

Theorem - (6.3) :- [AAA-similarity]

If in two triangles, corresponding angles are equal, then their corresponding sides are in the same ratio (or proportional) and hence the two triangles are similar.

Given that:- In  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle DEF$

$$\angle A = \angle D$$

$$\angle B = \angle E$$

$$\angle C = \angle F$$

To prove:-

$$\triangle ABC \sim \triangle DEF$$

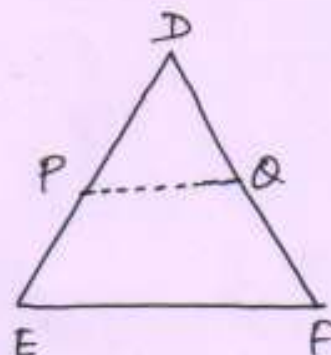
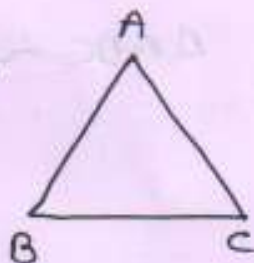
Construction:- Cut  $DP = AB$  and  $DQ = AC$ .  
Join  $PQ$ .

Proof:- In  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle DPQ$ ,

$$AB = DP$$

$$AC = DQ$$

$$\angle A = \angle D$$



$\therefore \triangle ABC \cong \triangle DPQ$  [by SAS - Congruence]

$\therefore \angle B = \angle P$  [CPCT]

$\Rightarrow \angle E = \angle P$  [ $\because \angle B = \angle E$ ]

These are corresponding angle.

$\therefore PQ \parallel EF$

Now,

In  $\triangle DEF$ ,  
 $PQ \parallel EF$

$$\therefore \frac{DP}{DE} = \frac{DQ}{DF}$$

$$\therefore \frac{AB}{DE} = \frac{AC}{DF} \quad \text{--- (I)} \quad [\because DP = AB \text{ and } DQ = AC]$$

Similarly,

$$\frac{AB}{DE} = \frac{BC}{EF} \quad \text{--- (II)}$$

from eqn (I) and (II),

$$\frac{AB}{DE} = \frac{BC}{EF} = \frac{AC}{DF}$$

then,

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

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$$\angle B = \angle E$$

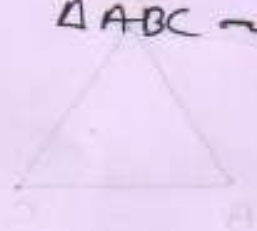
$$\angle C = \angle F$$

and,

$$\frac{AB}{DE} = \frac{BC}{EF} = \frac{AC}{DF}$$

$$\therefore \triangle ABC \sim \triangle DEF$$

proved



Theorem - (6.4)  $\rightarrow$  [SSS-similarity]

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If in two triangles, sides of one triangle are proportional to the sides of the other triangle, then their corresponding angles are equal and hence the two triangles are similar.

Given that:- In  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle DEF$ ,

$$\frac{AB}{DE} = \frac{BC}{EF} = \frac{AC}{DF}$$

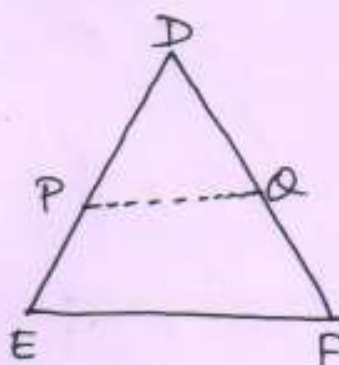
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Construction:-

Cut  $DP = AB$  and  $DQ = AC$ .  
Join  $PQ$ .

Proof:-  $\because \frac{AB}{DE} = \frac{AC}{DF}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{DP}{DE} = \frac{DQ}{DF} \quad \left[ \because \begin{array}{l} DP = AB \\ DQ = AC \end{array} \right]$$



In  $\triangle DEF$ ,

$$\frac{DP}{DE} = \frac{DQ}{DF}$$

$\therefore PQ \parallel EF$  [Inverse of Thales's theorem]

$\therefore \left. \begin{array}{l} \angle P = \angle E \\ \angle Q = \angle F \end{array} \right\} \text{ - [Corresponding angle]}$

$\therefore \triangle DPQ \sim \triangle DEF$  [by AA-similarity]

$$\therefore \frac{DP}{DE} = \frac{PQ}{EF}$$



$$\Rightarrow \frac{AB}{DE} = \frac{PQ}{EF} \quad \text{--- (I)} \quad [DP = AB] \quad (21)$$

but,

$$\frac{AB}{DE} = \frac{BC}{EF} \quad \text{--- (II)}$$

from eqn (I) and (II), we get

$$\frac{PQ}{EF} = \frac{BC}{EF}$$

Now,  $\therefore BC = PQ$

In  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle DPQ$ ,

$$AB = DP$$

$$AC = DQ$$

$$BC = PQ$$

$$\therefore \triangle ABC \cong \triangle DPQ \quad [\text{by SSS-Congruence}]$$

$$\therefore \angle A = \angle D$$

$$\angle B = \angle P = \angle E$$

$$\angle C = \angle Q = \angle F$$

$$\therefore \triangle ABC \sim \triangle DEF \quad [\text{AAA-Similarity}]$$

Proved



Theorem - (6.5)  $\rightarrow$  [SAS - similarity]

If one angle of a triangle is equal to one angle of the other triangle and the sides including these angles are proportional, then the two triangles are similar.

Given that:-

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

$$\angle A = \angle D$$

and,

$$\frac{AB}{DE} = \frac{AC}{DF}$$

To prove:-

$$\triangle ABC \sim \triangle DEF$$

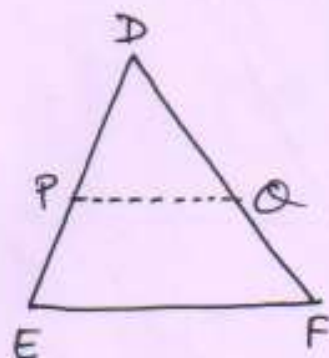
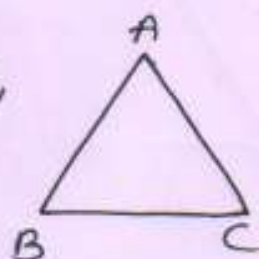
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Join  $PQ$ .

Proof:- In  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle DPQ$ ,

$$AB = DP$$

$$AC = DQ$$

$$\angle A = \angle D$$



$$\therefore \triangle ABC \cong \triangle DPQ \text{ [SAS - congruence]}$$

$$\therefore \angle B = \angle P \text{ [CPCT]}$$

$$\angle C = \angle Q \text{ [CPCT]}$$

Again,

$$\frac{AB}{DE} = \frac{AC}{DF}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{DP}{DE} = \frac{DQ}{DF} \text{ [}\because DP = AB, DQ = AC\text{]}$$

$$\therefore PQ \parallel EF \text{ [Inverse of thales theorem]}$$

$$\therefore \begin{cases} \angle P = \angle E \\ \angle Q = \angle F \end{cases} \text{ (Corresponding angle)}$$

$$\therefore \angle A = \angle D$$

$$\angle B = \angle P = \angle E$$

$$\angle C = \angle Q = \angle F$$

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

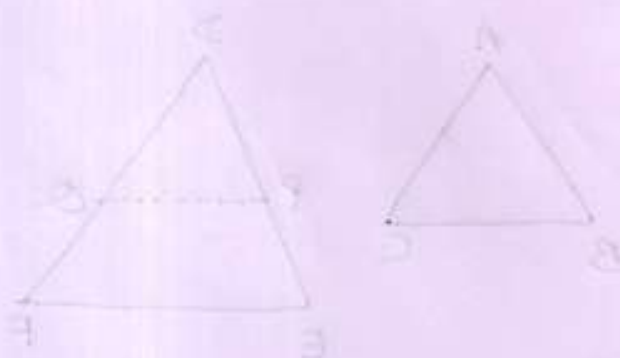
$$\angle A = \angle D$$

$$\angle B = \angle E$$

$$\angle C = \angle F$$

$$\therefore \triangle ABC \sim \triangle DEF \text{ [AAA-similarity]}$$

Proof



$$DE \parallel BC$$

$$\angle ADE = \angle ABC$$

$$\angle AED = \angle ACB$$

$$\angle DAE = \angle BAC$$

$$\therefore \triangle ADE \sim \triangle ABC \text{ [AA-similarity]}$$

$$\therefore \frac{AD}{AB} = \frac{AE}{AC} \text{ [Corresponding sides]} \quad \therefore \frac{AD}{AB} = \frac{AE}{AC}$$

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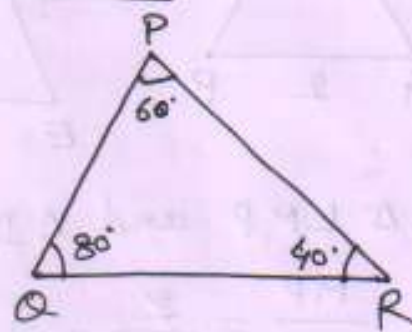
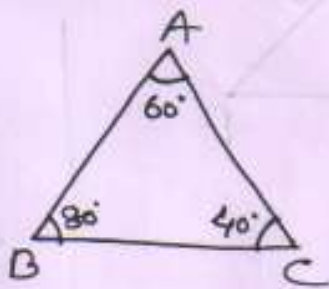
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## Exercise - 6.2

1. (i)

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

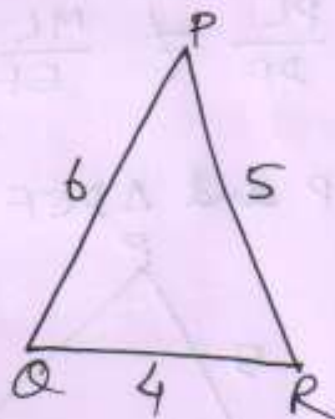
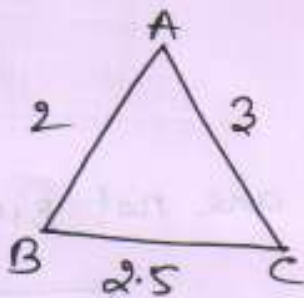
$$\angle A = \angle P = 60^\circ$$

$$\angle B = \angle Q = 80^\circ$$

$$\angle C = \angle R = 40^\circ$$

 $\therefore \triangle ABC \sim \triangle PQR$  [AAA-similarity]

(ii)

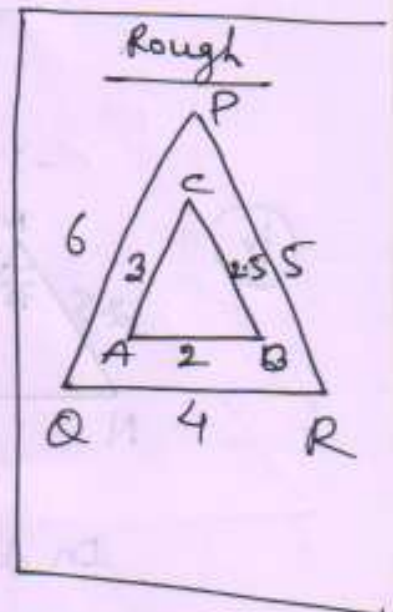
In  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle PQR$ ,

$$\therefore \frac{AB}{QR} = \frac{2}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$$

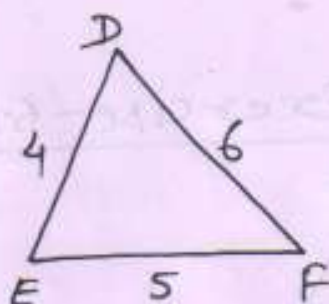
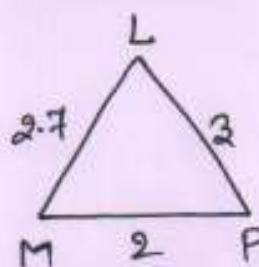
$$\frac{BC}{PR} = \frac{2.5}{5} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{AC}{PQ} = \frac{3}{6} = \frac{1}{2}$$

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

 $\therefore \triangle ABC \sim \triangle PQR$  [S-S-S-similarity]


(iii)



(25)

In  $\triangle LMP$  and  $\triangle DEF$ 

$$\frac{MP}{DE} = \frac{2}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$$

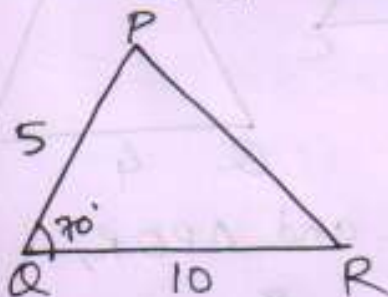
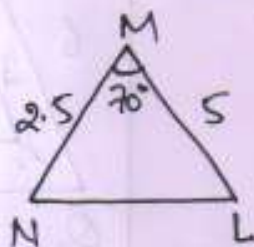
$$\frac{PL}{DF} = \frac{3}{6} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{ML}{EF} = \frac{2.7}{5}$$

$$\therefore \frac{MP}{DE} = \frac{PL}{DF} \neq \frac{ML}{EF}$$

 $\therefore \triangle LMP$  and  $\triangle DEF$  are not similar.

(iv)

In  $\triangle MNL$  and  $\triangle PQR$ ,

$$\frac{MN}{PQ} = \frac{2.5}{5} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{ML}{QR} = \frac{5}{10} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\angle M = \angle Q = 70^\circ$$

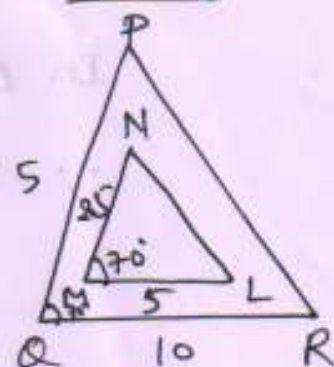
$$\therefore \frac{MN}{PQ} = \frac{ML}{QR} \text{ and } \angle M = \angle Q$$

$$\therefore \triangle MNL \sim \triangle PQR$$

Rough

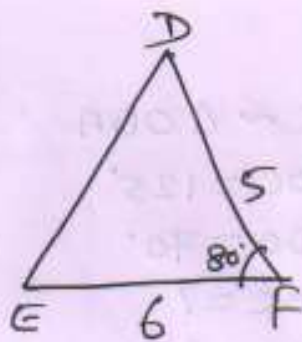
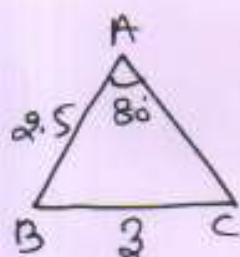


Rough





(v)



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

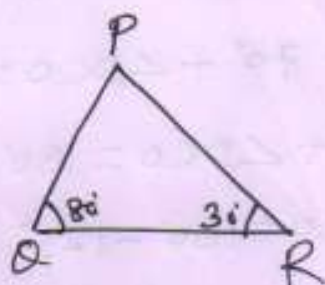
$$\frac{AB}{DF} = \frac{2.5}{5} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{BC}{DE} = \frac{3}{6}$$

$$\frac{AC}{EF} = \frac{AC}{6}$$

$\therefore \triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle DEF$  are not similar.

(vi)



In  $\triangle DEF$  and  $\triangle PQR$

$$\angle E = \angle Q = 80^\circ$$

$$\angle F = \angle R = 30^\circ$$

$\therefore \triangle DEF \sim \triangle PQR$

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Rough



(2) Given that :-

$$\triangle ODC \sim \triangle OBA$$

$$\angle BOC = 125^\circ$$

$$\angle CDO = 70^\circ$$

$$\angle DOC = ?$$

$$\angle DCO = ?$$

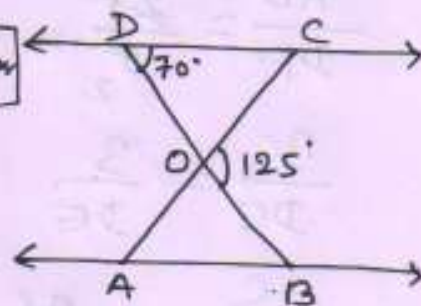
$$\angle OAB = ?$$

$$\therefore \angle DOC + \angle BOC = 180^\circ \text{ [Linear pair]}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle DOC + 125^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle DOC = 180^\circ - 125^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle DOC = 55^\circ \text{ Ans}$$



Again, In  $\triangle DOC$ ,

$$\angle DOC + \angle CDO + \angle DCO = 180^\circ \text{ [Sum of angles of } \triangle \text{ is } 180^\circ]$$

$$\Rightarrow 55^\circ + 70^\circ + \angle DCO = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 125^\circ + \angle DCO = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle DCO = 180^\circ - 125^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle DCO = 55^\circ \text{ Ans}$$

Again,

$$\triangle ODC \sim \triangle OBA$$

$$\therefore \angle DCO = \angle OAB \text{ [Corresponding angles]}$$

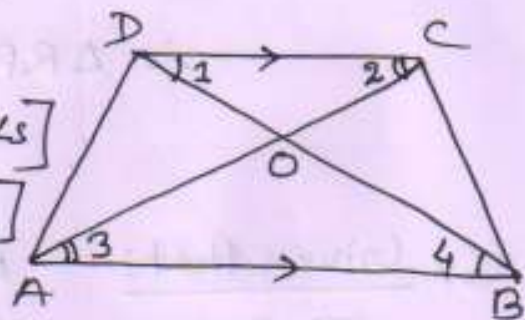
$$\Rightarrow 55^\circ = \angle OAB$$

$$\therefore \angle OAB = 55^\circ \text{ Ans}$$

<3> Given that:- In a trapezium ABCD,  
 $AB \parallel DC$   
 and diagonals AC and BD intersect each other at the point O.

To prove:-  $\frac{OA}{OC} = \frac{OB}{OD}$

Proof:- In  $\triangle AOB$  and  $\triangle COD$ ,  
 $\angle 4 = \angle 1$  [Alt. int.  $\angle$ s]  
 $\angle 3 = \angle 2$  [Alt. int.  $\angle$ s]



$\therefore \triangle AOB \sim \triangle COD$  [by AA-similarity]

$$\therefore \frac{OA}{OC} = \frac{OB}{OD}$$

Proved

<4> Given that:-  $\frac{QR}{QS} = \frac{QT}{PR}$  and  $\angle 1 = \angle 2$

To Prove:-  $\triangle PQS \sim \triangle TQR$

Proof:- In  $\triangle PQR$ ,  
 $\angle 1 = \angle 2$

$\therefore PR = PQ$  — (1) [Opp. sides of equal angles are equal.]

Again,

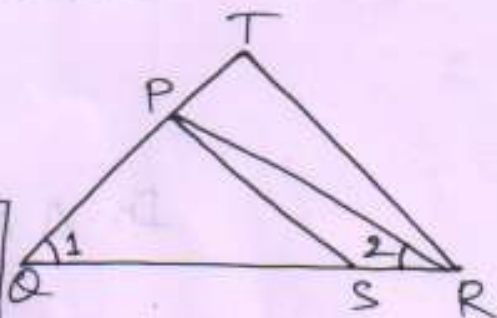
$$\frac{QR}{QS} = \frac{QT}{PR}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{QR}{QS} = \frac{QT}{PQ} \quad [\text{from equ. (1)}]$$

In  $\triangle PQS$  and  $\triangle TQR$

$$\frac{QR}{QS} = \frac{QT}{PQ} \text{ and } \angle 1 = \angle 1 \text{ [Common]}$$

$\therefore \triangle PQS \sim \triangle TQR$  [by SAS-similarity]  
Proved





<5> Given that:-  $\triangle PQR$ ,

$$\angle P = \angle RTS$$

To Prove:-  $\triangle RPQ \sim \triangle RTS$

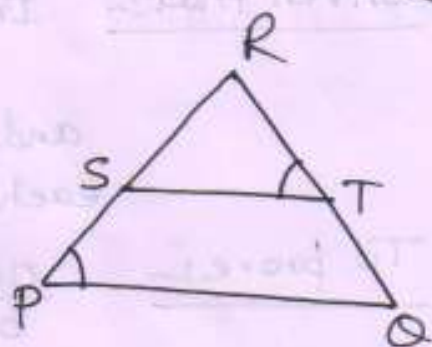
Proof:- In  $\triangle RPQ$  and  $\triangle RTS$ ,

$$\angle P = \angle RTS$$

$$\angle R = \angle R \text{ [Common]}$$

$\therefore \triangle RPQ \sim \triangle RTS$  [by AA-Similarity]

Proved



<6> Given that:-  $\triangle ABE \cong \triangle ACD$

To Prove:-  $\triangle ADE \sim \triangle ABC$

Proof:-  $\because \triangle ABE \cong \triangle ACD$

$$\therefore AB = AC \text{ --- (1) [CPCT]}$$

$$AE = AD \text{ [CPCT]}$$

$$\text{or } AD = AE \text{ --- (1)}$$

Dividing eqn<sup>n</sup> (1) by (1), we get,

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

In  $\triangle ADE$  and  $\triangle ABC$ :

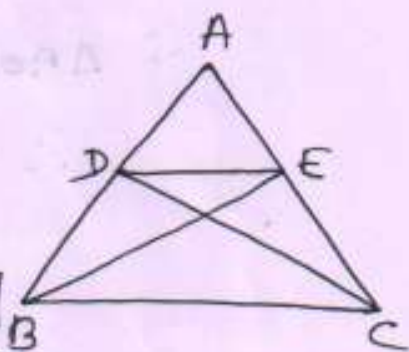
$$\frac{AD}{AB} = \frac{AE}{AC}$$

and,

$$\angle A = \angle A \text{ [Common]}$$

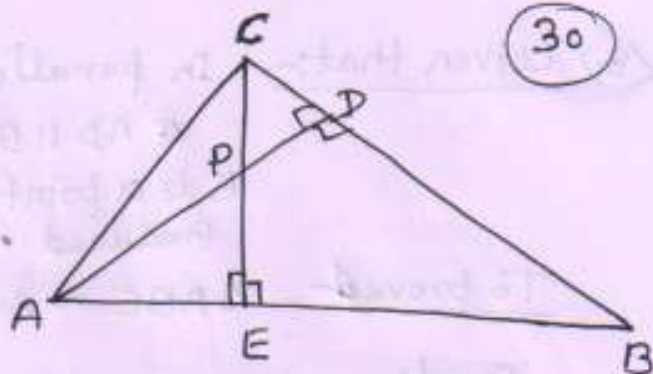
$\therefore \triangle ADE \sim \triangle ABC$  [SAS-Similarity]

Proved



<7> Given that:- In  $\triangle ABC$ ,  
 $AD \perp BC$   
 $CE \perp AB$

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To prove:-

- (i)  $\triangle AEP \sim \triangle CDP$
- (ii)  $\triangle ABD \sim \triangle CBE$
- (iii)  $\triangle AEP \sim \triangle ADB$
- (iv)  $\triangle PDC \sim \triangle BEC$

Proof:- (i) In  $\triangle AEP$  and  $\triangle CDP$ ,  
 $\angle AEP = \angle CDP$  ( $90^\circ$ )  
 $\angle APE = \angle CPD$  [vertically opp.  $\angle$ s]  
 $\therefore \triangle AEP \sim \triangle CDP$  [AA-similarity]

Proved

(ii) In  $\triangle ABD$  and  $\triangle CBE$ ,  
 $\angle ADB = \angle CEB$  ( $90^\circ$ )  
 $\angle B = \angle B$  [Common]  
 $\therefore \triangle ABD \sim \triangle CBE$  [by AA-similarity]

Proved

(iii) In  $\triangle AEP$  and  $\triangle ADB$ ,  
 $\angle AEP = \angle ADB$  ( $90^\circ$ )  
 $\angle PAE = \angle DAB$  [Common]  
 $\therefore \triangle AEP \sim \triangle ADB$  [by AA-similarity]

Proved

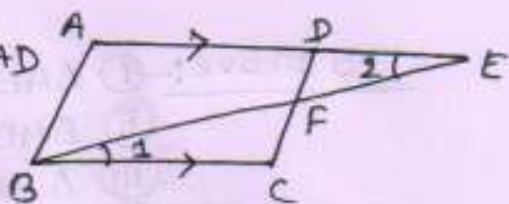
(iv) In  $\triangle PDC$  and  $\triangle BEC$ ,  
 $\angle PDC = \angle BEC$  ( $90^\circ$ )  
 $\angle PCD = \angle BCE$  [Common]  
 $\therefore \triangle PDC \sim \triangle BEC$  (AA-similarity)

Proved



<8> Given that:- In parallelogram ABCD,  
 $AD \parallel BC$  and  
 E is a point on the side AD  
 Produced.

To prove:-  $\triangle ABE \sim \triangle CFB$



Proof:-  $\because AE \parallel BC$  and BE is a transversal line  
 $\therefore \angle 1 = \angle 2$  — (1) [Alt. Int.  $\angle$ s]

In  $\triangle ABE$  and  $\triangle CFB$ ,

$$\angle 2 = \angle 1$$

$$\angle A = \angle C \text{ [opposite angle of } \parallel \text{m]}$$

$$\therefore \triangle ABE \sim \triangle CFB \text{ [AA-similarity]}$$

Proved

<9> Given that:- ABC and AMP are two right triangle in  
 which right angled at B and M respectively.

To Prove:- (i)  $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle AMP$

$$(ii) \frac{CA}{PA} = \frac{BC}{MP}$$

Proof:- (i) In  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle AMP$ ,

$$\angle ABC = \angle AMP (90^\circ)$$

$$\angle A = \angle A \text{ [common]}$$

$$\therefore \triangle ABC \sim \triangle AMP \text{ (AA-similarity)}$$

Proved

$$(ii) \because \triangle ABC \sim \triangle AMP$$

$$\therefore \frac{CA}{PA} = \frac{BC}{MP}$$

Proved



(10) Given that:-

$$\triangle ABC \sim \triangle FEH$$

(32)

CD and GH are respectively the bisectors of  $\angle ACB$  and  $\angle EHF$ .

To Prove:-

(i)  $\frac{CD}{GH} = \frac{AC}{FH}$

(ii)  $\triangle DCB \sim \triangle HGF$

(iii)  $\triangle DCA \sim \triangle HGF$

Proof:-

$\therefore \triangle ABC \sim \triangle FEH$

$\therefore \angle A = \angle F$  — (i)

$\angle B = \angle E$  — (ii)

$\angle C = \angle H$  — (iii)

Again,

$\therefore CD$  bisects  $\angle ACB$

$\therefore \angle 1 = \angle 2 = \frac{1}{2} \angle C$

and,

$GH$  bisects  $\angle EHF$

$\therefore \angle 3 = \angle 4 = \frac{1}{2} \angle H$

from eqn (iii), we get,

$\angle C = \angle H$

$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \angle C = \frac{1}{2} \angle H$

$\Rightarrow \angle 1 = \angle 2 = \angle 3 = \angle 4$  — (iv)

(i) In  $\triangle ACD$  and  $\triangle FGH$ ,

$\angle A = \angle F$

$\angle 2 = \angle 4$

$\therefore \triangle ACD \sim \triangle FGH$  [AA-similarity]

$\therefore \angle ADC = \angle FHG$

$\therefore \frac{CD}{GH} = \frac{AC}{FH}$

Proved

