

**Quadrilaterals**

- point
- line segment
- line

→ A point is that which determines location.

**Quadrilaterals**  
Four enclosed  
figures made with  
non-interlacing  
points is  
called a  
quadrilateral.

**Properties of Quadrilaterals**

**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)

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

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

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

11gm - Quadrilateral whose opposite sides are equal.

**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)

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

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

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Given: } & AB \parallel DC \\ \text{To prove: } & AB = DC \quad (\text{CPCT}) \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 4.3:** Each pair of opposite sides of a parallelogram is equal if it is a parallelogram.

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

**To prove:** ABCD is a 11gm.

**Construction:** Join A to C.

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

$$\begin{aligned} AB &\parallel DC \quad (\text{given}) \\ BC &\parallel AD \quad (\text{given}) \\ AC &\parallel AC \quad (\text{common}) \end{aligned}$$

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

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

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

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

but these are alternate interior angles

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

which implies ABCD is a 11gm.

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

**Given:** ABCD is a 11gm,  $AB \parallel DC$

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

**Proof:**  $\angle A = \angle C$  and  $\angle B = \angle D$

**Proof:**  $AB \parallel CD$  and  $AC$  is transversal

$\angle 1 = \angle 2$  - (i) (Alternate interior angles)

$AD \parallel BC$  and  $AC$  is transversal

$\angle 2 = \angle 3$  - (ii) (Alternate interior angles)

from (i) and (ii)

$$\begin{aligned} \angle 1 &= \angle 2 \\ \angle 2 &= \angle 3 \quad (\text{C}) \\ \text{addi} & \end{aligned}$$

$$\angle A = \angle C$$

**Proof:**  $AB \parallel DC$  and  $BC$  is transversal

$\angle 4 = \angle 5$  (Alternate interior angles)

$AD \parallel BC$  and  $BC$  is transversal

$\angle 6 = \angle 5$  (Alternate interior angles)

from (i) and (ii)

$$\begin{aligned} \angle A &= \angle C \\ \angle B &= \angle D \quad (\text{C}) \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 4.5:** If it is a parallelogram, each pair of opposite angles is equal, then it is a 11gm.

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

**To prove:** ABCD is a 11gm

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

$$\begin{aligned} \angle A + \angle B + \angle C + \angle D &= 360^\circ \\ 2\angle A + 2\angle B &= 360^\circ \\ \angle A + \angle B &= 180^\circ \end{aligned}$$

but these are co-interior angles

$\therefore AD \parallel BC$  - (i)

**Similarly**

$$\begin{aligned} \angle A + \angle C &= 180^\circ \\ \angle A + \angle D &= 180^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore AB \parallel CD$  - (ii)

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

**Given:** ABCD is a 11gm.

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

**Proof:** In  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle DCB$  (given)

$\begin{aligned} AB &= DC \\ BC &= CB \\ AC &= BD \end{aligned}$

$\therefore \triangle ABC \cong \triangle DCB$  (SSS rule)

$\angle 1 = \angle 2$  (CPCT)

$AO = CO$  (CPCT)

$BO = DO$  (CPCT)

**Theorem 4.7:** If the diagonals of a parallelogram bisect each other, then it is a 11gm.

**Given:** ABCD is a quadrilateral,  $AO = CO$ ,  $BO = DO$

**To prove:** ABCD is a 11gm

**Proof:** In  $\triangle AOB$  and  $\triangle COD$

$\begin{aligned} AO &= CO \quad (\text{given}) \\ BO &= DO \quad (\text{given}) \\ OB &= OB \end{aligned}$

$\therefore \triangle AOB \cong \triangle COD$  (SSS)

$\angle 1 = \angle 2$  (CPCT)

but these are alt. interior angles

$\therefore AD \parallel BC$  - (i)

**From 11gm ABCD**

$\angle 3 = \angle 4$  (Common)

$\angle 5 = \angle 6$  (Common)

$\angle 7 = \angle 8$  (Common)

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12. ABCD is a trapezium in which  $AB \parallel CD$  and  $AD = BC$  (see Fig. 8.22). Show that  
 (i)  $\angle A = \angle C$   
 (ii)  $\angle C < D$   
 (iii)  $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle ADC$   
 (iv) diagonal  $AC \perp$  diagonal  $BD$   
 [Hint: Extend  $AB$  and draw a line through  $C$  parallel to it intersecting  $BD$  produced at  $E$ .]



Fig. 8.22

(i)  $\triangle ABC$  is a trapezium,  $AB \parallel CD$ ,  $AD = BC$   
 (const.) extend  $AB$  to  $E$ , Join  $C$  to  $E$ .  
 $CE \parallel DA$  and  $CE > DA$

(ii)  $CF \parallel DA$ ,  $DAE$  is transversal  
 $\angle CA + CE > 180^\circ$  (i) (Co-interior angles)  
 $\angle CA + CE = 180^\circ$  (ii) (Linear pair)

As  $CE \parallel DA$  and  $CE \parallel DA$   
 $\therefore AEDC$  is a bim / opp sides equal and  
 $AD \parallel CE$  (Opposites of bim) (iii).  
 $AD = CE$  (given) - (iv)

From (iii) & (iv)  
 $BC = CE$

$\therefore \angle CEB = \angle CEB$  (opp to  
common sides)  
 $\angle CBA + \angle CBE = 180^\circ$  (using (ii))  
 $\angle CA + \angle CE = 180^\circ$  (using (i))

$\angle CA + \angle CE = \angle CEB + \angle CBA$ .  
 $\angle CA + \angle CE = \angle CEB + \angle CBA$ .

$$\boxed{\angle CA = \angle CB}$$

(iii)  $ABCD$  is a trapezium,  $AB \parallel CD$ ,  $AD$  is transversal

$\angle A + \angle D > 180^\circ$  (Co-interior  
angles)

$AB \parallel CD$ ,  $BC$  is transversal,

$\angle B + \angle C > 180^\circ$  (Co-interior  
angles)

$$\angle A + \angle D > \angle B + \angle C \quad (\angle A > \angle B \\ \text{Proved above})$$

On  $\triangle ABL$  and  $\triangle BPD$   
 $BL = AD$  (given)  $\angle A = \angle B$  (proved above)  
 $\angle A = \angle B$  (given)  $AB = AB$  (common)  $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle BDC$

(i)

Theorem 8.3: The line segment joining mid-point of two sides of a triangle  
is parallel to the third side.

Given:  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $O$  is midpoint  
 $\angle A$ ,  $B$  is midpoint of  $AC$   
 To prove:  $DE \parallel BC$ ,  $DE = \frac{1}{2} BC$

Const.:  $CF \parallel AB$  and  $\triangle CEF$

Proof:  $O$ ,  $\triangle AED$  and  $\triangle CEF$   
 $\angle ABO = \angle CEF$  (Vertically opposite)  
 $\angle CAB = \angle ECF$  (Common angle)  
 $\angle AED = \angle CEF$  (Vertically opposite)  
 $\therefore \triangle AED \cong \triangle CEF$  (ASA rule).  
 $DE = EF$  (CPCT)  
 $\therefore AD = CF$  (as  $O$  is midpoint).  
 but  $AD = DB$  ( $O$  is midpoint).  
 $\therefore DB = CF$  also  $DB \parallel CF$

$\therefore DBCF$  is a bim (Opposite sides equal and ||)  
 $\therefore DC \parallel BF$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Also } BC &= DF \\ BC &= DB + BF \\ BC &= DB + DE \\ DC &= 2DB \\ DE &= \frac{1}{2} BC \end{aligned}$$

