

Line Assignment

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Problem: In Fig.1, PQRS and ABRS are parallelograms and X is any point on side BR. Show that

1. $\text{ar}(\text{PQRS}) = \text{ar}(\text{ABRS})$
2. $\text{ar}(\text{AXS}) = \frac{1}{2} \text{ar}(\text{PQRS})$

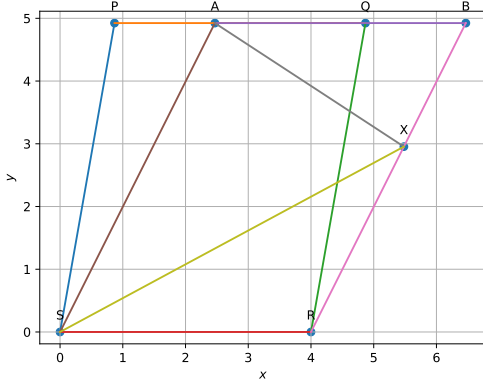


Fig 1. Parallelogram

Solution 1:

Two parallelograms PQRS and ABRS, on the same base SR and between the same parallels PB and SR are given (see Fig.1).

We need to prove that $\text{ar}(\text{PQRS}) = \text{ar}(\text{ABRS})$.

Let, In PQRS

$$\mathbf{S} - \mathbf{R} = \mathbf{p1} \quad (1)$$

$$\mathbf{S} - \mathbf{P} = \mathbf{p2} \quad (2)$$

$$\mathbf{P} - \mathbf{Q} = \mathbf{q1} \quad (3)$$

$$\mathbf{R} - \mathbf{Q} = \mathbf{q2} \quad (4)$$

According to parallelogram condition

$$\|\mathbf{p1}\| = \|\mathbf{q1}\| \text{ \& \& } \|\mathbf{p2}\| = \|\mathbf{q2}\| \quad (5)$$

Let, In ABRS

$$\mathbf{S} - \mathbf{R} = \mathbf{s1} \quad (6)$$

$$\mathbf{S} - \mathbf{A} = \mathbf{s2} \quad (7)$$

$$\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{r1} \quad (8)$$

$$\mathbf{R} - \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{r2} \quad (9)$$

According to parallelogram condition

$$\|\mathbf{s1}\| = \|\mathbf{r1}\| \text{ \& \& } \|\mathbf{s2}\| = \|\mathbf{r2}\| \quad (10)$$

Area of parallelogram PQRS

$$\mathbf{p1} \times \mathbf{p2} \quad (11)$$

Now, area of parallelogram ABRS

$$= \mathbf{SR} \times \mathbf{SA} \quad (12)$$

$$= \mathbf{s1} \times \mathbf{s2} \quad (13)$$

$$= \mathbf{SR} \times (\mathbf{SP} + \mathbf{PA}) \quad (14)$$

$$[\mathbf{PA} \parallel \mathbf{PQ} \therefore \mathbf{PA} = k \mathbf{p1}]$$

$$= \mathbf{p1} \times (\mathbf{p2} + k \mathbf{p1}) \quad (15)$$

$$[\text{from [5] and [10]} \|\mathbf{p1}\| = \|\mathbf{s1}\|]$$

$$= \mathbf{p1} \times \mathbf{p2} + \mathbf{p1} \times k \mathbf{p1} \quad (16)$$

$$= \mathbf{p1} \times \mathbf{p2} + k(\mathbf{p1} \times \mathbf{p1}) \quad (17)$$

$$= \mathbf{p1} \times \mathbf{p2} \quad (18)$$

$$[\because \mathbf{p1} \times \mathbf{p1} = 0]$$

$$= \text{Area of parallelogram ABRS}$$

Hence proved

So, from [11] and [18] PQRS and ABRS parallelograms are equal in area.

solution 2:

Let $\triangle AXS$ and parallelogram ABRS be on the same base AS and between the same parallels \mathbf{AS} and \mathbf{BR} (see Fig. 1).

You wish to prove that

$$\text{ar}(\text{AXS}) = \frac{1}{2} \text{ar}(\text{PQRS})$$

Draw $BY \parallel AS$ to obtain another parallelogram $AXYS$ as in Fig 2. Now parallelograms $ABRS$ and $AXYS$ are on the same base AS and between the same parallels AS and BY .

$$\therefore ar(ABRS) = ar(AXYS) \text{ (By Solution 1)} \quad (19)$$

But $\triangle AXS \cong \triangle XYS$ (Diagonal SX divides parallelogram $AXYS$ into two congruent triangles.)

$$\mathbf{A - X = a1} \quad (20)$$

$$\mathbf{S - X = d1} \quad (21)$$

$$\mathbf{X - Y = x1} \quad (22)$$

$$\mathbf{Y - S = x2} \quad (23)$$

$$\mathbf{S - A = x3} \quad (24)$$

from parallelogram condition

$$\mathbf{a1 = x2 \& \& x3 = x1} \quad (25)$$

$$ar(AXS) = ar(SXY) \quad (26)$$

Therefore,

$$ar(AXYS) = ar(AXS) + ar(XYS)$$

$$ar(AXS) = \frac{1}{2} * (\mathbf{x3 \times a1})$$

$$ar(AXYS) = (\mathbf{x3 \times a1}) \implies \mathbf{SA \times AX}$$

$$\begin{aligned} ar(AXS) &= \frac{1}{2} ar(AXYS) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{SA \times AX}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{SA \times (AB + BX)}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} ((\mathbf{s2 + k \cdot s1}) \times (\mathbf{s1 + k1(s2 + ks1)})) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} [&= \frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{s1 \times s2}) [\mathbf{a \times a} = 0] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{SR \times SA}) \end{aligned}$$

This gives $ar(AXS) = \frac{1}{2} ar(ABRS)$ [From (1) and (3)]
 $ar(AXS) = \frac{1}{2} ar(PQRS)$ [From solution 1]

Construction

The following python code is used for constructing PQRS and ABRS parallelograms.

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https://github.com/AnushaJella/assignment\_line/blob/main/code/asgn1.py
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See Fig 1 for the input parameters in Table 1.

Symbol	Value	Description
S	$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$	S Point
a	4	SR
θ	80°	$\angle RSP$
b	5	SP
k	1.5	Point A

Table 1

For construction, let $\mathbf{S} = 0$, \mathbf{P}, \mathbf{R} are input vectors.

the fourth point be

$$\mathbf{Q = P + R - S}$$

choose k value and define

$$\mathbf{A = \frac{kP}{k+1}}$$

B is fourth vertex of ABRS parallelogram

$$\mathbf{B = A + R - S}$$

X be any point on BR k value and define

$$\mathbf{X = \frac{kB}{k+1}}$$

draw a line parallel from S such that $AX \parallel SY$.
 So, $AXYS$ is a parallelogram

$$\mathbf{Y = S + X - A}$$

Proof: Two parallelograms PQRS and ABRS, on the same base SR and between the same parallels PB and SR are given (see Fig.1).

We need to prove that $ar(PQRS) = ar(ABRS)$.
 In $\triangle PSA$ and $\triangle QRB$,

$$\angle SPA = \angle RQB \quad (27)$$

(Corresponding angles from $PS \parallel RQ$ and transversal PB)

$$\angle PAS = \angle QBR \quad (28)$$

(Corresponding angles from $AS \parallel BR$ and transversal PB)

$$\text{Therefore, } \angle PSA = \angle QRB \quad (29)$$

(Angle sum property of a triangle)

$Also, PS = QR$ (30)
 (Opposite sides of the parallelogram PQRS)
 So, $\Delta PSA \cong \Delta QRB$
 (By ASA rule, using (27), (29), and (30))
 $Therefore, ar(PSA) = ar(QRB)$ (31)
 (Congruent figures have equal areas)

Now,
 $ar(PQRS) = ar(PSA) + ar(AQRS)$
 $= ar(QRB) + ar(AQRS)$ [From(33)]
 $= ar(ABRS)$
 So, parallelograms PQRS and ABRS are equal in area.