

Quadrilaterals

- point → A point is that which determines location.
- line segment → Points lying on same line.
- line → Points in non-intersecting straight line.

Quadrilaterals

Four enclosed figures made with non-intersecting points is called a quadrilateral.

Vertices - A, B, C, D
Sides - AB, BC, CD, DA
Angles - CA, CB, LC, CD
Diagonals - AC and BD

Angle Sum Property of Quadrilateral

Given: ABCD is a quadrilateral.

$$\text{To prove: } \angle A + \angle B + \angle C + \angle D = 360^\circ$$

Proof: In $\triangle ABC$, $\angle 1 + \angle B + \angle 2 = 180^\circ$ (Angle sum property of triangle)

$$\therefore \angle 1 + \angle B + \angle 2 + \angle 3 + \angle 4 = 360^\circ$$

$$(\angle 1 + \angle B + \angle 2) + (\angle 3 + \angle 4) + \angle C + \angle D = 360^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle A + \angle B + \angle C + \angle D = 360^\circ$$

Theorem 4.1: A diagonal of a parallelogram divides it into two congruent triangles.

Given: ABCD is a parallelogram.

To prove: $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle ADC$

Proof: In $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle ADC$,

$AB \parallel DC$, $AD \parallel BC$, AC is a transversal.

$\angle 1 = \angle 2$ (alternate interior angles)
 $\angle 3 = \angle 4$ (Common)
 $AC = AC$ (Common)

 $\therefore \triangle ABC \cong \triangle ADC$ (ASA rule).

Theorem 4.2: In a parallelogram, opposite sides are equal.

$$\begin{aligned} \triangle ABC &\cong \triangle CDA \\ AB &= DC \\ AD &= BC \quad (\text{CPCT}) \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 4.3: In each pair of opposite sides of a parallelogram, one is equal if it is a parallelogram.

Given: Quadrilateral ABCD, $AB \parallel DC$, $AD \parallel BC$.

To prove: ABCD is a parallelogram.

Construction: Join A to C.

Proof: In $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle CDA$,

$$\begin{aligned} AB &= DC \quad (\text{given}) \\ BC &= AD \quad (\text{given}) \\ AC &= CA \quad (\text{common}) \\ \therefore \triangle ABC &\cong \triangle CDA \quad (\text{SSS rule}) \\ \angle 1 &= \angle 2 \quad (\text{CPCT}) \\ \angle BAC &= \angle DCA \quad (\text{C}) \\ \angle 3 &= \angle 4 \quad (\text{CPCT}) \end{aligned}$$

but these are alternate interior angles

$\therefore AB \parallel DC$
 $AD \parallel BC$

Which implies ABCD is a parallelogram.

Theorem 4.4: In a parallelogram, opposite angles are equal.

Given: ABCD is a parallelogram, $AB \parallel DC$ & $AD \parallel BC$.

To prove: $\angle A = \angle C$ and $\angle B = \angle D$

Proof: $AB \parallel DC$ and AC is transversal
 $\angle 1 = \angle 2$ (alt. int. angles)
 $AD \parallel BC$ and AC is transversal
 $\angle 2 = \angle 3$ (alt. int. angles)

From (i) and (ii)

$$\angle 1 = \angle 2 + \angle 3$$

$$\angle 1 = \angle C$$

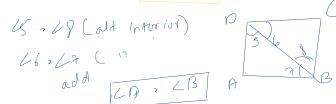
$$\text{add } \angle 3$$

$$\angle A = \angle C$$

$$\angle 2 = \angle 4 \quad (\text{C})$$

$$\text{add } \angle 4$$

$$\angle B = \angle D$$



Theorem 4.5: If in a parallelogram, each pair of opposite angles is equal, then it is a parallelogram.

Given: $\angle A = \angle C$ and $\angle B = \angle D$

To prove: ABCD is a parallelogram.

Proof: $\angle A + \angle B + \angle C + \angle D = 360^\circ$ (Angle sum property of a quadrilateral)

$$\angle A + \angle B + \angle C + \angle D = 360^\circ$$

$$2\angle A + 2\angle B = 360^\circ$$

$$\angle A + \angle B = 180^\circ$$

but these are co-interior angles

$$\therefore AD \parallel BC \quad (\text{C})$$

Similarly

$$\angle A + \angle C = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle A + \angle D = 180^\circ$$

$\therefore ABCD$ is a parallelogram

$$\therefore AB \parallel CD \quad (\text{C})$$

Theorem 4.6: The diagonals of a parallelogram bisect each other.

Given: ABCD is a parallelogram.

To prove: $AO = CO$, $BO = DO$

Proof: In $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle CDA$,

$$\angle A = \angle C \quad (\text{given})$$

$$\angle 1 = \angle 2 \quad (\text{alt. int. angles})$$

$$\angle 3 = \angle 4 \quad (\text{C})$$

$\therefore \triangle ABC \cong \triangle CDA$ (ASA rule)

$$AB = CD \quad (\text{CPCT})$$

$$AO = CO \quad (\text{COPCT})$$

Theorem 4.7: If in a quadrilateral, both pairs of opposite sides are equal, then it is a parallelogram.

Given: ABCD is a quadrilateral, $AB = CD$, $BC = DA$.

To prove: ABCD is a parallelogram.

Proof: In $\triangle ABD$ and $\triangle CDB$,

$$\angle A = \angle C \quad (\text{given})$$

$$\angle 1 = \angle 2 \quad (\text{COPCT})$$

$$AB = CD \quad (\text{given})$$

$\therefore \triangle ABD \cong \triangle CDB$ (ASA rule)

$$\angle ABD = \angle CDB \quad (\text{CPCT})$$

but these are alt. interior angles

$$\therefore AD \parallel BC$$

Similarly, $AB \parallel CD$

Theorem 4.8: In a parallelogram, opposite sides are equal.

Given: ABCD is a parallelogram, $AB \parallel DC$ & $AD \parallel BC$.

To prove: $AB = DC$, $AD = BC$

Proof: In $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle ADC$,

$$\angle A = \angle C \quad (\text{given})$$

$$\angle 1 = \angle 2 \quad (\text{COPCT})$$

$$AB = DC \quad (\text{given})$$

$\therefore \triangle ABC \cong \triangle ADC$ (ASA rule)

$$\angle BAC = \angle CAD \quad (\text{CPCT})$$

but these are alt. interior angles

$$\therefore AB \parallel DC$$

From (i) and (ii)

$$\therefore ABCD \text{ is a parallelogram}$$



Theorem 4.9: A quadrilateral is a parallelogram if a pair of opposite sides is equal and parallel.

Given: In a quadrilateral ABCD, $AB \parallel DC$, $AB = DC$.

To prove: ABCD is a parallelogram.

Construction: Join A to C.

Proof: In $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle CDA$,

$$\angle A = \angle C \quad (\text{given})$$

$$\angle 1 = \angle 2 \quad (\text{COPCT})$$

$$AC = CA \quad (\text{common})$$

$\therefore \triangle ABC \cong \triangle CDA$ (CPCT)

$$\angle BAC = \angle DCA \quad (\text{CPCT})$$

but these are alt. interior angles only

$$\therefore AB \parallel DC$$

$\therefore ABCD$ is a parallelogram.

$$\therefore ABCD \text{ is a parallelogram}$$

1. The angles of quadrilateral are in the ratio $3 : 5 : 9 : 13$. Find all the angles of the quadrilateral.

Let the angles are $3n, 5n, 9n$ and $13n$.



$$\angle A + \angle B + \angle C + \angle D = 360^\circ$$

(Angle sum property of quadrilaterals)

$$3n + 5n + 9n + 13n = 360^\circ$$

$$30n = 360^\circ$$

$$n = 12$$

$$\angle A = 36^\circ$$

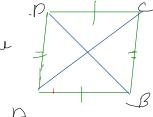
$$\angle B = 60^\circ$$

$$\angle C = 108^\circ$$

$$\angle D = 156^\circ$$

2. If the diagonals of a parallelogram are equal, then show that it is a rectangle.

Given: ABCD is a parallelogram,
 $AC = BD$.



To prove: ABCD is a rectangle.

Proof:

In $\triangle ABD$ and $\triangle BAC$,

$AD = BC$ (Opposite sides of ||gm are equal)

$AB = BA$ (Common)

$BD = AC$ (Given)

$\therefore \triangle ABD \cong \triangle BAC$ (SSS rule)

$\angle BAD = \angle BAC$ (CPCT)

$\angle BAD + \angle BAC = 180^\circ$ (Co-interior angles).

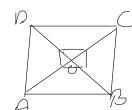
$\angle BAD + \angle CAD = 180^\circ$

$$\begin{array}{c} \angle BAD = 180^\circ \\ \boxed{\angle CAD = 90^\circ} \end{array}$$

$\therefore ABCD$ is a rectangle

3. Show that if the diagonals of a quadrilateral bisect each other at right angles, then it is a rhombus.

Given: $OA = OC$, $OB = OD$,
 Diagonals bisect at right angle



To prove: ABCD is a rhombus,
 $AB = BC = CD = DA$