



Congruent Triangles Ex 10.3 Q9

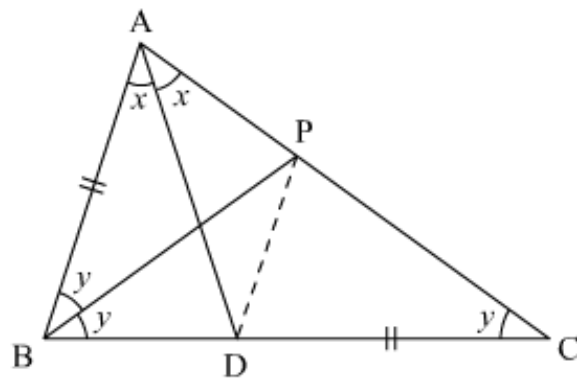
**Answer :**

It is given that in  $\triangle ABC$

$$\angle B = 2\angle C$$

$$AB = CD$$

And  $AD$  bisects  $\angle BAC$



We have to prove that  $\angle BAC = 72^\circ$

Now let  $\angle C = y$

$$\angle B = 2y \text{ (Given)}$$

Since  $AD$  is a bisector of  $\angle BAC$  so let  $\angle BAD = \angle CAD = x$

Let  $BP$  be the bisector of  $\angle ABC$

If we join  $PD$  we have

In  $\triangle BPC$

$$\angle CBP = \angle BCP = y$$

So  $BP = PC$

In triangle  $ABP$  and  $DCP$  we have

$$\angle ABP = \angle DCP = y$$

$$AB = CD \text{ (Given)}$$

$$BP = PC \text{ (Proved above)}$$

So by  $SAS$  congruence criterion, we have

$$\triangle ABP \cong \triangle DCP$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BAP = \angle CDP$$

And  $AP = DP$

$$\angle CDP = 2x, \text{ and } \angle ADP = \angle DAP = x \text{ (since } \angle A = 2x \text{)}$$

In  $\triangle ABD$  we have

$$\angle ADC = \angle ABD + \angle BAC$$

Since,

$$\angle ADC = \angle ADP + \angle CDP$$

$$= x + 2x$$

$$= 3x$$

And,

$$\angle ADC = \angle BAD + \angle ABD$$

$$= x + 2y$$

So,

$$3x = x + 2y$$

$$2x = 2y$$

$$\Rightarrow x = y$$

In  $\triangle ABC$  we have

$$\angle A + \angle B + \angle C = 180^\circ$$

$$2x + 2y + y = 180^\circ$$

$$5x = 180^\circ$$

$$x = 36^\circ$$

Here,

$$\angle BAC = 2x$$

$$= 2 \times 36^\circ$$

$$= 72^\circ$$

Hence  $\boxed{\angle BAC = 72^\circ}$  Proved.

**Answer :**

It is given that

$$\angle A = 90^0$$

$$AB = AC$$

We have to find  $\angle B$  and  $\angle C$  .

Since  $AB = AC$  so,  $\angle B = \angle C$

Now  $\angle A + \angle B + \angle C = 180^0$  (property of triangle)

$$\angle 90^0 + \angle B + \angle B = 180^0 \text{ (Since } \angle B = \angle C \text{ )}$$

$$\angle 90^0 + 2\angle B = 180^0$$

$$2\angle B = 90^0$$

$$2B = \frac{90^0}{2}$$

$$\angle B = 45^0$$

Here  $\angle B = \angle C = 45^0$

Then  $\angle A = 90^0$

Hence

$$\boxed{\angle B = 45^0}$$

$$\boxed{\angle C = 45^0}$$

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