



SHIKSHA CLASSES

Subject : Geometry

ANSWERS PAPER

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1. Similarity

Q. 1 : A) Choose the correct alternative of the following questions. 2

1) If a line divides any two sides of a triangle in the same ratio, then the line is

Ans.: b) parallel to third side

2) Areas of triangles with equal heights are proportional to

Ans.: a) Their corresponding bases.

B) 1) If $\Delta ABC \sim \Delta PQR$ and $AB:PQ=2:3$ then fill in the blanks. 1

$$\text{Ans. : } \frac{A(\Delta ABC)}{A(\Delta PQR)} = \frac{AB^2}{PQ^2} = \frac{2^2}{3^2} = \frac{4}{9}$$

Q. 2 : A) Solve Any ONE of the following. 2

1) $\Delta ABC \sim \Delta PQR$, $A(\Delta ABC)=16$,

$A(\Delta PQR)=25$, then find $\frac{AB}{PQ}$

Ans. : Given that,

$$\Delta ABC \sim \Delta PQR$$

\therefore By theorem of areas of similar triangles.

$$\therefore \frac{A(\Delta ABC)}{A(\Delta PQR)} = \frac{AB^2}{PQ^2}$$

$$\frac{16}{25} = \frac{AB^2}{PQ^2}$$

By taking square root of both sides,

$$\therefore \frac{AB}{PQ} = \frac{4}{5}$$

2) In trapezium ABCD

side $AB \parallel PQ \parallel DC$

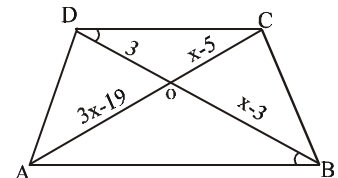
$AP=15$, $PD=12$, $QC=14$ find BQ

Ans. : Side $AB \parallel$ side $PQ \parallel$ side DC

\therefore By property of three parallel lines and their transversals.

$$\therefore \frac{AP}{PD} = \frac{BQ}{QC}$$

$$\therefore \frac{15}{12} = \frac{BQ}{14}$$



$$\therefore BQ = \frac{15 \times 14}{12} = \frac{14 \times 5}{4} = \frac{70}{4}$$

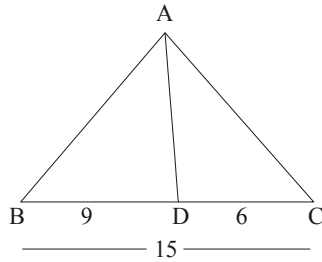
= 17.5 units.

Q. 2 : B) Solve Any ONE of the following. 2

1) In ΔABC point D on side BC is such that $DC = 6$, $BC = 15$. Find $A(\Delta ABD) : A(\Delta ABC)$ and

$$A(\triangle ABD) : A(\triangle ADC).$$

Ans. : Point A is common vertex of $\triangle ABD$, $\triangle ADC$ and $\triangle ABC$ their bases are collinear.



Hence heights of these three triangles are equal.

$$BC = 15, DC = 6,$$

$$\therefore BD = BC - DC = 15 - 6 = 9$$

$$\frac{A(\triangle ABD)}{A(\triangle ABC)} = \frac{BD}{BC} \text{ ---- heights equal,}$$

hence areas proportional to bases.

$$= \frac{9}{15} = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\frac{A(\triangle ABD)}{A(\triangle ADC)} = \frac{BD}{DC} \text{ ---- heights equal}$$

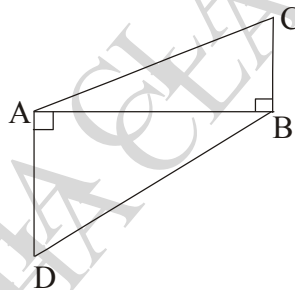
hence areas proportional to bases.

$$= \frac{9}{6} = \frac{3}{2}$$

2) In fig. $BC \perp AB, AD \perp AB$,

$BC = 4, AD = 8$ then

find $\frac{A(\triangle ABC)}{A(\triangle ADB)}$



Ans. :

$$\frac{A(\triangle ABC)}{A(\triangle ADB)} = \frac{AB \times BC}{AB \times AD}$$

$$= \frac{BC}{AD}$$

$$= \frac{4}{8}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \text{ (bases at both triangles are equal)}$$

Q. 3 : A) Any ONE of the following. 3

1) In $\triangle ABC$, seg BD bisects

$\angle ABC$ If $AB = x$,

$$BC = x + 5$$

$AD = x - 2, DC = x + 2$
then find the value of x

Ans. : Seg BD bisects $\angle ABC$

$$AB = \boxed{x}, BC = \boxed{x+5}$$

$$AD = \boxed{x-2}, DC = \boxed{x+2}$$

\therefore By Angle bisector property.

$$\therefore \frac{AB}{BC} = \frac{AD}{DC}$$

$$\frac{x}{x+5} = \frac{x-2}{x+2}$$

$$\therefore x(x+2) = (x+5)(x-2)$$

$$x^2 + 3x - 10 = x^2 + 2x$$

$$\therefore x = \boxed{10}$$

2) Write the properties of similar triangles with suitable examples.

Ans. : 1) Reflexivity $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle ABC$

2) Symmetry

If $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle DEF$ then $\triangle DEF \sim \triangle ABC$

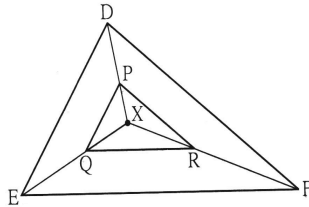
3) Transitivity

If $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle DEF$ and $\triangle DEF \sim \triangle GHI$,
then $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle GHI$

Q. 3 : B) Solve Any ONE of the following. 3

1) In the figure X is any point in the interior of triangle. Point X is joined to vertices of

triangle. Seg PQ || seg DE, seg QR || seg EF. Fill in the blanks to prove that, seg PR || seg DF.



Ans. : In

ΔXDE , $PQ \parallel DE$ Given

$$\therefore \frac{XP}{PD} = \frac{XQ}{QE} \text{(I)}$$

Basic Proportionality Theorem

In ΔXEF , $QR \parallel EF$ Given

$$\therefore \frac{XQ}{EQ} = \frac{XR}{RF} \text{ (II)}$$

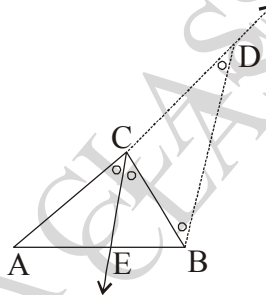
Basic Proportionality Theorem

$$\therefore \frac{XP}{PD} = \frac{XR}{RF} \text{ from (I) and (II)}$$

\therefore seg PR || seg DF (converse of basic proportionality theorem)

2) State and prove Angle bisector theorem.

Ans. : **Theorem** : The bisector of an angle of a triangle divides the side opposite to the angle in the ratio of remaining sides.



Given : In ΔABC , bisector of $\angle C$ intersects seg AB in point E

To prove : $\frac{AE}{EB} = \frac{CA}{CB}$

Construction : Draw a line parallel to ray CE, passing through the point B. Extend AC so as to intersect it at point D.

Proof : Ray CE || Ray BD and AD is transversal

$$\therefore \angle ACE = \angle CDB \text{ ---- (corresponding angles) ---(i)}$$

Now taking BC as transversal

$$\angle ECB = \angle CBD \text{ ---- (Alternate angles) (ii)}$$

But, $\angle ACE \cong \angle ECB$ ---- [Given]

$$\therefore \angle CBD \cong \angle CDB \text{ [from (i), (ii) \& (iii)]}$$

In ΔCBD , side CB \cong side CD ----

{sides opposite to congruent angles}

$$\therefore CB = CD \text{ ----(iv)}$$

Now in ΔABD , seg EC || seg BD --- (constructions)

$$\therefore \frac{AE}{EB} = \frac{AC}{CD} \text{ ----[Basic proportionality theorem]}$$

$$\therefore \frac{AE}{EB} = \frac{AC}{CB} \text{ --- [From (iv) \& (v)]}$$

Q. 4 : Attempt Any ONE of the following. 4

1) In given figure

$AB \parallel DC$ then find

the value of x

Ans. : Seg AB || Seg DC

$$AO = 3x - 19$$

$$OC = x - 5$$

$$OB = x - 3$$

$$OD = 3$$

In ΔAOB and ΔCOD ,

$$\angle AOB \cong \angle COD \rightarrow \text{Opposite angles.}$$

$$\angle ABO \cong \angle CDO \rightarrow \text{Alternate angles}$$

$$\therefore AB \parallel DC$$

$\therefore \triangle AOB \sim \triangle COD \rightarrow A - A$ test

$$\therefore \frac{AO}{CO} = \frac{OB}{OD} \rightarrow \text{c.s.c.t}$$

$$\therefore \frac{3x-19}{x-5} = \frac{x-3}{3}$$

$$\therefore 3(3x-19) = (x-3)(x-5)$$

$$\therefore 9x-57 = x(x-5)-3(x-5)$$

$$\therefore 9x-57 = x^2-5x-3x+15$$

$$\therefore 9x-57 = x^2-8x+15$$

$$\therefore x^2-8x-9x+15+57=0$$

$$\therefore x^2-17x+72=0$$

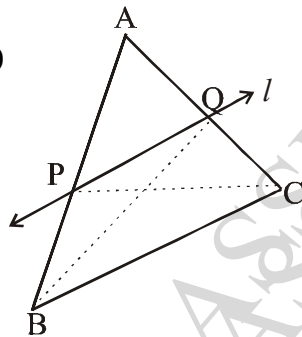
$$\therefore x^2-9x-8x+72=0$$

$$\therefore x(x-9)-8(x-9)=0$$

$$\therefore (x-9)=0(x-8)=0$$

$$\therefore x=9 \text{ or } x=8$$

2) Prove that, If a line parallel to a side of a triangle intersects the remaining sides in two distinct points then the line divides the sides in the same proportion.



Ans. : Given : In $\triangle ABC$ line $\ell \parallel$ line BC

and line ℓ intersects AB and AC in

P and Q respectively.

To prove :

$$\frac{AP}{PB} = \frac{AQ}{QC}$$

Construction : Draw seg PC and seg BQ

Proof :

$\triangle APQ$ and $\triangle PBQ$ have equal heights

$$\therefore \frac{A(\triangle APQ)}{A(\triangle PBQ)} = \frac{AP}{PB} \text{ --- I}$$

$$\text{and } \therefore \frac{A(\triangle APQ)}{A(\triangle PQC)} = \frac{AQ}{QC} \text{ --- II}$$

seg PQ is common base of

$\triangle PQB$ and $\triangle PQC$ seg. $PQ \parallel$ seg BC

Hence $\triangle PQB$ and $\triangle PQC$ have equal heights.

$$A(\triangle PQB) = A(\triangle PQC) \text{ --- III}$$

From eqⁿ (I), (II) and (III)

$$\frac{A(\triangle APQ)}{A(\triangle PBQ)} = \frac{A(\triangle APQ)}{A(\triangle PQC)}$$

$$\therefore \frac{AP}{PB} = \frac{AQ}{QC}$$

Q. 5 : Solve Any ONE of the following. 3

1) In trapezium ABCD side AB \parallel side CD diagonal AC and BD intersect each other at pt P. Then prove that

$$\frac{A(\triangle ABP)}{A(\triangle CPD)} = \frac{AB^2}{CD^2}$$

Ans. : In trapezium ABCD,

side AB \parallel side CD

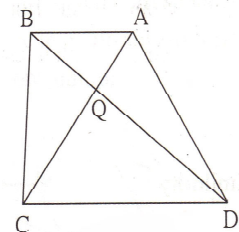
In

$\triangle APB$ and $\triangle CPD$

$$\angle PAB \cong \angle PCD \rightarrow$$

Alternate angles.

$$\angle APB \cong \angle CPD \rightarrow \text{Opposite angles}$$



$\therefore \Delta APB \sim \Delta CPD \rightarrow A - A - \text{test}$

$\therefore \frac{A(\Delta APB)}{A(\Delta CPD)} = \frac{AB^2}{CD^2} \rightarrow$ By theorem of areas of similar triangles.

2) Diagonal of quadrilateral ABCD intersect in point Q.

If $2QA = QC$, $2QB = QD$,

then prove that $DC = 2AB$.

Ans. : Given : $2QA = QC$

$2QB = QD$

To prove : $CD = 2AB$

Proof : $2QA = QC$

$$\therefore \frac{QA}{QC} = \frac{1}{2} \text{--- (1)}$$

$$2QB = QD \therefore \frac{QB}{QD} = \frac{1}{2} \text{--- (2)}$$

$$\therefore \frac{QA}{QC} = \frac{QB}{QD} \text{--- From (1) and (2)}$$

In ΔAQB and ΔCQD ,

$$\frac{QA}{QC} = \frac{QB}{QD} \text{--- Proved}$$

$\angle AQB \cong \angle DQC$ (Opposite angles)

$\therefore \Delta AQB \sim \Delta CQD$ (SAS test of similarity)

$$\therefore \frac{AQ}{CQ} = \frac{QB}{QD} = \frac{AB}{CD} \text{--- (Corresponding}$$

sides are proportional)

$$\text{But } \frac{AQ}{CQ} = \frac{1}{2} \therefore \frac{AB}{CD} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore 2AB = CD$$

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