

# Solution For The School Geometry Problems

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# Question

## Exercise 8.1(Q no.36)

Two sides AB and BC and median AM of one triangle ABC are respectively equal to sides PQ and QR and median PN of  $\triangle PQR$ . Show that

a)  $\triangle ABM \cong \triangle PQN$

b)  $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle PQR$

# Codes and Figures

The python code for the figure is

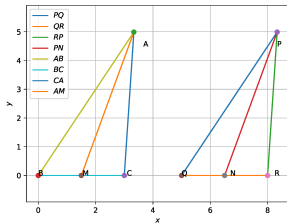
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./code/Traingle.py
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The latex- tikz code is

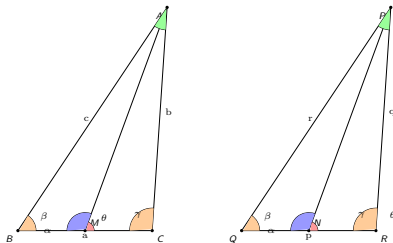
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./figs/triangle.tex
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The above latex code can be compiled as standalone document

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./figs/triangle_fig.tex
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(a) By Python



(b) By Latex-tikz

# Construction method

The tables below are the values used for constructing the triangles in both Python and Latex-Tikz.

Initial Input Values.	
a, p	3
b, q	5
c, r	6

**Table:** To construct  $\triangle ACB$  and  $\triangle PQR$

The steps for constructing  $\triangle ACB$  are

$$(i) \mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 3.33 \\ 4.99 \end{pmatrix} (ii) \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} (iii) \mathbf{C} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(i) \mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} 8.33 \\ 4.99 \end{pmatrix} (ii) \mathbf{Q} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} (iii) \mathbf{R} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{M} = (1/2)(\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{C})$$

$$\mathbf{N} = (1/2)(\mathbf{Q} + \mathbf{R})$$

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} 1.5 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{N} = \begin{pmatrix} 6.5 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Derived Values for triangleDCB.	
<b>M</b>	$\begin{pmatrix} 1.5 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$
<b>N</b>	$\begin{pmatrix} 6.5 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

**Table:** To construct medians AN and PN

# Solution

given that  $\rightarrow$

$$\|\mathbf{AB}\| = \|\mathbf{PQ}\| = c = r$$

$$\|\mathbf{BC}\| = \|\mathbf{QR}\| = a = p$$

$$\|\mathbf{AM}\| = \|\mathbf{PN}\| = m = n$$

Therefore  $\rightarrow$

**M** and **N** are the position vector of mid-point of **BC** and **QR** respectively .

$$\frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{B} - \mathbf{C}\| = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{Q} - \mathbf{R}\|$$

$$\|\mathbf{B} - \mathbf{M}\| = \|\mathbf{Q} - \mathbf{N}\|$$

## Solution a)

from triangles ABM and PQR  $\rightarrow$

$$\| \mathbf{AB} \| = \| \mathbf{PQ} \| \text{ (given)}$$

$$\| \mathbf{AM} \| = \| \mathbf{PN} \| \text{ (given)}$$

$$\| \mathbf{M} - \mathbf{B} \| = \| \mathbf{N} - \mathbf{Q} \|$$

(Both m and N are the mid points)

$\Rightarrow \triangle ABM$  and  $\triangle PQN$  are congruent to each other by SSS congruency.

Hence, proved

## Solution b)

given that  $\rightarrow$

$$\|\mathbf{AM}\| = \|\mathbf{PN}\|$$

from triangle ABC and PQN  $\rightarrow$

$$\|\mathbf{M} - \mathbf{C}\| = \|\mathbf{N} - \mathbf{R}\|$$

$$\therefore \triangle ABM \cong \triangle PQN$$

$$180 - \angle AMB = 180 - \angle PNQ$$

$$\angle AMC = \angle PNR$$

from SAS congruency  $\rightarrow$

$$\triangle AMC \cong \triangle PNR$$

Therefore  $\rightarrow$

$$\|\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{C}\| = \|\mathbf{P} - \mathbf{R}\|$$

from triangle ABC and PQR  $\rightarrow$

$$\|\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{M}\| = \|\mathbf{P} - \mathbf{N}\|$$

$$\|\mathbf{M} - \mathbf{C}\| = \|\mathbf{N} - \mathbf{R}\|$$

$$\angle AMC = \angle PNR$$

from SAS congruency  $\rightarrow$

$$\triangle AMC \cong \triangle PNR$$

Hence proved