

- Subject - Mathematics
- Chapter - Heron's Formula

Today's Targets

- 1** Area of Different Types of Triangles
- 2** Why Heron's formula Needed??
- 3** Application of Heron's formula : Area of Quadrilaterals



Triangle and Its Components



In a triangle, a line segment from a vertex and perpendicular to the opposite side (know as base) is called an altitude. It is also called the height of a triangle.

When a triangle is a right triangle, the altitude, or height, is the leg. If the triangle is obtuse, then the altitude will be outside of the triangle. If the triangle is acute, then the altitude will be inside the triangle.



Key point :-

Jisane perpendicular dala \rightarrow Altitude / Height

Jisabe perpendicular data gya \rightarrow Base

Opposite vertex se
Enikla Hua line

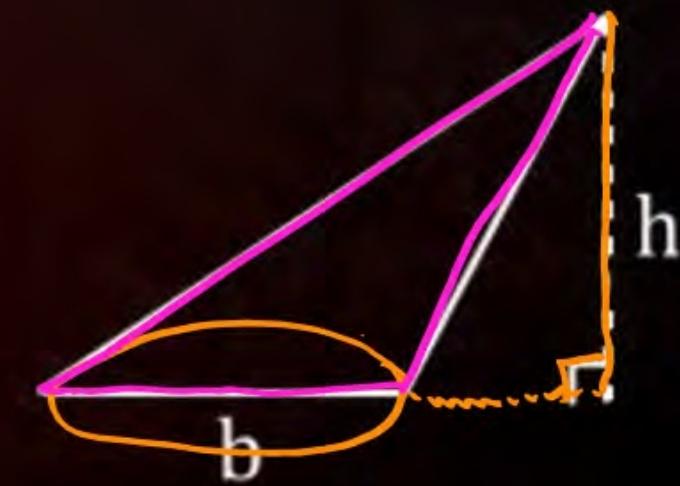
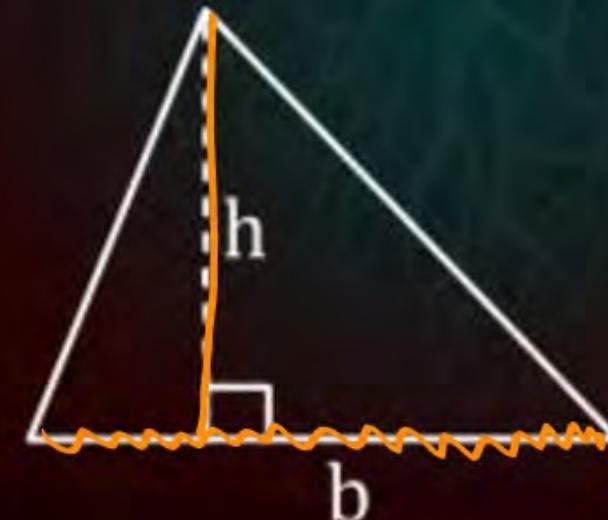
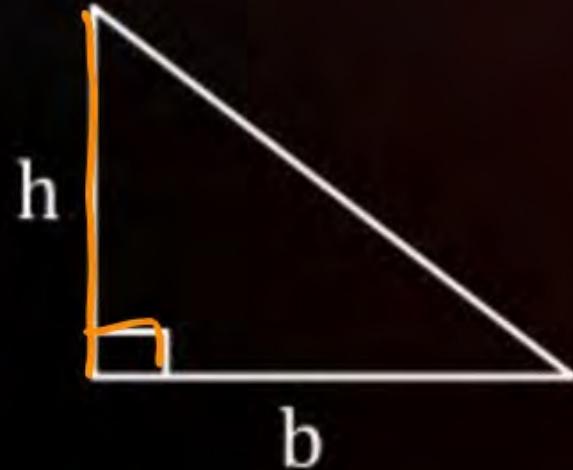


Area of a Triangle

Area of a triangle is given by below formula;

$$\text{Area of triangle} = \frac{1}{2} \times \text{Base} \times \text{Height}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \text{base} \times \text{Altitude}$$



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$$\text{Base} = (2\frac{1}{2}) \times \text{Height}$$

$$b = \frac{5}{2} \times h \Rightarrow h = \frac{2b}{5}$$

$$\text{₹ } 40 \rightarrow 100 \text{ m}^2$$

$$\text{₹ } 1 \rightarrow \frac{100}{40} \text{ m}^2$$

$$\text{₹ } 800 \rightarrow \left(800 \times \frac{100}{40}\right) \text{ m}^2$$

$$= 200 \times 10 = \boxed{2000 \text{ m}^2}$$

Area of A

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times b \times h$$

$$2000 = \frac{1}{2} \times b \times \frac{2b}{5}$$

$$2000 = \frac{2b^2}{10}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2000 \times 10}{2} = b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 10000 = b^2 \Rightarrow b^2 = (100)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{b = 100 \text{ m}} \quad \checkmark$$



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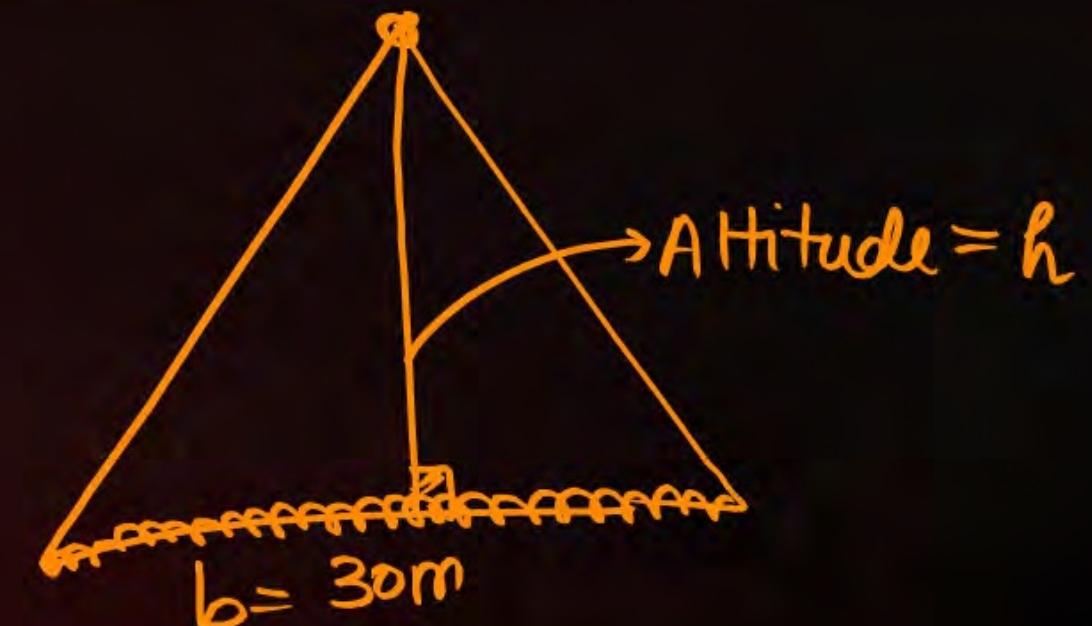
$$540 = \frac{1}{2} \times 30 \times h$$

$$540 \times 2 = 30 \times h$$

$$h = \frac{540 \times 2}{30}$$

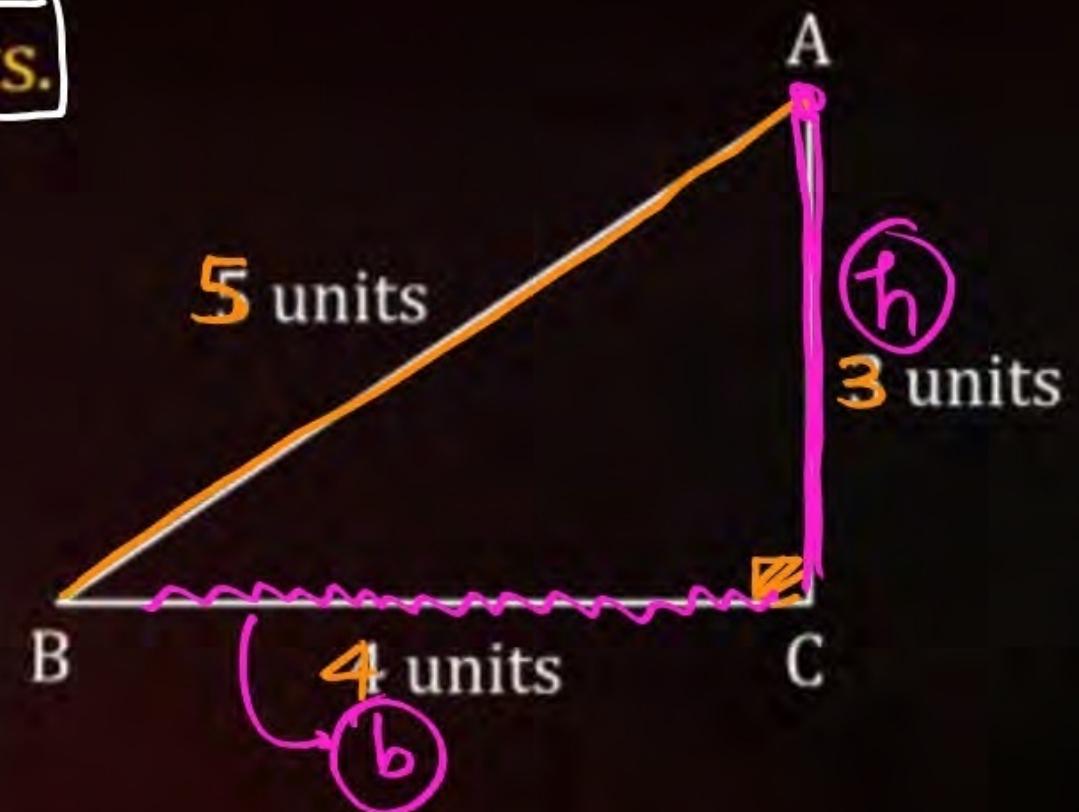
$$h = \frac{18}{2}$$

$$h = 18 \times 2 = \boxed{36 \text{ m}} \quad \underline{\text{Ans}}$$



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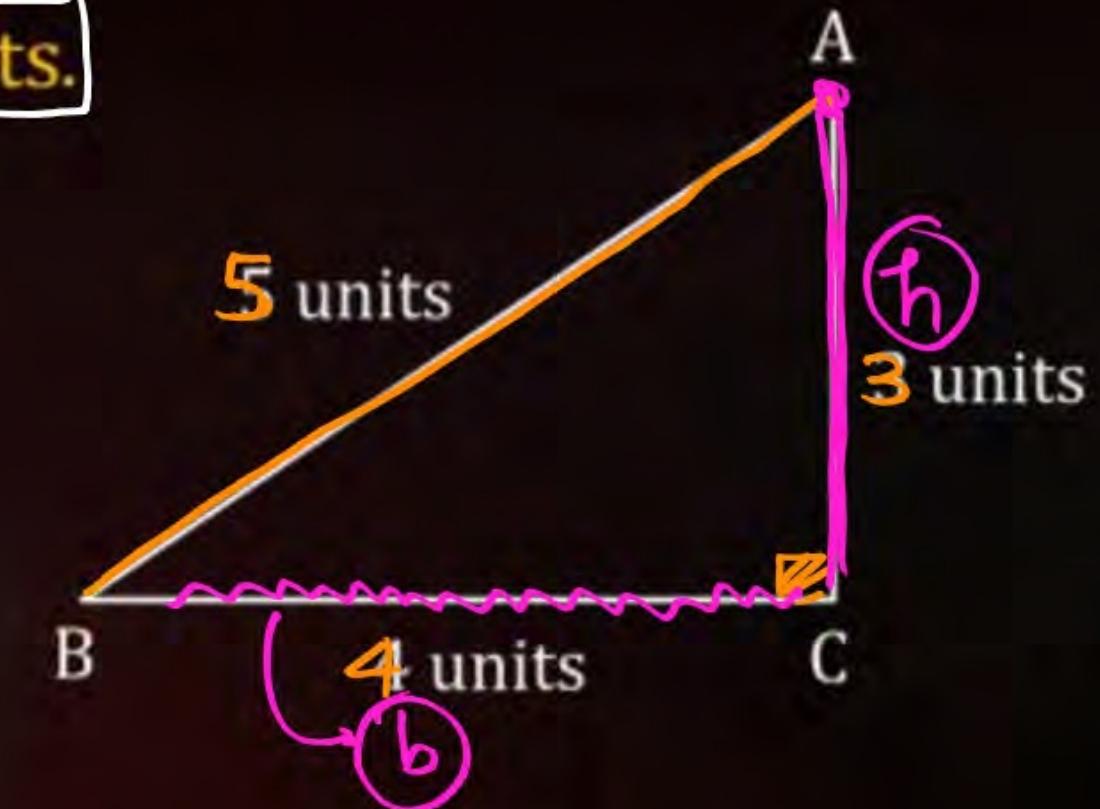
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Using pythagoras theorem.

$$H^2 = P^2 + B^2$$

only applicable in
right angled Δ



$$\text{Now, } (3)^2 + (4)^2 = 9+16$$

$$(3)^2 + (4)^2 = 25$$

$$(3)^2 + (4)^2 = (5)^2 \quad \text{It means 3, 4 & 5 will be sides of Right angled } \Delta$$

$$\text{Area of } \Delta = \frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times 3 = 6 \text{ unit}^2$$

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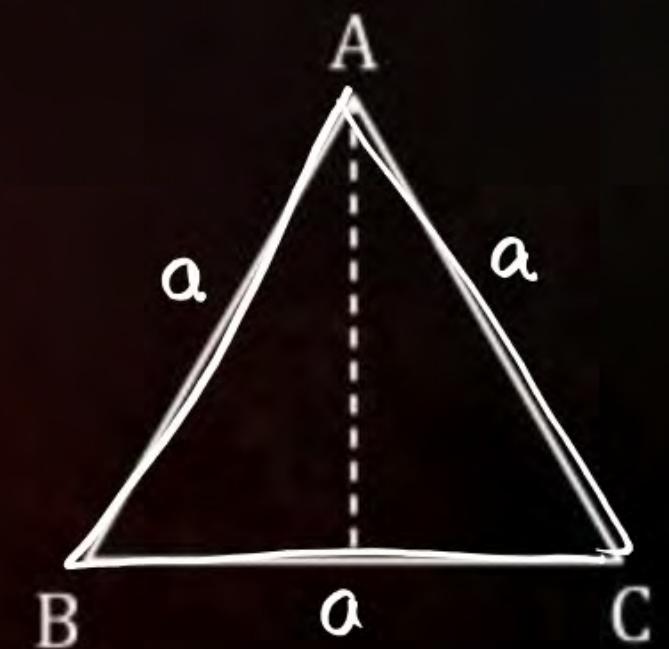
Find the area of a triangle whose base is 7 cm and height is 10 cm.



Area of an Equilateral Triangle

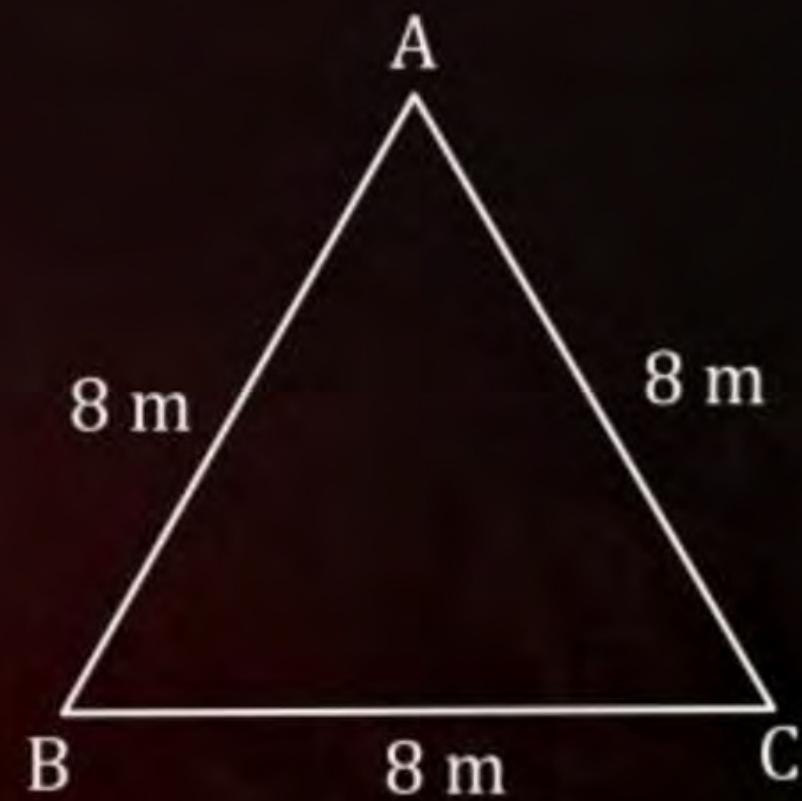
If we have, side length of an equilateral triangle as ' a ', then area is given by

- Area of equilateral triangle = $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \times a^2$ ✓
- Height/ Altitude of equilateral triangle = $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \times a$



Question

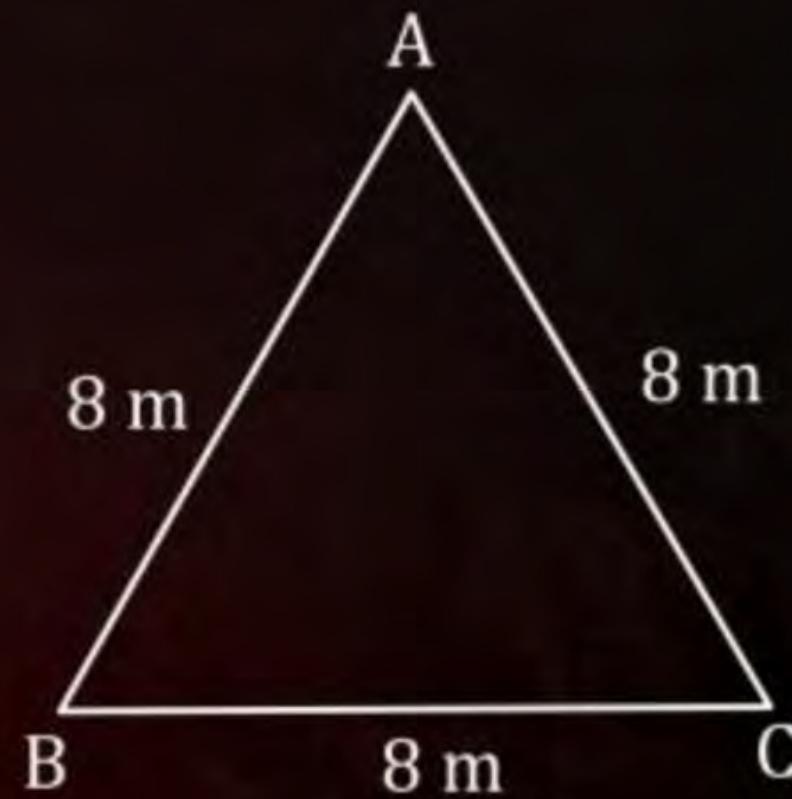
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$$\begin{aligned}\text{Area of equilateral } \Delta &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \times (8)^2 \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \times 64 \\ &= \boxed{16\sqrt{3} \text{ m}^2}\end{aligned}$$



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$$6400\sqrt{3} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \times (a)^2$$
$$(a)^2 = \frac{6400 \times \cancel{\sqrt{3}} \times 4}{\cancel{\sqrt{3}}}$$

$$a^2 = 64 \times 100 \times 4$$

$$a^2 = 8 \times 8 \times 10 \times 10 \times 2 \times 2 \Rightarrow a^2 = (8 \times 10 \times 2)^2$$
$$a = 160 \text{ m}$$

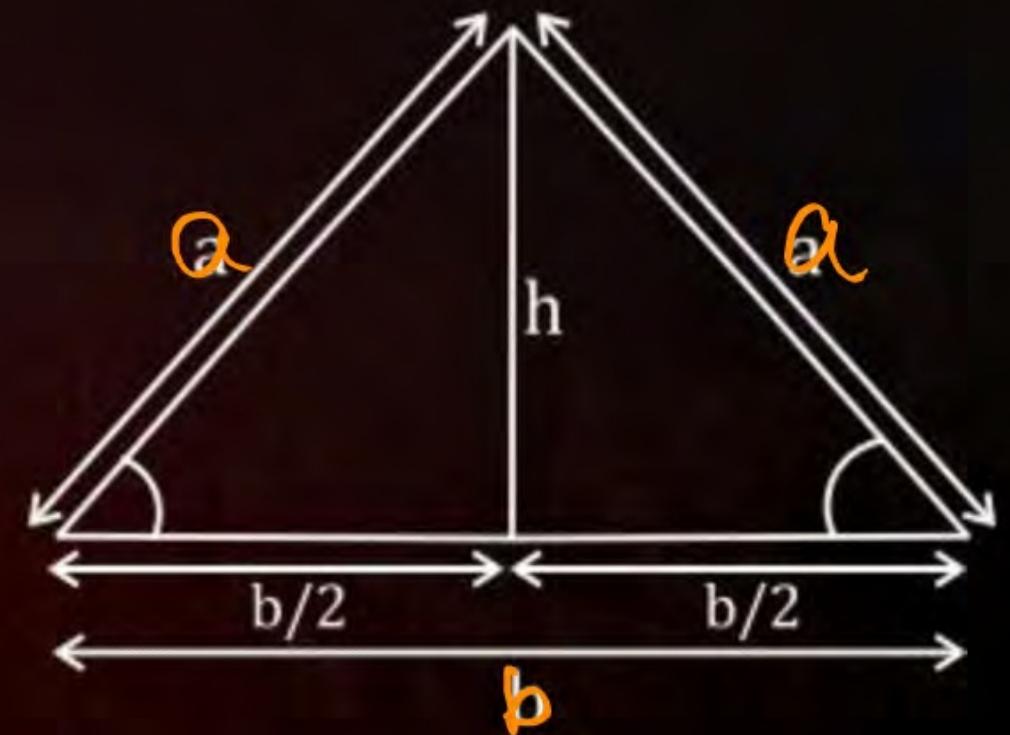




Area of an Isosceles triangle

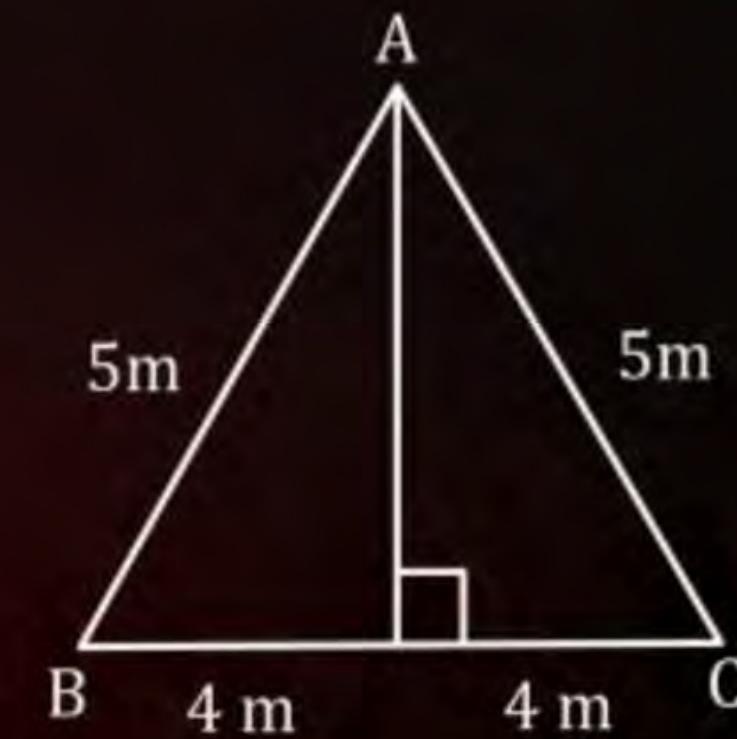
If we have, equal side length of an Isosceles triangle as ' a' , and remaining unequal side as ' b ' then area is given by

- Area of Isosceles triangle = $\frac{b}{2} \times \sqrt{a^2 - \frac{b^2}{4}}$ ***
- Height/ Altitude of Isosceles triangle = $\sqrt{a^2 - \frac{b^2}{4}}$ **



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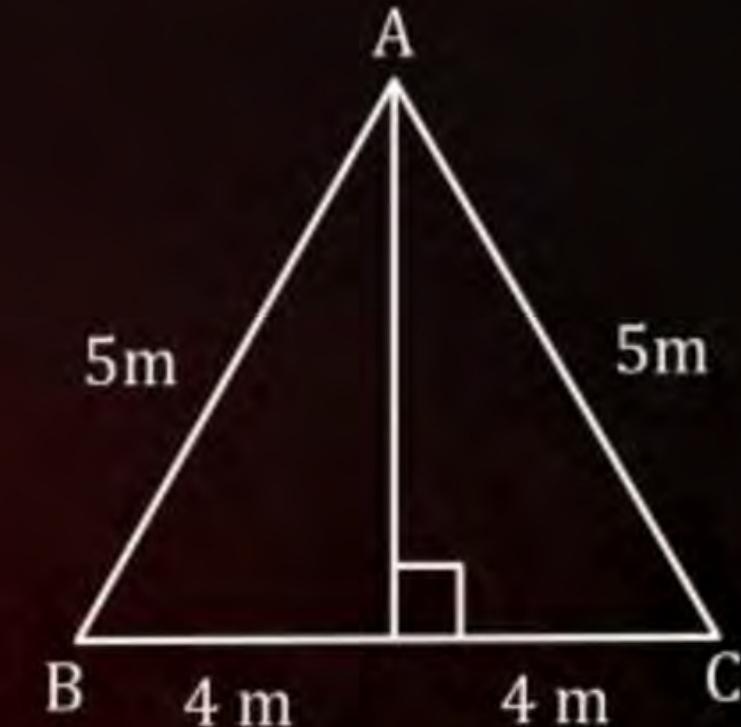
Find the area of an Isosceles triangle ABC in which $AB = AC = 5 \text{ m}$ and $BC = 8 \text{ m}$.



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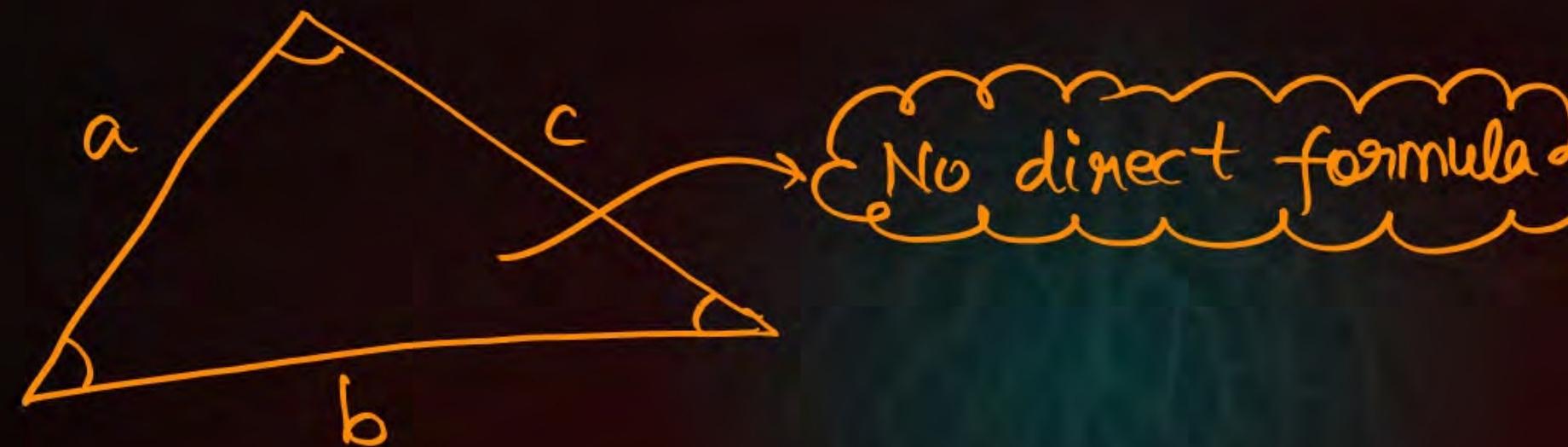
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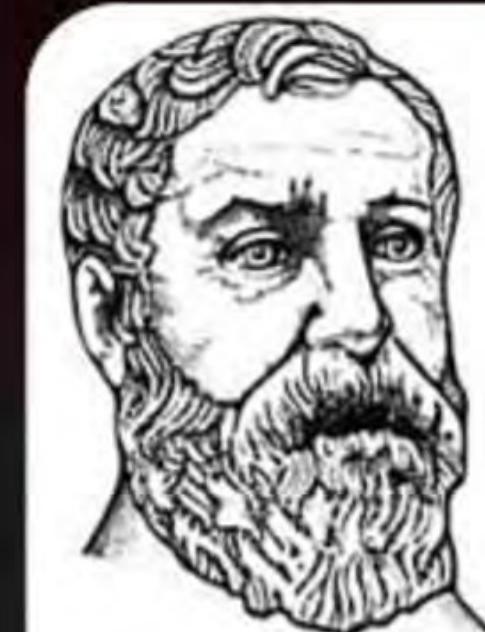
$$\begin{aligned}\text{Area of Isosceles } \Delta &= \frac{b}{2} \times \sqrt{a^2 - \frac{b^2}{4}} \\ &= \frac{8}{2} \times \sqrt{(5)^2 - \frac{(8)^2}{4}} \\ &= 4 \times \sqrt{25 - \frac{64}{4}} \\ &= 4 \times \sqrt{25 - 16} \\ &= 4 \times \sqrt{9} = 4 \times 3 \\ &= [12 \text{ m}^2]\end{aligned}$$



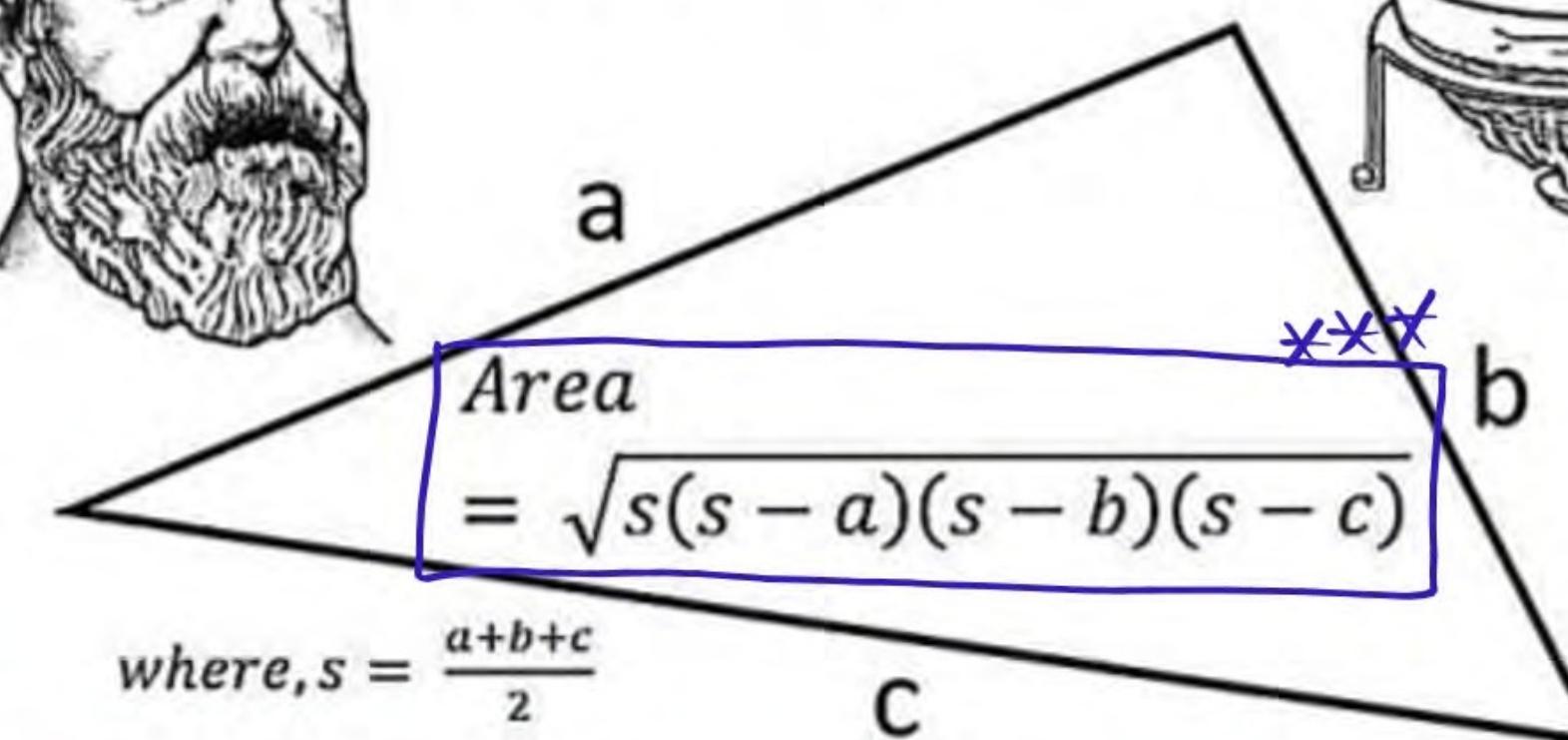


But, how we can calculate area of Scalene Triangle??





Heron's Formula



$$\text{मूल्य} = \frac{s}{s+a+b+c}$$

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Area of Triangle Using Heron's Formula

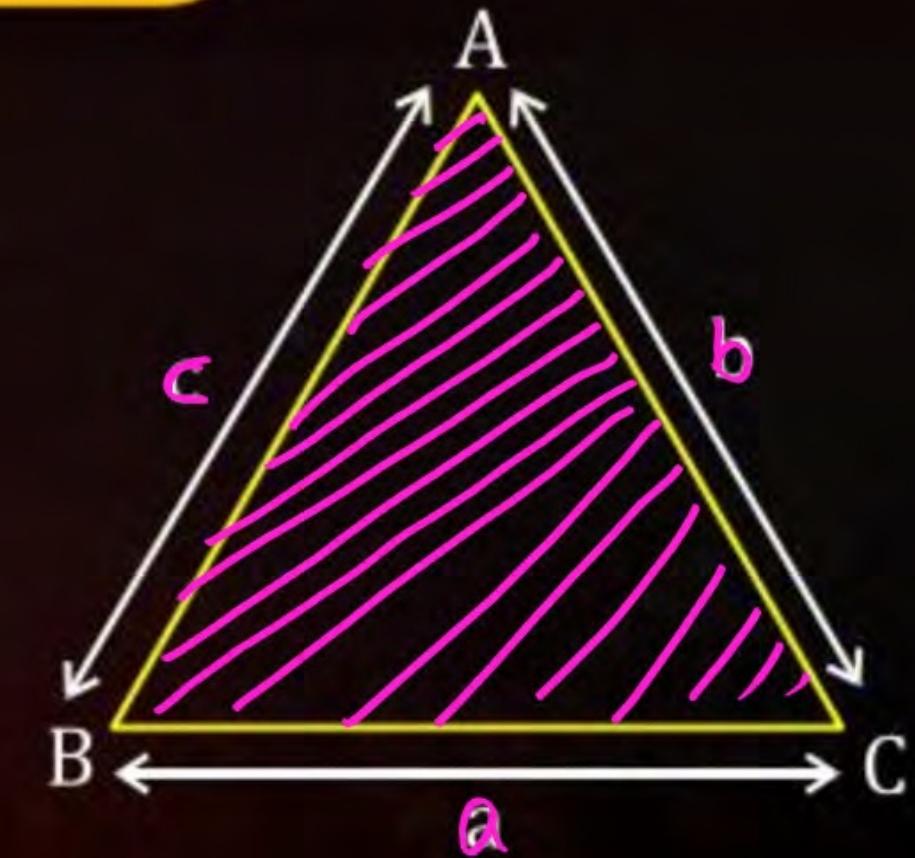
In a ΔABC having its sides as a, b and c and perimeter as $a + b + c$, then $s = \frac{a+b+c}{2}$, where s is the semi-perimeter.

Now,

$$\text{Area of triangle} = \sqrt{s(s - a)(s - b)(s - c)}$$

This is known as the Heron's formula.

Thus, when we are given the lengths of three sides of a triangle, we can find its area by using formula $A = \sqrt{s(s - a)(s - b)(s - c)}$ where, 's' stands for semi-perimeter of the triangle; a, b and c are the lengths of the sides of the triangle



Question

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The side of a triangle are $\frac{4 \text{ cm}}{a}$, $\frac{5 \text{ cm}}{b}$ and $\frac{7 \text{ cm}}{c}$. Find its perimeter, semi-perimeter and area.

We have, the given sides of triangle as $a = 4 \text{ cm}$, $b = 5 \text{ cm}$ & $c = 7 \text{ cm}$

Now, semi-perimeter

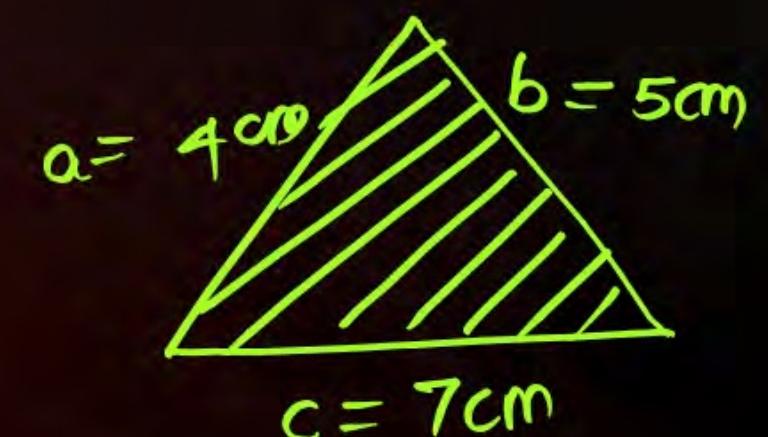
$$s = \frac{a+b+c}{2} = \frac{4+5+7}{2} = \frac{16}{2} = 8 \text{ cm}$$

Therefore, required area of Δ

$$= \sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)}$$

$$= \sqrt{8 \times 4 \times 3 \times 1}$$

$$= \sqrt{(2 \times 2) \times (2 \times 2) \times 2 \times 3 \times 1} = 2 \times 2 \times \sqrt{6} = 4\sqrt{6} \text{ cm}^2$$



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Let sides of \triangle is $3x, 5x$ & $7x$

$$\text{Now, Perimeter} = 300$$

$$3x + 5x + 7x = 300$$

$$15x = 300$$

$$x = 20$$

$$a = 3 \times 20 = 60 \text{ m}$$

$$b = 5 \times 20 = 100 \text{ m}$$

$$c = 7 \times 20 = 140 \text{ m}$$

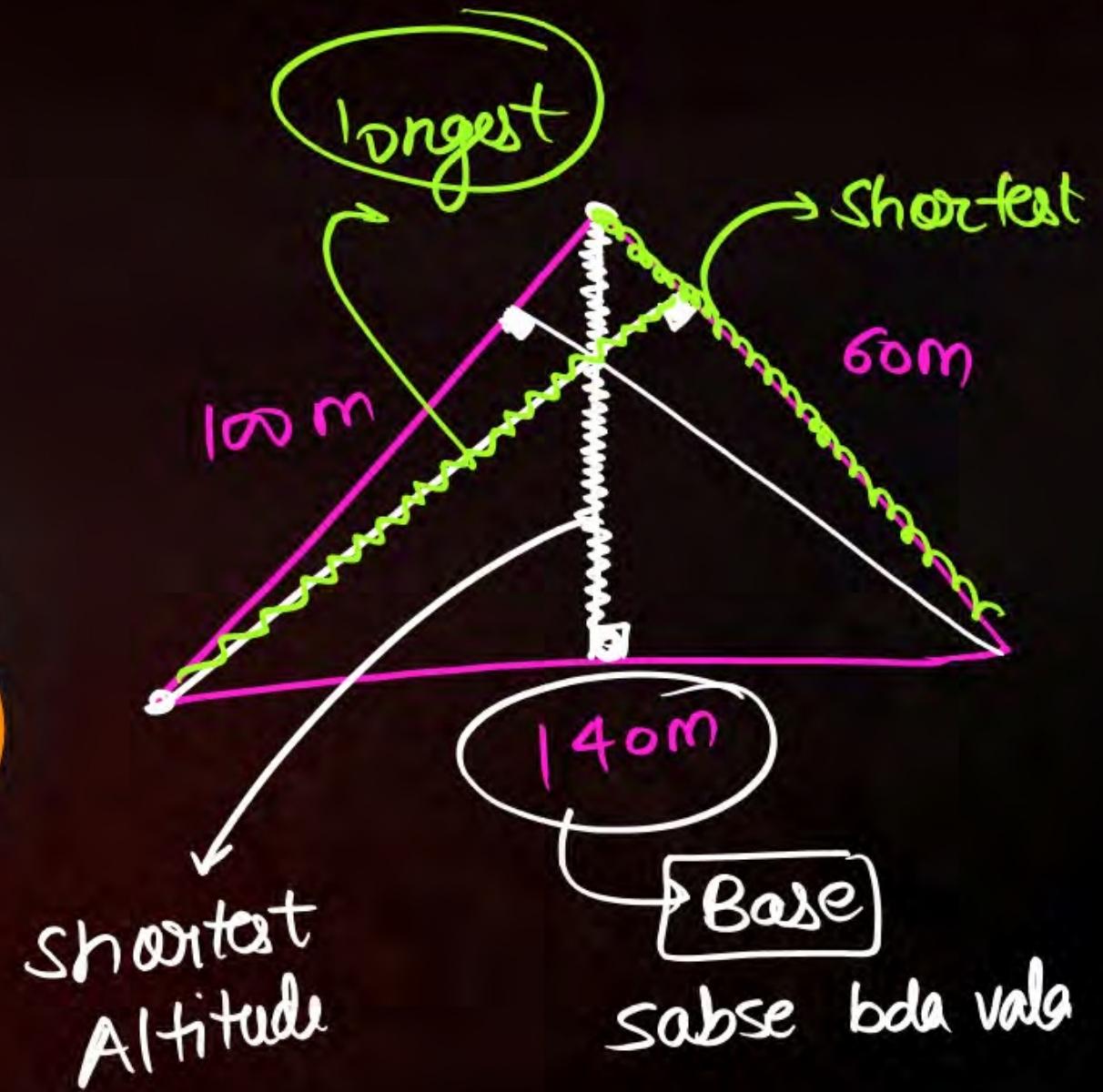
$$s = \frac{300}{2} = 150 \text{ m}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Area of } \triangle &= \sqrt{150 \times 90 \times 50 \times 10} \\ &= \sqrt{15 \times 10 \times 9 \times 10 \times 5 \times 10 \times 10} = 10 \times 10 \sqrt{3 \times 5 \times (3 \times 3) \times 5} \\ &= 100 \times 5 \times 3 \sqrt{3} \\ &= 1500 \sqrt{3} \text{ m}^2\end{aligned}$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2} \times b \times h$$

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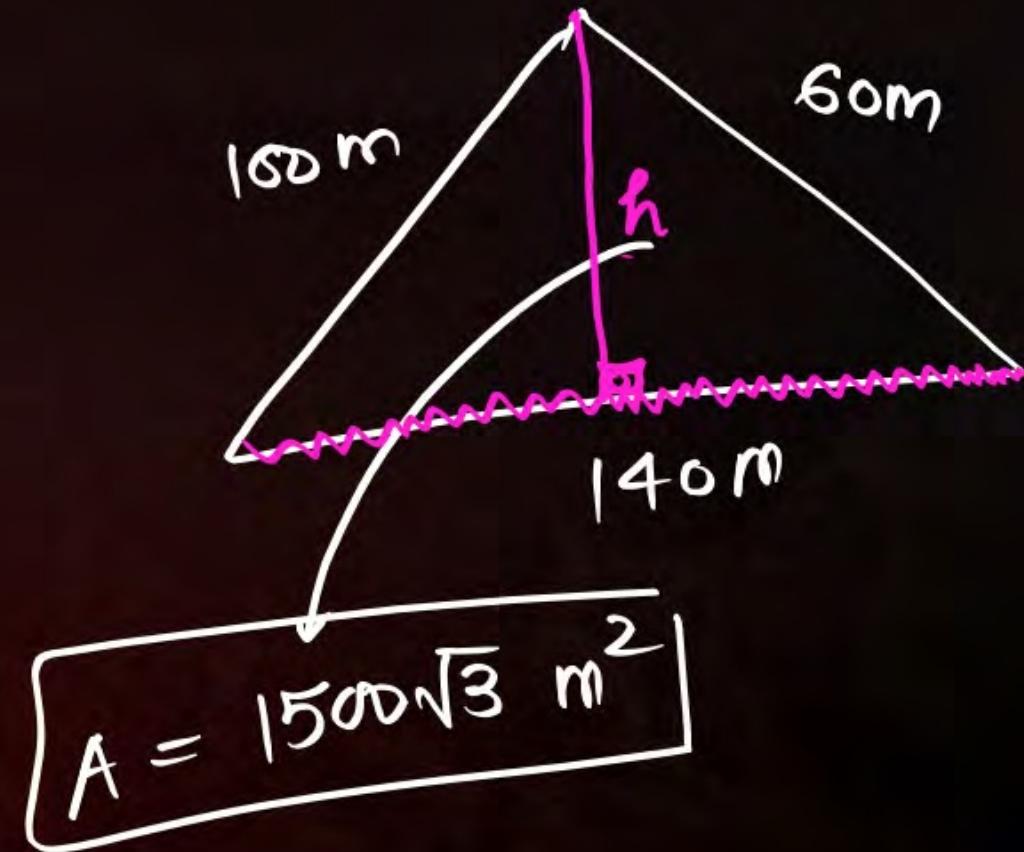
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Area of $\Delta = \frac{1}{2} \times 140 \times$ smallest Altitude

$$1500\sqrt{3} = \frac{1}{2} \times 140 \times h$$

$$h = \frac{1500\sqrt{3} \times 2}{140}$$



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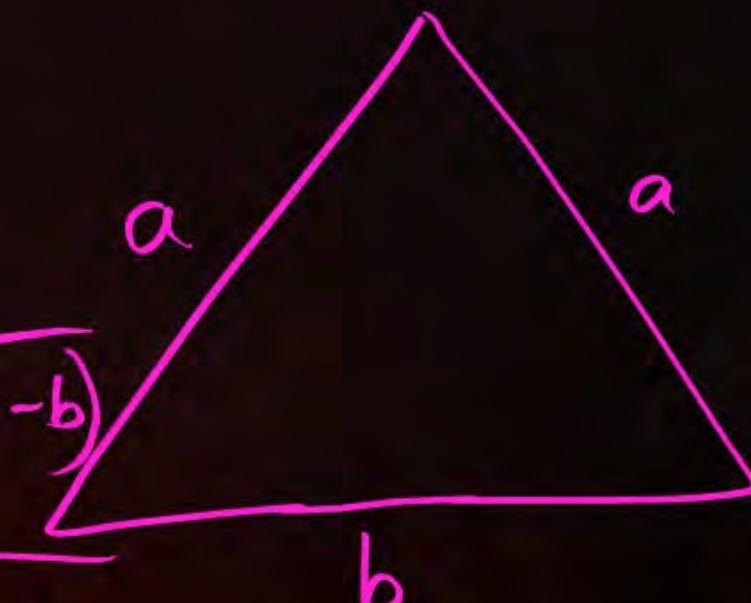
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$$s = \frac{a+a+b}{2} = \frac{2a+b}{2} = \left(a + \frac{b}{2}\right)$$

$$\text{Area} = \sqrt{s(s-a)(s-a)(s-b)}$$

$$= \sqrt{\left(a + \frac{b}{2}\right) \left(a + \frac{b}{2} - a\right) \left(a + \frac{b}{2} - a\right) \left(a + \frac{b}{2} - b\right)}$$



$$= \sqrt{\left(a + \frac{b}{2}\right) \times \left(\frac{b}{2}\right) \times \left(\frac{b}{2}\right) \times \left(a + \frac{b-2b}{2}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{b}{2} \times \sqrt{\left(a + \frac{b}{2}\right) \times \left(a - \frac{b}{2}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{b}{2} \times \sqrt{a^2 - \left(\frac{b}{2}\right)^2} = \boxed{\frac{b}{2} \times \sqrt{a^2 - \frac{b^2}{4}}}$$

$$(x+y)(x-y) = x^2 - y^2$$

$$\boxed{\frac{b}{2} \times \sqrt{a^2 - \frac{b^2}{4}}}$$

$$48 = \frac{16}{2} \times \sqrt{a^2 - \frac{(16)^2}{4}}$$

$$48 = 8 \times \sqrt{a^2 - \frac{256}{4}}$$

$$\frac{48}{8} = \sqrt{a^2 - 64}$$

$$6 = \sqrt{a^2 - 64}$$

squaring on both of the sides

$$36 = a^2 - 64 \Rightarrow a^2 = 100 \Rightarrow a = 10$$

$$\begin{aligned} P &= a + a + b \\ &= 10 + 10 + 16 \\ &= [36 \text{ cm}] \text{ Ans} \end{aligned}$$

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$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} a^2 = 36\sqrt{3}$$

$$\frac{a^2}{4} = 36$$

$$a^2 = 36 \times 4$$

$$a^2 = 6 \times 6 \times 2 \times 2$$

$$a^2 = (6 \times 2)^2 \Rightarrow a = 12 \text{ cm}$$

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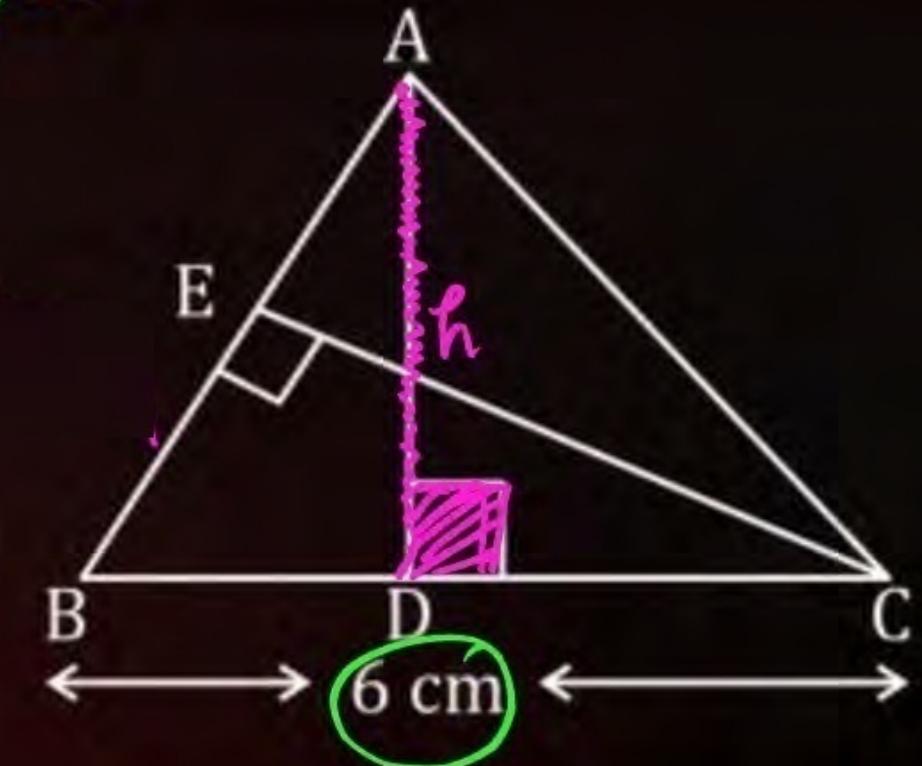
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5 cm

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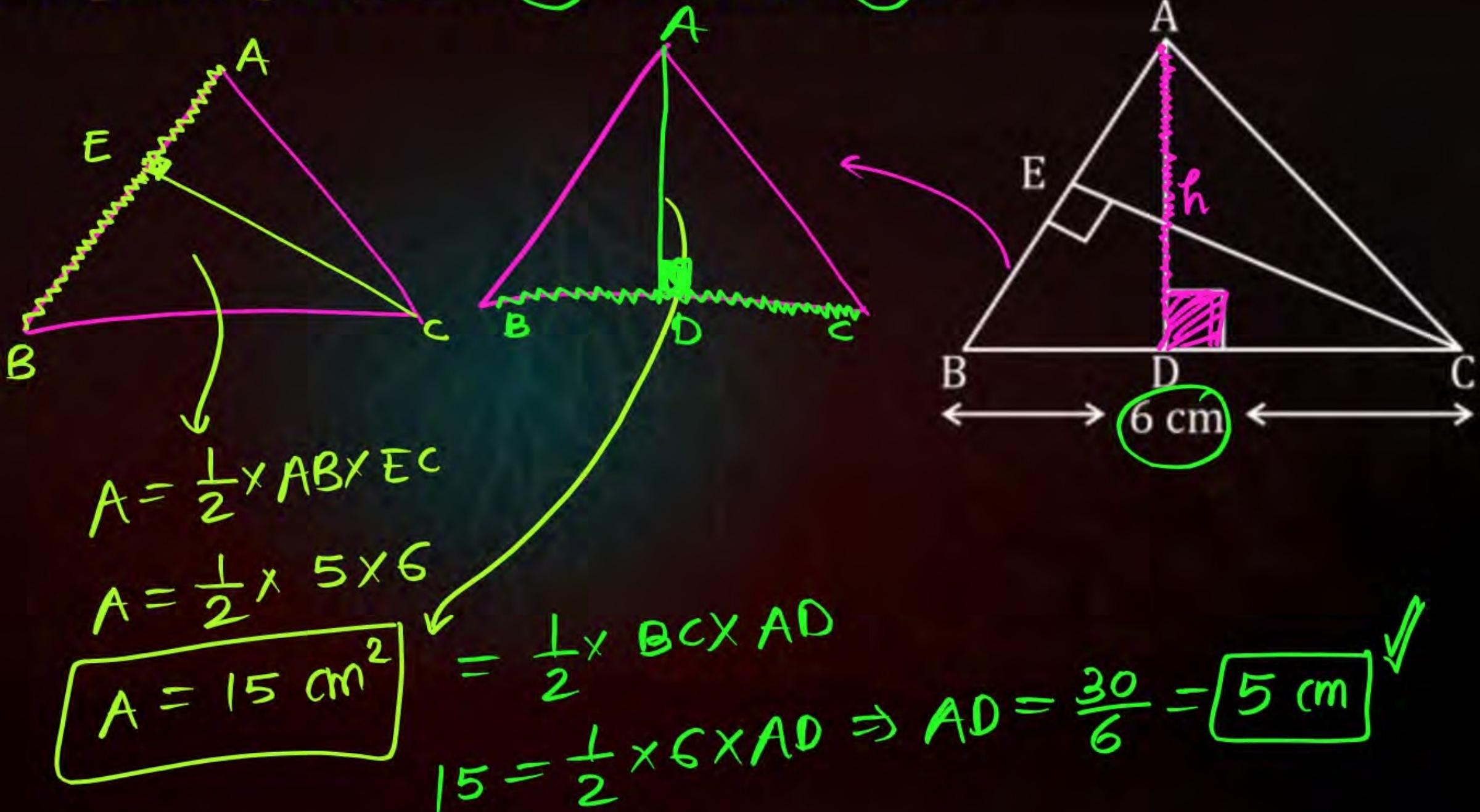
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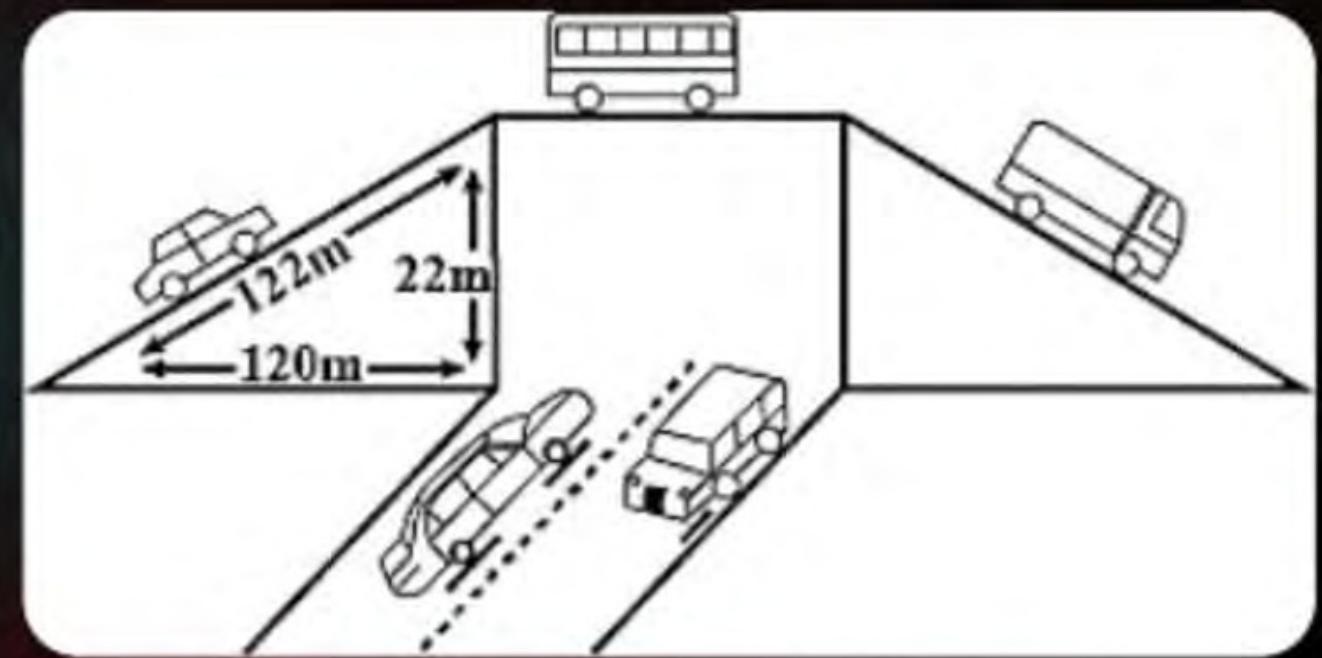
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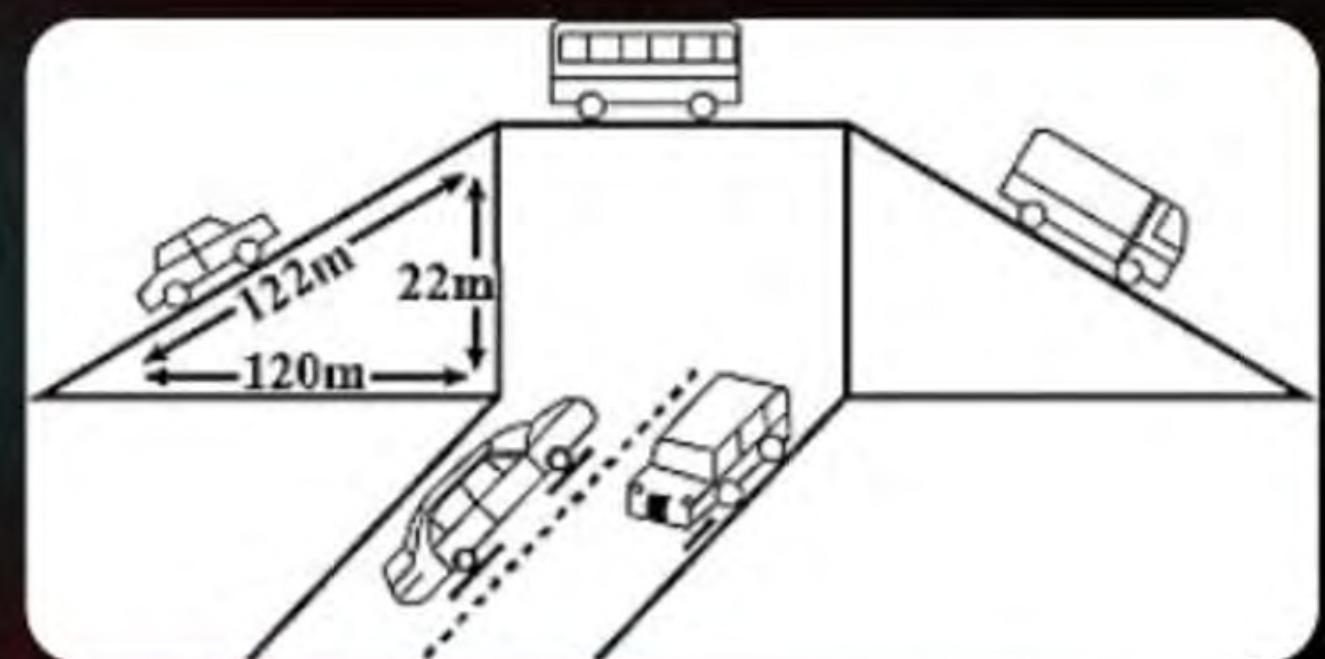
$$12 \text{ month} \rightarrow ₹ 5000 / \text{m}^2$$

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$$3 \text{ month} \rightarrow \frac{3 \times ₹ 5000}{12} / \text{m}^2$$

$$= ₹ \frac{15000}{12} / \text{m}^2$$

$$= ₹ 1250 / \text{m}^2 \rightarrow \text{for 3 month}$$

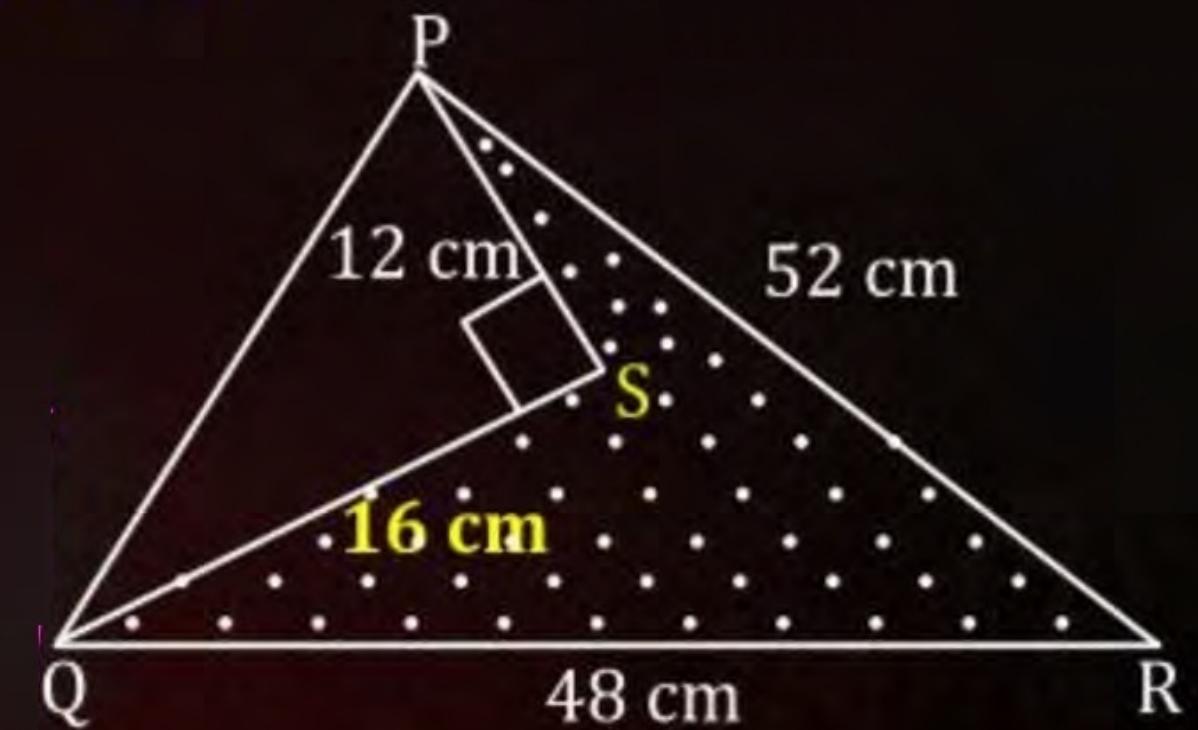


$$a = 122, b = 22, c = 120 \Rightarrow s = \frac{264}{2} = 132 \text{ m}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Area of } \triangle \text{ wall} &= \sqrt{132 \times 10 \times 110 \times 12} \\&= \sqrt{2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 11 \times 10 \times 11 \times 10 \times 12} \\&= 12 \times 11 \times 10 \\&= 12 \times 11^2 \\&= 1320 \text{ m}^2 \\ \text{Total Rent} &= 1320 \times 1250 = \boxed{\text{₹ } 1650000}^{***}\end{aligned}$$

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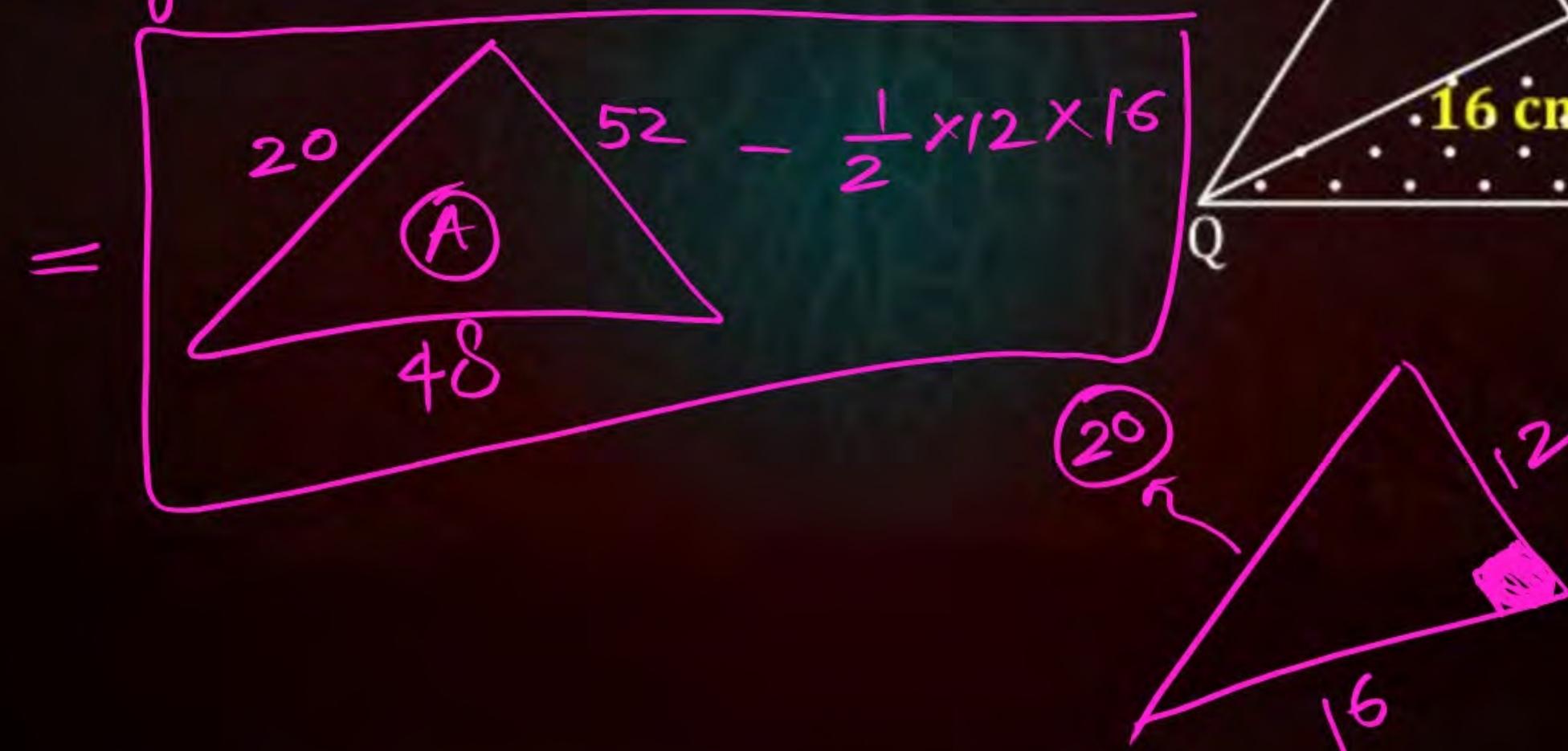
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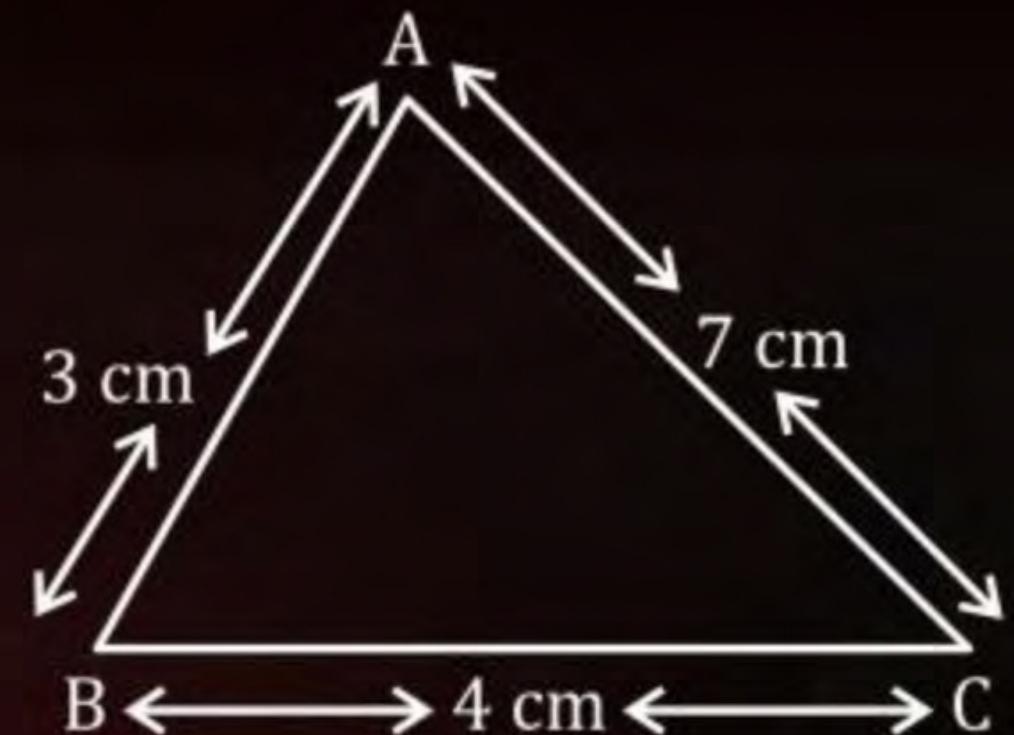
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$$\text{Shaded Region} = \text{ar}(\triangle PQR) - \text{ar}(\triangle PSQ)$$



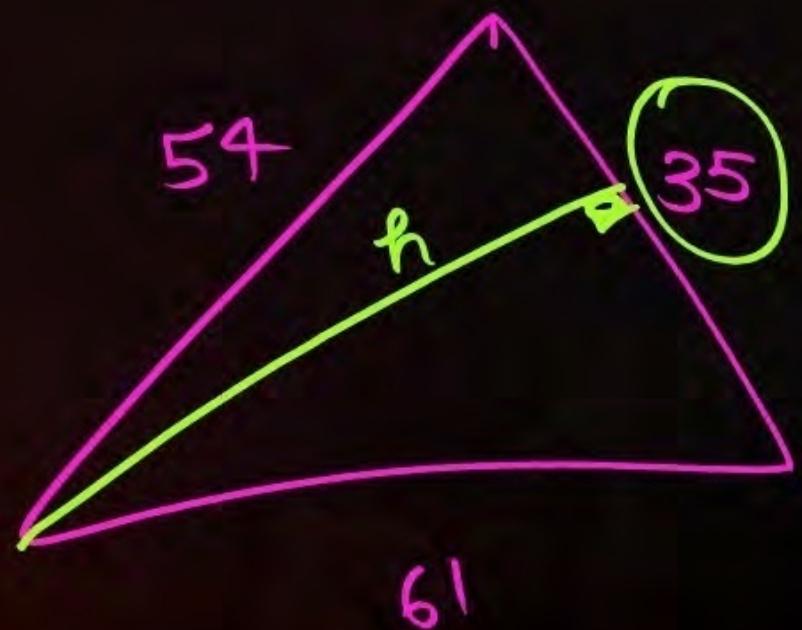
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For the given figure, find the $s(s - a)$.



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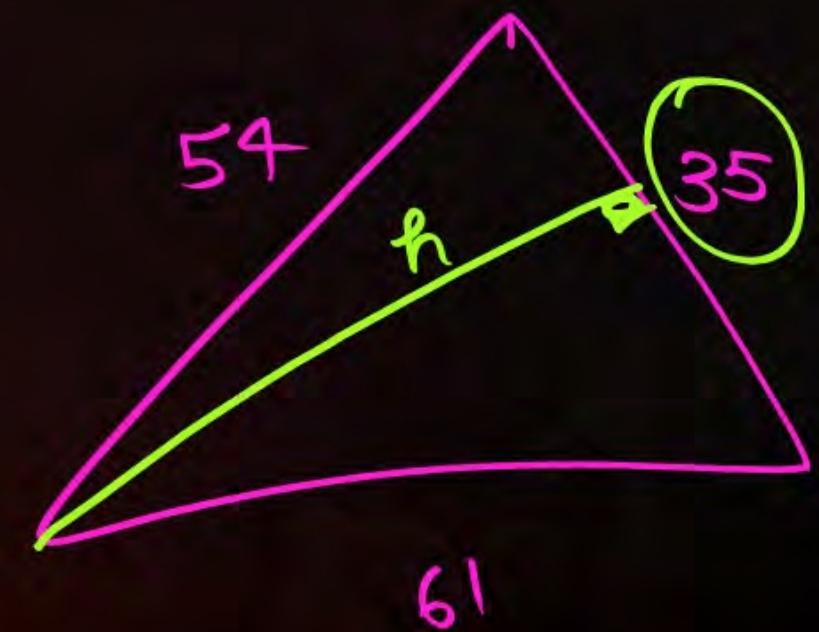
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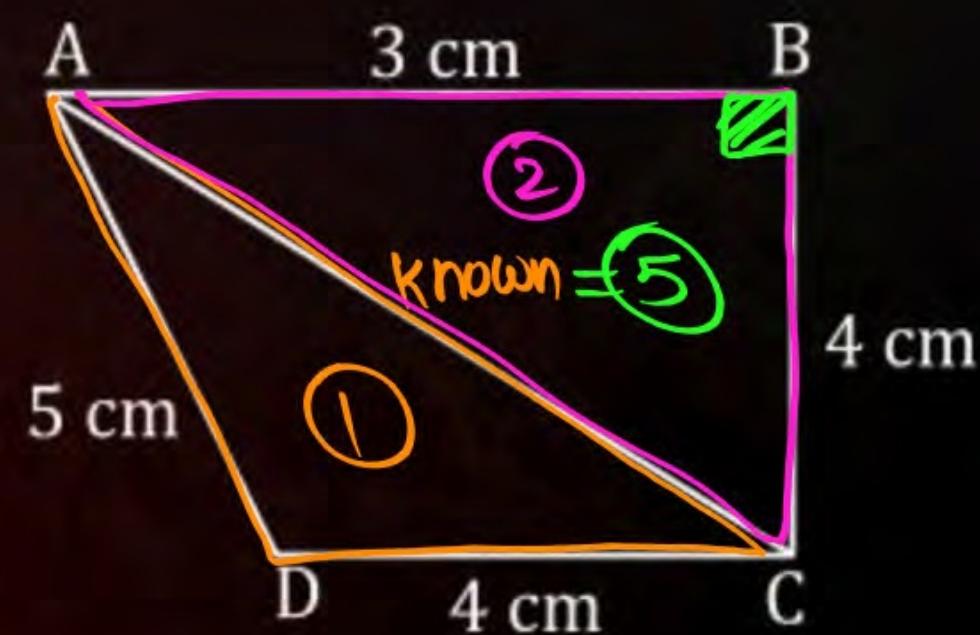
$$A = \frac{1}{2} \times 35 \times h$$



Application of Heron's Formula in Finding Area of Quadrilaterals

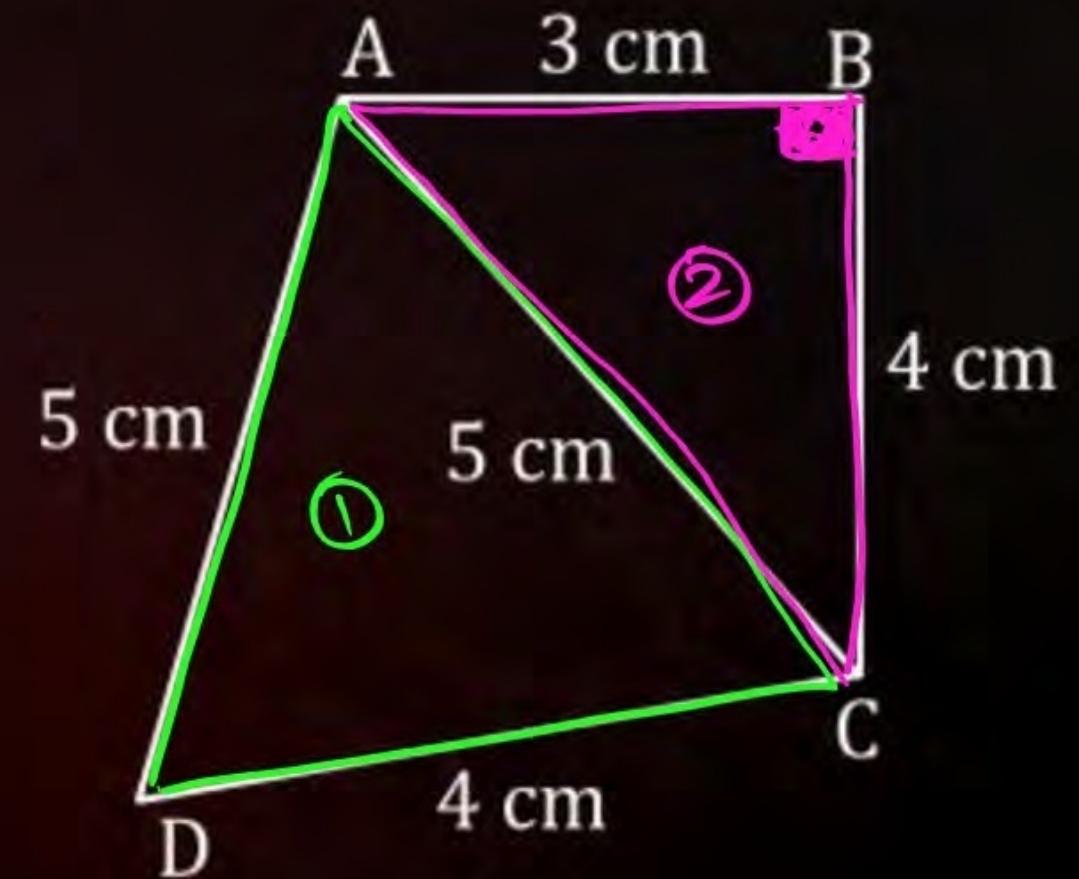
Heron's formula can be applied to find the area of a quadrilateral by dividing the quadrilateral into two triangular parts. If we join any of the two diagonals of the quadrilateral, then we get two triangles. Area of each triangle is calculated and the sum of two areas is the area of the quadrilateral.

It can be used to determine the area of any irregular quadrilateral by converting the quadrilateral into triangles.



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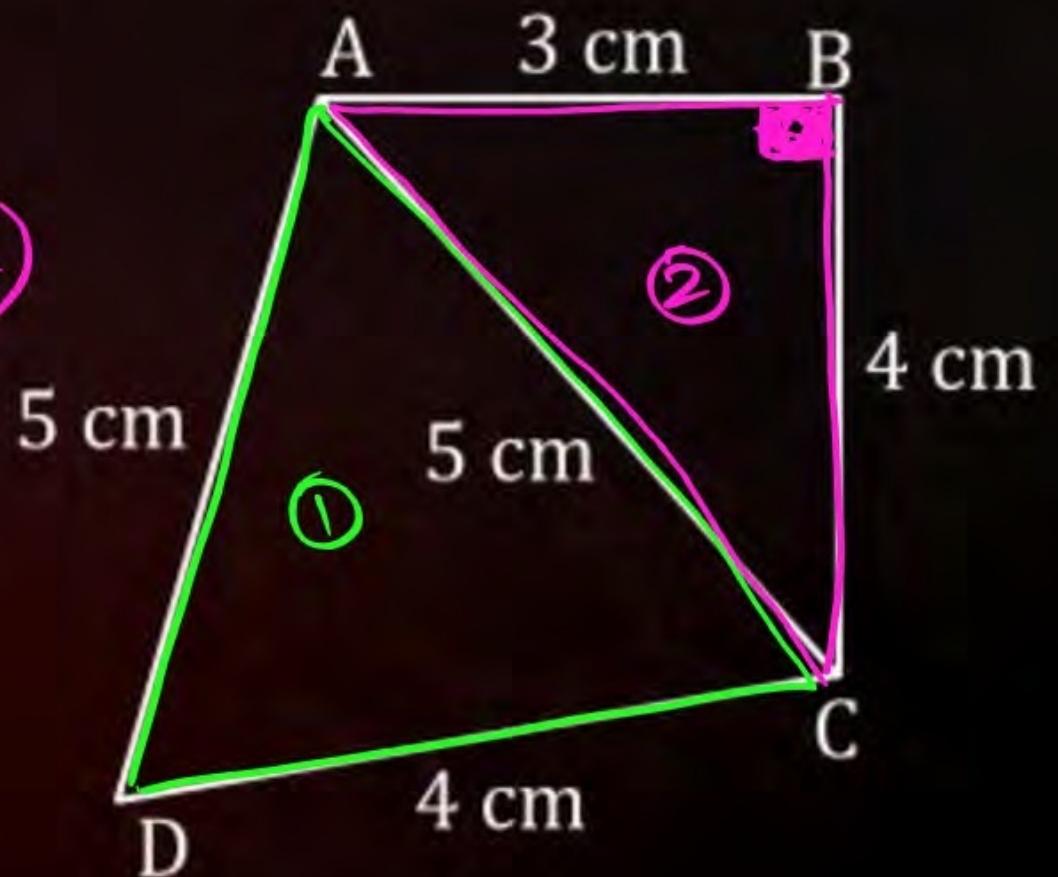
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$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area of } \square ABCD &= \text{area}(1) + \text{area}(2) \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{2} \times \sqrt{5^2 - \left(\frac{4}{2}\right)^2} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{2} \times 3 \times 4 \right) \\ &= \left(2 \times \sqrt{25 - 4} \right) + 6 \\ &= \boxed{2 \times \sqrt{21} + 6} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$



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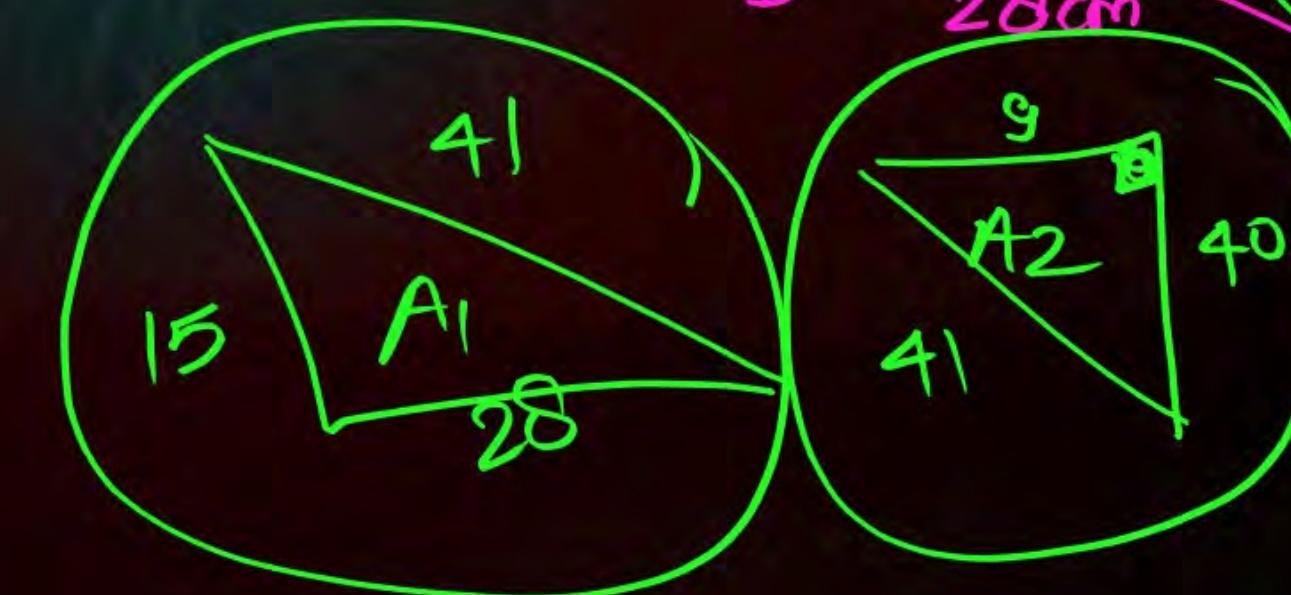
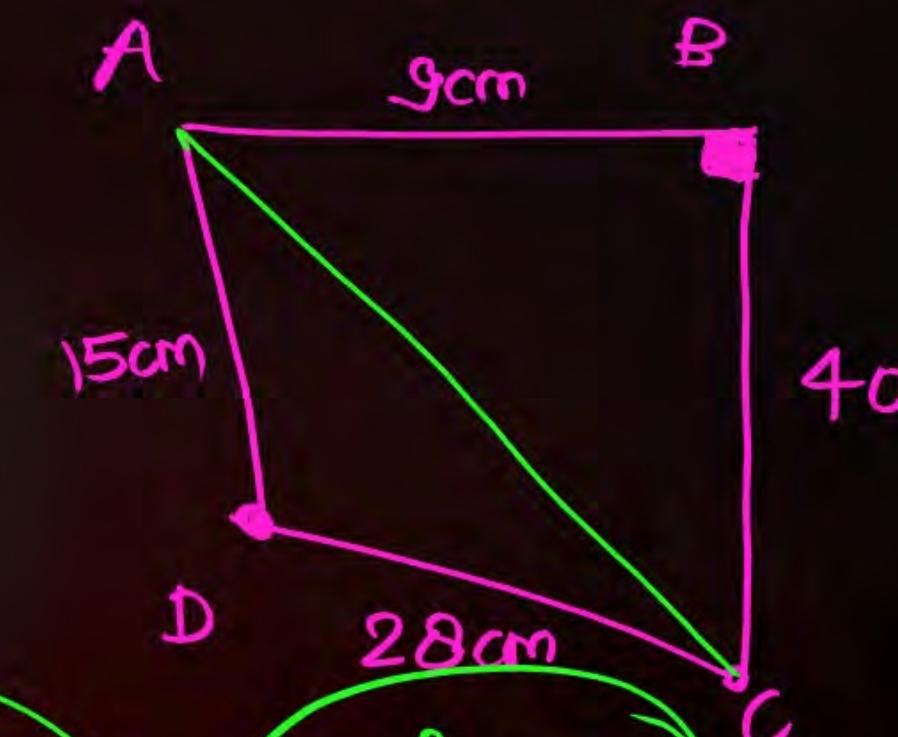
In $\triangle ABC$,

$$AC = \sqrt{(9)^2 + (40)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{81 + 1600}$$

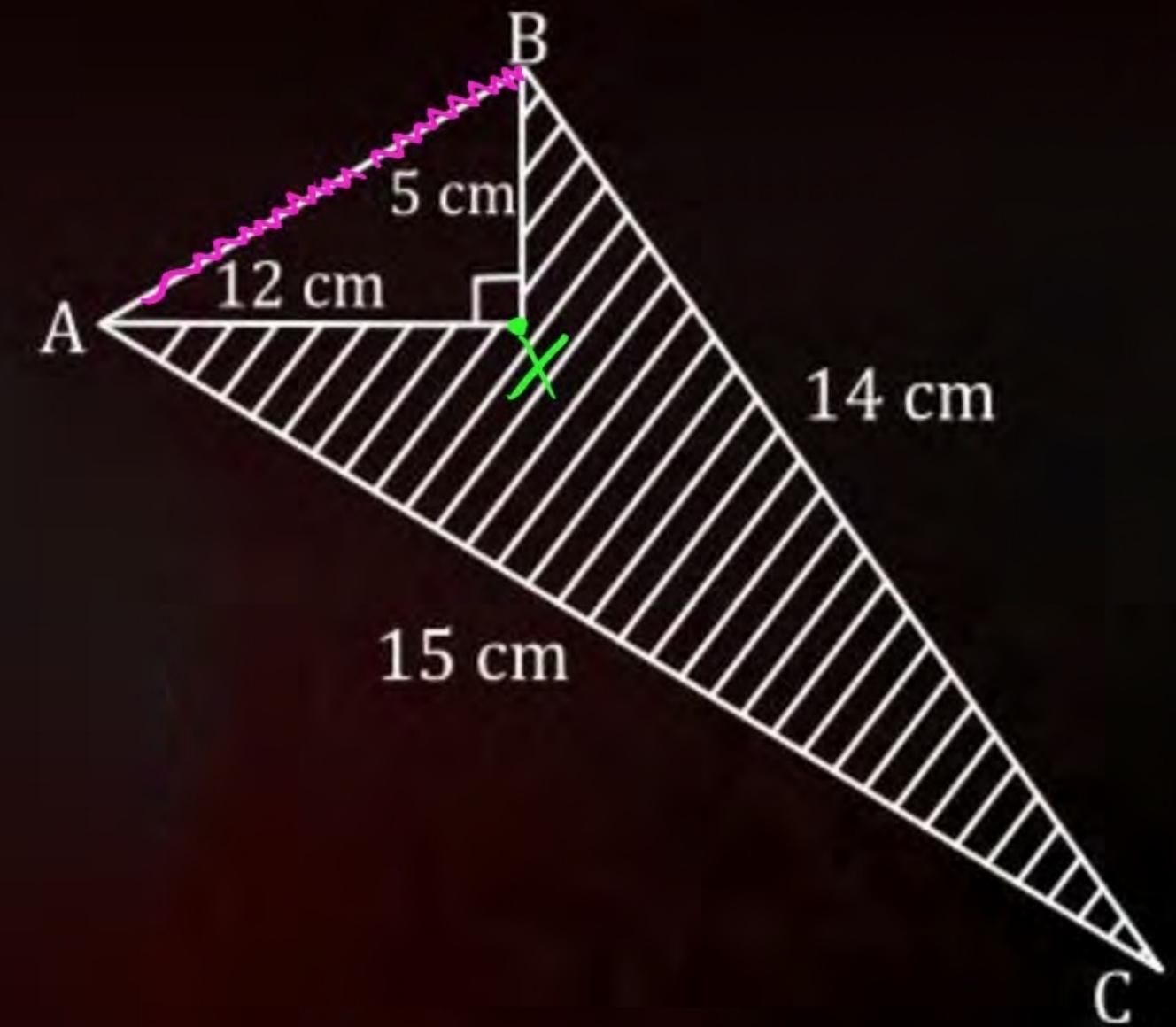
$$= \sqrt{1681}$$

$$= 41 \text{ cm}$$



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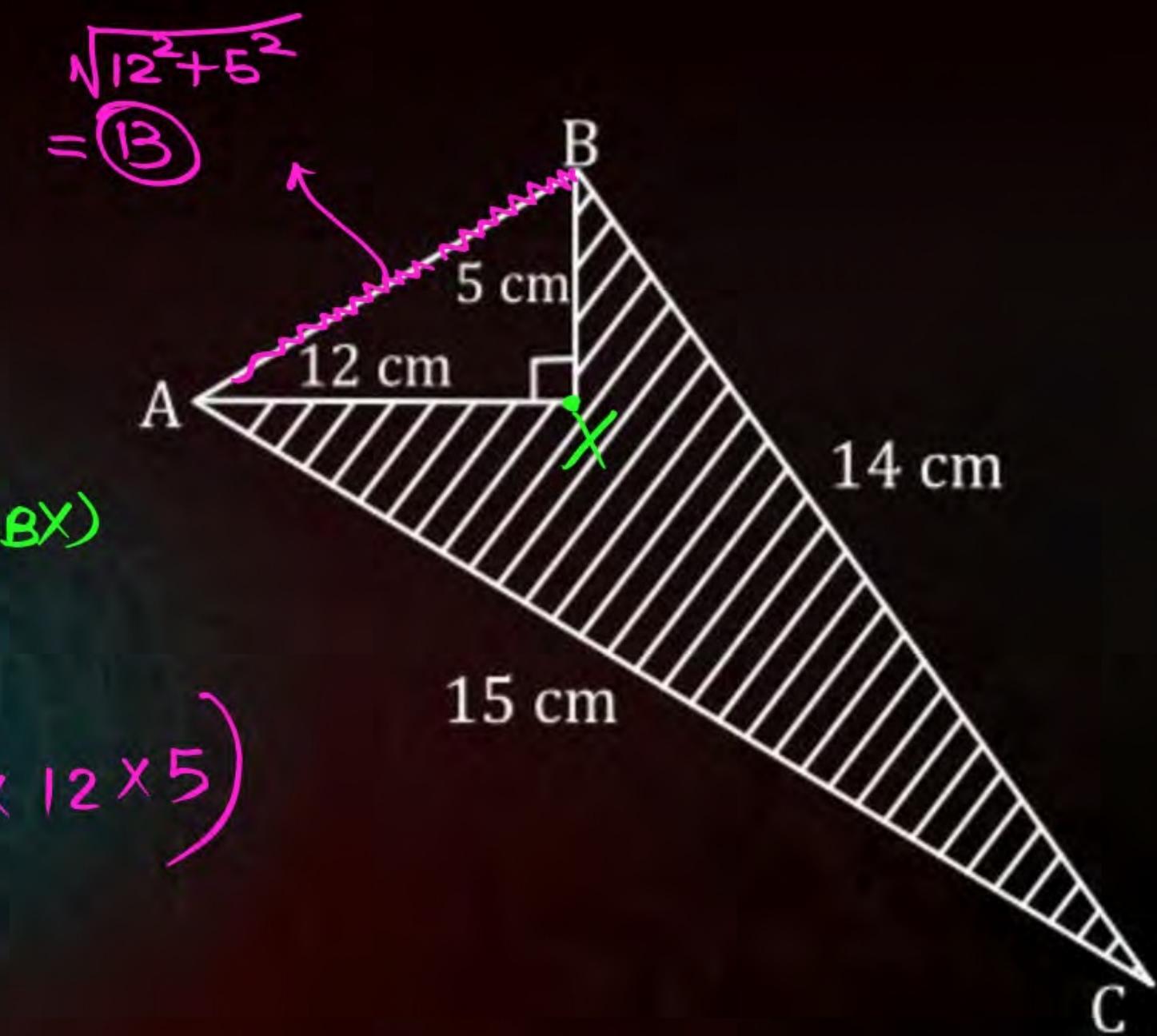
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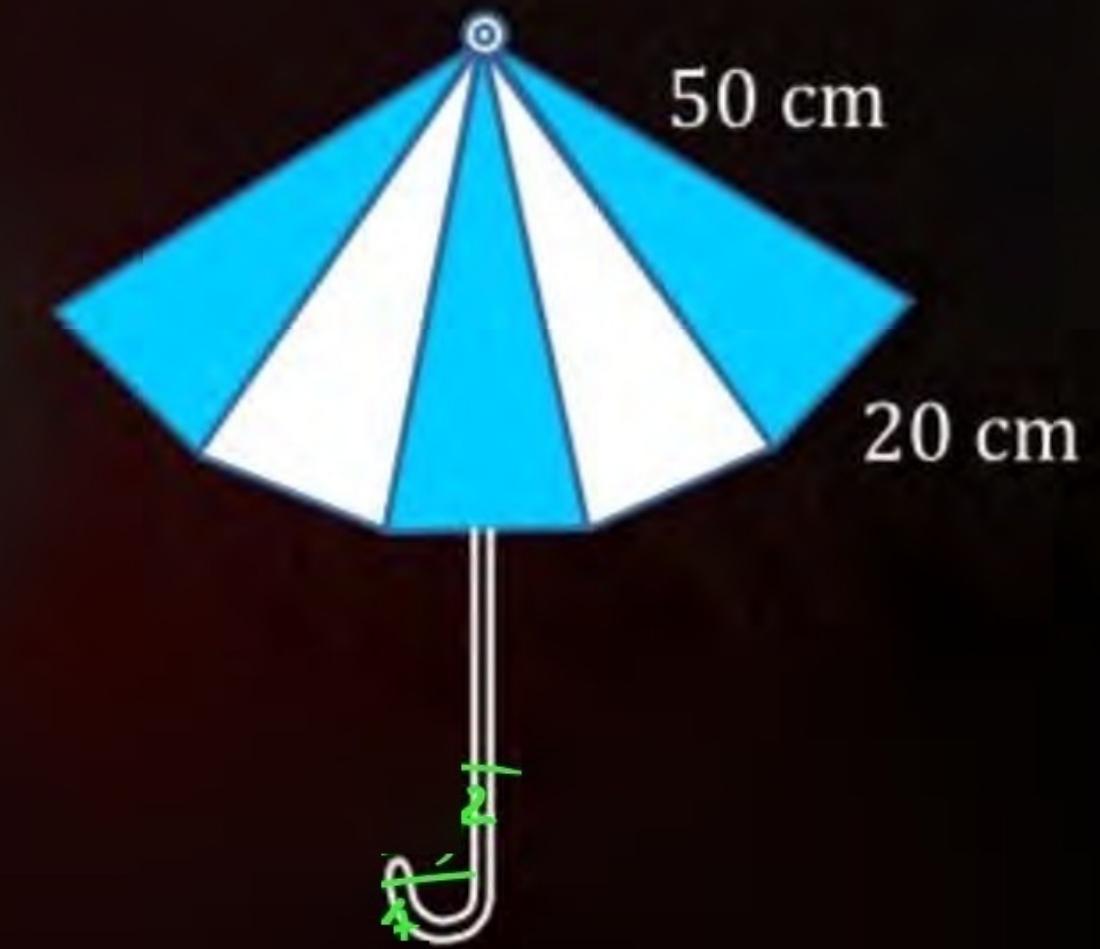
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$$\begin{aligned} \text{Shaded} &= \text{ar}(\triangle ABC) - \text{ar}(\triangle ABX) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times 12 \times 5 - \left(\frac{1}{2} \times 12 \times 5 \right) \\ &= A - 30 = \end{aligned}$$



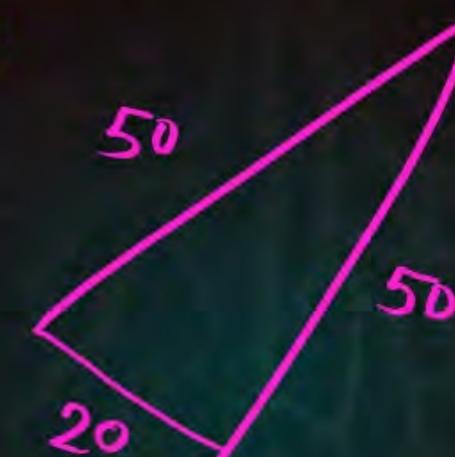
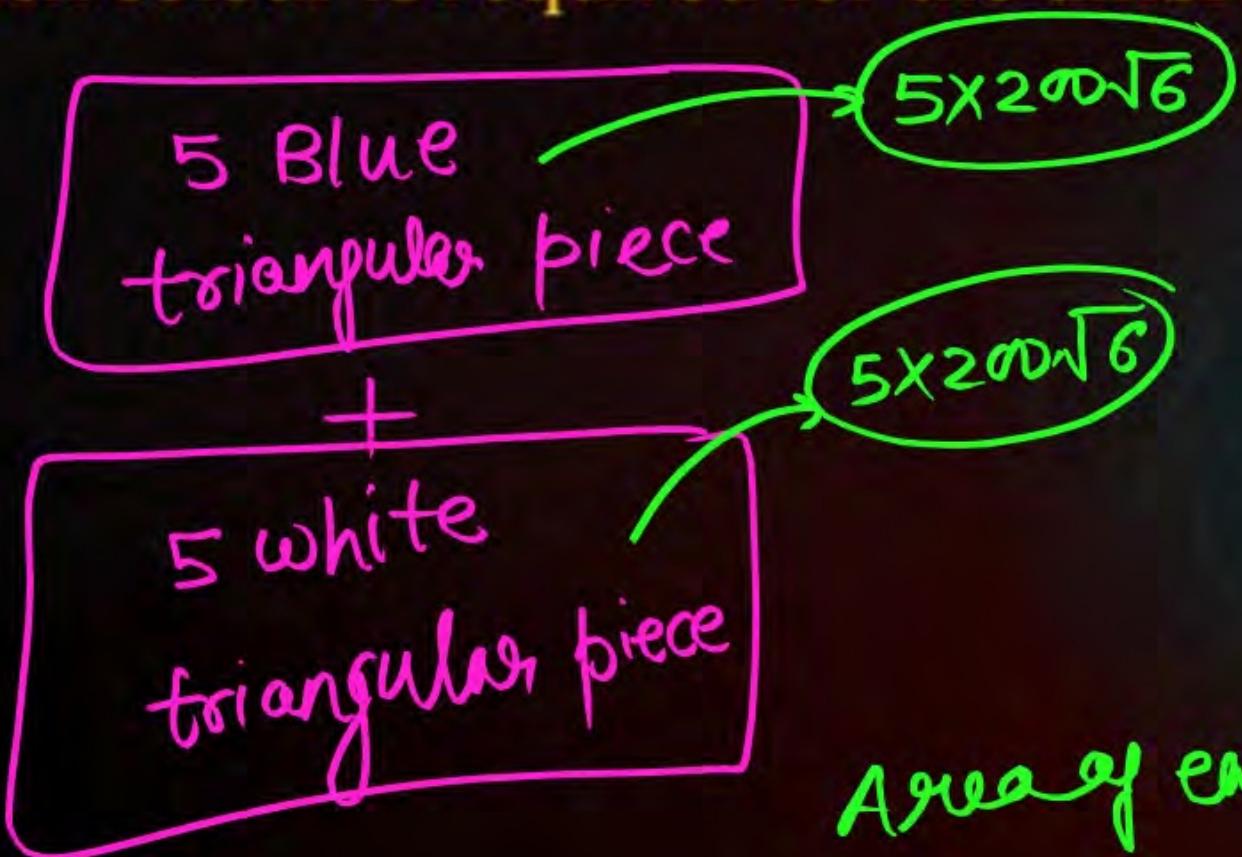
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$$= 10 \times \sqrt{2400}$$

$$= 10 \times \sqrt{2 \times 3 \times 2 \times 3 \times 10 \times 10}$$

$$= 200\sqrt{6}$$

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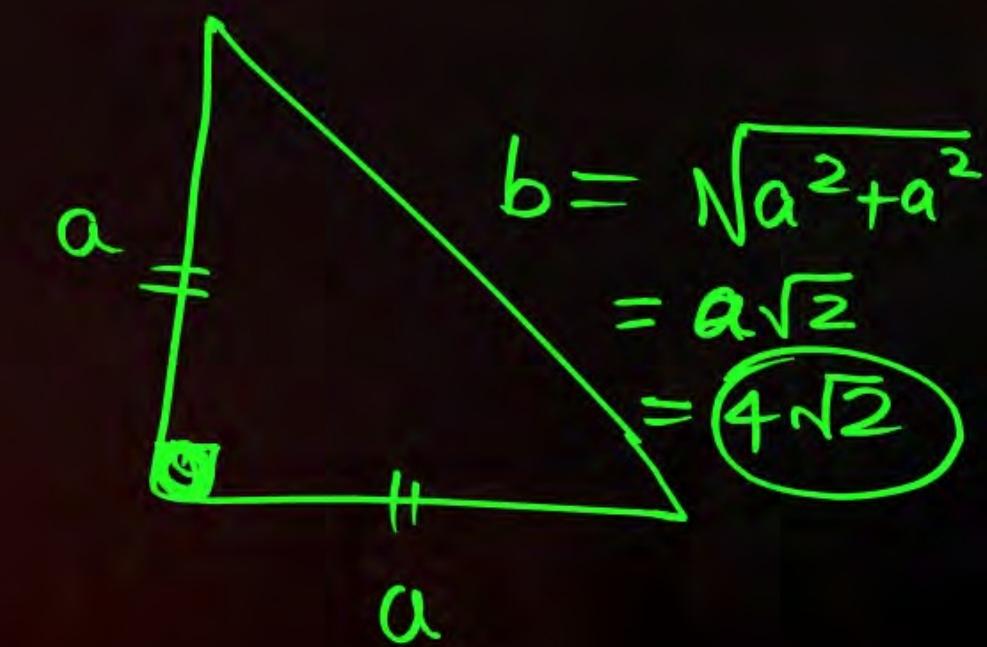
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$$8 = \frac{1}{2} \times a \times a \Rightarrow a^2 = 16 \\ \Rightarrow a^2 = (4)^2 \\ \Rightarrow a = 4$$



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Let the given trapezium $\square ABCD$
construction :- $AO \parallel BE$

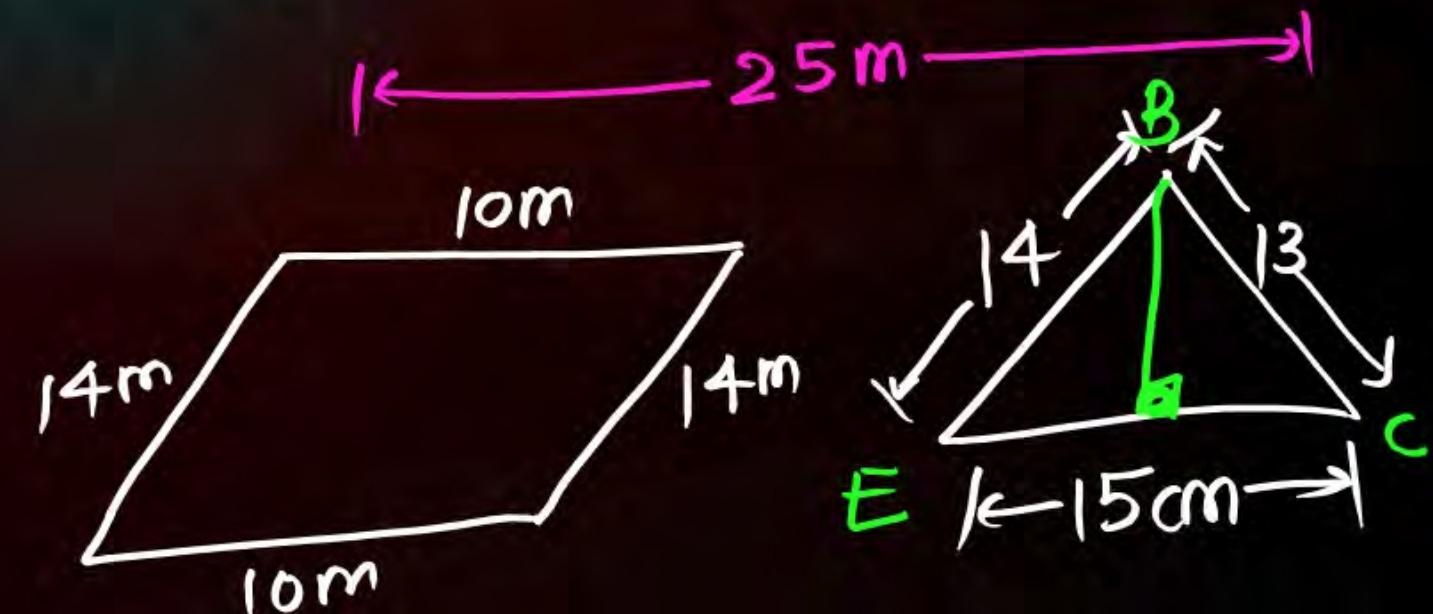
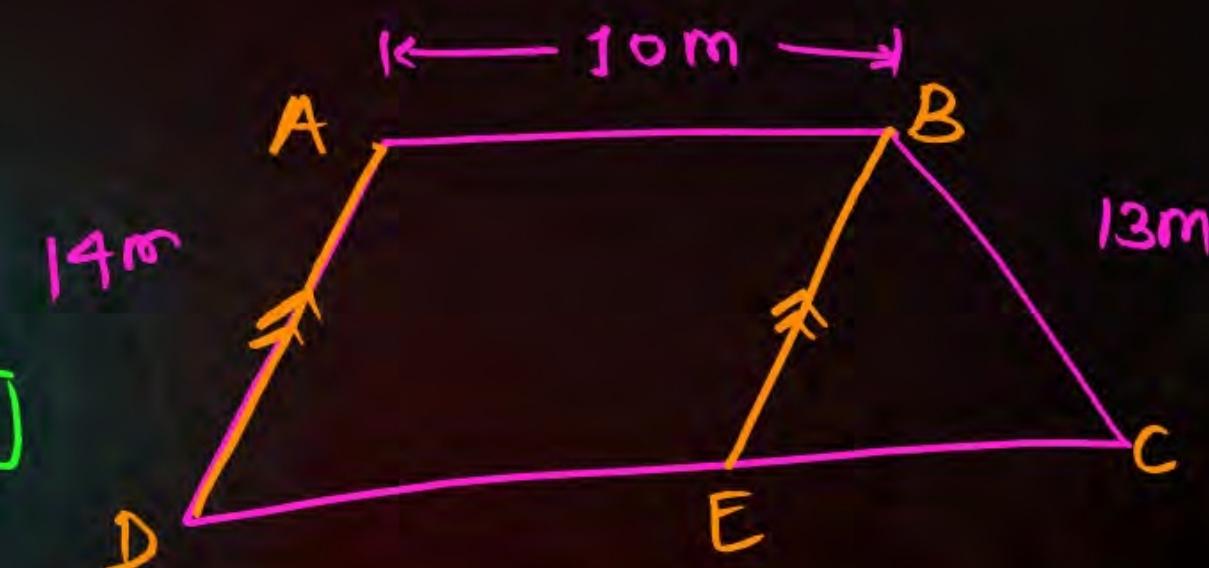
$$\text{In } \triangle BEC, S = \frac{13+14+15}{2} = \frac{42}{2} = 21 \text{ m}$$

$$A = \sqrt{21 \times 7 \times 6 \times 8}$$

$$A = \sqrt{3 \times 7 \times 7 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2}$$

$$= 7 \times 3 \times 2 \times 2 = 21 \times 4$$

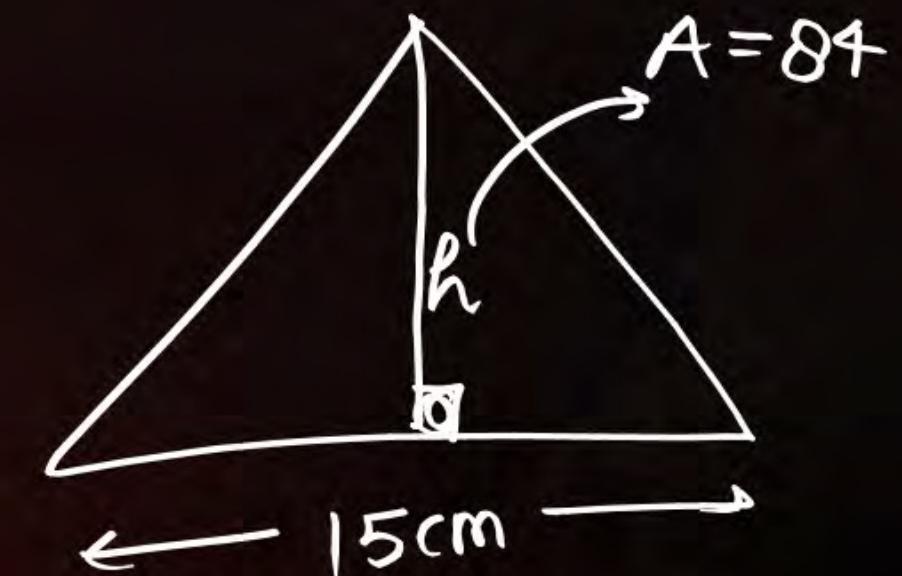
$$= 84 \text{ m}^2$$



$$A = \frac{1}{2} \times 15 \times h$$

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$$\boxed{h = \frac{84 \times 2}{15} \text{ m}} = 11.2 \text{ m}$$



$$\text{Area of } \text{ll}^{\text{gram}} = b \times h$$

$$\text{Total Area} = \text{ar}(118^{\text{gram}}) + 84$$

$$= (10 \times 11.2) + 84$$

$$= 112 + 84 = 196 \text{ m}^2$$



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