

# Assignment 1

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**Abstract**—This document contains the solution for Assignment 1 ( ICSC Class 10 2017 Q.11(b))

**Problem:**  $PQR$  is a triangle.  $S$  is a point on the side  $QR$  of  $PQR$  such that  $\angle PSR = \angle QPR$ . Given  $QP = 8\text{cm}$ ,  $PR = 6\text{cm}$  and  $SR = 3\text{cm}$

- 1) Prove  $\triangle PQR \sim \triangle SPR$
- 2) Find the length of sides  $QR$  and  $PS$
- 3)  $\frac{\text{area}(\triangle PQR)}{\text{area}(\triangle SPR)}$

**Solution:**

- 1) In  $\triangle PQR$  and  $\triangle SPR$   
 $\angle PSR = \angle QPR$ .  
 $\angle r$  is common to both  
 3rd angles are equal  
 therefore  $\triangle PQR \sim \triangle SPR$   
 Hence sides are proportional.

$$2) \frac{QR}{PR} = \frac{PQ}{PS} = \frac{PR}{SR}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{QR}{6} = \frac{8}{PS} = \frac{6}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow QR = 12 \text{ and } PS = 4$$

$$3) \frac{\text{area}(\triangle PQR)}{\text{area}(\triangle SPR)} = \frac{6^2}{3^2} = \frac{4}{1}$$

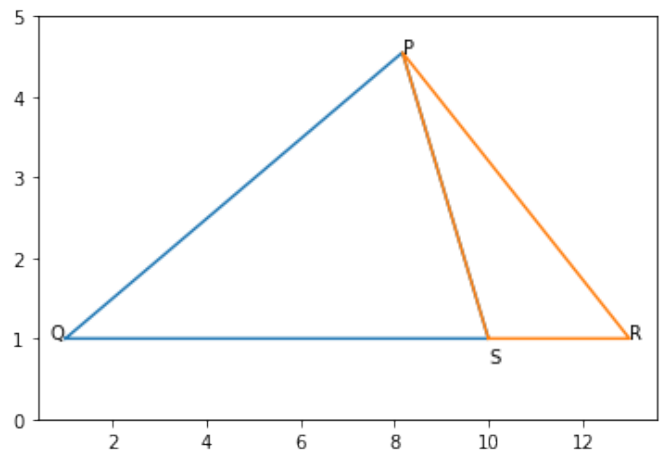


Fig. 0. given similar triangle Code: codes/assign\_1.py