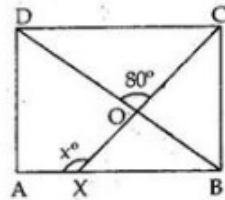




Exercise 9B

Question 13:



Consider the triangle $\triangle ABD$

$$AB = AD$$

[\because ABCD is a square]

$$\text{So, } \angle ADB = \angle ABD$$

[base angles are equal]

$$\therefore \angle ADB + \angle ABD = 90^\circ$$

[$\because \angle A = 90^\circ$ as ABCD is a square]

$$2\angle ADB = 90^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ADB = \frac{90}{2} = 45^\circ$$

Now in $\triangle OXB$,

$$\angle XOB = \angle DOC = 80^\circ \quad [\text{vertically opposite angle}]$$

$$\text{and } \angle ABD = 45^\circ \Rightarrow \angle XBD = 45^\circ \dots (1)$$

$$\text{So, exterior } \angle AXO = \angle XOB + \angle XBD$$

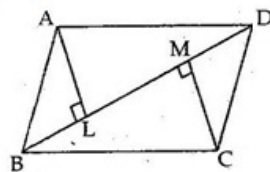
$$x^\circ = 80^\circ + 45^\circ \quad [\text{from (1)}]$$

$$= 125^\circ$$

$$\therefore x^\circ = 125^\circ$$

Question 14:

A parallelogram ABCD in which AL and CM are perpendiculars to its diagonal BD



To Prove : (i) $\triangle ALD \cong \triangle CMB$

(ii) $AL = CM$

Proof : (i) In $\triangle ALD$ and $\triangle CMB$, we have

$$\angle ALD = \angle CMB = 90^\circ \quad [\text{Given}]$$

$$\angle ADL = \angle CBM \quad [AD \parallel BC, BD \text{ is a transversal, so alternate angles are equal}]$$

$$AD = BC \quad [\text{Opposite sides of a parallelogram}]$$

Thus by Angle-Angle-Side criterion of congruence, we have

$$\therefore \triangle ALD \cong \triangle CMB \quad [\text{By AAS}]$$

(ii) Since $\triangle ALD \cong \triangle CMB$, the corresponding parts of the congruent triangles are equal.

$$\therefore AL = CM \quad [\text{C.P.C.T.}]$$

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