



## Exercise 17B

Q1

**Answer :**

Steps of construction:

Step 1: Draw  $AB = 5.2\text{ cm}$

Step 2: With  $B$  as the centre, draw an arc of  $4.7\text{ cm}$ .

Step 3: With  $A$  as the centre, draw another arc of  $7.6\text{ cm}$ , cutting the previous arc at  $C$ .

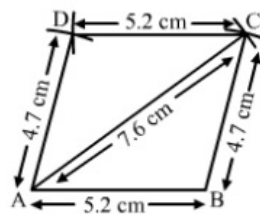
Step 4: Join  $A$  and  $C$ .

Step 5: We know that the opposite sides of a parallelogram are equal. Thus, with  $C$  as the centre, draw an arc of  $5.2\text{ cm}$ .

Step 6: With  $A$  as the centre, draw another arc of  $4.7\text{ cm}$ , cutting the previous arc at  $D$ .

Step 7: Join  $CD$  and  $AD$ .

Then,  $ABCD$  is the required parallelogram.



Q2

**Answer :**

Steps of construction:

Step 1: Draw  $AB = 4.3\text{ cm}$

Step 2: With  $B$  as the centre, draw an arc of  $6.8\text{ cm}$ .

Step 3: With  $A$  as the centre, draw another arc of  $4\text{ cm}$ , cutting the previous arc at  $D$ .

Step 4: Join  $BD$  and  $AD$ .

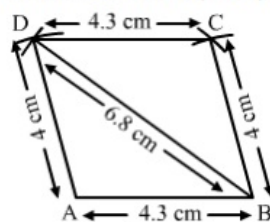
Step 5: We know that the opposite sides of a parallelogram are equal.

Thus, with  $D$  as the centre, draw an arc of  $4.3\text{ cm}$ .

Step 6: With  $B$  as the centre, draw another arc of  $4\text{ cm}$ , cutting the previous arc at  $C$ .

Step 7: Join  $CD$  and  $BC$ .

then,  $ABCD$  is the required parallelogram.



Q3

**Answer :**

Steps of construction:

Step 1: Draw  $PQ = 4\text{ cm}$

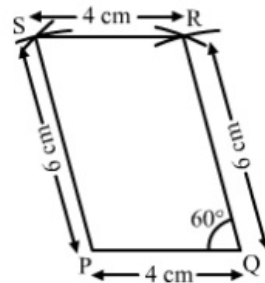
Step 2: Make  $\angle PQR = 60^\circ$

Step 2: With  $Q$  as the centre, draw an arc of  $6\text{ cm}$  and name that point as  $R$ .

Step 3: With  $R$  as the centre, draw an arc of  $4\text{ cm}$  and name that point as  $S$ .

Step 4: Join  $SR$  and  $PS$ .

Then,  $PQRS$  is the required parallelogram.



Q4

**Answer :**

Steps of construction:

Step 1: Draw  $BC = 5\text{ cm}$

Step 2: Make an  $\angle BCD = 120^\circ$

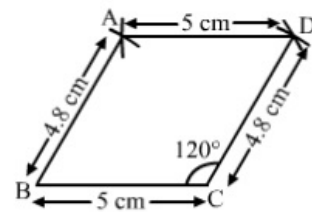
Step 2: With  $C$  as centre draw an arc of  $4.8\text{ cm}$ , name that point as  $D$

Step 3: With  $D$  as centre draw an arc  $5\text{ cm}$ , name that point as  $A$

Step 4: With  $B$  as centre draw another arc  $4.8\text{ cm}$  cutting the previous arc at  $A$ .

Step 5: Join  $AD$  and  $AB$

then,  $ABCD$  is a required parallelogram.



Q5

**Answer :**

We know that the diagonals of a parallelogram bisect each other.

Steps of construction:

Step 1: Draw  $AB = 4.4\text{ cm}$

Step 2: With A as the centre and radius  $2.8\text{cm}$ , draw an arc.

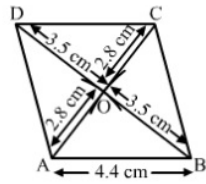
Step 3: With B as the centre and radius  $3.5\text{cm}$ , draw another arc, cutting the previous arc at point O.

Step 4: Join OA and OB.

Step 5: Produce OA to C, such that  $OC = AO$ . Produce OB to D, such that  $OB = OD$ .

Step 5: Join AD, BC, and CD.

Thus, ABCD is the required parallelogram. The other side is  $4.5\text{ cm}$  in length.



Q6

**Answer :**

Steps of construction:

Step 1: Draw  $AB = 6.5\text{cm}$

Step 2: Draw a perpendicular at point A. Name that ray as AX. From point A, draw an arc of length  $2.5\text{ cm}$  on the ray AX and name that point as L.

Step 3: On point L, make a perpendicular. Draw a straight line YZ passing through L, which is perpendicular to the ray AX.

Step 4: Cut an arc of length  $3.4\text{ cm}$  on the line YZ and name it as C.

Step 5: From point C, cut an arc of length  $6.5\text{ cm}$  on the line YZ. Name that point as D.

Step 6: Join BC and AD.

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