

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

Solution:

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

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

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

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

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

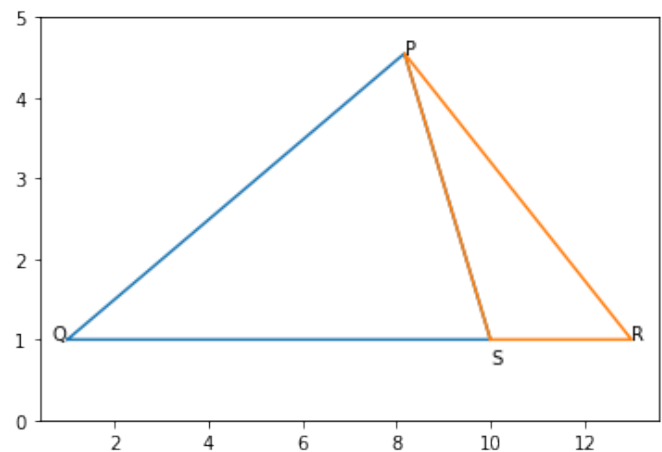


Fig. 1: given similar triangle. Code: codes/assign_.py