



Exercise 13A

Q1

Answer :

(i) The given angle measures 35° .

Let the measure of its complement be x .

$$x + 35^\circ = 90^\circ$$

$$\text{or } x = (90 - 35)^\circ = 55^\circ$$

Hence, the complement of the given angle will be 55° .

(ii) The given angle measures 47° .

Let the measure of its complement be x .

$$x + 47^\circ = 90^\circ$$

$$\text{or } x = (90 - 47)^\circ = 43^\circ$$

Hence, the complement of the given angle will be 43° .

(iii) The given angle measures 60° .

Let the measure of its complement be x° .

$$x + 60^\circ = 90^\circ$$

$$\text{or } x = (90 - 60)^\circ = 30^\circ$$

Hence, the complement of the given angle will be 30° .

(iv) The given angle measures 73° .

Let the measure of its complement be x .

$$x + 73^\circ = 90^\circ$$

$$\text{or } x = (90 - 73)^\circ = 17^\circ$$

Hence, the complement of the given angle will be 17° .

Q2

Answer :

(i) The given angle measures 80° .

Let the measure of its supplement be x .

$$x + 80^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\text{or } x = (180 - 80)^\circ = 100^\circ$$

Hence, the complement of the given angle will be 100° .

(ii) The given angle measures 54° .

Let the measure of its supplement be x .

$$x + 54^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\text{or } x = (180 - 54)^\circ = 126^\circ$$

Hence, the complement of the given angle will be 126° .

(iii) The given angle measures 105° .

Let the measure of its supplement be x .

$$x + 105^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\text{or, } x = (180 - 105)^\circ = 75^\circ$$

Hence, the complement of the given angle will be 75° .

(iv)

The given angle measures 123° .

Let the measure of its supplement be x .

$$x + 123^\circ = 180^\circ$$

Q3

Answer :

Let the two supplementary angles be x° and $(180 - x)^\circ$.

Since it is given that the measure of the larger angle is 36° more than the smaller angle, let the larger angle be x° .

$$\therefore (180 - x)^\circ + 36^\circ = x^\circ$$

$$\text{or } 216 = 2x$$

$$\text{or } 108 = x$$

$$\text{Larger angle} = 108^\circ$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Smaller angle} &= (108 - 36)^\circ \\ &= 72^\circ\end{aligned}$$

Q4

Answer :

Let the measure of the required angle be x .

Since it is its own supplement:

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

$$\text{or } 2x = 180^\circ$$

$$\text{or } x = 90^\circ$$

Therefore, the required angle is 90° .

Q5

Answer :

(i) No. If both the angles are acute, i.e. less than 90° , they cannot be supplementary as their sum will always be less than 180° .

(ii) No. If both the angles are obtuse, i.e. more than 90° , they cannot be supplementary as their sum will always be more than 180° .

(iii) Yes. If both the angles are right, i.e. they both measure 90° , then they form a supplementary pair.
 $90^\circ + 90^\circ = 180^\circ$

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