

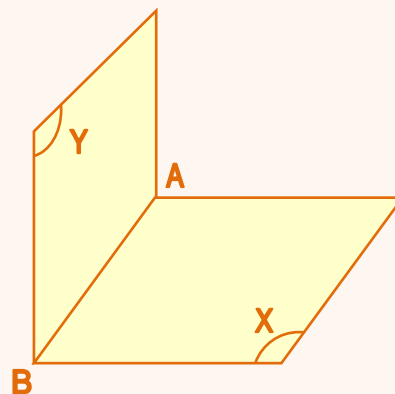
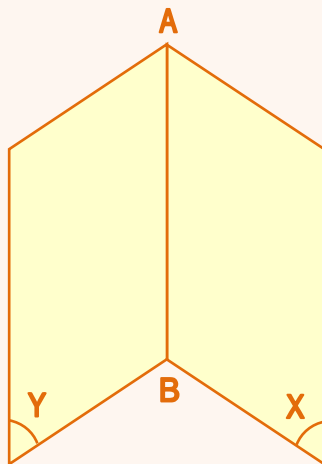
Chapter -6-

Space Geometry

Dihedral Angles & Perpendicular Planes :

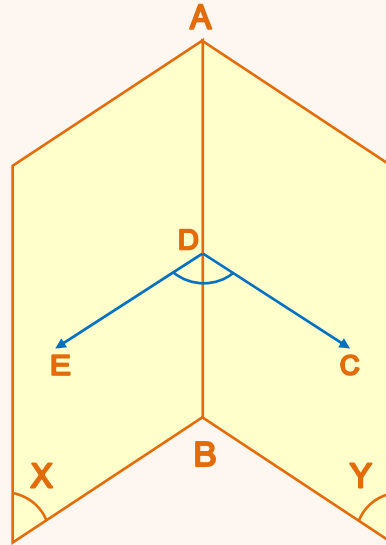
If (X) is a half plane and (Y) is a half plane, then they meet in a common line \overleftrightarrow{AB} . So $(X) \cup (Y)$ is called a (dihedral angle) and the intersect line \overleftrightarrow{AB} is called its (edge)

A dihedral angle $(X) - \overleftrightarrow{AB} - (Y)$ is a figure formed by two half planes meeting in a common line. The common line is called the edge and half planes are called the faces of dihedral angle.



The Plane Angle of A Dihedral Angle :

is an angle whose sides are perpendicular to the edge of the dihedral angle from a point which belong to it and each of them lie in one of the two faces of the dihedral angle.



$$1) \overleftrightarrow{CD} \perp \overleftrightarrow{AB}$$

$$2) \overleftrightarrow{ED} \perp \overleftrightarrow{AB}$$

$$3) \overleftrightarrow{CD} \subset (X)$$

$$4) \overleftrightarrow{ED} \subset (Y)$$

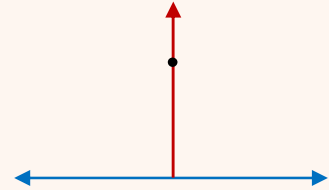
$\angle CDE$ is a Plane Angle of dihedral angle
(X) – \overleftrightarrow{AB} – (Y)

Notes :

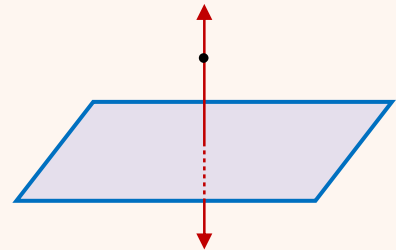
- ❖ Measure of a dihedral angle is equal to measure of its plane angle and vice versa.
- ❖ Two planes are orthogonal to each other if they form a right dihedral angle and vice versa.

Postulates

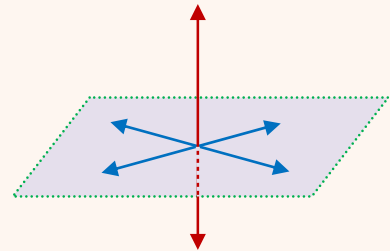
- 1.** In a plane, there exists a unique line perpendicular on given line through the given point



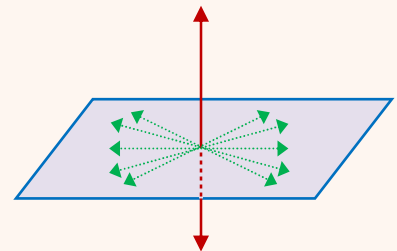
- 2.** There exists a unique line perpendicular on given plane through the given point



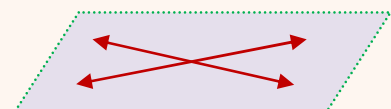
- 3.** A perpendicular line on two intersect lines at intersect point is perpendicular on their plane



- 4.** A perpendicular line on a plane is perpendicular on all lines drawn from its trace within that plane



- 5.** For each two intersect lines, there is one unique plane containing them



Theorem (7):

If two planes are orthogonal, the line drawn in one of these planes perpendicular to the intercept line of two planes will be perpendicular to the other plane too.

Given :

$$(Y) \perp (X),$$

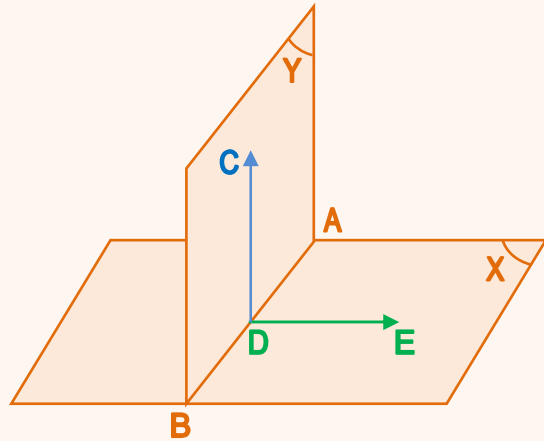
$$(Y) \cap (X) = \overleftrightarrow{AB}$$

$$\overleftrightarrow{CD} \subset (Y)$$

$$\overleftrightarrow{AB} \perp \overleftrightarrow{CD} \text{ at point D}$$

Required :

$$\overleftrightarrow{CD} \perp (X)$$

**Proof :**

In (X) draw $\overleftrightarrow{DE} \perp \overleftrightarrow{AB}$ (In a plane , there exists a unique line perpendicular on given line through the given point)

$$\overleftrightarrow{CD} \subset (Y) , \overleftrightarrow{CD} \perp \overleftrightarrow{AB} \quad (\text{Given})$$

$\therefore \angle CDE$ is a plane angle of dihedral angle $(X) - \overleftrightarrow{AB} - (Y)$

(Definition of plane angle)

$\therefore m \angle CDE = 90^\circ$ (Measure of a dihedral angle is equal to measure of its plane angle and vice versa)

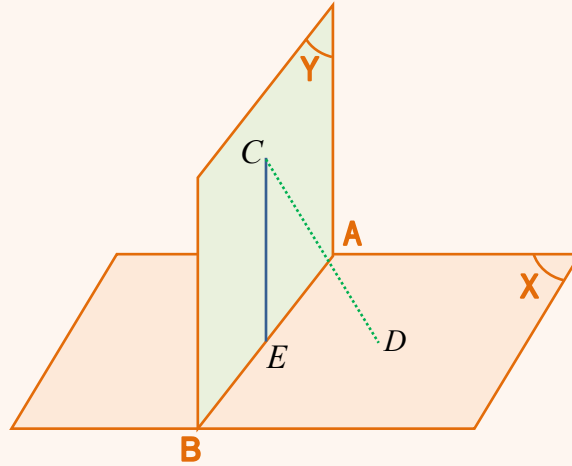
$$\overleftrightarrow{CD} \perp \overleftrightarrow{DE} \quad (\text{If a measure between two lines } 90^\circ, \text{ then the lines are orthogonal})$$

$\overleftrightarrow{CD} \perp (X)$ (A perpendicular line on two intersect lines at intersect point is perpendicular on their plane)

(Q.E.D)

Conclusion of Theorem (7) :

If two planes are orthogonal, and a line is drawn from any point in first plane perpendicular to the other plane, then the first plane must contain that line.



Given : $(Y) \perp (X)$, $(X) \cap (Y) = \overleftrightarrow{AB}$, $C \in (Y)$, $\overleftrightarrow{CD} \perp (X)$

Required : $\overleftrightarrow{CD} \subset (Y)$

Proof :

In (Y) draw $\overleftrightarrow{CE} \perp \overleftrightarrow{AB}$ (In a plane , there exists a unique line perpendicular on given line through the given point)

$\therefore (Y) \perp (X)$ (Given)

$\therefore \overleftrightarrow{CE} \perp (X)$ (Theorem 7)

$\overleftrightarrow{CD} \perp (X)$ (Given)

$\therefore \overleftrightarrow{CE} = \overleftrightarrow{CD}$ (There exists a unique line perpendicular on given plane through the given point)

$\therefore \overleftrightarrow{CD} \subset (Y)$

(Q.E.D)

Theorem (8): If a line is perpendicular to a plane, then any plane containing that line is perpendicular to the given plane

Two planes are orthogonal if one plane has a line perpendicular on the other

Given : $\overleftrightarrow{AB} \perp (X)$, $\overleftrightarrow{AB} \subset (Y)$

$$(X) \cap (Y) = \overleftrightarrow{CD}$$

Required : $(Y) \perp (X)$

Proof :

$B \in \overleftrightarrow{CD}$ (The intersection plane contains the common points)

In (X) draw $\overleftrightarrow{BE} \perp \overleftrightarrow{CD}$ (In a plane, there exists a unique line perpendicular on given line through the given point)

$\therefore \overleftrightarrow{AB} \perp (X)$ (Given)

$\therefore \overleftrightarrow{AB} \perp \overleftrightarrow{CD}$, \overleftrightarrow{BE} (A perpendicular line on a plane is perpendicular on all lines drawn from its trace within that plane)

$\therefore \overleftrightarrow{AB} \subset (Y)$ (Given)

$\therefore \angle ABE$ is a plane angle of dihedral angle $(Y) - \overleftrightarrow{CD} - (X)$

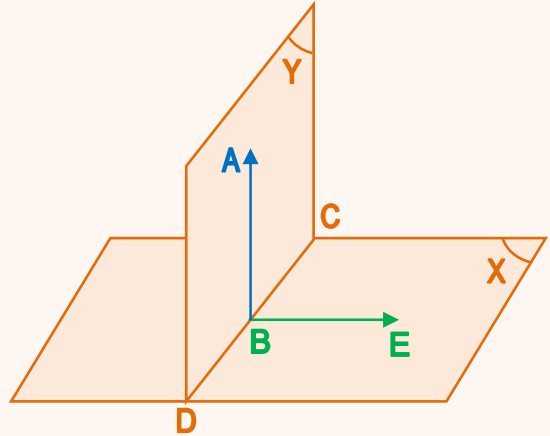
$\therefore m \angle ABE = 90^\circ$ ($\overleftrightarrow{AB} \perp \overleftrightarrow{BE}$)

\Rightarrow Measure of the dihedral angle $(Y) - \overleftrightarrow{CD} - (X) = 90^\circ$

(Measure of the dihedral angle is equal to measure of its plane angle)

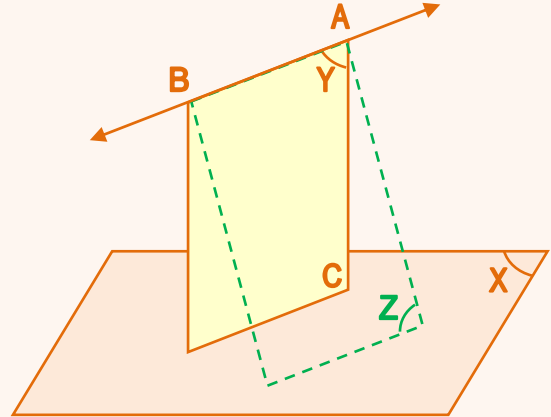
$\therefore (Y) \perp (X)$ (If the measurement of the dihedral angle $= 90^\circ$, then the two planes are orthogonal and vice versa)

(Q.E.D)



Theorem (9):

Through a given external line not perpendicular to a given plane there is only one unique plane perpendicular to the given plane.



Given : \overleftrightarrow{AB} is not perpendicular on (X)

Required :

Find a unique plane that contains \overleftrightarrow{AB} and perpendicular on (X)

Proof :

from the point (A) draw $\overleftrightarrow{AC} \perp (X)$ (There exists a unique line perpendicular on given plane through the given point)

$\therefore \overleftrightarrow{AB}$ intersect \overleftrightarrow{AC}

\exists unique plane like (Y) containing them (For each two intersect lines, there is a unique plane containing them)

$\therefore (Y) \perp (X)$ (Theorem 8)

To prove uniqueness :

Let (Z) another plane contains \overleftrightarrow{AB} and perpendicular on (X)

$\therefore \overleftrightarrow{AC} \perp (X)$ (By proof)

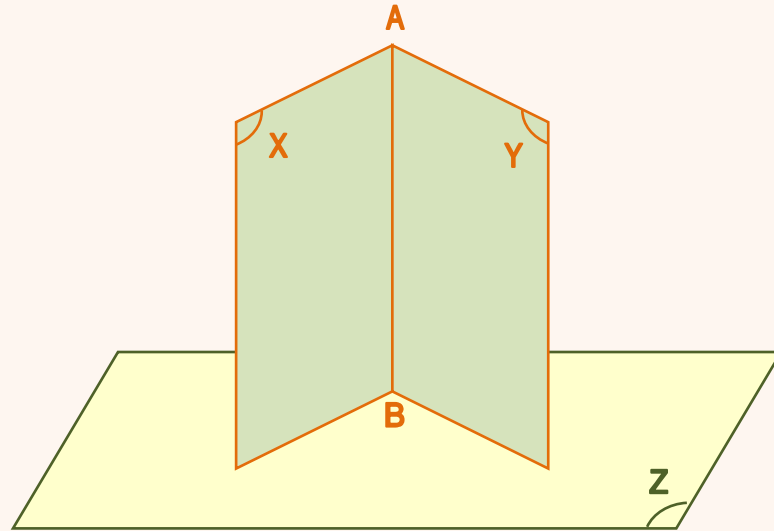
$\therefore \overleftrightarrow{AC} \subset (Z)$ (Conclusion of Theorem 7)

$\therefore (Y) = (Z)$ (For each two intersect lines, there is a unique plane containing them)

(Q.E.D)

Conclusion of Theorem (9) :

If two intersect planes are each perpendicular to a third plane, then intersect line is perpendicular on the third plane

**Given :**

$$(X) \cap (Y) = \overleftrightarrow{AB}$$

$$(X), (Y) \perp (Z)$$

Required :

$$\overleftrightarrow{AB} \perp (Z)$$

Proof :

If \overleftrightarrow{AB} not perpendicular on (Z) then, there is only one unique plane contains \overleftrightarrow{AB} and perpendicular on (Z) (Theorem 9)

$$\therefore \overleftrightarrow{AB} \perp (Z)$$

(Q.E.D)

EXERCISES (6-1)

Q1) Prove that plane of plane angle which belongs to dihedral angle is perpendicular on its edge

Given :

$\angle CDE$ is plane angle of dihedral angle $(X) - \overleftrightarrow{AB} - (Y)$

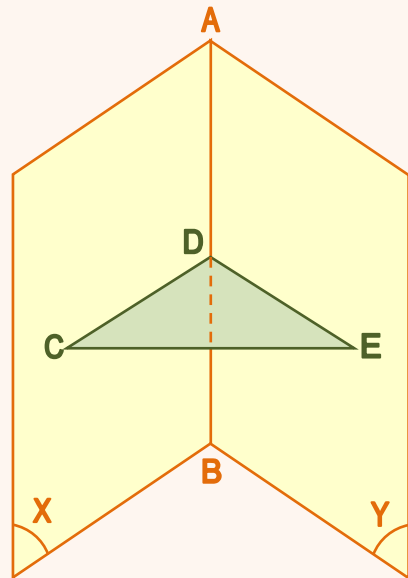
Required :

$(CDE) \perp \overleftrightarrow{AB}$

Proof :

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \overleftrightarrow{CD} \perp \overleftrightarrow{AB} \\ \overleftrightarrow{ED} \perp \overleftrightarrow{AB} \end{array} \right\} \text{ (Definition of plane angle)}$$

$\therefore (CDE) \perp \overleftrightarrow{AB}$ (A perpendicular line on two intersect lines at intersect point is perpendicular on their plane)



(Q.E.D)

Q2) Prove that ; if line is parallel to a plane and perpendicular to other plane then the two planes are orthogonal

Given :

$$\overleftrightarrow{AB} \parallel (X)$$

$$\overleftrightarrow{AB} \perp (Y)$$

Required :

$$(X) \perp (Y)$$

Proof :

Let $C \in (X)$

Draw $\overleftrightarrow{CD} \perp (Y)$ (There exists a unique line perpendicular on given plane through the given point)

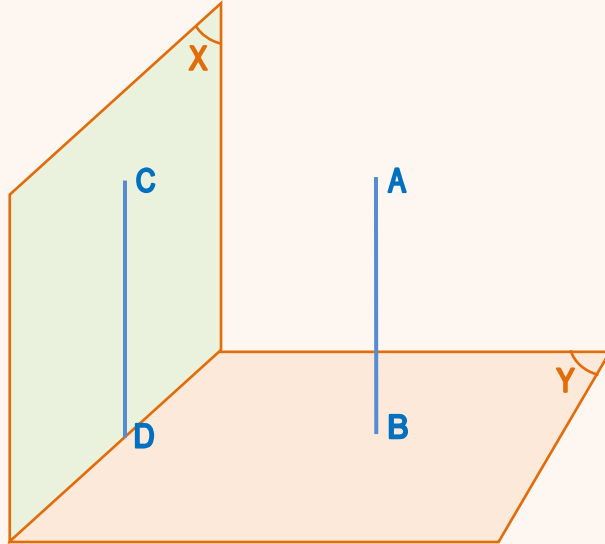
$$\therefore \overleftrightarrow{AB} \perp (Y) \quad (\text{Given})$$

$$\therefore \overleftrightarrow{AB} \parallel \overleftrightarrow{CD} \quad (\text{If two lines are perpendicular to the same plane, they are parallel to each other})$$

$$\therefore C \in (X) \Rightarrow \overleftrightarrow{CD} \subset (X) \quad (\text{If line parallel to a plane then the line which draw from point on that plane parallel to the other line will be subset on the plane})$$

$$\therefore (X) \perp (Y) \quad (\text{Theorem 8})$$

(Q.E.D)



Q3) Prove that if a plane perpendicular on one of two parallel planes is also perpendicular on the other

Given :

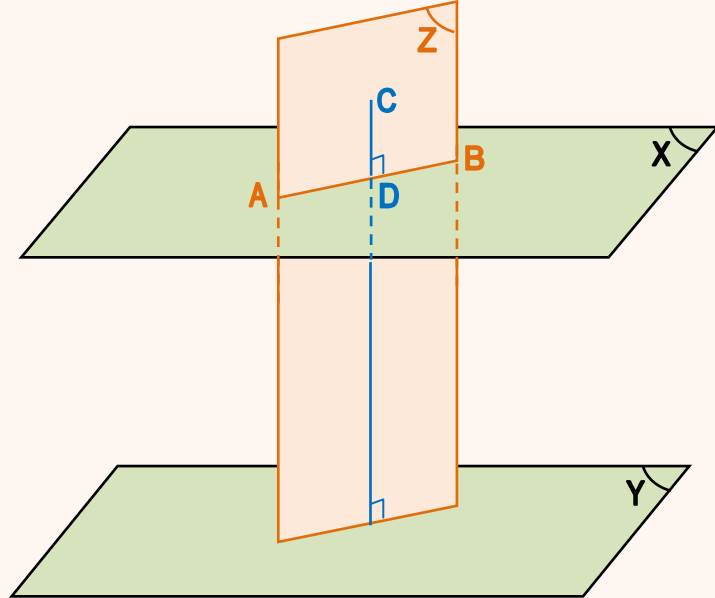
$$(X) \parallel (Y)$$

$$(Z) \perp (X)$$

$$(Z) \cap (X) = \overleftrightarrow{AB}$$

Required :

$$(Z) \perp (Y)$$



Proof :

Let $C \in (Z)$ we draw $\overleftrightarrow{CD} \perp \overleftrightarrow{AB}$ in (Z) (In a plane, there exists a unique line perpendicular on given line through the given point)

$$\overleftrightarrow{CD} \perp (X) \text{ since } (Z) \perp (X) \text{ (Theorem 7)}$$

$$\overleftrightarrow{CD} \perp (Y) \text{ since } (X) \parallel (Y) \text{ (If line is perpendicular to one of two planes then it is perpendicular to the other)}$$

$$\therefore (Z) \perp (Y) \text{ (Theorem 8)}$$

(Q.E.D)

Q4) A, B, C, D four points not in same plane where $AB = AC$, $E \in \overleftrightarrow{BC}$.
 If $\angle AED$ is plane angle of dihedral angle $A - \overline{BC} - D$. Prove
 that $CD = BD$

Given :

A, B, C, D four points not in same plane

$AB = AC$, $E \in \overleftrightarrow{BC}$

$\angle AED$ is plane angle of dihedral angle $A - \overline{BC} - D$

Required :

$CD = BD$

Proof :

in $\triangle ABC$ $AB = AC$ (Given)

$\therefore \overline{AE} \perp \overline{BC}$ (Definition of plane angle)

$CE = EB$ (The perpendicular line drawn from vertex of isosceles triangle divides the base into half)

In $\triangle CED, BED$:

\overline{DE} common

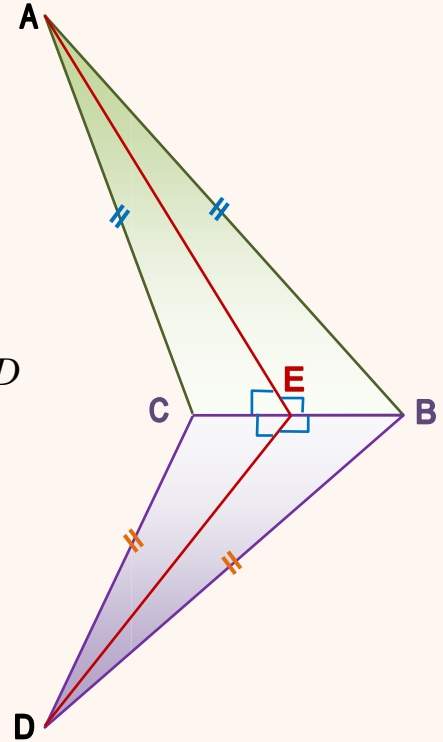
$CE = EB$ (proved)

$m\angle BED = m\angle CED = 90^\circ$ (Definition of plane angle)

$\therefore \triangle CED \cong \triangle BED$

From the congruence we conclude that $CD = BD$

(Q.E.D)



Q5) If two intersecting lines are parallel on a given plane and they are each perpendicular on two intersecting planes, then the line of intersection of the two intersecting planes is perpendicular to the given plane

Given :

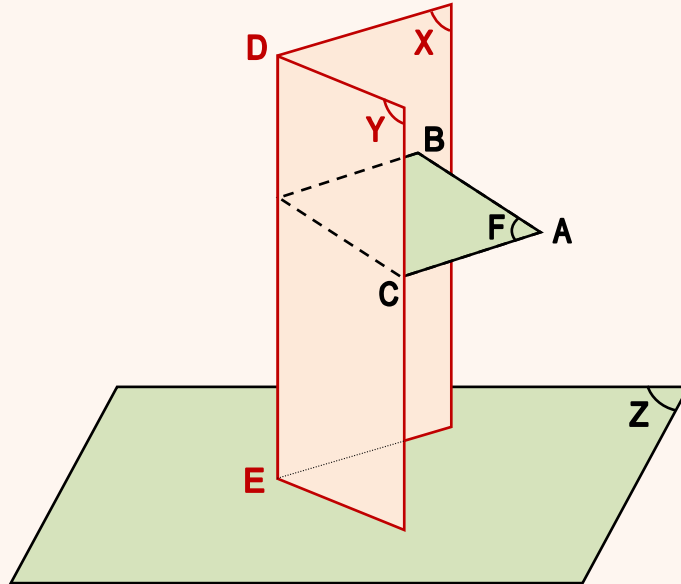
$$\overleftrightarrow{AB}, \overleftrightarrow{AC} \parallel (Z)$$

$$\overleftrightarrow{AB} \perp (X), \overleftrightarrow{AC} \perp (Y)$$

$$(X) \cap (Y) = \overleftrightarrow{DE}$$

Required :

$$\overleftrightarrow{DE} \perp (Z)$$



Proof :

Let $\overleftrightarrow{AB}, \overleftrightarrow{AC} \subset (F)$ (For each two intersect lines, there is a unique plane containing them)

$\therefore (F) \parallel (Z)$ (If plane parallel to two intersecting lines then its parallel to their plane)

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \overleftrightarrow{AB} \perp (X) \text{ (given)} \Rightarrow (F) \perp (X) \\ \overleftrightarrow{AC} \perp (Y) \text{ (given)} \Rightarrow (F) \perp (Y) \end{array} \right\} \text{ (Theorem 8)}$$

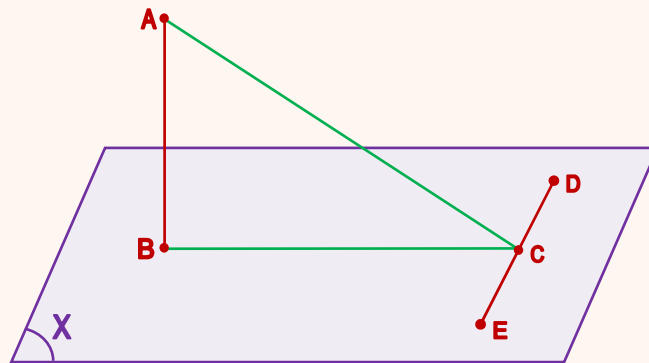
$$\overleftrightarrow{DE} \perp (F) \quad \text{(Conclusion of theorem 9)}$$

$$\overleftrightarrow{DE} \perp (Z) \quad \text{(A line that perpendicular on one of two parallel planes is also perpendicular to the other)}$$

(Q.E.D)

Theorem of Three Perpendiculars

If AB is perpendicular to a plane (X) and if from B , the foot of the perpendicular, a straight line BC is drawn perpendicular to any straight line ED in the plane, then AC is also perpendicular to ED



$$\overline{AB} \perp (X) \text{ on } B, \quad \overline{ED} \subset (X)$$

$$\overline{BC} \perp \overline{ED} \rightarrow \overline{AC} \perp \overline{ED}$$

$$\overline{AB} \perp (X) \text{ on } B, \quad \overline{ED} \subset (X)$$

$$\overline{AC} \perp \overline{ED} \rightarrow \overline{BC} \perp \overline{ED}$$

Q6) A circle with diameter \overline{AB} , \overline{AC} perpendicular on its plane, D is point on the circle; prove that (CDA) is perpendicular on (CDB)

Given :

\overline{AB} is diameter of circle

\overline{AC} is perpendicular to the circle

D is a point belongs to the circle

Required :

$(CDA) \perp (CDB)$

Proof :

$\therefore \overline{AB}$ is diameter of circle (Given)

$\therefore \angle ADB = 90^\circ$ (The inscribed angle opposite a semicircle is a right angle)

$\therefore \overline{AC} \perp (ADB)$ (Given)

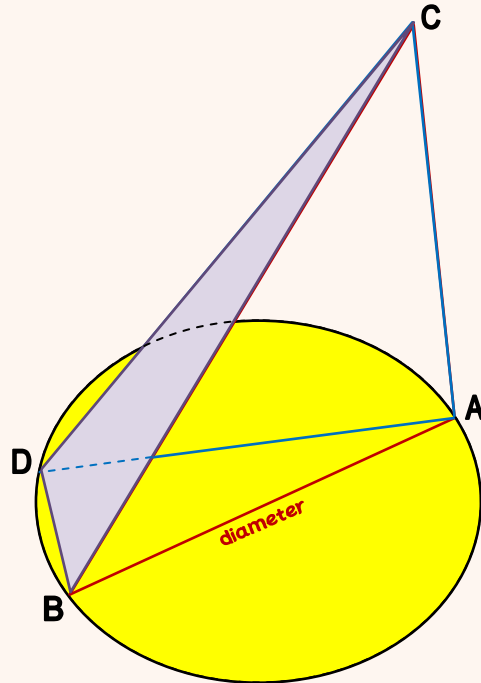
$\overline{AD} \perp \overline{DB}$ (By proof)

$\therefore \overline{CD} \perp \overline{DB}$ (Theorem of Three Perpendiculars)

$\therefore \overline{DB} \perp (CDA)$ (A perpendicular line on two intersect lines at intersect point is perpendicular on their plane)

$\therefore (CDA) \perp (CDB)$ (Theorem 8)

(Q.E.D)



EXERCISES (6 -2)

Q1) Prove that the length of line segment parallel to known plane equals to length of its projection on known plane and parallel to it

Given :

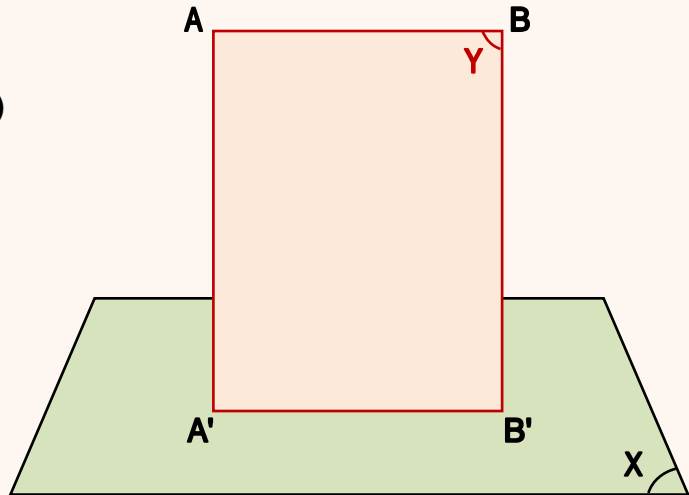
$\overline{A'B'}$ is projection of \overline{AB} on (X)

$\overline{AB} \parallel (X)$

Required :

$\overline{AB} \parallel \overline{A'B'}$, $AB = A'B'$

Proof :



$\therefore \overline{AA'}$ and $\overline{BB'}$ are perpendicular on (X) (definition of projection)

$\therefore \overline{AA'} \parallel \overline{BB'}$ (Two line perpendicular to same plane are parallel)

plot the plane (Y) by the two parallel lines $\overleftrightarrow{AA'}$, $\overleftrightarrow{BB'}$

(for each two parallel lines, there is one unique plane containing them)

$\therefore \overline{AB} \parallel (X)$ (Given)

$\therefore \overline{AB} \parallel \overline{A'B'}$ (If a line parallel to a plane then it is parallel to all lines resulting from intersect of this plane and planes in that line)

$\therefore ABB'A'$ is a parallelogram (opposite sides are parallel)

$\therefore AB = A'B'$ (Opposite sides are equal in parallelogram)

(Q.E.D)

Q2) Prove that; the line that intersect two parallel planes, its inclination on one of them equal to its inclination on the other

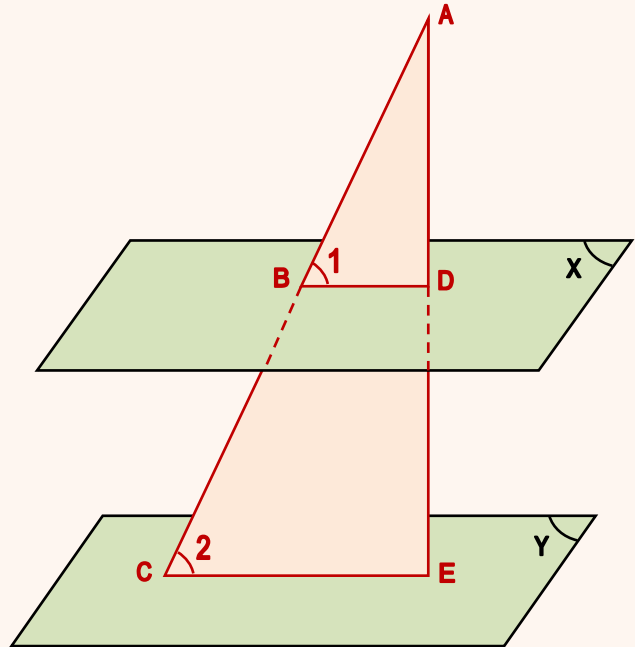
Given :

$$(X) \parallel (Y)$$

\overleftrightarrow{AC} intersect (X) in B and (Y) in C

$\angle 1$ incline angle of \overleftrightarrow{AB} on (X)

$\angle 2$ incline angle of \overleftrightarrow{AC} on (Y)



Required :

$$m\angle 1 = m\angle 2$$

Proof :

Draw $\overleftrightarrow{AD} \perp (X)$ (There exists a unique line perpendicular on given plane through the given point)

$\therefore \overleftrightarrow{AD} \perp (Y)$ in E (If line is perpendicular to one of two parallel planes then it is perpendicular to the other plane also)

$\therefore \overline{DB}$ is a projection of \overline{AB} on (X)
 $\therefore \overline{EC}$ is a projection of \overline{AC} on (Y)

(Definition of projection)

$$m\angle 1 = m\angle 2 \quad (\text{Corresponding angles})$$

(Q.E.D)

Q3) Prove that ; the parallel lines which intersects a plane have the same inclination on the plane

Given :

$$\overline{AB} \parallel \overline{DE}$$

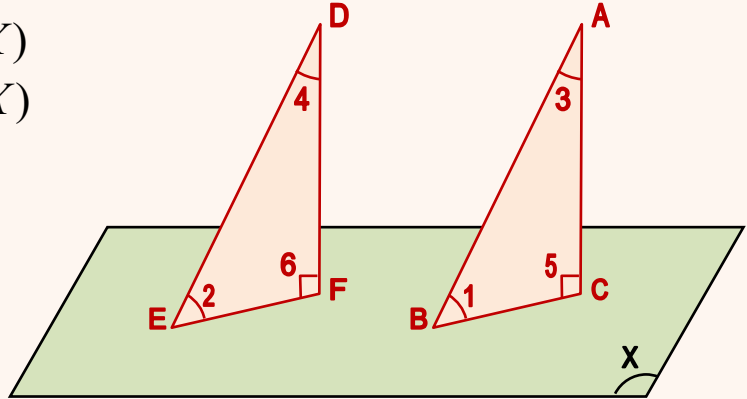
$\angle 1$ incline angle of \overline{AB} on (X)

$\angle 2$ incline angle of \overline{DE} on (X)

Required :

$$m\angle 1 = m\angle 2$$

Proof :



\overline{BC} is a projection of \overline{AB} on (X)

\overline{EF} is a projection of \overline{DE} on (X)

(Definition of projection)

$\therefore \overline{AC} \perp (X)$, $\overline{DF} \perp (X)$ (By proof)

$\therefore \overline{AC} \perp \overline{BC}$, $\overline{DF} \perp \overline{EF}$ (A line that perpendicular on a plane is perpendicular on all lines contained in that plane and passing through it)

$$\therefore m\angle 5 = m\angle 6 \quad (\text{Right angles})$$

$$\overline{AB} \parallel \overline{DE} \quad (\text{Given})$$

$\overline{AC} \parallel \overline{DF}$ (If two lines perpendicular to the same plane then they are parallel to each other)

$$\therefore m\angle 3 = m\angle 4 \quad (\text{If two sides of an angle parallel to two sides of another angle then their measurement are equal})$$

$$\therefore m\angle 1 = m\angle 2 \quad (\text{The sum of interior angles of a triangle is } 180^\circ)$$

(Q.E.D)

Q4) Prove that ; if two inclines, different in length are drawn from a point not belonging to a given plane, the longest has smaller angle of inclination than angle of inclination of the other

Given :

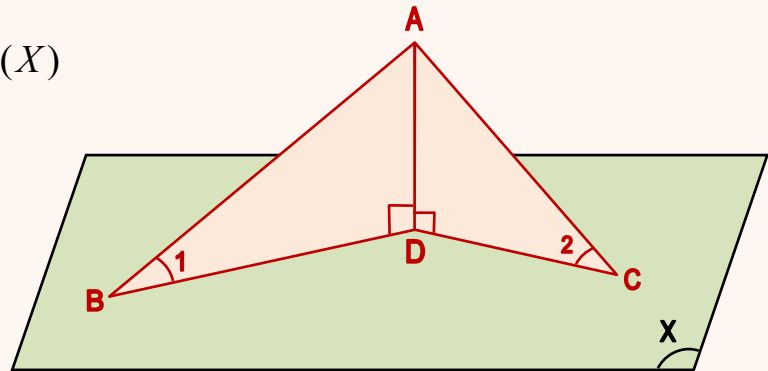
\overleftrightarrow{AB} , \overleftrightarrow{AC} two inclined lines on (X) , $AB > AC$

$\angle 1$ incline angle of \overleftrightarrow{AB} on (X)

$\angle 2$ incline angle of \overleftrightarrow{AC} on (X)

Required :

$$m\angle 1 < m\angle 2$$



Proof :

Draw $\overline{AD} \perp (X)$ (There exists a unique line perpendicular on given plane through the given point)

\overline{BD} is a projection of \overline{AB} on (X)
 \overline{CD} is a projection of \overline{AC} on (X)

(Definition of projection)

$\therefore AB > AC$ (Given)

$$\frac{1}{AB} < \frac{1}{AC} \quad (\text{Properties of inequality})$$

$$\frac{AD}{AB} < \frac{AD}{AC}$$

$$\therefore \sin \angle 1 < \sin \angle 2$$

$$\therefore m\angle 1 < m\angle 2$$

(Q.E.D)

Q5) Prove that ; if two inclines are drawn from some point to a plane, the one with smaller inclination is the longest

Given :

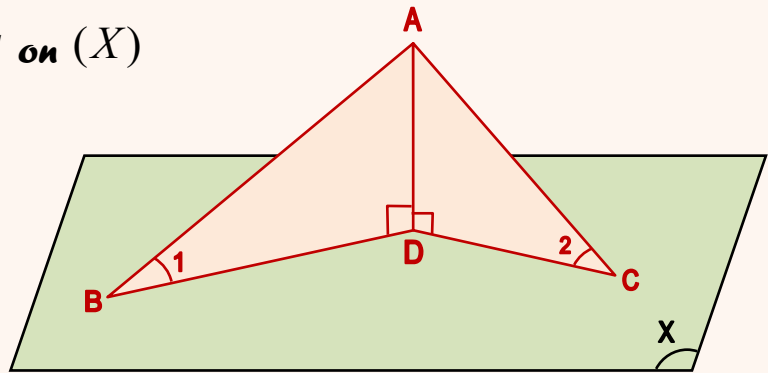
\overleftrightarrow{AB} , \overleftrightarrow{AC} two inclined lines on (X)

$\angle 1$ is the angle of incline \overleftrightarrow{AB} on (X)

$\angle 2$ is the angle of incline \overleftrightarrow{AC} on (X)

$$m\angle 1 < m\angle 2$$

Required : $AB > AC$



Proof :

Draw $\overleftrightarrow{AD} \perp (X)$ (There exists a unique line perpendicular on given plane through given point)

\overline{BD} is a projection of \overline{AB} on (X)
 \overline{CD} is a projection of \overline{AC} on (X)

} (definition of projection)

$\overleftrightarrow{AD} \perp \overline{BD}, \overline{CD}$ (A line that perpendicular on a plane is perpendicular on all lines contained in that plane and passing through it)

$$\therefore m\angle 1 < m\angle 2 \quad (\text{Given})$$

$$\therefore \sin \angle 1 < \sin \angle 2$$

$$\frac{AD}{AB} < \frac{AD}{AC} \rightarrow \frac{1}{AB} < \frac{1}{AC} \rightarrow AB > AC \quad (\text{Properties of inequality})$$

(Q.E.D)

Q6) Prove that angle of inclination between line and its projection on a plane is smaller than the angle bounded by the line itself and any other line drawn from position within that plane

Given :

\overline{BC} is a projection of \overline{AB} on (X)

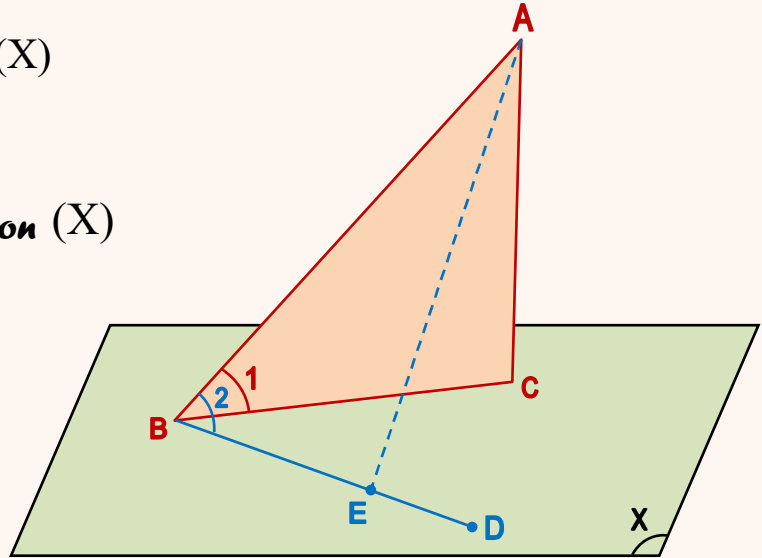
$\overleftrightarrow{BD} \subset (X)$

$\angle 1$ is the angle of incline \overleftrightarrow{AB} on (X)

$\angle 2 = \angle ABD$

Required :

$m\angle 1 < m\angle 2$



Proof :

Let $E \in \overleftrightarrow{BD}$ such that $BC = BE$

Draw \overline{AE}

$\therefore \overline{AC} \perp (X)$ (Definition of projection)

$\therefore AC < AE$ (The perpendicular line is the shortest distance between the point and plane)

$BC = BE$ (By proof)

$AB = AB$ (Common)

$\therefore m\angle 1 < m\angle 2$ (If two sides of triangle is equal to two sides of another triangle and the third side is different , then the smallest one corresponds the smallest angle)

(Q.E.D)

Ex (1): In $\triangle ABC$; $\overline{BD} \perp (ABC)$, $m \angle A = 30^\circ$, $AB = 10 \text{ cm}$, $BD = 5 \text{ cm}$

Find measurement of dihedral angle $(D) - \overline{AC} - (B)$

Given: $\overline{BD} \perp (ABC)$, $m \angle A = 30^\circ$, $AB = 10 \text{ cm}$, $BD = 5 \text{ cm}$

Required: Find measurement of dihedral angle $(D) - \overline{AC} - (B)$

Proof:

In plane (ABC) : draw $\overline{BE} \perp \overline{AC}$ at E
 (In a plane, there is only one line perpendicular on another line at given point)

$\therefore \overline{BD} \perp (ABC)$ (Given)

$\therefore \overline{DE} \perp \overline{AC}$ (Three perpendicular line theorem)

$\angle DEB$ Plane angle of dihedral angle \overline{AC} (By definition of plane angle of dihedral angle)

$\overline{DB} \perp \overline{BE}$ (A line that is perpendicular on a plane is perpendicular on all lines contained in that plane and passing through it)

$\triangle DBE$ right angle at B

In $\triangle BEA$ right angle at E

$$\sin 30^\circ = \frac{BE}{BA} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} = \frac{BE}{10} \Rightarrow BE = 5 \text{ cm}$$

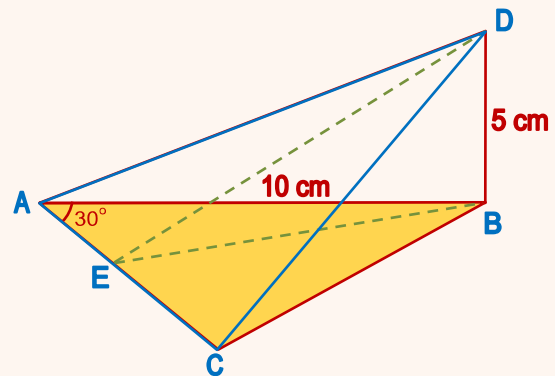
In $\triangle DBE$ which is right angle at B

$$\tan(\angle BED) = \frac{BD}{BE} = \frac{5}{5} = 1$$

$$m \angle BED = 45^\circ$$

$m \angle (D) - \overline{AC} - (B) = 45^\circ$ (Measure of a dihedral angle is equal to measure of its plane angle and vice versa)

(Q.E.D)



Ex (2): Let ABC a triangle such that :

$$\overline{AF} \perp (ABC)$$

$$\overline{BD} \perp \overline{CF}$$

$$\overline{BE} \perp \overline{CA}$$

Proof that $\overline{BE} \perp (CAF)$, $\overline{ED} \perp \overline{CF}$

Given :

$$\overline{AF} \perp (ABC)$$

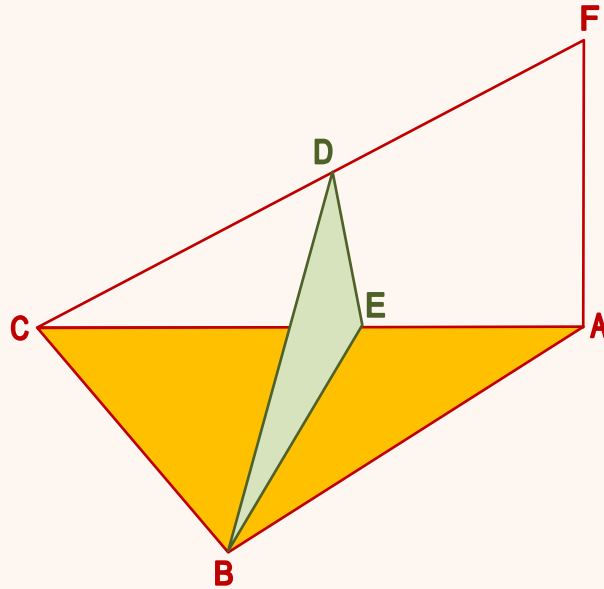
$$\overline{BD} \perp \overline{CF}$$

$$\overline{BE} \perp \overline{CA}$$

Required :

$$\overline{BE} \perp (CAF)$$

$$\overline{ED} \perp \overline{CF}$$



Proof :

$$\therefore \overline{AF} \perp (ABC) \quad (\text{Given})$$

$$\therefore (CAF) \perp (ABC) \quad (\text{Theorem 8})$$

$$\therefore \overline{BE} \perp \overline{CA} \quad (\text{Given})$$

$$\therefore \overline{BE} \perp (CAF) \quad (\text{Theorem 7})$$

$$\therefore \overline{BD} \perp \overline{CF} \quad (\text{Given})$$

$$\therefore \overline{ED} \perp \overline{CF} \quad (\text{Three perpendicular line theorem})$$

(Q.E.D)

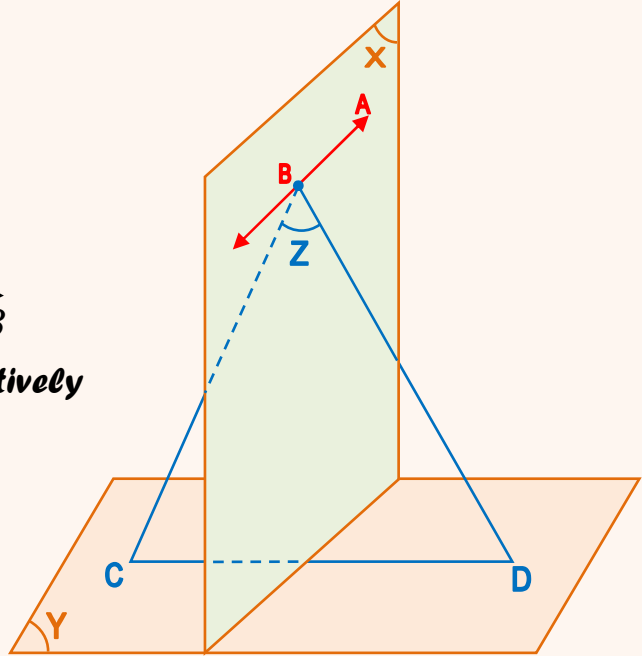
Ex (3): $(Y), (X)$ two orthogonal planes : $\overline{AB} \subset (X)$
 $\overrightarrow{CB}, \overrightarrow{BD}$ are perpendicular on \overline{AB}
 and intersect (Y) at C, D respectively
 prove that : $\overrightarrow{CD} \perp (X)$

Given :

$(X) \perp (Y)$
 $\overline{AB} \subset (X)$
 $\overrightarrow{CB}, \overrightarrow{BD}$ are perpendicular on \overline{AB}
 and intersect (Y) at C, D respectively

Required :

$\overrightarrow{CD} \perp (X)$



Proof :

Let (Z) a plane of intersect lines $\overrightarrow{CB}, \overrightarrow{BD}$ (For two intersect lines, there is one unique plane containing them)

$\therefore \overrightarrow{AB} \perp \overrightarrow{BC}, \overrightarrow{BD}$ (Given)

$\therefore \overrightarrow{AB} \perp (Z)$ (A perpendicular line on two intersect lines at intersect point is perpendicular on their plane)

$\therefore \overline{AB} \subset (X)$ (Given)

$\therefore (X) \perp (Z)$ (Theorem 8)

$\therefore (X) \perp (Y)$ (Given)

And $(Z) \cap (Y) = \overline{CD}$ (Because it is contained in both)

$\therefore \overrightarrow{CD} \perp (X)$ (Conclusion of theorem 9)

(Q.E.D)

Ex (5): In $\triangle ABC$: $\overline{BC} \subset (X)$, the measurement of dihedral angle between triangle plane (ABC) and plane $(X) = 60^\circ$, if $AB = AC = 13\text{cm}$, $BC = 10\text{cm}$

Find projection of triangle (ABC) on (X) then find project area $\triangle ABC$ on (X)

Given :

$\triangle ABC$: $\overline{BC} \subset (X)$, $(ABC) - \overline{BC} - (X) = 60^\circ$, $AB = AC = 13\text{cm}$, $BC = 10\text{cm}$

Required :

Find projection of triangle (ABC) on (X) then find project area $\triangle ABC$ on (X)

Proof :

Draw $\overline{AD} \perp (X)$ at D (There exists a unique line perpendicular on given plane through the given point)

\overline{CD} is project of \overline{AC}
 \overline{BD} is project of \overline{AB} } (Definition of projection)
 \overline{BC} is project of itself on (X)

$\therefore \triangle BCD$ is project of $\triangle ABC$ on (X)

In (ABC) we draw $\overline{BC} \perp \overline{AE}$ in E

(In a plane, there exists a unique line perpendicular on given line through the given point)

$\therefore AC = AB$ (Given)

$\therefore EC = BE = 5\text{cm}$ (The perpendicular line from vertex of isosceles triangle at the base, divides the base into half)

$\therefore \overline{ED} \perp \overline{BC}$ (postulate of three columns theorem)

$\therefore \angle DEA$ Plane angle of dihedral \overline{BC} (By definition of plane angle of dihedral angle)

However, measurement of dihedral angle $\overline{BC} = 60^\circ$ (Given)

In $\triangle AEB$ right angle in E :

$$(AB)^2 = (AE)^2 + (BE)^2 \Rightarrow 169 = (AE)^2 + 25 \Rightarrow (AE)^2 = 144 \Rightarrow AE = 12\text{cm}$$

In $\triangle AED$ right angle in D :

$$\cos 60^\circ = \frac{ED}{AE} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} = \frac{ED}{12} \Rightarrow ED = 6\text{cm}$$

$$\text{Area of } \triangle BCD = \frac{1}{2} \times 10 \times 6 = 30\text{ cm}^2$$

(Q.E.D)

