

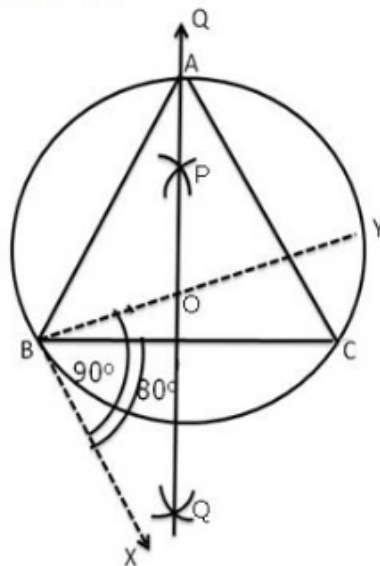


Exercise 12A

Question 9:

Steps of Construction :

- (i) Draw a line segment $BC = 4.8$ cm.
- (ii) Make $\angle CBX = 80^\circ$, below the line segment BC .
- (iii) Make $\angle XBY = 90^\circ$.
- (iv) Draw the right bisector PQ of BC , intersecting BY at O .
- (v) With O as centre and radius OB , draw a circle intersecting PQ at A .
- (vi) Join AB and AC . $\therefore \triangle ABC$ is the required isosceles triangle in which $AB = AC$.



Question 10:

Steps of construction :

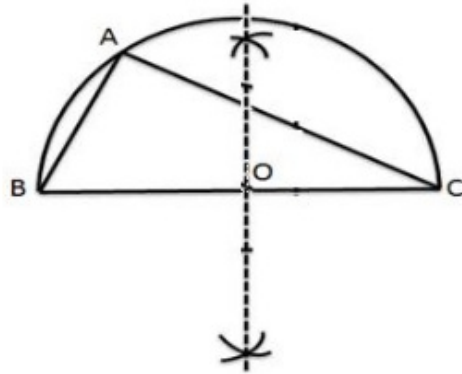
(i) Draw a line segment $BC = 5.3\text{cm}$.

(ii) Find the mid-point O of BC .

(iii) With O as a centre and radius OB , draw a semicircle on BC .

(iv) With B as centre and radius equal to 4.5 cm draw an arc cutting the semicircle at A .

(v) Join AB and AC , $\therefore \triangle ABC$ is the required triangle.



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