

Exercise 16A

In ΔABC , if we take a point D on BC, then we get three triangles, namely ΔADB , ΔADC and ΔABC .

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Answer:

(i) No

If the two angles are 90° each, then the sum of two angles of a triangle will be 180°, which is not

(ii) No

For example, let the two angles be 120° and 150° . Then, their sum will be 270° , which cannot form a triangle.

(iii) Yes

For example, let the two angles be 50° and 60° , which on adding, gives 110° . They can easily form a triangle whose third angle is 180° - 110° = 70° .

(iv) No

For example, let the two angles be 70° and 80°, which on adding, gives 150°. They cannot form a triangle whose third angle is 180° - 150° = 30° , which is less than 60° .

(v) No

For example, let the two angles be 50° and 40° , which on adding, gives 90° . Thus, they cannot form a triangle whose third angle is 180° - 90° = 90° , which is greater than 60° .

(vi) Yes

Sum of all angles = 60° + 60° + 60° = 180°

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Answer:

- (i) A triangle has 3 sides 3 angles and 3 vertices.
- (ii) The sum of the angles of a triangle is 180º.
- (iii) The sides of a scalene triangle are of different lengths.
- (iv) Each angle of an equilateral triangle measures 60º.
- (v) The angles opposite to equal sides of an isosceles triangle are equal.
- (vi) The sum of the lengths of the sides of a triangle is called its perimeter.

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