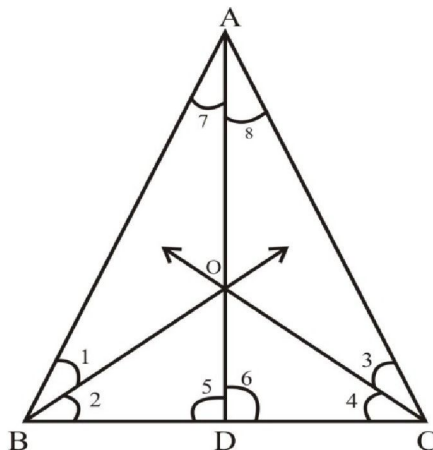


## Exercise 12.3

**Q.1** Prove that the bisectors of the angles of base of an isosceles triangle intersect each other on its altitude.



**Given**

$\triangle ABC$

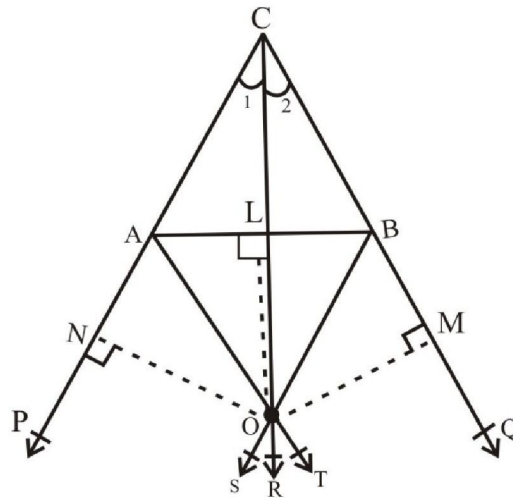
$\overline{AB} = \overline{AC}$  Due to isosceles triangle

Bisect  $\angle B$  and  $\angle C$  to intersect at point O Join A to D and extend to BC at D  $\overline{AD}$  is the altitude of  $\triangle ABC$   $\overline{AD} \perp \overline{BC}$

**Proof**

Statements	Reasons
In $\triangle ABC$	
$\overline{AB} \cong \overline{AC}$	Given
$\angle B \cong \angle C$	Due to isosceles triangle opposite angle are congruent
$\frac{1}{2}m\angle B = \frac{1}{2}m\angle C$	Dividing both side by 2
$\angle 1 \cong \angle 3$	
$\triangle ABO \leftrightarrow \triangle ACO$	
$\overline{AO} = \overline{AO}$	
$\overline{AB} = \overline{AC}$	
$\overline{BO} \cong \overline{CO}$	Given
$\triangle ABO \cong \triangle ACO$	Due to isosceles triangle
$\triangle ABD \leftrightarrow \triangle ACD$	
$\overline{AD} \cong \overline{AD}$	
$\angle 7 \cong \angle 8$	
$\overline{AB} \cong \overline{AC}$	
$\triangle ABD \cong \triangle ACD$	
$\angle 5 + \angle 6 = 180$	
$\angle 5 = \angle 6 = 90^\circ$	
So $\overline{AD} \perp \overline{BC}$	Supplementary angles
$\overline{AD}$ Passes from point O	

**Q.2** Prove that the bisectors of two exterior and third interior angle of a triangle are concurrent



**Given**

$\triangle ABC$

Exterior angles are  $\angle ABQ$  and  $\angle BAP$   $\overrightarrow{AT}$  and  $\overrightarrow{BS}$  intersect each other at point O therefore join O to C

Draw the angle bisector of C

$\angle 1 \cong \angle 2$

**Construction**

$\overline{OM} \perp \overline{CQ}$ ,  $\overline{OL} \perp \overline{AB}$ ,  $\overline{ON} \perp \overline{CP}$

**Proof**

Statements	Reasons
$\overline{ON} \cong \overline{OM}$ .....(i)	
$\overline{OL} \cong \overline{OM}$ .....(ii)	
$\overline{ON} \cong \overline{OL}$	
Hence Angle Bisector of C i.e $\angle 1 \cong \angle 2$	Comparing equation (i) and (ii)

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