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### Areas of Parallelograms and Triangles

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1. The median of a triangle divides it into two

A. triangles of equal area

B. congruent triangles

C. right angled triangles

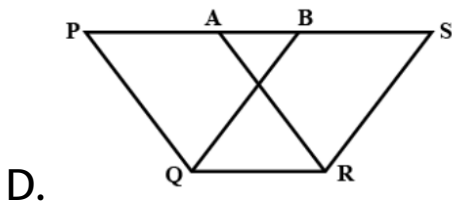
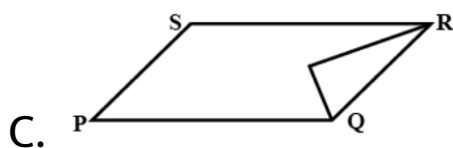
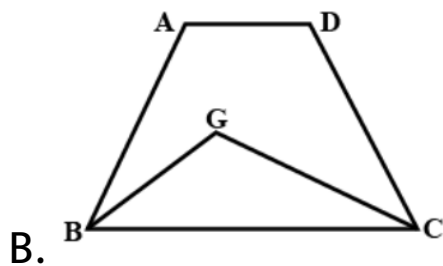
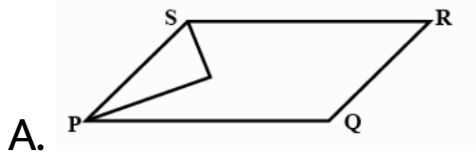
D. isosceles triangles

**Answer: A**



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2. In which of the following figures, you find two polygons on the same base and between the same parallels?



**Answer: D**



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3. The figure obtained by joining the mid-points of the adjacent sides of a rectangle of sides 8 cm and 6 cm, is

A. a rectangle of area  $24\text{cm}^2$

B. a square of area  $25\text{cm}^2$

C. a trapezium of area  $24\text{cm}^2$

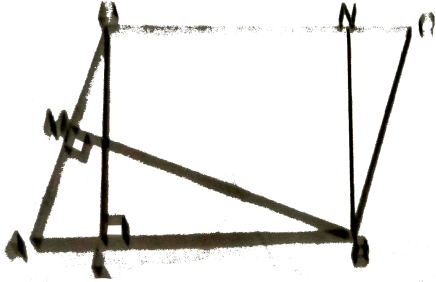
D. a rhombus of area  $24\text{cm}^2$

**Answer: C**



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4. In the figure, the area of parallelogram ABCD is



A.  $AB \times BM$

B.  $BC \times BN$

C.  $DC \times DL$

D.  $AD \times DL$

**Answer: C**



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5. In figure, if parallelogram  $ABCD$  and rectangle  $ABEM$  are of equal area, then



A. perimeter of  $ABCD$  = perimeter of  $ABEM$

B. perimeter of  $ABCD$  < perimeter of  
 $ABEM$

C. perimeter of  $ABCD$  > perimeter of  
 $ABEM$

D. perimeter of  $ABCD = \frac{1}{2}$  (perimeter of ABEM)

**Answer: C**



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6. The mid-point of the sides of triangle along with any of the vertices as the fourth point make a parallelogram of area equal to

A.  $\frac{1}{2}ar(ABC)$

B.  $\frac{1}{3}ar(ABC)$

C.  $2ar(ABC)$

D.  $ar(ABC)$

**Answer: A**



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7. Two parallelograms are on equal bases and between the same parallels.

The ratio of their areas is



A. 1 : 2

B. 1 : 1

C. 2 : 1

D. 3 : 1

**Answer: B**



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**8.** ABCD is a quadrilateral whose diagonal AC divides it into two parts, equal in area, then ABCD

A. is a rectangle

B. is always is rhombus

C. is a parallelogram

D. need not be any of (a), (b) or (c)

**Answer: C**



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**9.** If a triangle and a parallelogram are on the same base and between same parallels, then

the ratio of the area of the triangle to the area of parallelogram is

A. 1 : 3

B. 2 : 1

C. 3 : 1

D. 1 : 4

**Answer: B**



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10. In a trapezium ABCD,  $AB \parallel DC$ ,  $AB = a$  cm, and  $DC = b$  cm. If M and N are the midpoints of the nonparallel sides, AD and BC respectively then find the ratio of  $\text{ar}(\text{DCNM})$  and  $\text{ar}(\text{MNBA})$ .

A.  $a : b$

B.  $(3a + b) : (a + 3b)$

C.  $(a + 3b) : (3a + b)$

D.  $(2a + b) : (3a + b)$

**Answer: B**



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11. ABCD is a parallelogram and X is the midpoint of AB.  $(AXCD) = 24\text{cm}^2$ , then  $ar(ABC) = 24\text{cm}^2$ .



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12. PQRS is a rectangle inscribed in a quadrant of a circle of radius 13 cm and A is any point on PQ. If PS = 5 cm, then  $ar(\Delta PAS) =$  .

A.  $32.5\text{cm}^2$

B.  $30\text{cm}^2$

C.  $35\text{cm}^2$

D.  $12.5\text{cm}^2$

**Answer: D**



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**13.** PQRS is a parallelogram whose area is  $180\text{cm}^2$  and A is any point on the diagonal QS.

The area of  $\triangle ASR$ ?

A. Equal to  $90\text{cm}^2$

B. Greater than  $90\text{cm}^2$

C. Less than  $90\text{cm}^2$

D. None of these

**Answer: C**



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**14.** ABC and BDE are two equilateral triangles such that D is the mid-point of BC. Then,

$$ar(\triangle BDE) = \frac{1}{2}ar(\triangle ABC).$$

A. True

B. False

C. Partially true

D. None of these

**Answer: A**

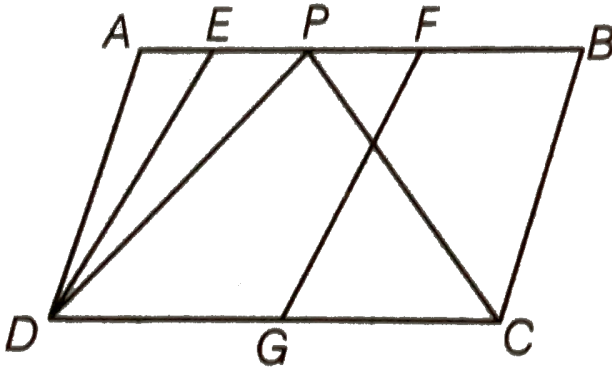


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**15.** In the figure, ABCD and EFGD are two parallelograms and G is the mid-point of CD.



Then,  $ar(\triangle DPC) = ar(EFGD)$ .

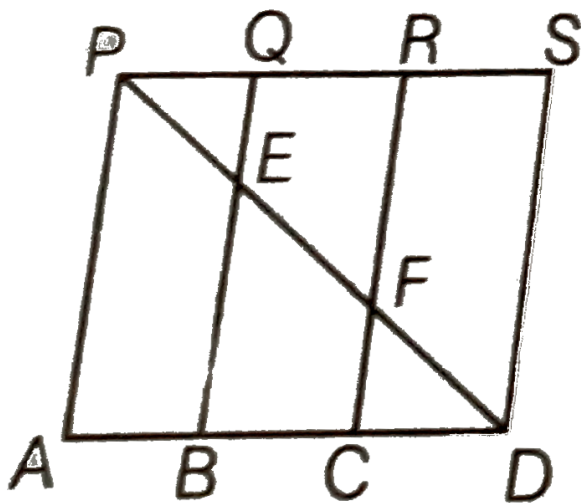


- A. True
- B. False
- C. Partially true
- D. None of these

**Answer: A**

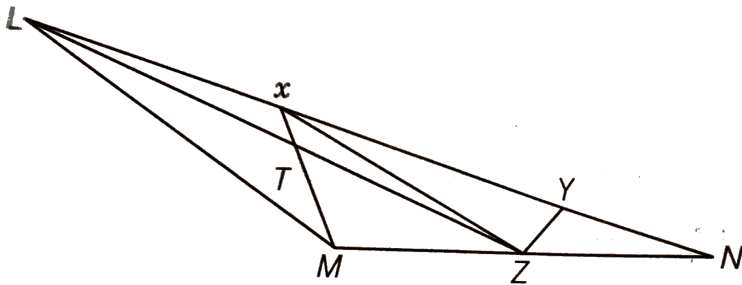


16. In the figure, PSDA is a parallelogram. Points Q and R are taken on PS such that  $PQ = QR = RS$  and  $PA \parallel QB \parallel RC$ . Prove that  $ar(PQE) = ar(CFD)$ .



17. X and Y are points on the side LN of the triangle LMN such that  $LX = XY = YN$ . Through X, a line is drawn parallel to LM to meet MN at Z (see figure). Prove that

$$ar(\triangle LZY) = ar(\triangle MZYX).$$

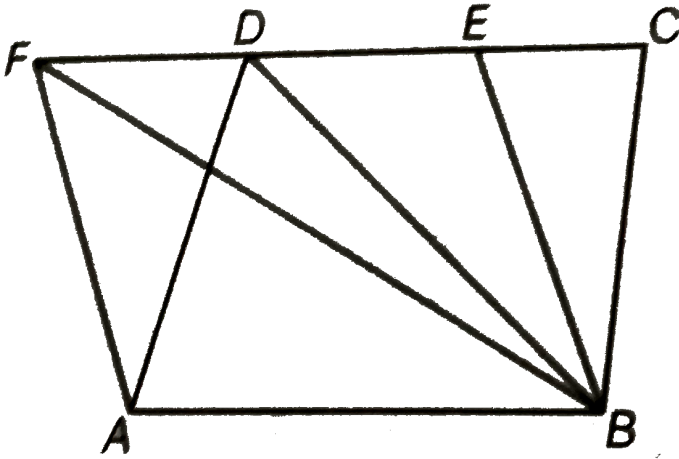


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18. The area of the parallelogram ABCD is  $90\text{CM}^2$ . Find

(i) ar (ABEF) (ii) ar ( $\Delta ABD$ )

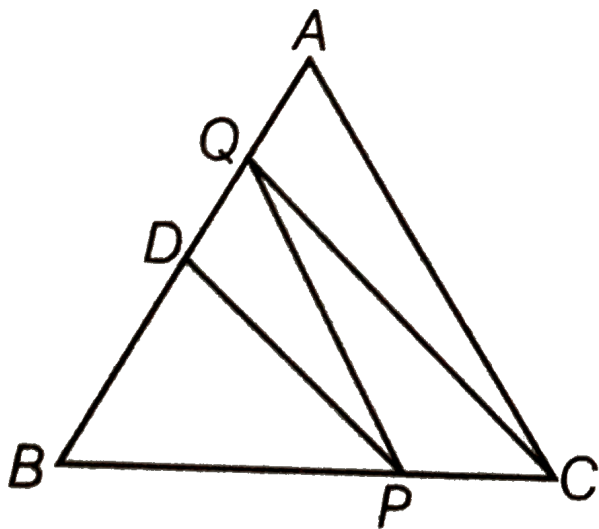
(iii) ar ( $\Delta BEF$ )



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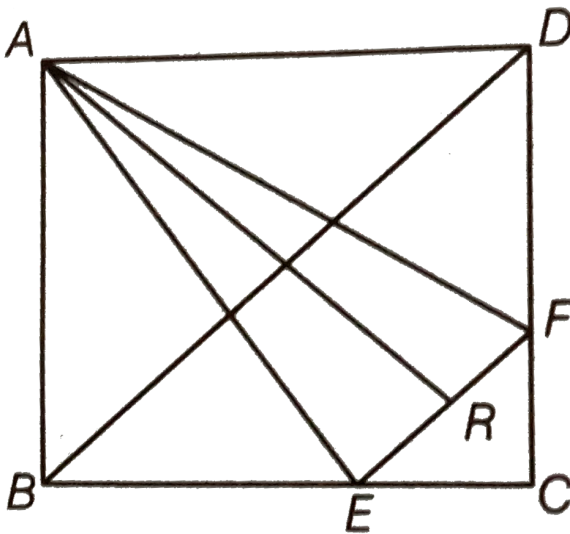
19. In  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $D$  is the mid-point of  $AB$  and  $P$  is any point on  $BC$ . If  $CQ \parallel PD$  meets  $AB$  and  $Q$  (shown in figure), then prove that

$$ar(\triangle BPQ) = \frac{1}{2}ar(\triangle ABC).$$



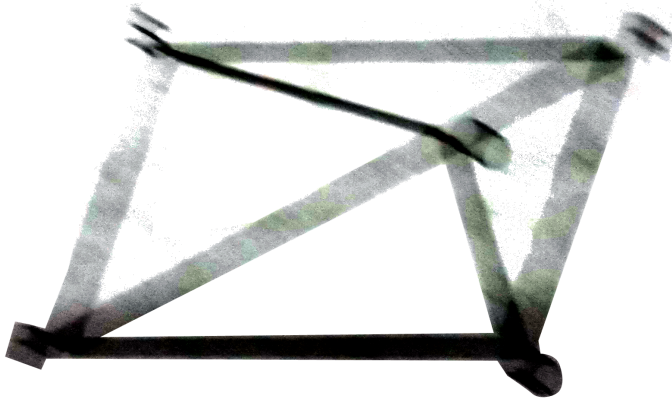
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20. ABCD is a square. E and F are respectively the mid-points of BC and CD. If R is the mid-point of EF, prove that  $ar(\triangle AER) = ar(\triangle AFR)$ .



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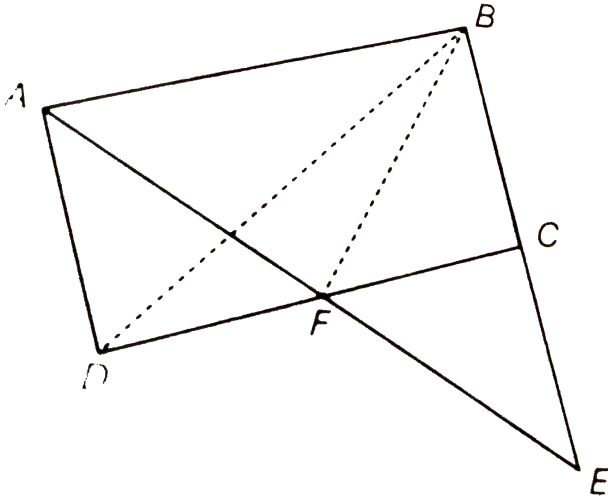
21. O is any point on the diagonal PR of a parallelogram PQRS (figure). Prove that  $ar(\Delta PSO) = ar(\Delta PQO)$ .



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22. ABCD is a parallelogram in which BC is produced to E such that CE = BC. AE intersects

CD at F.



If  $ar(\triangle DFB) = 3\text{cm}^2$ , then find the area of the parallelogram ABCD.

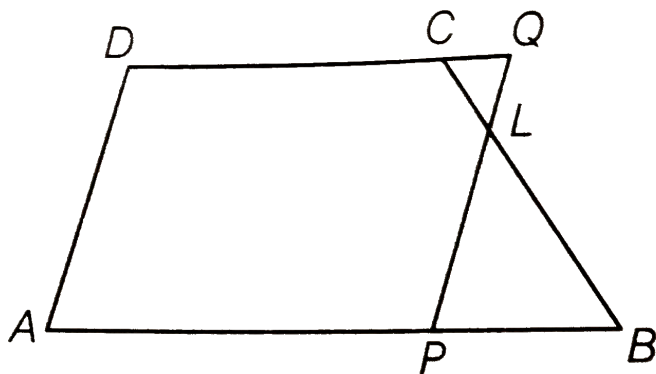


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**23.** In trapezium ABCD,  $AB \parallel DC$  and L is the mid-point of BC. Through L, a line



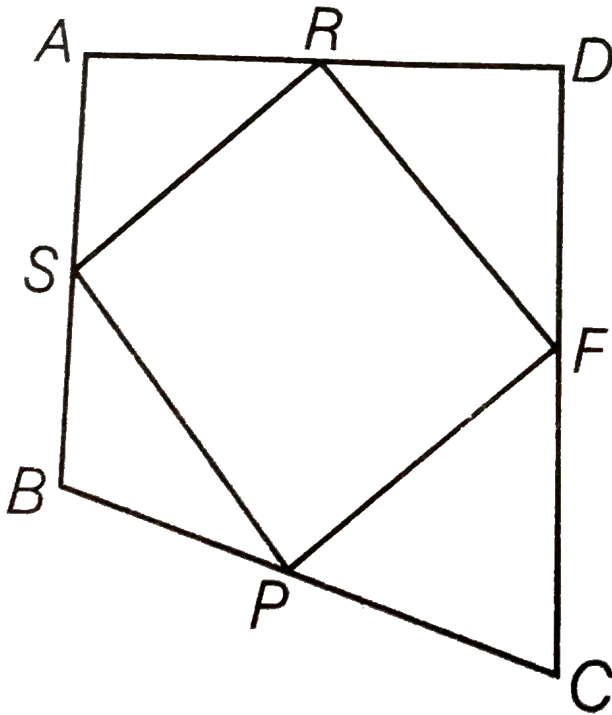
$PQ \parallel AD$  has been drawn which meets  $AB$  in  $P$  and  $DC$  produced in  $Q$ . Prove that  $\text{ar}(ABCD) = \text{ar}(APQD)$ .



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**24.** If the mid-points of the sides of a quadrilateral are joined in order, prove that

the area of the parallelogram, so formed will be half of the area of the given quadrilateral (figure).



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**25.** A point E is taken on the side BC of a parallelogram ABCD. AE and DC are produced to meet at F. Prove that  $ar(\Delta ADF) = ar(ABFC)$ .



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**26.** The diagonals of a parallelogram ABCD intersect at a point O. Through O, a line is drawn to intersect AD at P and BC at Q. Show

that  $PQ$  divides the parallelogram into two parts of equal area.



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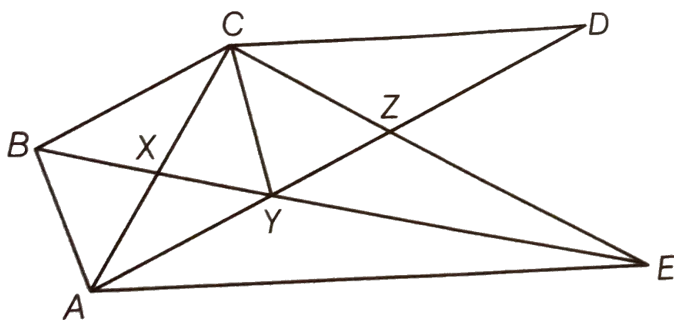
**27.** The median  $BE$  and  $CF$  of a triangle  $ABC$  intersect at  $G$ . Prove that the area of  $\triangle GBC =$  area of the quadrilateral  $AFGE$ .



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28. In figure,  $CD \parallel AE$  and  $CY \parallel BA$ .

Prove that  $ar(\triangle CBX) = ar(\triangle AXY)$ .



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29. ABCD is trapezium in which  $AB \parallel DC$ ,

$DC = 30$  cm and  $AB = 50$  cm. If X and Y are,

respectively the mid-points of AD and BC,

prove that

$$ar(DCYX) = \frac{7}{9}ar(XYBA).$$



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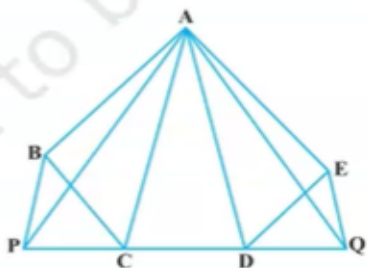
**30.** In  $\triangle ABC$ , if  $L$  and  $M$  are the points on  $AB$  and  $AC$ , respectively such that  $LM \parallel BC$ .

Prove that  $ar(\triangle LOB) = ar(\triangle MOC)$ .



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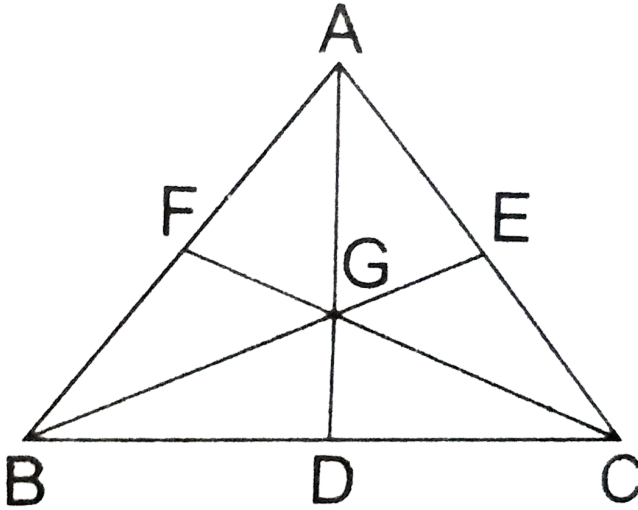
**31.** In figure,  $ABCDE$  is any pentagon.  $BP$  drawn parallel to  $AC$  meets  $DC$  produced at  $P$  and  $EQ$  drawn parallel to  $AD$  meets  $CD$  produced at  $Q$ . Prove that  $ar(ABCDE) = ar(\triangle APQ)$ .



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**32.** If the medians of a  $\triangle ABC$  intersect at  $G$ , show that

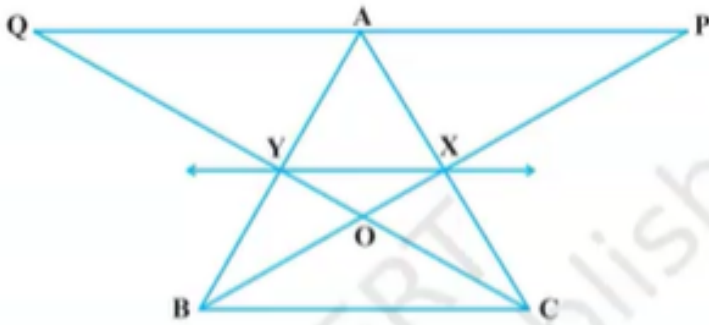
$$\begin{aligned} \text{ar}(\triangle AGB) &= \text{ar}(\triangle AGC) = \text{ar}(\triangle BGC) \\ &= \frac{1}{3}\text{ar}(\triangle ABC). \end{aligned}$$



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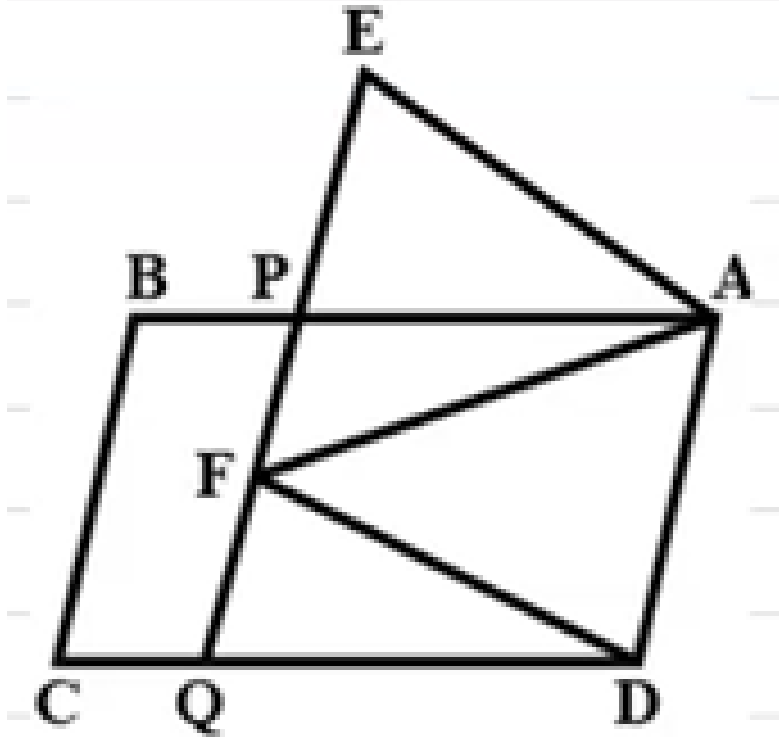
**33.** In figure X and Y are the mid-points of AC and AB respectively,  $QP \parallel BC$  and CYQ and BXP are straight lines. Prove that  $ar(\triangle ABP) = ar(\triangle ACQ)$ .



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34. In figure, ABCD and AEFD are two parallelograms. Prove that

$$ar(\triangle PEA) = ar(\triangle QFD).$$



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