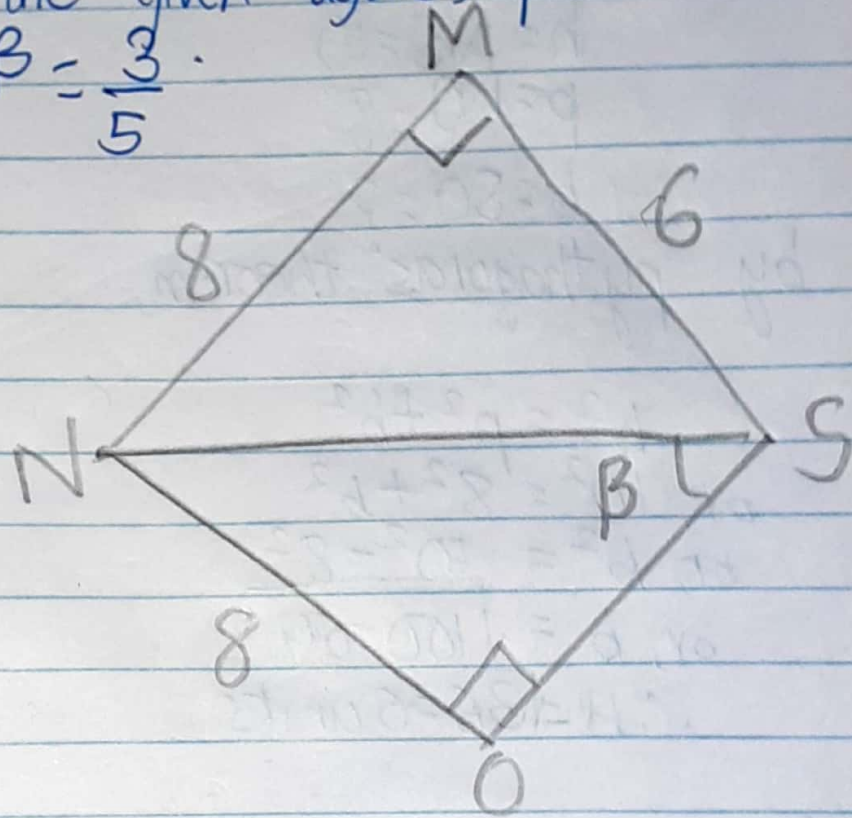


iii) From the given figures, prove that  $\cos \beta = \frac{3}{5}$ .

a)



→ Sol<sup>n</sup>,

Here,

In  $\triangle MNS$ ,  
 $h = ? = NS$

$p = 8$   
 $b = 6$

By pythagoras theorem,

$$h^2 = p^2 + b^2$$

$$\text{or, } h = \sqrt{p^2 + b^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{8^2 + 6^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{64 + 36}$$

$$= \sqrt{100} = 10 \text{ units}$$



In  $\triangle NSO$ ,

$$h = NS = 10$$

$$p = NO = 8$$

$$b = SO = ?$$

by pythagoras' theorem,

$$h^2 = p^2 + b^2$$

$$\text{or, } 10^2 = 8^2 + b^2$$

$$\text{or, } b^2 = 10^2 - 8^2$$

$$\text{or, } b = \sqrt{100 - 64}$$

$$\therefore b = \sqrt{36} = 6 \text{ units}$$

Now,

¶ To prove  $\cos \beta = \frac{3}{5}$ ,

$$\text{L.H.S} = \cos \beta$$

$$= \frac{b}{h}$$

$$= \frac{6}{10}$$

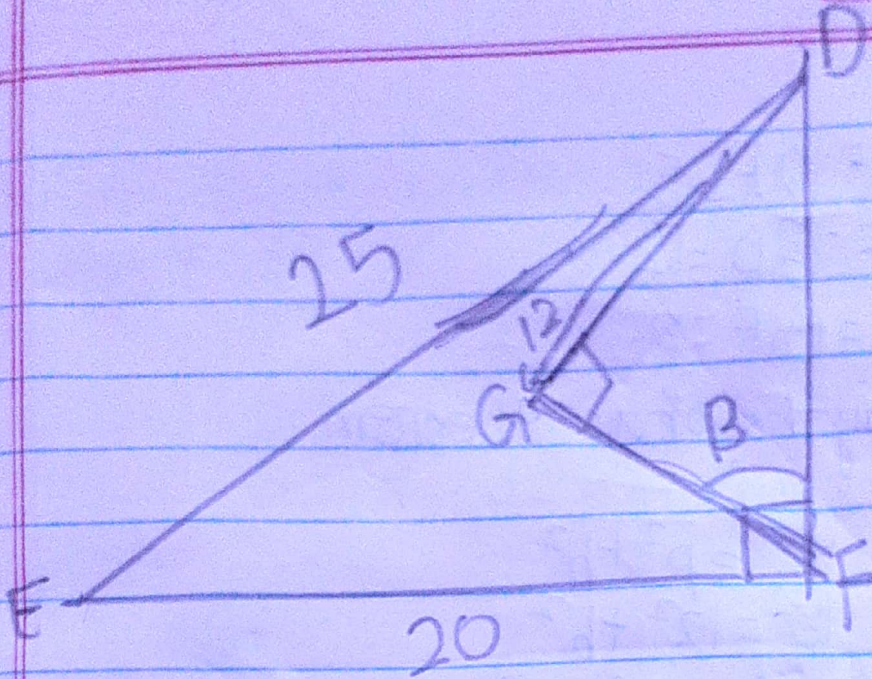
$$= \frac{3}{5}$$

$$= \frac{3}{5}$$

proved.



b)



→ Sol<sup>n</sup>,  
Here,

In  $\triangle DEF$ ,  
 $h = 25 = DE$   
 $p = 2 = DF$   
 $b = 20 = EF$

by pythagoras theorem,

$$h^2 = p^2 + b^2$$

$$\text{or } 25^2 = p^2 + 20^2$$

$$\delta r, p = \sqrt{25^2 - 20^2}$$

$$\text{or, } p = \sqrt{625 - 400}$$

or,  $p = \sqrt{225}$

$\therefore p = 15$  units

In  $\triangle GOF$ ,



$$h = DF = 15$$

$$p = GD = 12$$

$$b = GF = ?$$

by pythagoras theorem,

$$h^2 = p^2 + b^2$$

$$\text{or, } 15^2 = 12^2 + b^2$$

$$\text{or, } b^2 = 15^2 - 12^2$$

$$\text{or, } b = \sqrt{15^2 - 12^2}$$

$$\text{or, } b = \sqrt{225 - 144}$$

$$\text{or, } b = \sqrt{81}$$

$$\therefore b = 9$$

Now,

To prove:  $\cos \beta = \frac{3}{5}$

$$\text{L.H.S} = \cos \beta$$

$$= \frac{b}{h}$$

$$= \frac{9}{15}$$

$$= \frac{3}{5}$$

$$= \frac{3}{5}$$

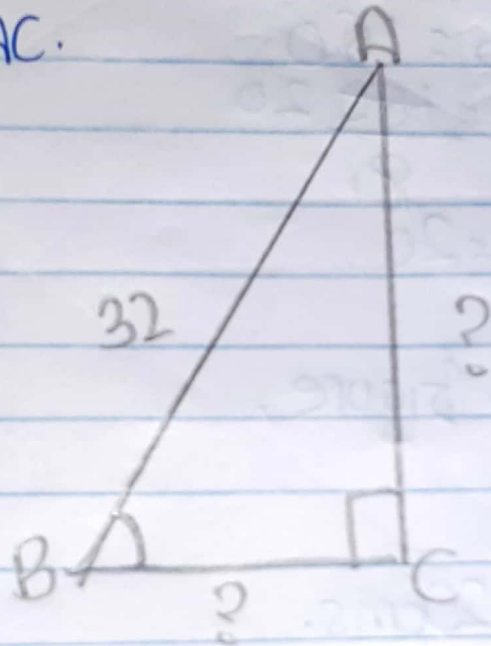
proved



6.) In a right angled triangle, right angle at C, if  $AB = 32\text{cms}$  and  $\sin B = \frac{5}{8}$ ,

Find AC.

→ Soln,  
Here,



In  $\triangle ABC$ , [Taking B as reference angle]

$$h = AB = 32$$

$$p = AC = ?$$

$$b = BC = ?$$

$$\sin B = \frac{5}{8}$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{p}{h} = \frac{5}{8}$$

Now,  
Keeping values,



$$\frac{p}{32} = \frac{5}{8}$$

$$\text{or, } p \times 8 = 5 \times 32$$

$$\text{or, } 8p = 160$$

$$\text{or, } p = \frac{160}{8} = 20$$

$$\therefore p = 20$$

According to figure,

$$p = AC$$

$$\therefore AC = 20 \text{ cms.}$$