frac{AF}{FC} = \frac{AE}{EC}$ (from (1) and (2))

Adding (1) to both sides

$$\frac{AF}{FC} + 1 = \frac{AE}{EC} + 1 \Rightarrow \frac{AF + FC}{FC} = \frac{AE + EC}{EC}$$

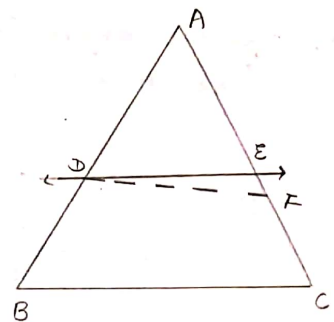
or $\frac{AC}{FC} = \frac{AC}{EC}$

Thus $FC = EC$ Hp.

OR

$PSRS$ is a trapezium in which $PS \parallel RS$ and its diagonals intersect each at the point O . Prove that $\frac{PO}{SO} = \frac{RO}{SO}$ [RSE 2017]

Sol.



To prove: $\frac{PO}{OQ} = \frac{RO}{OS}$

Construction: $EO \parallel PQ$

proof: In $\triangle PSR$

$EO \parallel SR$

By using the result of B.P.T

$$\frac{PE}{ES} = \frac{PO}{RO} \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

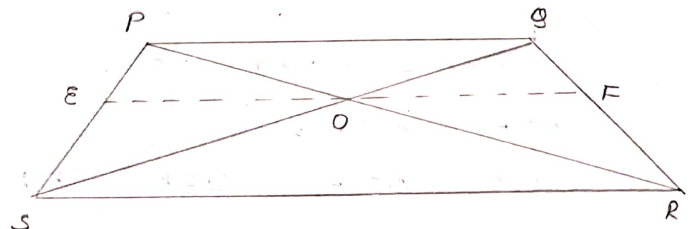
In $\triangle PSR$, $EO \parallel PQ$

By using the result BPT

$$\frac{PE}{ES} = \frac{QO}{SO} \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

By (i) and (ii)

$$\frac{PO}{OQ} = \frac{RO}{SO} \quad \text{H.P.}$$



③ In given figure if $OP \cdot OQ = OR \cdot OS$, then show that $\angle OPS = \angle ORQ$, and $\angle OSR = \angle OSP$.

sol. Prove the expression, $OP \cdot OQ = OR \cdot OS$

$$\frac{OP}{OS} = \frac{OS}{OQ}$$

And

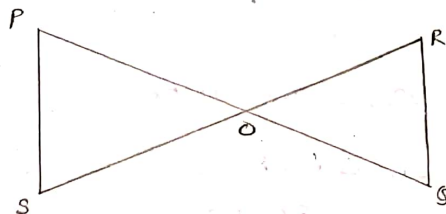
$$\angle POS = \angle ROQ$$

then

$$\triangle POS \sim \triangle ROQ \text{ [SSA]}$$

$$\angle OPS = \angle ORQ$$

$$\text{and } \angle OSP = \angle OQR \text{ H.P.}$$



⑤ In a $\triangle ABC$, the median AD , BE , and CF pass through the point G . If $AD = 9 \text{ cm}$, $GE = 4.2 \text{ cm}$, $GC = 6 \text{ cm}$, then find the values of length of AG , BE and FG . [RBSE 2018]

Sol. Given that in $\triangle ABC$, median AD , BE and CF intersect at a point G .

$$GE = 4.2 \text{ cm}, AD = 9 \text{ cm}, GC = 6 \text{ cm}.$$

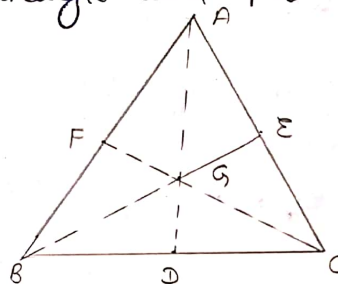
As, we know that if the median in the triangle intersect at a point then point is the centroid of the triangle and the centroid divides the median in $2:1$ ratio.

Here G is the centroid of $\triangle ABC$

$$\text{So, } AG : GD = 2 : 1$$

$$BG : GE = 2 : 1$$

$$CG : GF = 2 : 1$$



Now, $AD = AG + GD$

$$\frac{AG}{GD} = \frac{2}{1} \Rightarrow AG = 2GD \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$AD = AG + GD$$

$$AG = 2GD$$

$$AD = 2GD + GD = 3GD$$

$$AD = 9 \Rightarrow \frac{9}{3} = GD \Rightarrow GD = 3$$

$$\text{So, } AG = 2 \times GD \\ = 2 \times 3 = 6 \text{ cm.}$$

Again, $\frac{CG}{GF} = \frac{2}{1}$

$$\Rightarrow FG = \frac{CG}{2} \Rightarrow CF = FG + GC \\ \Rightarrow CF = FG + 2FG$$

Also, $\Rightarrow CF = 3FG$

$$FG = \frac{6}{2} = 3 \Rightarrow CF = 3 \times 3 = 9$$

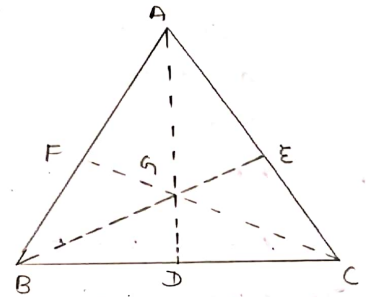
Now, $\frac{BG}{GE} = \frac{2}{1} \Rightarrow BG = 2GE$

$$BE = BG + GE$$

$$= 2GE + GE$$

$$= 3GE = 3 \times 4.2$$

$$= 12.6 \text{ cm}$$



⑩ $\triangle ABC$ is right angle \triangle where $\angle B$ is right angle. If point D and E are situated on the sides AB and BC respectively, then prove that $AE^2 + CD^2 = AC^2 + DE^2$. [RBSF 2018]

Sol In $\triangle ABE$ (right \triangle)

$$AE^2 = AB^2 + BE^2 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

In $\triangle BCD$ (right angle \triangle)

$$CD^2 = BD^2 + BC^2 \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} AE^2 + CD^2 &= AB^2 + BE^2 + BD^2 + BC^2 \quad [\text{adding (i) and (ii)}] \\ &= AB^2 + BC^2 + BE^2 + BD^2 \end{aligned}$$

But also $AC^2 = AB^2 + BC^2 \quad \text{--- (iii)}$

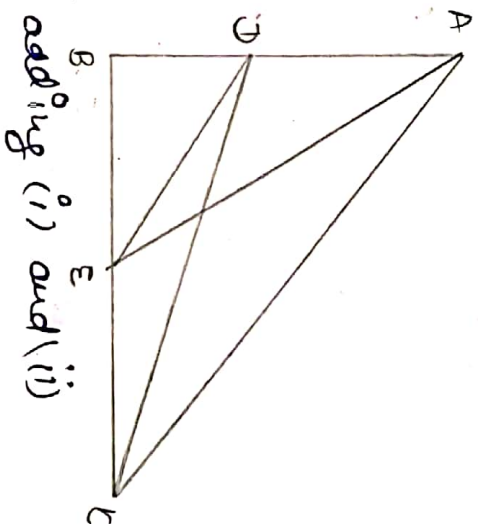
And $DE^2 = BD^2 + BE^2 \quad \text{--- (iv)}$

$$AE^2 + CD^2 = (AB^2 + BC^2) + (BE^2 + BD^2)$$

from (iii) and (iv)

$$AE^2 + CD^2 = AC^2 + DE^2 \quad \text{H.P.}$$

⑪ If $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle DEF$ in which $AB = 1.6 \text{ cm}$ and $DE = 2.4 \text{ cm}$. Find the ratio of the areas of $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle DEF$. [RBSF 2019]



sol Simplify the expression,

$$\frac{\text{ar}(\triangle ABC)}{\text{ar}(\triangle DEF)} = \left(\frac{AB}{DE}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\text{ar}(\triangle ABC)}{\text{ar}(\triangle DEF)} = \left(\frac{1.6}{2.4}\right)^2 = \frac{4}{9}$$

Hence, Ratio is 4:9.

(12) Prove that if the area of two similar triangle are equal, then they are congruent. [RBSE 2019]

sol. Here, $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle PQR$

Now, $\frac{\text{Area of } \triangle ABC}{\text{Area of } \triangle PQR} = \left(\frac{AB}{PQ}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{BC}{QR}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{AC}{PR}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{1}$

Then, it can be written as,

$$\frac{AB}{PQ} = \frac{BC}{QR} = \frac{AC}{PR} = \frac{1}{1}$$

thus, $AB = PQ$, $BC = QR$ also, $AC = PR$

thus from SSS, they are congruent

$$\triangle ABC \cong \triangle PQR \quad \text{HP.}$$

