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Answer:
In parallelogram BDEF
\therefore BD = EF
                  ...(i) (opposite sides of a parallelogram are equal)
In parallelogram DCEF
                 ...(ii) (opposite sides of a parallelogram are equal)
     CD = EF
From equations (i) and (ii)
BD = CD
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Answer:
In AFDE:
DE = DF
∴ ∠FED = ∠DFE.....(i) (angles opposite to equal sides)
In the II<sup>gm</sup> BDEF:
∠FBD = ∠FED......(ii) (opposite angles of a parallelogram are equal)
In the II<sup>gm</sup> DCEF:
 \angle DCE = \angle DFE......(iii) \  \, \text{(opposite angles of a parallelogram are equal)}
From equations (i), (ii) and (iii):
 \angle FBD = \angle DCE
In △ ABC:
 If \angle FBD = \angle DCE, then AB = AC (sides opposite to equal angles).
Hence, \triangle ABC is isosceles.
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Answer:
(i) Diagonals of a parallelogram bisect each other.
(ii) Alternate angles
(iii) Vertically opposite angles
(iv)
In \triangle BOY and \triangle DOX:
 OB = OD (diagonals of a parallelogram bisect each other)
 \angle OBY = \angle ODX (alternate angles)
 \angle BOY = \angle DOX (vertically opposite angles)
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ASA congruence:

XO = YO (c.p.c.t)

So, XY is bisected at O.

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