

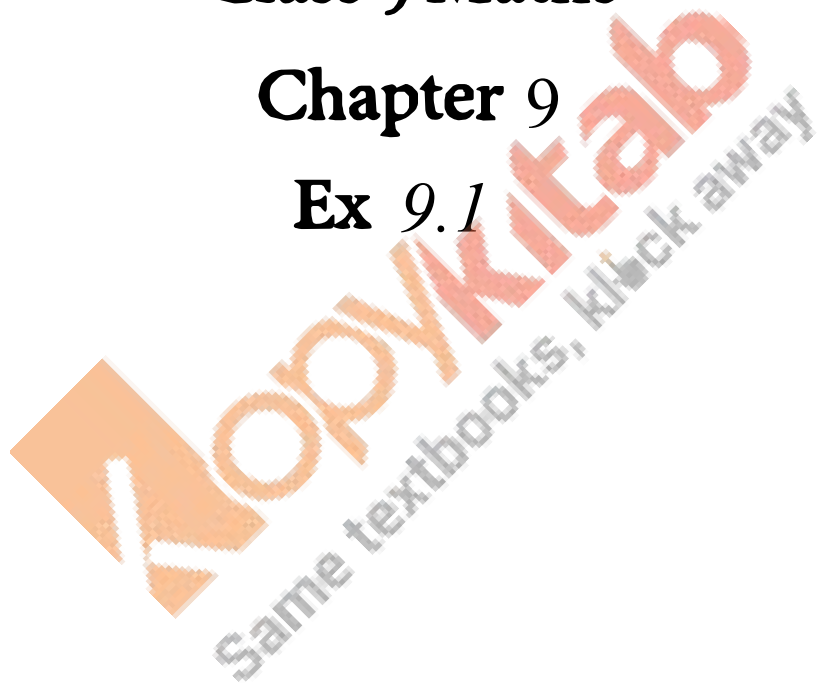
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Solutions

Class 9 Maths

Chapter 9

Ex 9.1



Q1) In a $\triangle ABC$, if $\angle A = 55^\circ$, $\angle B = 40^\circ$, Find $\angle C$.

Solution:

Given Data:

$$\angle A = 55^\circ, \angle B = 40^\circ, \text{ then } \angle C = ?$$

We know that

In a $\triangle ABC$ sum of all angles of a triangle is 180°

$$\text{i.e., } \angle A + \angle B + \angle C = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 55^\circ + 40^\circ + \angle C = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 95^\circ + \angle C = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle C = 180^\circ - 95^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle C = 85^\circ$$

Q2) If the angles of a triangle are in the ratio 1:2:3, determine three angles.

Solution:

Given that,

Angles of a triangle are in the ratio 1:2:3

Let the angles be $x, 2x, 3x$

\therefore We know that,

Sum of all angles of triangles is 180°

$$x + 2x + 3x = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{180^\circ}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 30^\circ$$

Since $x = 30^\circ$

$$2x = 2(30^\circ) = 60^\circ$$

$$3x = 3(30^\circ) = 90^\circ$$

Therefore, angles are $30^\circ, 60^\circ, 90^\circ$

Q3) The angles of a triangle are $(x - 40^\circ)$, $(x - 20^\circ)$ and $(\frac{1}{2}x - 10^\circ)$. Find the value of x .

Solution:

Given that,

The angles of a triangle are

$$(x - 40^\circ), (x - 20^\circ) \text{ and } (\frac{1}{2}x - 10^\circ)$$

We know that,

Sum of all angles of triangle is 180°

$$\therefore (x - 40^{\circ}) + (x - 20^{\circ}) + (\frac{1}{2}x - 10^{\circ}) = 180^{\circ}$$

$$2x + \frac{1}{2}x - 70^{\circ} = 180^{\circ}$$

$$\frac{5}{2}x = 180^{\circ} + 70^{\circ}$$

$$5x = 2(250)^{\circ}$$

$$x = \frac{500^{\circ}}{5}$$

$$\therefore x = 100^{\circ}$$

Q4) The angles of a triangle are arranged in ascending order of magnitude. If the difference between two consecutive angles is 10° , find the three angles.

Solution:

Given that,

The difference between two consecutive angles is 10°

Let $x, x+10^{\circ}, x+20^{\circ}$ be the consecutive angles that differ by 10°

We know that,

Sum of all angles in a triangle is 180°

$$x+x+10^{\circ}+x+20^{\circ} = 180^{\circ}$$

$$3x+30^{\circ} = 180^{\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x = 180^{\circ} - 30^{\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x = 150^{\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 50^{\circ}$$

Therefore, the required angles are

$$x = 50^{\circ}$$

$$x+10^{\circ} = 50^{\circ} + 10^{\circ} = 60^{\circ}$$

$$x+20^{\circ} = 50^{\circ} + 20^{\circ} = 70^{\circ}$$

As the difference between two consecutive angles is 10° , the three angles are $50^{\circ}, 60^{\circ}, 70^{\circ}$.

Q5) Two angles of a triangle are equal and the third angle is greater than each of those angles by 30° . Determine all the angles of the triangle.

Solution:

Given that,

Two angles of a triangle are equal and the third angle is greater than each of those angles by 30° .

Let $x, x, x+30^{\circ}$ be the angles of a triangle

We know that,

Sum of all angles in a triangle is 180°

$$x + x + x + 30^{\circ} = 180^{\circ}$$

$$3x + 30^{\circ} = 180^{\circ}$$

$$3x = 180^{\circ} - 30^{\circ}$$

$$3x = 150^{\circ}$$

$$x = 50^{\circ}$$

Therefore, the three angles are $50^{\circ}, 50^{\circ}, 80^{\circ}$.

Q6) If one angle of a triangle is equal to the sum of the other two, show that the triangle is a right angle triangle.

Solution:

If one angle of a triangle is equal to the sum of the other two angles

$$\Rightarrow \angle B = \angle A + \angle C$$

In $\triangle ABC$,

Sum of all angles of a triangle is 180°

$$\Rightarrow \angle A + \angle B + \angle C = 180^{\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle B + \angle B = 180^{\circ} [\angle B = \angle A + \angle C]$$

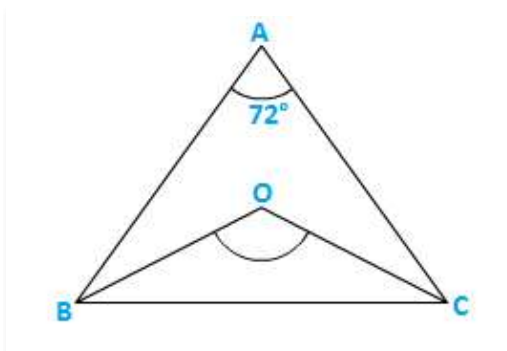
$$\Rightarrow 2\angle B = 180^{\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle B = \frac{180^{\circ}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle B = 90^{\circ}$$

Therefore, ABC is a right angled triangle.

Q7) ABC is a triangle in which $\angle A = 72^{\circ}$, the internal bisectors of angles B and C meet in O. Find the magnitude of $\angle BOC$.



Solution:

Given,

ABC is a triangle where $\angle A = 72^{\circ}$ and the internal bisector of angles B and C meeting O.

In $\triangle ABC$,

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

$$\Rightarrow 72^\circ + \angle B + \angle C = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle B + \angle C = 180^\circ - 72^\circ$$

Dividing both sides by '2'

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\angle B}{2} + \frac{\angle C}{2} = \frac{108^\circ}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle OBC + \angle OCB = 54^\circ$$

$$\text{Now, In } \triangle BOC \Rightarrow \angle OBC + \angle OCB + \angle BOC = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 54^\circ + \angle BOC = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BOC = 180^\circ - 54^\circ = 126^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle BOC = 126^\circ$$

Q8) The bisectors of base angles of a triangle cannot enclose a right angle in any case.

Solution:

In $\triangle XYZ$,

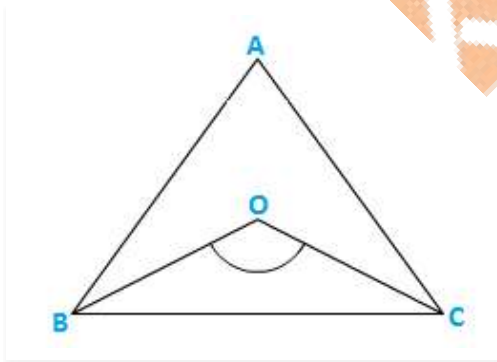
Sum of all angles of a triangle is 180°

$$\text{i.e., } \angle X + \angle Y + \angle Z = 180^\circ$$

Dividing both sides by '2'

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}\angle X + \frac{1}{2}\angle Y + \frac{1}{2}\angle Z = 90^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}\angle X + \angle OYZ + \angle OYZ = 90^\circ \quad [\because OY, OZ, \angle Y \text{ and } \angle Z]$$



$$\Rightarrow \angle OYZ + \angle OZY = 90^\circ - \frac{1}{2}\angle X$$

Now in $\triangle YOZ$

$$\therefore \angle YOZ + \angle OYZ + \angle OZY = 180^\circ$$

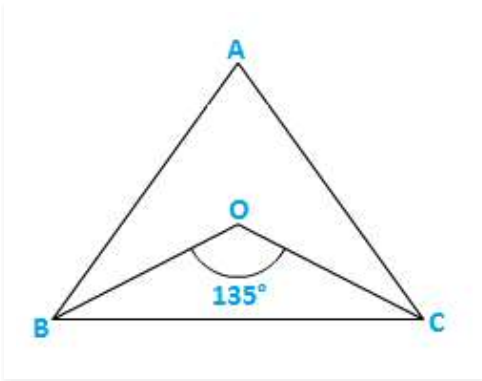
$$\Rightarrow \angle YOZ + 90^\circ - \frac{1}{2}\angle X = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle YOZ = 90^\circ - \frac{1}{2}\angle X$$

Therefore, the bisectors of a base angle cannot enclosure right angle.

Q9) If the bisectors of the base angles of a triangle enclose an angle of 135° , prove that the triangle is a right angle.

Solution:



Given the bisectors of the base angles of a triangle enclose an angle of 135°

$$\text{i.e., } \angle BOC = 135^{\circ}$$

But, We know that

$$\angle BOC = 90^{\circ} + \frac{1}{2}\angle A$$

$$\Rightarrow 135^{\circ} = 90^{\circ} + \frac{1}{2}\angle A$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}\angle A = 135^{\circ} - 90^{\circ}$$

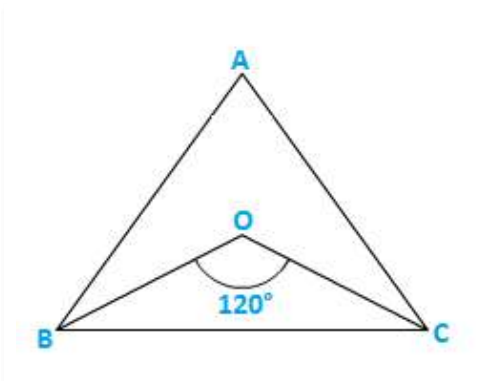
$$\Rightarrow \angle A = 45^{\circ}(2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle A = 90^{\circ}$$

Therefore, $\triangle ABC$ is a right angle triangle that is right angled at A.

Q10) In a $\triangle ABC$, $\angle ABC = \angle ACB$ and the bisectors of $\angle ABC$ and $\angle ACB$ intersect at O such that $\angle BOC = 120^{\circ}$. Show that $\angle A = \angle B = \angle C = 60^{\circ}$.

Solution:



Given,

In $\triangle ABC$,

$$\angle ABC = \angle ACB$$

Dividing both sides by '2'

$$\frac{1}{2}\angle ABC = \frac{1}{2}\angle ACB$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle OBC = \angle OCB \quad [\because OB, OC \text{ bisects } \angle B \text{ and } \angle C]$$

Now,

$$\angle BOC = 90^\circ + \frac{1}{2}\angle A$$

$$\Rightarrow 120^\circ - 90^\circ = \frac{1}{2}\angle A$$

$$\Rightarrow 30^\circ * (2) = \angle A$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle A = 60^\circ$$

Now in $\triangle ABC$

$$\angle A + \angle ABC + \angle ACB = 180^\circ \quad (\text{Sum of all angles of a triangle})$$

$$\Rightarrow 60^\circ + 2\angle ABC = 180^\circ \quad [\because \angle ABC = \angle ACB]$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\angle ABC = 180^\circ - 60^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ABC = \frac{120^\circ}{2} = 60^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ABC = \angle ACB$$

$$\therefore \angle ACB = 60^\circ$$

Hence Proved.

Q11) Can a triangle have:

- (i) Two right angles?
- (ii) Two obtuse angles?
- (iii) Two acute angles?
- (iv) All angles more than 60° ?
- (v) All angles less than 60° ?
- (vi) All angles equal to 60° ?

Justify your answer in each case.

Sol:

(i) No,

Two right angles would up to 180° . So the third angle becomes zero. This is not possible, so a triangle cannot have two right angles. [Since sum of angles in a triangle is 180°]

(ii) No,

A triangle can't have 2 obtuse angles. Obtuse angle means more than 90° So that the sum of the two sides will exceed 180° which is not possible. As the sum of all three angles of a triangle is 180° .

(iii) Yes

A triangle can have 2 acute angles. Acute angle means less the 90° angle.

(iv) No

Having angles more than 60° make that sum more than 180° . This is not possible. [Since the sum of all the internal angles of a triangle is 180°]

(v) No

Having all angles less than 60° will make that sum less than 180° which is not possible. [Therefore, the sum of all the internal angles of a triangle is 180°]

(vi) Yes

A triangle can have three angles equal to 60° . Then the sum of three angles equal to the 180° . Such triangles are called as equilateral triangle. [Since, the sum of all the internal angles of a triangle is 180°]

Q12) If each angle of a triangle is less than the sum of the other two, show that the triangle is acute angled.

Solution

Given each angle of a triangle less than the sum of the other two

$$\therefore \angle X + \angle Y + \angle Z$$

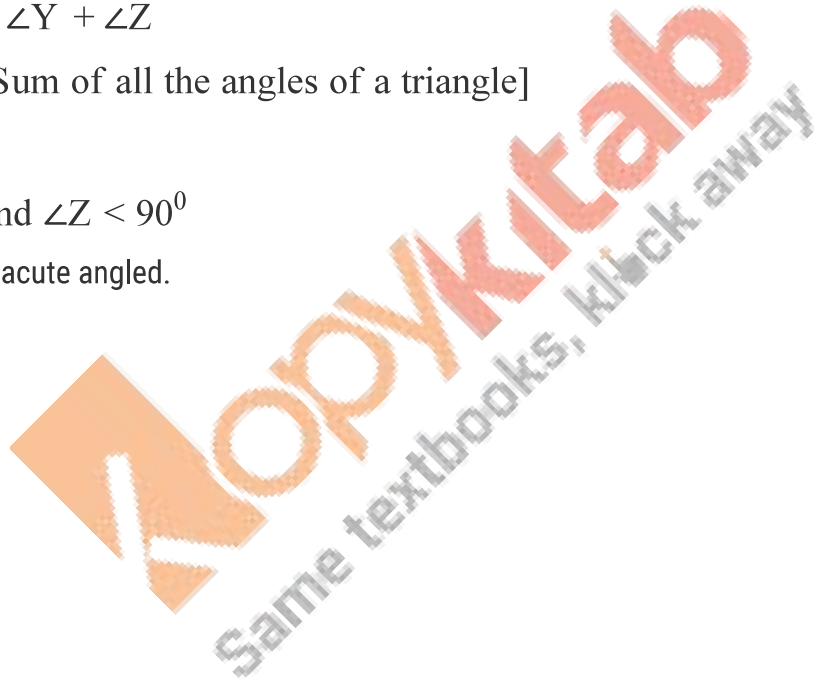
$$\Rightarrow \angle X + \angle X < \angle X + \angle Y + \angle Z$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\angle X < 180^{\circ} \quad [\text{Sum of all the angles of a triangle}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle X < 90^{\circ}$$

Similarly $\angle Y < 90^{\circ}$ and $\angle Z < 90^{\circ}$

Hence, the triangles are acute angled.



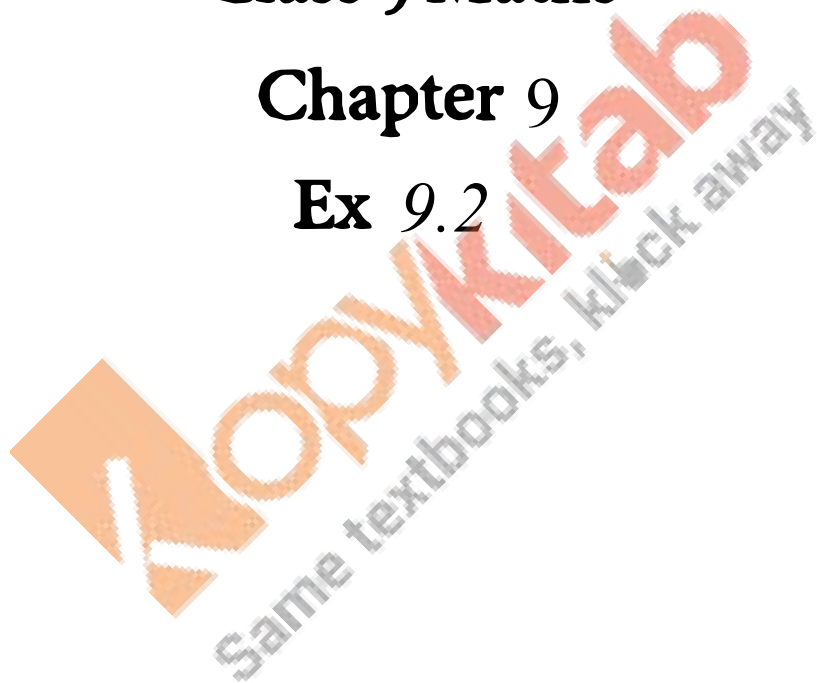
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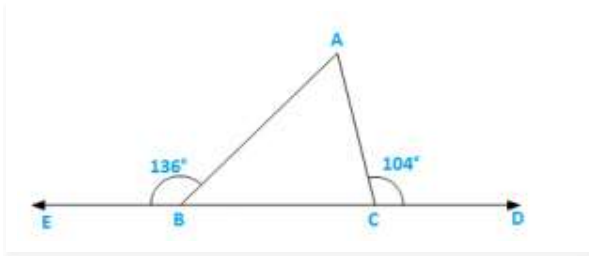
Chapter 9

Ex 9.2



Q1) The exterior angles, obtained on producing the base of a triangle both ways are 104° and 136° . Find all the angles of the triangle.

Solution:



$$\angle ACD = \angle ABC + \angle BAC \quad [\text{Exterior angle property}]$$

$$\text{Now } \angle ABC = 180^\circ - 136^\circ = 44^\circ \quad [\text{Linear pair}]$$

$$\angle ACB = 180^\circ - 104^\circ = 76^\circ \quad [\text{Linear pair}]$$

Now,

In $\triangle ABC$

$$\angle A + \angle ABC + \angle ACB = 180^\circ \quad [\text{Sum of all angles of a triangle}]$$

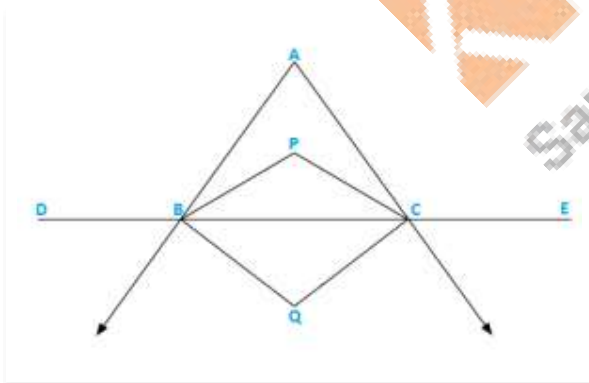
$$\Rightarrow \angle A + 44^\circ + 76^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle A = 180^\circ - 44^\circ - 76^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle A = 60^\circ$$

Q2) In a triangle ABC, the internal bisectors of $\angle B$ and $\angle C$ meet at P and the external bisectors of $\angle B$ and $\angle C$ meet at Q. Prove that $\angle BPC + \angle BQC = 180^\circ$.

Solution:



Let $\angle ABD = 2x$ and $\angle ACE = 2y$

$$\angle ABC = 180^\circ - 2x \quad [\text{Linear pair}]$$

$$\angle ACB = 180^\circ - 2y \quad [\text{Linear pair}]$$

$$\angle A + \angle ABC + \angle ACB = 180^\circ \quad [\text{Sum of all angles of a triangle}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle A + 180^\circ - 2x + 180^\circ - 2y = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow -\angle A + 2x + 2y = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x + y = 90^\circ + \frac{1}{2}\angle A$$

Now in $\triangle BQC$

$$x + y + \angle BQC = 180^\circ \quad [\text{Sum of all angles of a triangle}]$$

$$\Rightarrow 90^\circ + \frac{1}{2}\angle A + \angle BQC = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BQC = 90^\circ - \frac{1}{2}\angle A \dots (i)$$

$$\text{and we know that } \angle BPC = 90^\circ + \frac{1}{2}\angle A \dots (ii)$$

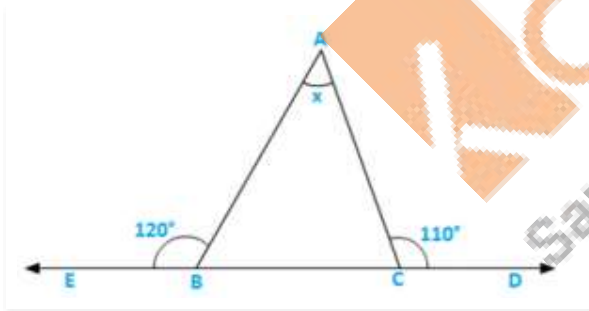
Adding (i) and (ii) we get

$$\angle BPC + \angle BQC = 180^\circ$$

Hence proved.

Q3) In figure 9.30, the sides BC, CA and AB of a triangle ABC have been produced to D, E and F respectively. If $\angle ACD = 105^\circ$ and $\angle EAF = 45^\circ$, find all the angles of the triangle ABC.

Solution:



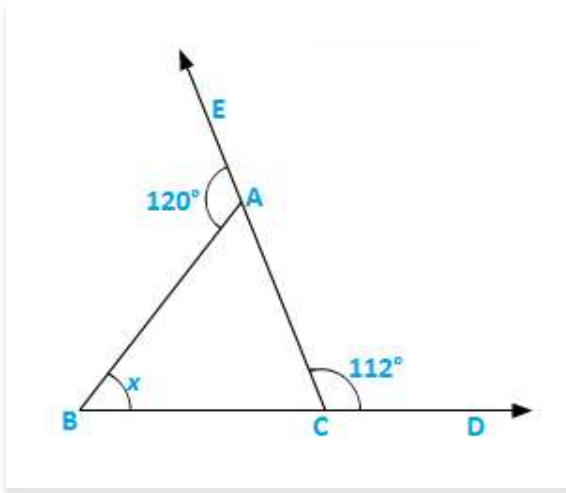
$$\angle BAC = \angle EAF = 45^\circ \quad [\text{Vertically opposite angles}]$$

$$\angle ABC = 105^\circ - 45^\circ = 60^\circ \quad [\text{Exterior angle property}]$$

$$\angle ACB = 180^\circ - 105^\circ = 75^\circ \quad [\text{Linear pair}]$$

Q4) Compute the value of x in each of the following figures:

(i)



Solution:

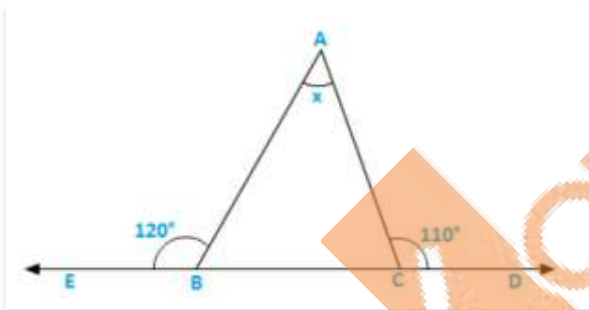
$$\angle BAC = 180^{\circ} - 120^{\circ} = 60^{\circ} \quad [\text{Linear pair}]$$

$$\angle ACB = 180^{\circ} - 112^{\circ} = 68^{\circ} \quad [\text{Linear pair}]$$

$$\therefore x = 180^{\circ} - \angle BAC - \angle ACB = 180^{\circ} - 60^{\circ} - 68^{\circ} = 52^{\circ}$$

[Sum of all angles of a triangle]

(ii)



Solution:

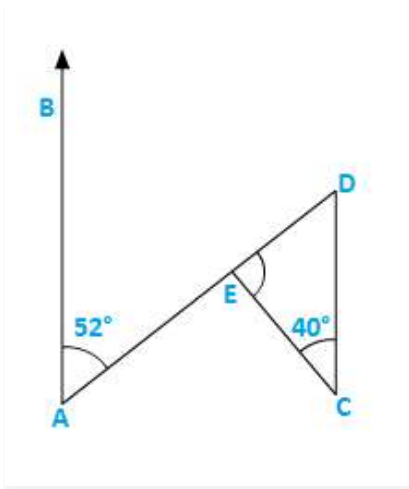
$$\angle ABC = 180^{\circ} - 120^{\circ} = 60^{\circ} \quad [\text{Linear pair}]$$

$$\angle ACB = 180^{\circ} - 110^{\circ} = 70^{\circ} \quad [\text{Linear pair}]$$

$$\therefore \angle BAC = x = 180^{\circ} - \angle ABC - \angle ACB$$

$$= 180^{\circ} - 60^{\circ} - 70^{\circ} = 50^{\circ} \quad [\text{Sum of all angles of a triangle}]$$

(iii)



Solution:

$$\angle BAE = \angle EDC = 52^{\circ} \quad [\text{Alternate angles}]$$

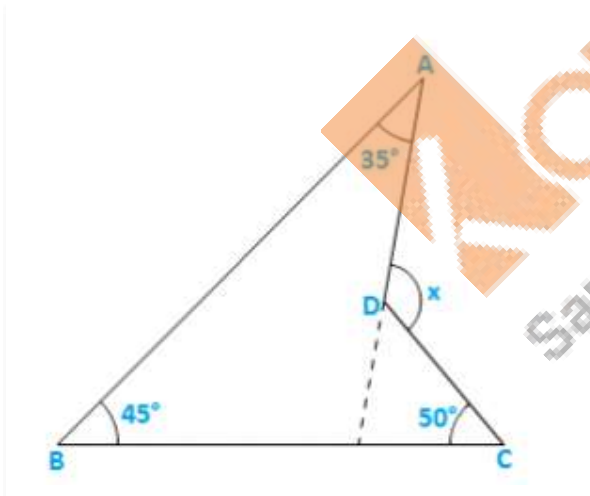
$$\therefore \angle DEC = x = 180^{\circ} - 40^{\circ} - \angle EDC$$

$$= 180^{\circ} - 40^{\circ} - 52^{\circ}$$

$$= 180^{\circ} - 92^{\circ}$$

$$= 88^{\circ} \quad [\text{Sum of all angles of a triangle}]$$

(iv)



Solution:

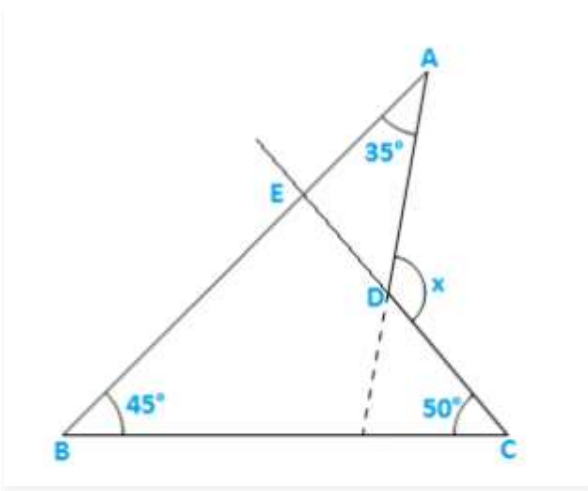
CD is produced to meet AB at E.

$$\angle BEC = 180^{\circ} - 45^{\circ} - 50^{\circ}$$

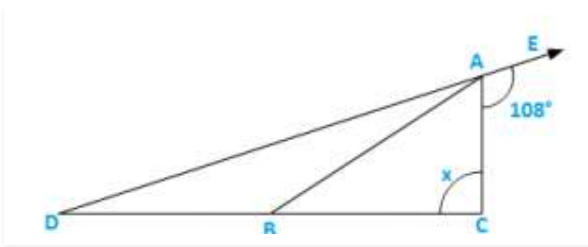
$$= 85^{\circ} \quad [\text{Sum of all angles of a triangle}]$$

$$\angle AEC = 180^{\circ} - 85^{\circ} = 95^{\circ} \quad [\text{Linear pair}]$$

$$\therefore x = 95^{\circ} + 35^{\circ} = 130^{\circ} \quad [\text{Exterior angle property}]$$



Q5) In figure 9.35, AB divides $\angle DAC$ in the ratio 1 : 3 and $AB = DB$. Determine the value of x .



Solution:

$$\text{Let } \angle BAD = Z, \angle BAC = 3Z$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BDA = \angle BAD = Z \quad (\because AB = DB)$$

$$\text{Now } \angle BAD + \angle BAC + 108^\circ = 180^\circ \quad [\text{Linear pair}]$$

$$\Rightarrow Z + 3Z + 108^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 4Z = 72^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow Z = 18^\circ$$

Now, In $\triangle ADC$

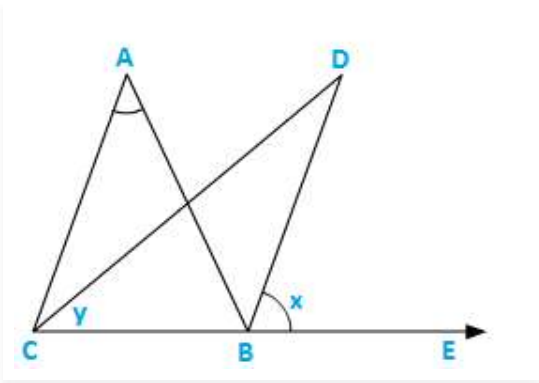
$$\angle ADC + \angle ACD = 108^\circ \quad [\text{Exterior angle property}]$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 18^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 90^\circ$$

Q6) ABC is a triangle. The bisector of the exterior angle at B and the bisector of $\angle C$ intersect each other at D . Prove that $\angle D = \frac{1}{2} \angle A$.

Solution:



Let $\angle ABE = 2x$ and $\angle ACB = 2y$

$\angle ABC = 180^\circ - 2x$ [Linear pair]

$\therefore \angle A = 180^\circ - \angle ABC - \angle ACB$ [Angle sum property]

$$= 180^\circ - 180^\circ + 2x + 2y$$

$$= 2(x + y) \quad \dots \dots (i)$$

Now, $\angle D = 180^\circ - \angle DBC - \angle DCB$

$$\Rightarrow \angle D = 180^\circ - (x + 180^\circ - 2x) - y$$

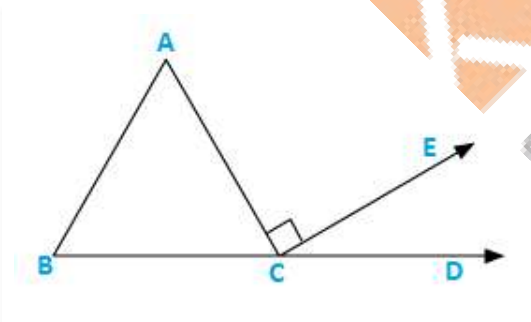
$$\Rightarrow \angle D = 180^\circ - x - 180^\circ + 2x - y$$

$$= (x - y)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \angle A \quad \dots \dots \text{from (i)}$$

Hence, $\angle D = \frac{1}{2} \angle A$

Q7) In figure 9.36, $AC \perp CE$ and $\angle A : \angle B : \angle C = 3 : 2 : 1$, find



Solution:

$$\angle A : \angle B : \angle C = 3 : 2 : 1$$

Let the angles be $3x$, $2x$ and x

$$\Rightarrow 3x + 2x + x = 180^{\circ} \quad [\text{Angle sum property}]$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x = 180^{\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 30^{\circ} = \angle ACB$$

$$\therefore \angle ECD = 180^{\circ} - \angle ACB - 90^{\circ} \quad [\text{Linear pair}]$$

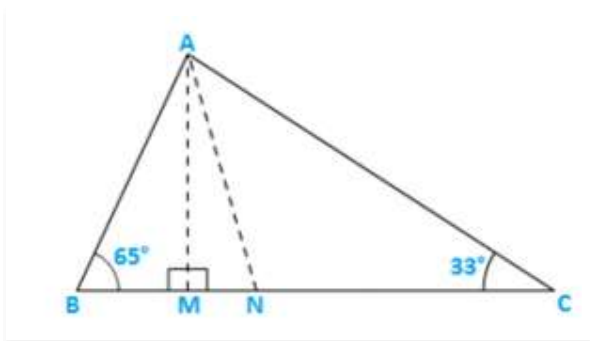
$$= 180^{\circ} - 30^{\circ} - 90^{\circ}$$

$$= 60^{\circ}$$

$$\therefore \angle ECD = 60^{\circ}$$

Q8) In figure 9.37,

$AM \perp BC$ and AN is the bisector of $\angle A$. If $\angle B = 65^{\circ}$ and $\angle C = 33^{\circ}$, find $\angle MAN$..



Solution:

$$\text{Let } \angle BAN = \angle NAC = x \quad [\because AN \text{ bisects } \angle A]$$

$$\therefore \angle ANM = x + 33^{\circ} \quad [\text{Exterior angle property}]$$

In $\triangle AMB$

$$\angle BAM = 90^{\circ} - 65^{\circ} = 25^{\circ} \quad [\text{Exterior angle property}]$$

$$\therefore \angle MAN = \angle BAN - \angle BAM = (x - 25)^{\circ}$$

Now in $\triangle MAN$,

$$(x - 25)^{\circ} + (x + 33)^{\circ} + 90^{\circ} = 180^{\circ} \quad [\text{Angle sum property}]$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + 8^{\circ} = 90^{\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 82^{\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 41^{\circ}$$

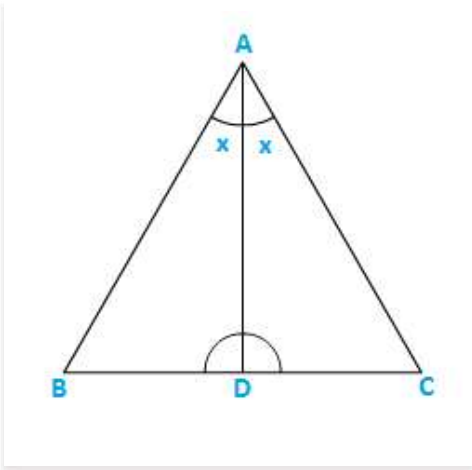
$$\therefore \angle MAN = x - 25^{\circ}$$

$$= 41^{\circ} - 25^{\circ}$$

$$= 16^{\circ}$$

Q9) In a triangle ABC, AD bisects $\angle A$ and $\angle C > \angle B$. Prove that $\angle ADB > \angle ADC$..

Solution:



$$\because \angle C > \angle B \quad \text{[Given]}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle C + x > \angle B + x \quad \text{[Adding } x \text{ on both sides]}$$

$$\Rightarrow 180^\circ - \angle ADC > 180^\circ - \angle ADB$$

$$\Rightarrow -\angle ADC > -\angle ADB$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ADB > \angle ADC$$

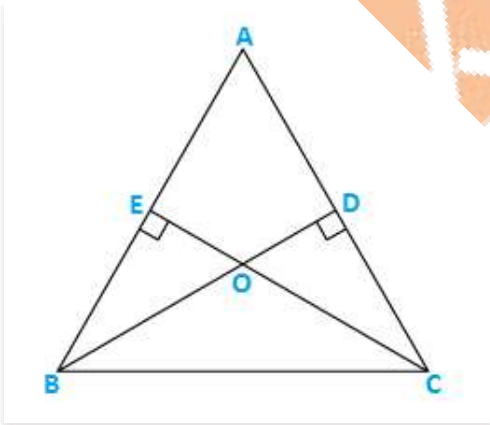
Hence proved.

Q10) In triangle ABC,

$BD \perp AC$ and $CE \perp AB$. If BD and CE intersect at O , prove that $\angle BOC = 180^\circ - \angle A$

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Solution:



In quadrilateral AEOD

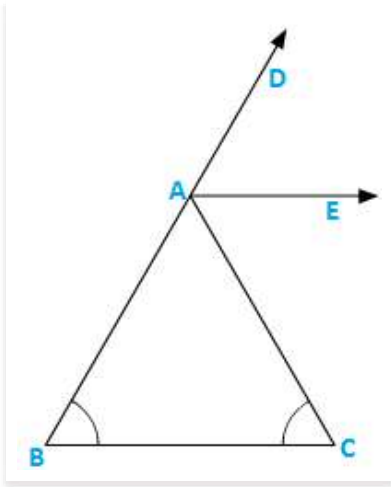
$$\angle A + \angle AEO + \angle EOD + \angle ADO = 360^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle A + 90^\circ + 90^\circ + \angle EOD = 360^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle A + \angle BOC = 180^\circ \quad [\because \angle EOD = \angle BOC \text{ vertically opposite angles}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BOC = 180^\circ - \angle A$$

Q11) In figure 9.38, AE bisects $\angle CAD$ and $\angle B = \angle C$. Prove that $AE \parallel BC$.



Solution:

$$\text{Let } \angle B = \angle C = x$$

Then,

$$\angle CAD = \angle B + \angle C = 2x \quad (\text{exterior angle})$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \angle CAD = x$$

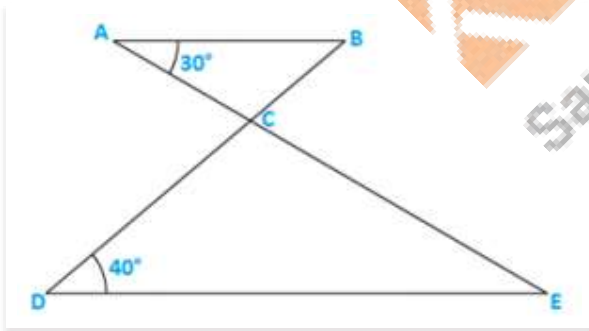
$$\Rightarrow \angle EAC = x$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle EAC = \angle C$$

These are alternate interior angles for the lines AE and BC

$\therefore AE \parallel BC$

Q12) In figure 9.39, $AB \parallel DE$. Find $\angle ACD$.



Solution:

Since $AB \parallel DE$

$$\therefore \angle ABC = \angle CDE = 40^{\circ} \quad [\text{Alternate angles}]$$

$$\therefore \angle ACB = 180^{\circ} - \angle ABC - \angle BAC$$

$$= 180^{\circ} - 40^{\circ} - 30^{\circ}$$

$$= 110^{\circ}$$

$$\therefore \angle ACD = 180^{\circ} - 110^{\circ} \quad [\text{Linear pair}]$$

$$= 70^{\circ}$$

Q13) . Which of the following statements are true (T) and which are false (F) :

(i) Sum of the three angles of a triangle is 180° .

(ii) A triangle can have two right angles.

(iii) All the angles of a triangle can be less than 60° .

(iv) All the angles of a triangle can be greater than 60° .

(v) All the angles of a triangle can be equal to 60° .

(vi) A triangle can have two obtuse angles.

(vii) A triangle can have at most one obtuse angles.

(viii) If one angle of a triangle is obtuse, then it cannot be a right angled triangle.

(ix) An exterior angle of a triangle is less than either of its interior opposite angles.

(x) An exterior angle of a triangle is equal to the sum of the two interior opposite angles.

(xi) An exterior angle of a triangle is greater than the opposite interior angles.

Solution:

(i) T

(ii) F

(iii) F

(iv) F

(v) T

(vi) F

(vii) T

(viii) T

(ix) F

(x) T

(xi) T

Q14) Fill in the blanks to make the following statements true:

(i) Sum of the angles of a triangle is _____ .

(ii) An exterior angle of a triangle is equal to the two _____ opposite angles.

(iii) An exterior angle of a triangle is always _____ than either of the interior opposite angles.

(iv) A triangle cannot have more than _____ right angles.

(v) A triangles cannot have more than _____ obtuse angles.

Solution:

(i) 180°

(ii) Interior

(iii) Greater

(iv) One

(v) One

