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## Questions

1. In the given figure, $\triangle A B C$ is similar to $\triangle D E F, A B=(x-0.5) \mathrm{cm}$, $A C=1.5 x \mathrm{~cm}, D E=9 \mathrm{~cm}$, and $D F=3 x \mathrm{~cm}$. Find the lengths of AB and $D$.


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2. In the given figure, $\mathrm{AP}=8 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{BP}=22 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{AQ}=12 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $\mathrm{QC}=8 \mathrm{~cm}$


Show that $\triangle A P Q$ is similar to $\triangle A C B$.

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3. In the given figure, $\mathrm{AP}=8 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{BP}=22 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{AQ}=12 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $\mathrm{QC}=8 \mathrm{~cm}$


If $P Q=14 \mathrm{~cm}$, find $B C$.

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4. Theorem 6.7 : If a perpendicular is drawn from the vertex of the right angle of a right triangle to the hypotenuse then triangles on both sides of the perpendicular are similar to the whole triangle and to each other.

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5. In the given figure, lines I and m are parallel. Three concurrent lines through point $O$ meet line $I$ at points $A, B$ and $C$, and line $m$ at points $P, Q$ and R as shown. Prove that : $\frac{A B}{B C}=\frac{Q R}{P Q}$


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6. In the figure, given alongside, $\angle Q P S=\angle R P T$
and $\angle P R Q=\angle P T S$.


Prove that triangles PQR and PST are similar.

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7. In the figure, given alongside, $\angle Q P S=\angle R P T$ and $\angle P R Q=\angle P T S$.


If PT : $\mathrm{ST}=3: 4$, find the ratio between $\mathrm{QR}: \operatorname{PR}$.
8. In the given figure, $A B$ and $D E$ are perpendiculars to $B C$. If $A B=9 \mathrm{~cm}, D E$
$=3 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $\mathrm{AC}=24 \mathrm{~cm}$, calculate AD .


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9. In the adjoining figure, $A B C$ is a triangle right-angled at vertex $A$ and $A D$ is altitude.


Prove that : $\triangle A B D$ is similar to $\triangle C A D$.

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10. In the adjoining figure, $A B C$ is a triangle right-angled at vertex $A$ and
$A D$ is altitude.


If $B D=3.6 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $C D=6.4 \mathrm{~cm}$, find the length of $A D$.
11. In the adjoining figure, $D E / / B C$ and $D$ divides $A B$ in the ratio $2: 3$.

Find:

$\frac{A E}{E C}$
12. In the adjoining figure, $D E / / B C$ and $D$ divides $A B$ in the ratio 2:3.

Find :

$\frac{A E}{A C}$

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13. In the adjoining figure, $D E / / B C$ and $D$ divides $A B$ in the ratio 2:3.

Find $D E$, if $B C=7.5 \mathrm{~cm}$.


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14. In $\Delta A B C$, D and E are points on the sides AB and AC respectively. Find whether DE//BC, if :

$A D=3 \mathrm{~cm}, \quad B D=4.5 \mathrm{~cm}, A E=4 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A C=10 \mathrm{~cm}$

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15. In $\triangle A B C, \mathrm{D}$ and E are points on the sides AB and AC respectively. Find whether $D E / / B C$, if :


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A D=7 \mathrm{~cm}, \quad B D=45 \mathrm{~cm}, A E=35 \mathrm{~cm} \text { and } C E=56 \mathrm{~cm}
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16. In the given figure, $\mathrm{AB} / / \mathrm{EF} / / \mathrm{CD}$. Given that $\mathrm{AB}=7.5 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{EG}=2-5 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{GC}=$ 5 cm and $\mathrm{DC}=9 \mathrm{~cm}$. Calculate :


## EF

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17. In the given figure, $\mathrm{AB} / / \mathrm{EF} / / \mathrm{CD}$. Given that $\mathrm{AB}=7.5 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{EG}=2-5 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{GC}=$

5 cm and $\mathrm{DC}=9 \mathrm{~cm}$. Calculate :


AC.

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18. In the given figure, $D E / / B C$.


Prove that $\triangle A D E$ and $\triangle A B C$ are similar

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19. In the given figure, $D E / / B C$.


Given that $A D=\frac{1}{2} B D$, calculate $D E$, if $\mathrm{BC}=45 \mathrm{~cm}$.
Also, find $\frac{A r .(\triangle A D E)}{A r .(\triangle A B C)}$ and $\frac{A r .(\triangle A D E)}{A r .(\text { trapezium BCED })}$

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20. In the figure, given alongside, PB and QA are perpendiculars to the line segment AB . If $\mathrm{PO}=6 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{QO}=9 \mathrm{~cm}$ and area of $\triangle P O B-120 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$.

## find the area of $\triangle Q O A$.



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21. In the given figure, $D E$ is parallel to the base $B C$ of triangle $A B C$ and $A D: D B=5: 3$. Find the ratio :

$\frac{A D}{A B}$ and then $\frac{D E}{B C}$

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22. In the given figure, $D E$ is parallel to the base $B C$ of triangle $A B C$ and AD: $\mathrm{DB}=5: 4$. Find the ratio :


Area of $\triangle D E F$
Area of $\triangle B F C$

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23. In $\triangle A B C, \angle B=90^{\circ}, A B=12 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A C=15 \mathrm{~cm}$. D and E are points on AB and AC respectively such that $\angle A E D=90^{\circ}$ and $\mathrm{DE}=3 \mathrm{~cm}$.

Calculate the area of $\triangle A B C$ and then the area of $\triangle A D E$.


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24. A model of a ship is made to a scale of $1: 200$. If the length of the model is 4 m , calculate the length of the ship.
25. The scale of map is $1: 50,000$. In the map, a triangular plot ABC of land has the following dimensions :
$A B=2 \mathrm{~cm}, B C=3.5 \mathrm{~cm}$ and angle $A B C=90^{\circ}$.
Calculate : the actual length of side BC , in km , of the land.

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26. The scale of map is $1: 50,000$. In the map, a triangular plot $A B C$ of land has the following dimensions :
$A B=2 \mathrm{~cm}, B C=3-5 \mathrm{~cm}$ and angle $A B C=90^{\circ}$.
Calculate : the area of the plot in sq. km.

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27. A rectangular tank has length $=4 \mathrm{~m}$, width $=3 \mathrm{~m}$ and capacity $=30 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$.

A small model of the tank is made with capacity $240 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$. Find :
the dimensions of the model.
28. A rectangular tank has length $=4 \mathrm{~m}$, width $=3 \mathrm{~m}$ and capacity $=30 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$. A small model of the tank is made with capacity $240 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$. Find : the ratio between the total surface area of the tank and its model.

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## Exercise 15 A

1. In the figure, given below, straight lines $A B$ and $C D$ intersect at $P$, and $A C / / B D$. Prove that :

$\triangle A P C$ and $\triangle B P D$ are similar.
2. In the figure, given below, straight lines $A B$ and $C D$ intersect at $P$, and AC//BD.


If $\mathrm{BD}=2.4 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{AC}=3.6 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{PD}=4.0 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $\mathrm{PB}=3.2 \mathrm{~cm}$, find the lengths of PA and PC.

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3. In a trapezium $A B C D$, side $A B$ is parallel to side $D C$, and the diagonals $A C$ and BD intersect each other at point P. Prove that :
$\triangle A P B$ is similar to $\triangle C P D$.
4. In a trapezium $A B C D$, side $A B$ is parallel to side $D C$, and the diagonals AC and BD intersect each other at point P. Prove that :
$P A \times P D=P B \times P C$.

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5. $P$ is a point on side $B C$ of a parallelogram $A B C D$. If $D P$ produced meets $A B$ produced at point $L$, prove that :

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D P: P L=D C: B L
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6. $P$ is a point on side $B C$ of a parallelogram $A B C D$. If DP produced meets
$A B$ produced at point $L$, prove that :
$D L: D P=A L: D C$
7. In quadrilateral $A B C D$, the diagonals $A C$ and $B D$ intersect each other at point 0 .

If $A O=2 C O$ and $B O=2 D O$, show that:
$\triangle A O B$ is similar to $\triangle C O D$.

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8. In quadrilateral $A B C D$, the diagonals $A C$ and $B D$ intersect each other at point 0.

If $A O=2 C O$ and $B O=2 D O$, show that:
$O A \times O D=O B \times O C$.

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9. In $\triangle A B C$, angle $A B C$ is equal to twice the angle $A C B$, and bisector of angle $A B C$ meets the opposite side at point $P$. Show that :
$C B: B A=C P: P A$

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10. In $\triangle A B C$, angle ABC is equal to twice the angle ACB , and bisector of angle $A B C$ meets the opposite side at point $P$. Show that :
$A B \times B C=B P \times C A$

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11. In $\triangle A B C, B M \perp A C$ and $C N \perp A B$, show that :
$\frac{A B}{A C}=\frac{B M}{C N}=\frac{A M}{A N}$

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12. In
the
given
figure,
$D E / / B C, A E=15 \mathrm{~cm}, E C=9 \mathrm{~cm}, N C=6 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $B N=24 \mathrm{~cm}$.


Write all possible pairs of similar triangles.

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13. 

In
the
given
figure,
$D E / / B C, A E=15 \mathrm{~cm}, E C=9 \mathrm{~cm}, N C=6 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $B N=24 \mathrm{~cm}$.


Find lengths of ME and DM.

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14. In the given figure, $\mathrm{AD}=\mathrm{AE}$ and $A D^{2}=B D \times E C$.

Prove that : triangles ABD and CAE are similar.


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15. In the given figure, $A B / / D C, B O=6 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $D Q=8 \mathrm{~cm}$, find: $B P \times D O$.

16. Angle $B A C$ of triangle $A B C$ is obtuse and $A B=A C$. $P$ is a point in $B C$ such that $P C=12 \mathrm{~cm} . \mathrm{PQ}$ and $P R$ are perpendiculars to sides $A B$ and $A C$ respectively. If $P Q=15 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $P R=9 \mathrm{~cm}$, find the length of $P B$.

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17. State, true or false :

Two similar polygons are necessarily congruent.

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18. State, true or false :

Two congruent polygons are necessarily similar.

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19. State, true or false :

All equiangular triangles are similar.

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20. State, true or false :

All isosceles triangles are similar.

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21. State, true or false :

Two isosceles-right triangles are similar.

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22. State, true or false :

Two isosceles triangles are similar, if an angle of one is congruent to the
corresponding angle of the other.

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23. State, true or false :

The diagonals of a trapezium divide each other into proportional segments.

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24. Given : $\angle G H E=\angle D F E=90^{\circ}$,
$D H=8, D F=12$,
$D G=3 x-1$ and $D E=4 x+2$.


Find : the lengths of segments DG and DE.

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25. $D$ is a point on the side $B C$ of a triangle $A B C$ such that $\angle A D C=\angle B A C$. Show that $C A^{2}=C B \dot{C} D$.

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26. In the given figure, $\triangle A B C$ and $\triangle A M P$ are right angled at B and M respectively.

Given $A C=10 \mathrm{~cm}, A P=15 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $P M=12 \mathrm{~cm}$.


Prove that: $\triangle A B C-\triangle A M P$

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27. In the given figure, $\triangle A B C$ and $\triangle A M P$ are right angled at B and M respectively.

Given $A C=10 \mathrm{~cm}, A P=15 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $P M=12 \mathrm{~cm}$.


Find : $A B$ and $B C$.

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28. Given : RS and PT are altitudes of $\triangle P Q R$. Prove that:
$\triangle P Q T \sim \Delta Q R S$.
29. Given : RS and PT are altitudes of $\triangle P Q R$. Prove that:
$P Q \times Q S=R Q \times Q T$.

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30. Given : $A B C D$ is a rhombus, DPR and CBR are straight lines.


Prove that: $D P \times C R=D C \times P R$.

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31. Given : $F B=F D, A E \perp F D$ and $F C \perp A D$.

Prove that: : $\frac{F B}{A D}=\frac{B C}{E D}$


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32. In $\triangle P Q R, \angle Q=90^{\circ}$ and QM is perpendicular to PR. Prove that : $P Q^{2}=P M \times P R$
33. In $\triangle P Q R, \angle Q=90^{\circ}$ and QM is perpendicular to PR. Prove that : $Q R^{2}=P R \times M R$

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34. In $\triangle P Q R, \angle Q=90^{\circ}$ and $Q M$ is perpendicular to PR. Prove that : $P Q^{2}+Q R^{2}=P R^{2}$

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35. In $\triangle A B C, \angle B=90^{\circ}$ and $B D \perp A C$.

If $C D=10 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $B D=8 \mathrm{~cm}$, find $A D$.

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36. In $\triangle A B C, \angle B=90^{\circ}$ and $B D \perp A C$.

If $A C=18 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A D=6 \mathrm{~cm}$, find $B D$.
37. In $\triangle A B C, \angle B=90^{\circ}$ and $B D \perp A C$.

If $A C=9 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A B=7 \mathrm{~cm}$, find $A D$.

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38. In the figure, $P Q R S$ is a parallelogram with $P Q=16 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $Q R=10 \mathrm{~cm}$.

L is a point on PR such that $R L: L P=2: 3$. QL produced meets RS at M and PS produced at N .

Find the lengths of PN and RM.

## M

## S

39. In quadrilateral $A B C D$, diagonals $A C$ and $B D$ intersect at point $E$ such that
$A E: E C=B E: E D$.

Show that : $A B C D$ is a trapezium.

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40. In triangle $A B C, A D$ is perpendicular to side $B C$ and $A D^{2}=B D \times D C$.

Show that angle $B A C=90^{\circ}$.

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41. 

In
the
given
figure,
$A B / / E F / / D C, A B=67.5 \mathrm{~cm}, D C=40.5 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A E=52.5 \mathrm{~cm}$.


Name the three pairs of similar triangles.

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42. 

In
the
given
figure,
$A B / / E F / / D C, A B=67.5 \mathrm{~cm}, D C=40.5 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A E=52.5 \mathrm{~cm}$.


Find the lengths of EC and EF .

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43. In the given figure, $Q R$ is parallel to $A B$ and $D R$ is parallel to $Q B$.


Prove that : $P Q^{2}=P D \times P A$.

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44. Through the mid-point $M$ of the side $C D$ of a parallelogram $A B C D$, the line $B M$ is drawn intersecting $A C$ at $\operatorname{Land} A D$ produced at $E$. Prove that $E L=2 B L$.
45. In the given figure, P is a point on AB such that $A P: P B=4: 3 . \mathrm{PQ}$ is parallel to $A C$.


Calculate the ratio PQ : AC , giving reason for your answer.

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46. In the given figure, P is a point on AB such that $A P: P B=4: 3 . \mathrm{PQ}$ is parallel to AC .


In triangle $A R C, \angle A R C=90^{\circ}$ and in triangle $P Q S,, \angle P S Q=90^{\circ}$.
Given $Q S=6 \mathrm{~cm}$, calculate the length of AR.

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47. In the right-angled triangle QPR, PM altitude.


Given that $Q R=8 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $M Q=3-5 \mathrm{~cm}$, calculate the value of $P R$.
48. In the figure, given below, the medians $B D$ and $C E$ of a triangle $A B C$ meet at G. Prove that:

$\Delta E G D-\Delta C G B$ and (ii) $B G=2 G D$ from (i) above.

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## Exercise 15 B

1. In the following figure, point $D$ divides $A B$ in the ratio 3: 5. Find :

$\frac{A E}{E C}$

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2. In the following figure, point $D$ divides $A B$ in the ratio 3: 5. Find :

$\frac{A D}{A B}$
3. In the following figure, point $D$ divides $A B$ in the ratio 3: 5. Find :

$\frac{A E}{A C}$

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4. In the following figure, point $D$ divides $A B$ in the ratio 3: 5. Find :


Also, if:
$D E=24 \mathrm{~cm}$, find the length of $B C$.

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5. In the following figure, point $D$ divides $A B$ in the ratio 3: 5. Find :

Also if :
$B C=4.8 \mathrm{~cm}$, find the length of $D E$.

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6. In the given figure, $P Q / / A B, C Q=4.8 \mathrm{~cm} Q B=3.6 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A B=6-3 \mathrm{~cm}$.

Find :
$\frac{C P}{P A}$

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7. In the given figure, $P Q / / A B, C Q=4.8 \mathrm{~cm} Q B=3.6 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A B=6-3 \mathrm{~cm}$.

Find :

## $P Q$

8. In the given figure, $\mathrm{PQ} / / \mathrm{AB}, \mathrm{CQ}=4.8 \mathrm{~cm} \mathrm{QB}=3.6 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $\mathrm{AB}=6-3 \mathrm{~cm}$.

## Find :

## $P Q$

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9. A line PQ is drawn parallel to the side BC of $\triangle A B C$ which cuts side AB at $P$ and side $A C$ at $Q$. If $A B=90 \mathrm{~cm}, C A=60 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A Q=4.2 \mathrm{~cm}$, find the length of AP.

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10. In $\triangle A B C, D$ and E are the points on sides AB and AC respectively.

Find whether $D E$ || $B C$, if :
$A B=9 \mathrm{~cm}, A D=4 \mathrm{~cm}, A E=6 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $E C=7.5 \mathrm{~cm}$.
11. In $\triangle A B C, D$ and E are the points on sides AB and AC respectively.

Find whether $D E \| B C$, if :
$A B=6-3 \mathrm{~cm}, E C=11: 0 \mathrm{~cm}, A D=0.8 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A E=1.6 \mathrm{~cm}$.

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12. In the given figure, $\triangle A B C \sim \triangle A D E$. If $A E: E C=4: 7$ and $D E=6.6 \mathrm{~cm}$, find $B C$. If ' $x$ ' be the length of the perpendicular from $A$ to $D E$, find the length of perpendicular from $A$ to $B C$ in terms of ' $x$ '.

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13. A line segment $D E$ is drawn parallel to base $B C$ of $A B C$ which cuts $A B$ at point $D$ and $A C$ at point $E$. If $A B=5 B D$ and $E C=3.2 \mathrm{~cm}$, find the length of $A E$.
14. In the figure, given below, $A B, C D$ and $E F$ are parallel lines. Given $A B=$ $7.5 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{DC}=\mathrm{ycm}, \mathrm{EF}=4.5 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{BC}=\mathrm{xcm}$ and $\mathrm{CE}=3 \mathrm{~cm}$, calculate the values of $x$ and $y$.

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15. In the figure, given below, PQR is a right angled triangle right angled at Q . XY is parallel to $\mathrm{QR}, \mathrm{PQ}=6 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{PY}=4 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $\mathrm{PX}: \mathrm{XQ}=1: 2$. Calculate the lengths of $P R$ and $Q R$.

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16. In the following figure, $M$ is mid-point of $B C$ of a parallelogram $A B C D$. DM intersects the diagonal AC at P and AB produced at E . Prove that : $\mathrm{PE}=$

2 PD.


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17. The given figure shows a parallelogram $A B C D$. $E$ is a point in $A D$ and $C E$ produced meets $B A$ produced at point $F$. If $A E=4 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{AF}=8 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $\mathrm{AB}=$ 12 cm , find the perimeter of the parallelogram ABCD.

18. The ratio between the corresponding sides of two similar triangles is 2 is to 5 . Find the ratio between the areas of these triangles.

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2. Areas of two similar triangles are $98 \mathrm{sq} . \mathrm{cm}$ and $128 \mathrm{sq} . \mathrm{cm}$. Find the ratio between the lengths of their corresponding sides.

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3. A line PQ is drawn parallel to the base BC of $\triangle A B C$ which meets sides $A B$ and $A C$ at points $P$ and $Q$ respectively. If $A P=\frac{1}{3} P B$, find the value of :

Area of $\triangle A B C$
$\overline{\text { Area of } \triangle A P Q}$

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4. A line PQ is drawn parallel to the base BC of $\triangle A B C$ which meets sides $A B$ and $A C$ at points $P$ and $Q$ respectively. If $A P=\frac{1}{3} P B$, find the value of :

Area of $\triangle A P Q$
$\overline{\text { Area of trapezium } P B C Q}$

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5. The perimeters of two similar triangles are 30 cm and 24 cm . If one side of the first triangle is 12 cm , determine the corresponding side of the second triangle.

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6. In the given figure, $A X: X B=3: 5$


## Find :

the length of $B C$, if the length of $X Y$ is 18 cm .

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7. In the given figure, $A X: X B=3: 5$


Find :
the ratio between the areas of trapezium XBCY and triangle $A B C$.

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8. $A B C$ is a triangle. $P Q$ is a line segment intersecting $A B$ in $P$ and $A C$ in $Q$ such that $\mathrm{PQI} / \mathrm{BC}$ and divides triangle ABC into two parts equal in area.

Find the value of ratio $B P$ : AB.

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9. In the given triangle $P Q R, L M$ is parallel to $Q R$ and $P M: M R=3: 4$.


Calculate the value of ratio :
$\frac{P L}{P Q}$ and then $\frac{L M}{Q R}$

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10. In the given triangle $P Q R, L M$ is parallel to $Q R$ and $P M: M R=3: 4$.


Calculate the value of ratio:

Area of $\triangle L M N$<br>$\overline{\text { Area of } \triangle M N R}$

11. In the given triangle $P Q R$, $L M$ is parallel to $Q R$ and $P M: M R=3: 4$.


Calculate the value of ratio :
Area of $\Delta L Q M$
Area of $\triangle L Q N$

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12. The given diagram shows two isosceles triangles which are similar. In the given diagram, PQ and BC are not parallel, $\mathrm{PC}=4, \mathrm{AQ}=3, \mathrm{QB}=12, \mathrm{BC}=$ 15 and $\mathrm{AP}=\mathrm{PQ}$. Calculate :

the length of AP.

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13. The given diagram shows two isosceles triangles which are similar. In the given diagram, $P Q$ and $B C$ are not parallel, $P C=4, A Q=3, Q B=12, B C=$ 15 and $\mathrm{AP}=\mathrm{PQ}$. Calculate :

the ratio of the areas of triangle APQ and triangle ABC.

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14. In the figure, given below, $A B C D$ is a parallelogram. $P$ is a point on $B C$ such that $B P: P C=1: 2$. DP produced meets $A B$ produced at $Q$. Given the area of triangle $C P Q=20 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$


## Calculate :

 area of triangle CDP.
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15. In the figure, given below, $A B C D$ is a parallelogram. $P$ is a point on $B C$ such that $B P: P C=1: 2$. DP produced meets $A B$ produced at $Q$. Given the area of triangle $C P Q=20 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$


## Calculate :

area of parallelogram $A B C D$.

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16. In the given figure, BC is parallel to DE . Area of triangle $A B C=25 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$ , Area of trapezium $B C E D=24 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$ and $D E=14 \mathrm{~cm}$. Calculate the length of $B C$.

Also, find the area of triangle BCD.
17. The given figure shows a trapezium in which $A B$ is parallel to $D C$ and diagonals AC and BD intersect at point P. If $\mathrm{AP}: \mathrm{CP}=3: 5$,

A

Find :

## $\triangle A P B: \triangle C P B$

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18. The given figure shows a trapezium in which $A B$ is parallel to $D C$ and diagonals AC and BD intersect at point P. If $\mathrm{AP}: \mathrm{CP}=3: 5$,


Find :
$\triangle D P C: \triangle A P B$

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19. The given figure shows a trapezium in which $A B$ is parallel to $D C$ and diagonals AC and BD intersect at point P. If $\mathrm{AP}: \mathrm{CP}=3: 5$,

Find:
$\triangle A D P: \triangle A P B$

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20. The given figure shows a trapezium in which $A B$ is parallel to $D C$ and diagonals AC and BD intersect at point P. If $\mathrm{AP}: C P=3: 5$,


Find:
$\triangle A P B: \triangle A D B$

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21. In the given figure, $A B C$ is a triangle. $D E$ is parallel to $B C$ and $\frac{A D}{D B}=\frac{3}{2}$


Determine the ratios and $\frac{A D}{A B}$
22. In the given figure, $A B C$ is a triangle. $D E$ is parallel to $B C$ and $\frac{A D}{D B}=\frac{3}{2}$

Prove that $\triangle D E F$ is similar to $\triangle C B F$.Hence, find $\frac{E F}{F B}$.

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23. In the given figure, $A B C$ is a triangle. $D E$ is parallel to $B C$ and $\frac{A D}{D B}=\frac{3}{2}$

What is the ratio of the areas of $\triangle D E F$ and $\triangle B F C$ ?

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24. In the given figure, $\angle B=\angle E, \angle A C D=\angle B C E, A B=10.4 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $D E=7.8 \mathrm{~cm}$. Find the ratio between areas of the $\triangle A B C$ and $\triangle D E C$.


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## Exercise 15 D

1. A triangle $A B C$ has been enlarged by scale factor $m=2.5$ to the triangle $A^{\prime} B^{\prime} C^{\prime}$ Calculate :
the length of $A B$, if $A^{\prime} B^{\prime}=6 \mathrm{~cm}$.
2. A triangle $A B C$ has been enlarged by scale factor $m=2.5$ to the triangle $A^{\prime} B^{\prime} C^{\prime}$ Calculate :
the length of $\mathrm{C}^{\prime} \mathrm{A}$ if $\mathrm{CA}=4 \mathrm{~cm}$.

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3. A triangle LMN has been reduced by scale factor 0.8 to the triangle L' $M^{\prime}$ N'. Calculate:
the length of $M^{\prime} N^{\prime}$, if $M N=8 \mathrm{~cm}$.

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4. A triangle LMN has been reduced by scale factor 0.8 to the triangle L' M' N'. Calculate: the length of $L M$, if $L^{\prime} M^{\prime}=5-4 \mathrm{~cm}$.

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5. A triangle $A B C$ is enlarged, about the point $O$ as centre of enlargement, and the scale factor is 3 . Find : $A^{\prime} B^{\prime}$, if $A B=4 \mathrm{~cm}$.

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6. A triangle $A B C$ is enlarged, about the point $O$ as centre of enlargement, and the scale factor is 3 . Find :
$B C$, if $B^{\prime} C^{\prime}=15 \mathrm{~cm}$.

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7. A triangle $A B C$ is enlarged, about the point $O$ as centre of enlargement, and the scale factor is 3 . Find :
$O A$, if $O A^{\prime}=6 \mathrm{~cm}$.

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8. A triangle $A B C$ is enlarged, about the point $O$ as centre of enlargement, and the scale factor is 3 . Find : $O C^{\prime}$, if $O C=21 \mathrm{~cm}$.

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9. A triangle $A B C$ is enlarged, about the point $O$ as centre of enlargement, and the scale factor is 3 . Find state the value of :
$\frac{O B^{\prime}}{O B}$

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10. A triangle $A B C$ is enlarged, about the point $O$ as centre of enlargement, and the scale factor is 3 . Find state the value of:
$\frac{C^{\prime} A^{\prime}}{C A}$

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11. A model of an aeroplane is made to a scale of $1: 400$. Calculate : the length, in cm , of the model, if the length of the aeroplane is 40 m .

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12. A model of an aeroplane is made to a scale of $1: 400$. Calculate : the length, in m , of the aeroplane, if length of its model is 16 cm .

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13. The dimensions of the model of a multistorey building are $1.2 m \times 75 \mathrm{~cm} \times 2 m$. If the scale factor is $1: 30$, find the actual dimensions of the building.

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14. On a map drawn to a scale of $1: 2,50,000$, a triangular plot of land has the following measurements: $A B=3 \mathrm{~cm}, B C=4 c m$ and angle
$A B C=90^{\circ}$ Calculate :
the actual lengths of $A B$ and $B C$ in km.

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15. On a map drawn to a scale of $1: 2,50,000$, a triangular plot of land has the following measurements: $A B=3 \mathrm{~cm}, B C=4 \mathrm{~cm}$ and angle $A B C=90^{\circ}$ Calculate :
the area of the plot in sq. km.

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16. A model of a ship is made to a scale $1: 300$.

The length of the model of the ship is 2 m . Calculate the length of the ship.
17. A model of a ship is made to a scale $1: 300$.

The area of the deck of the ship is $180,000 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$. Calculate the area of the deck of the model.

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18. A model of a ship is made to a scale 1:300.

The volume of the model is $6.5 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$. Calculate the volume of the ship.

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## Exercise 15 E

1. In the following figure, $X Y$ is parallel to
$B C, A X=9 \mathrm{~cm}, X B=4.5 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $B C=18 \mathrm{~cm}$.

$\frac{A Y}{Y C}$

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2. In the following figure, $X Y$ is parallel to
$B C, A X=9 \mathrm{~cm}, X B=4.5 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $B C=18 \mathrm{~cm}$.

$\frac{Y C}{A C}$

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3. In the following figure, $X Y$ is parallel to $B C, A X=9 \mathrm{~cm}, X B=4.5 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $B C=18 \mathrm{~cm}$.

$X Y$

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4. In the following figure, $A B C D$ to a trapezium with $A B / / D C$. If $A B=9 \mathrm{~cm}, D C=18 \mathrm{~cm}, C F=13.5 \mathrm{~cm}, A P=6 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $B E=15 \mathrm{~cm}$


Calculate
$E C$
5. In the following figure, $A B C D$ to a trapezium with $A B / / D C$. If $A B=9 \mathrm{~cm}, D C=18 \mathrm{~cm}, C F=13.5 \mathrm{~cm}, A P=6 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $B E=15 \mathrm{~cm}$


Calculate
$A F$

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6. In the following figure, $A B C D$ to a trapezium with $A B / / D C$. If $A B=9 \mathrm{~cm}, D C=18 \mathrm{~cm}, C F=13.5 \mathrm{~cm}, A P=6 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $B E=15 \mathrm{~cm}$


Calculate

## $P E$

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7. In the following figure, $\mathrm{AB}, \mathrm{CD}$ and EF are perpendicular to the straight line BDF.


If $A B=x$ and,$C D=z$ unit and $E F=y$ unit, prove that : $\frac{1}{x}+\frac{1}{y}=\frac{1}{z}$
8. Triangle ABC is similar to triangle PQR . If AD and PM are corresponding medians of the two triangles, prove that : $\frac{A B}{P Q}=\frac{A D}{P M}$

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9. Triangle $A B C$ is similar to triangle $P Q R$. If $A D$ and $P M$ are altitudes of the two triangles, prove that : $\frac{A B}{P Q}=\frac{A D}{P M}$

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10. Triangle $A B C$ is similar to triangle $P Q R$. If bisector of angle BAC meets $B C$ at point $D$ and bisector of angle QPR meets $Q R$ at point $M$, prove that : $\frac{A B}{P Q}=\frac{A D}{P M}$

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11. In the following figure, $\angle A X Y=\angle A Y X$. . If $\frac{B X}{A X}=\frac{C Y}{A Y}$, show that triangle $A B C$ is Isosceles.


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12. In the following diagram, lines $\mathrm{I}, \mathrm{m}$ and n are parallel to each other.

Two transversals p and $q$ intersect the parallel lines at points $A, B, C$ and $P$, $Q, R$ as shown.


Prove that : $\frac{A B}{B C}=\frac{P Q}{Q R}$
Join $A$ and $R$. Let $A R$ meets $B Q$ at point $D$.

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13. In the following figure, $\mathrm{DE} \| \mathrm{AC}$ and $\mathrm{DC} \| \mathrm{AP}$. Prove that : $\frac{B E}{E C}=\frac{B C}{C P}$


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14. In the figure given below, $\mathrm{AB} / / \mathrm{EF} / / \mathrm{CD}$. If $\mathrm{AB}=22.5 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{EP}=7.5 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{PC}$ $=15 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $\mathrm{DC}=27 \mathrm{~cm}$.

Calculate :

EF


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15. In the figure given below, $\mathrm{AB} / / \mathrm{EF} / / \mathrm{CD}$. If $\mathrm{AB}=22.5 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{EP}=7.5 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{PC}$
$=15 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $\mathrm{DC}=27 \mathrm{~cm}$.
Calculate:
AC
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16. 

$\triangle A B C, \angle A B C=\angle D A C, A B=8 \mathrm{~cm}, A C=4 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A D=5 \mathrm{~cm}$.

Prove that $\triangle A C D$ is similar to $\triangle B C A$.

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17. 

$\triangle A B C, \angle A B C=\angle D A C, A B=8 \mathrm{~cm}, A C=4 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A D=5 \mathrm{~cm}$.

Find $B C$ and $C D$.

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18. 

In
$\triangle A B C, \angle A B C=\angle D A C, A B=8 \mathrm{~cm}, A C=4 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A D=5 \mathrm{~cm}$.

Find area of $\triangle A C D$ : area of $\triangle A B C$.
19. In the given triangle $P, Q$ and $R$ are the mid points of sides $A B, B C$ and $A C$ respectively. Prove that triangle $P Q R$ is similar to triangle $A B C$.
20. In the following figure, AD and CE are medians of $\triangle A B C$. DF is drawn parallel to CE. Prove that :


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E F=F B
$$

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21. In the following figure, AD and CE are medians of $\triangle A B C$. DF is drawn parallel to CE. Prove that :

$A G: G D=2: 1$.

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22. If the areas of two similar triangles are equal, prove that they are congruent.

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23. The ratio between the altitudes of two similar triangles is $3: 5$, write the ratio between their :
corresponding medians.

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24. The ratio between the altitudes of two similar triangles is $3: 5$, write the ratio between their : perimeters.

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25. The ratio between the altitudes of two similar triangles is $3: 5$, write the ratio between their :
areas.

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26. The ratio between the areas of two similar triangles is $16: 25$. Find the ratio between their :
perimeters.

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27. The ratio between the areas of two similar triangles is $16: 25$. Find the ratio between their : corresponding altitudes.

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28. The ratio between the areas of two similar triangles is $16: 25$. Find the ratio between their :
corresponding medians.

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29. The given figure shows $P$ a triangle $P Q R$ in which $X Y$ is parallel to $Q R$. If $P X: X Q=1: 3$ and $Q R=9 \mathrm{~cm}$, find the length of $X Y$. Further, if the area of
$\Delta P X Y=x \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$, find, in terms of x , the area of:
triangle PQR .

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30. The given figure shows $P$ a triangle $P Q R$ in which $X Y$ is parallel to $Q R$. If $P X: X Q=1: 3$ and $Q R=9 \mathrm{~cm}$, find the length of $X Y$. Further, if the area of $\Delta P X Y=x \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$, find, in terms of x , the area of:
trapezium XQRY.


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31. On a map, drawn to a scale of 1:20000, a rectangular plot of land

ABCD has $A B=24 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $B C=32 \mathrm{~cm}$. Calculate :
the diagonal distance of the plot in kilometre.
32. On a map, drawn to a scale of 1:20000, a rectangular plot of land ABCD has $A B=24 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $B C=32 \mathrm{~cm}$. Calculate : the area of the plot in sq. km.

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33. The dimensions of the model of a multi storeyed building are 1 m by 60 cm by 1.20 m . If the scale factor is $1: 50$, find the actual dimensions of the building. Also, find :
the floor area of a room of the building, if the floor area of the corresponding room in the model is $50 \mathrm{sq} . \mathrm{cm}$.

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34. The dimensions of the model of a multi storeyed building are 1 m by

60 cm by 1.20 m . If the scale factor is $1: 50$, find the actual dimensions of the building. Also, find :
the space (volume) inside a room of the model, if the space inside the corresponding room of the building is $90 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$.

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35. In a triangle $P Q R, L$ and $M$ are two points on the base $Q R$, such that $\angle L P Q=\angle Q R P$ and $\angle R P M=\angle R Q P$. Prove that:

$\Delta P Q L \sim \Delta R P M$

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36. In a triangle $P Q R, L$ and $M$ are two points on the base $Q R$, such that $\angle L P Q=\angle Q R P$ and $\angle R P M=\angle R Q P$. Prove that:
$Q L \times R M=P L \times P M$

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37. In a triangle $P Q R$, $L$ and $M$ are two points on the base $Q R$, such that $\angle L P Q=\angle Q R P$ and $\angle R P M=\angle R Q P$. Prove that:


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P Q^{2}=Q R \times Q L
$$

38. A triangle ABC with $A B=3 \mathrm{~cm}, B C=6 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A C=4 \mathrm{~cm}$ is enlarged to A DEF such that the longest side of A DEF $=9 \mathrm{~cm}$. Find the scale factor and hence, the lengths of the other sides of $\triangle D E F$.

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39. Two isosceles triangles have equal vertical angles. Show that the triangles are similar.

If the ratio between the areas of these two triangles is $16: 25$, find the ratio between their corresponding altitudes.

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40. In triangle $A B C, A P: P B=2: 3$. PO is parallel to BC and is P extended to Q so that CQ is parallel to BA . Find :

area $\triangle A P O$ : area $\triangle A B C$.

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41. In triangle $A B C, A P: P B=2: 3$. PO is parallel to BC and is P extended to $Q$ so that $C Q$ is parallel to $B 4 B A$. Find :

area $\triangle A P O$ : area $\triangle C R O$.

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42. The following figure shows a triangle $A B C$ in which $A D$ and $B E$ are perpendiculars to $B C$ and $A C$ respectively. Show that :

## $\triangle A D C \sim \triangle B E C$

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43. The following figure shows a triangle $A B C$ in which $A D$ and $B E$ are perpendiculars to $B C$ and $A C$ respectively. Show that :
$C A \times C E=C B \times C D$

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44. The following figure shows a triangle $A B C$ in which $A D$ and $B E$ are perpendiculars to $B C$ and $A C$ respectively. Show that :
$\triangle A B C \sim \triangle D E C$

B
45. The following figure shows a triangle $A B C$ in which $A D$ and $B E$ are perpendiculars to $B C$ and $A C$ respectively. Show that :

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C D \times A B=C A \times D E
$$

46. In the given figure, ABC is a triangle with $\angle E D B=\angle A C B$. Prove that $\triangle A B C \sim \triangle E B D$.

If $B E=6 \mathrm{~cm}, E C=4 \mathrm{~cm}, B D=5 \mathrm{~cm}$ and area of $\triangle B E D=9 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$.
Calculate the :
length of $A B$

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47. In the given figure, ABC is a triangle with $\angle E D B=\angle A C B$. Prove that $\triangle A B C \sim \Delta E B D$.

If $B E=6 \mathrm{~cm}, E C=4 \mathrm{~cm}, B D=5 \mathrm{~cm}$ and area of $\triangle B E D=9 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$.
Calculate the :
area of $\triangle A B C$

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48. In the given figure, ABC is a right angled triangle with $\angle B A C=90^{\circ}$.


Prove that : $\triangle A D B \sim \triangle C D A$.

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49. In the given figure, ABC is a right angled triangle with $\angle B A C=90^{\circ}$.

If $B D=18 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $C D=8 \mathrm{~cm}$, find $A D$.

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50. In the given figure, ABC is a right angled triangle with $\angle B A C=90^{\circ}$.

Find the ratio of the area of $\operatorname{Detla} A D B$ is to area of $\triangle C D A$.

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51. In the given figure, $A B$ and $D E$ are perpendiculars to $B C$


Prove that : DetlaABC~ $\triangle D E C$

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52. In the given figure, $A B$ and $D E$ are perpendiculars to $B C$


If $A B=6 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{DE}=4 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $\mathrm{AC}=15 \mathrm{~cm}$. Calculate CD.

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53. In the given figure, $A B$ and $D E$ are perpendiculars to $B C$


Find the ratio : area of a $\operatorname{Detla} A B C$ : area of $\triangle D E C$.

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54. ABC is a right angled triangle with $A B C=90^{\circ}$. D is any point on AB and DE is perpendicular to AC. Prove that:

$\triangle A D E \sim \triangle A C B$.

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55. ABC is a right angled triangle with $A B C=90^{\circ}$. D is any point on AB and DE is perpendicular to AC. Prove that:

If $A C=13 \mathrm{~cm}, B C=5 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A E=4 \mathrm{~cm}$. Find $D E$ and $A D$.

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56. ABC is a right angled triangle with $A B C=90^{\circ}$. D is any point on AB and DE is perpendicular to AC. Prove that:

Find, area of AADE: area of quadrilateral BCED.

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57. Given : AB // DE and BC // EF. Prove that:
$\frac{A D}{D G}=\frac{C F}{F G}$

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58. Given : AB // DE and BC // EF. Prove that:


## $\triangle D F G \sim A C G$.

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59. PQR is a triangle. S is a point on the side QR of $\triangle P Q R$ such that $\angle P S R=\angle Q P R$. Given $\mathrm{QP}=8 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{PR}=6 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $\mathrm{SR}=3 \mathrm{~cm}$.


Prove $\triangle P Q R \sim \triangle S P R$.

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60. PQR is a triangle. S is a point on the side QR of $\triangle P Q R$ such that $\angle P S R=\angle Q P R$. Given $\mathrm{QP}=8 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{PR}=6 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $\mathrm{SR}=3 \mathrm{~cm}$.


Find the lengths of QR and PS .

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61. PQR is a triangle. S is a point on the side QR of $\triangle P Q R$ such that $\angle P S R=\angle Q P R$. Given $\mathrm{QP}=8 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{PR}=6 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $\mathrm{SR}=3 \mathrm{~cm}$.
area of $\triangle P Q R$
area of $\triangle S P R$

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## Multiple Choice Questions

1. In the given if $\triangle P Q R \sim \triangle P S T$ and $P T: S T=3: 4$ then $\mathrm{QR}: \mathrm{PR}=$

A. 3: 4
B. $4: 3$
C. 3:7
D. $4: 7$

## Answer: B

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2. In the $P Q$ and $R S$ are perpendicular to base $Q T$. If $R S=2 \mathrm{~cm}, Q S=3 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $Q T=9 \mathrm{~cm}$, then $\mathrm{PQ}=$

A. 2 cm
B. 3 cm
C. 4 cm
D. 5 cm

## Answer: B

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3. In the $\triangle P R T$. IfQT $=4 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $T R=9 \mathrm{~cm}$ then $\mathrm{PT}=$

A. 5 cm
B. 6 cm
C. 13 cm
D. 36 cm

## Answer: B

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4. In the $\triangle P Q T-\triangle R P T$ by which of the following similarity crtierion ?

A. SAS
B. ASA
C. $A A$
D. SSS

## Answer: C

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5. In the given $\triangle B P D \sim \triangle B P D$ by which of the following similarity criterion ?

A. SAS
B. SSS
C. ASA
D. $A A$

## Answer: D

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6. In the given if $\mathrm{PM}=\mathrm{PN}$ and $P M^{2}=Q M \times N R$, then which of the following is true?

A. $\Delta P Q M \sim \Delta R P N$
B. $\triangle P Q M \sim \triangle P R N$
C. $\triangle P Q M \sim \triangle P N R$
D. $\triangle P Q M \sim \Delta N R P$

## Answer: A

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7. If in a trapezium PQRS, PQ \|| SR and diagonals PR and QS intersect each other at a point O , then which of the following is true?
A. $\triangle P O Q \sim \triangle S O R$
B. $\triangle P O Q \sim \triangle R O S$
C. $\triangle P Q O \sim \triangle O S R$
D. $\triangle O Q P \sim \triangle R O S$

## Answer: B

8. In
$\triangle A B C, B M \perp A C$ and $C N \perp A B . I f A B=3 \mathrm{~cm}, A C=4 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A M$ then $\mathrm{AN}=$
A. 2 cm
B. 4 cm
C. 6 cm
D. 8 cm

## Answer: A

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9. 

In
the
given
$\angle O Q C=\angle A B C=90^{\circ}$. If AC $=8 \mathrm{~cm}, P C=12 \mathrm{~cm}, Q C=x+1$ and $B$
then find the value of x :

A. 1
B. $\frac{5}{4}$
C. $\frac{2}{3}$
D. 2

## Answer: B

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10. In a $\triangle P Q R, \perp Q R$ such that $\triangle P Q T \sim \triangle R Q P$. Then $\angle Q P R=$
A. $30^{\circ}$
B. $45^{\circ}$
C. $60^{\circ}$
D. $90^{\circ}$

## Answer: D

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11. 

$\triangle P Q R, \angle Q=90^{\circ}$ and $Q T \perp P R . I f P R=9 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $P Q=3 \mathrm{~cm}$, then PT =
A. 1 cm
B. 2 cm
C. 3 cm
D. 4 cm

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12. In the given $D E \| B C$ and $A D: A B=1: 3$ If $D E: 1.5 \mathrm{~cm}$, then $B C=$

A. 1 cm
B. 2 cm
C. 3 cm
D. 4.5 cm

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13. In the given $D E \| B C$. If $A B=6 \mathrm{~cm}, A D=2 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A C=9 \mathrm{~cm}$, then the length of CE is :

A. 3 cm
B. 6 cm
C. 9 cm
D. 12 cm

## Answer: B

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14. In a $\triangle A B C, M$ and $N$ are points on the base $B C$ such that $\angle M A B=\angle B C A$ and $\angle C A N=\angle A B C$. If $\mathrm{AM}=2 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{BM}=3 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $\mathrm{AN}=6 \mathrm{~cm}$ then $\mathrm{NC}=$
A. 8 cm
B. 6 cm
C. 4 cm
D. 2 cm

## Answer: C

15. In a $\triangle A B C, D E| | B C . I f A D: D B=3: 4$. Then $\mathrm{DE}: \mathrm{BC}=$

A. 3: 4
B. 4: 3
C. 3:7
D. $4: 7$

## Answer: B

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16. In the following which of the two triangles are similar ?

A. $\triangle A D F \sim \Delta C E F$
B. $\triangle A B C \sim \Delta C E F$
C. $\triangle A D F \sim \Delta A B C$
D. None of these

## Answer: B

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17. In the following $\angle E D B=\angle A C B$. If $\mathrm{BE}=6 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{EC}=1 \mathrm{~cm}$ nad $\mathrm{BD}=7$ cm , then the length of $A B$ is

A. $\frac{30}{7} \mathrm{~cm}$
B. $\frac{36}{7} \mathrm{~cm}$
C. 6 cm
D. 7 cm

## Answer: C

18. In the given $D E|\mid B C$ and $D C$ and $B E$ intersect each other at point O . If $\mathrm{DE}: \mathrm{BC}=5: 9$, then $\mathrm{OD}: \mathrm{DC}=$

A. $5: 9$
B. 5: 4
C. 4: 9
D. 5: 14

Answer: D
19. In the given $A B C D$ is a parallelogram. If $A M \perp D C$ and $A N \perp C B, A M=6 \mathrm{~cm}, A N=10 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A B=12 \mathrm{~cm}$, then $B C=$

A. 5 cm
B. 6 cm
C. 7.2 cm
D. 20 cm

## Answer: C

20. In following the $D$ is any point on base $B C$ such that $\angle A B D=\angle C A D$. If $A D=10 \mathrm{~cm}, A B=5 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A C=7 \mathrm{~cm}$, then $B C=$

A. 3.5 cm
B. 5 cm
C. 7 cm
D. 14 cm

## Answer: A

21. PQR is a triangle. S is a point on the QR of $\triangle P Q R$ such that $\angle P S R=\angle Q P R$. Given $\mathrm{QP}=8 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{PR}=6 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $\mathrm{SR}=3 \mathrm{~cm}$, then length of $Q R$ is

A. 12 cm
B. 10 cm
C. 8 cm
D. 6 cm

## Answer: A

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22. In the given $\triangle A B C$ is right angled at B . If $D E \perp A C$, then $\triangle A D E$

A. $\triangle B A C$
B. $\triangle A C B$
C. $\triangle A D E$
D. $\triangle A B C$

Answer: B
23. In a $\triangle A B C, \mathrm{D}$ is a point on base BC such that $\angle A B C=\angle D A C$. Then $\triangle A C D$
A. $\triangle A B C$
B. $\triangle B C A$
C. $\triangle D A C$
D. $\triangle C A D$

## Answer: B

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24. In a $\triangle A B C, D$ is a point on base BC such that $\triangle A C D \sim \triangle B C A$. If AB $=5 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{AC}=4 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $\mathrm{AD}=8 \mathrm{~cm}$, then $\mathrm{BC}=$ $\qquad$
A. 5 cm
B. 4 cm
C. 2.5 cm
D. 8 cm

Answer: D

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25. 

In
the
$\triangle A B C \sim \Delta D E C . I f A B=6 \mathrm{~cm}, D E=3 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A C=15 \mathrm{~cm}$, then CD
= ..........

A. 3 cm
B. 6 cm
C. 1.5 cm
D. 2.5 cm

## Answer: D

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26. In the given $\Delta A B C \sim \Delta A M P$ by ......... similarity criterion.

A. SSS
B. SAS
C. ASA
D. $A A$

## Answer: D

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27. In the given if $\triangle P Q R \sim \Delta P S T$, then $\frac{P Q}{P R}=. . . . . . . . .$.

A. $\frac{P S}{P R}$
B. $\frac{P T}{P S}$
C. $\frac{P R}{P Q}$
D. $\frac{P R}{P Q}$

## Answer: B

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28. In the $\angle E D B=\angle A C B$. For $\triangle A B C \sim \triangle E B D$, we must have
$\angle A B C=. . . . . . . . .$.

A. $\angle E B D$
B. $\angle A D E$
C. $\angle C B E$
D. $\angle A C E$

Answer: A

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29. In the given $\triangle A B C \sim \Delta D E F I f \angle A B C=$............... and $\angle B C A=$

A. $\angle A C D, \angle A D E$
B. $\angle D E C, \angle E C D$
C. $\angle D C E, \angle E D C$
D. $\angle A D E, \angle A C B$

## Answer: B

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30. In the given PB and QA are perpendicular to the line sement AB . If $\mathrm{PQ}=$
$6 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{QO}=9 \mathrm{~cm}, \mathrm{~PB}=4 \mathrm{~cm}$, then $\mathrm{AQ}=$

A. 6 cm
B. 9 cm
C. 4 cm
D. 3 cm

## Answer: A

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## Multiple Choice Questions Assertion And Reason Based Questions

1. Assertion : If in two triangles ABC and $\mathrm{PQR}, \triangle A B C \sim \triangle P Q R$ with
$\angle A=45^{\circ}$ and $\angle B=60^{\circ}$, then $\angle R=75^{\circ}$.
Reason : If two triangles are similar, then their corresponding angles are equal.
A. Both assertion and reason are correct and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.
B. Both assertion and reason are correct but reason is not the correct explanation of assertion.
C. Assertion is correct but reason is incorrect.
D. Assertion is incorrect but reason is correct.

## Answer: A

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2. Assertion : In the following the measure of $\angle P i s 60^{\circ}$.


Reason : Two triangles are said to be similar, if their corresponding sids are proportional i.e., they are in the same ratio.
A. Both assertion and reason are correct and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.
B. Both assertion and reason are correct but reason is not the correct
C. Assertion is correct but reason is incorrect.
D. Assertion is incorrect but reason is correct.

## Answer: D

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3. Assertion : If in two triangle $A B C$ and $P Q R$,
$A B=3 \mathrm{~cm}, B C=4 \mathrm{~cm}, \angle B=60^{\circ}, \angle P Q R=9 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $P R=12 \mathrm{~cm}$, then $\Delta A B C \sim \Delta Q P R$.

Reason : If one angle of a triangles is equal to one angle of another triangle and any two sides of these triangles are proportional, then by SAS axiom of similarity, the two triangles are proportional.
A. Both assertion and reason are correct and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.
B. Both assertion and reason are correct but reason is not the correct explanation of assertion.
C. Assertion is correct but reason is incorrect.
D. Assertion is incorrect but reason is correct.

## Answer: C

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4. Assertion : In a $\angle D A C . I f A B=8 \mathrm{~cm}, A C=5 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A D=4 \mathrm{~cm}$, then $B C=10 \mathrm{~cm}$.

Reason : If two triangles are similar, then their corresponding angles are equal.
A. Both assertion and reason are correct and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.
B. Both assertion and reason are correct but reason is not the correct explanation of assertion.
C. Assertion is correct but reason is incorrect.
D. Assertion is incorrect but reason is correct.

## Answer: B

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5. Assertion : In the following $B C$ is parallel to $D E$. If $A B=x, B D=x+3, B C=$ $x-1$ and $D E=2 x$, then the value of $x$ is 3 .


Reason : Correspoinding angles of two similar triangles are equal.
A. Both assertion and reason are correct and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.
B. Both assertion and reason are correct but reason is not the correct
explanation of assertion.
C. Assertion is correct but reason is incorrect.
D. Assertion is incorrect but reason is correct.

## Answer: B

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## Multiple Choice Questions Competency Based Questions

1. A girl, named Ritika of height 90 cm is walking away from the ase of a lamp-post, She observes the shadows of lamp-post and herself and relate it with a chapter of mathematics, she studied in her last class.


On the basis of information, answer the following question


The triangles ABE and CDE are similar by which of the following similarity rule?
A. $A A$
B. ASA
C. SSS
D. SAS

## Answer: A

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2. A girl, named Ritika of height 90 cm is walking away from the ase of a lamp-post, She observes the shadows of lamp-post and herself and relate it with a chapter of mathematics, she studied in her last class.


On the basis of information, answer the following question


If $D E=120 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $B E=360 \mathrm{~cm}$, then length of the lamp-post is :
A. 150 cm
B. 240 cm
C. 270 cm
D. 360 cm

## Answer: C

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3. A girl, named Ritika of height 90 cm is walking away from the ase of a lamp-post, She observes the shadows of lamp-post and herself and relate it with a chapter of mathematics, she studied in her last class.


On the basis of information, answer the following question


The ratio of heights of girl and the lamp-post is :
A. $4: 1$
B. 1: 4
C. $3: 1$
D. 1: 3

## Answer: D

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4. A girl, named Ritika of height 90 cm is walking away from the ase of a lamp-post, She observes the shadows of lamp-post and herself and relate it with a chapter of mathematics, she studied in her last class.


On the basis of information, answer the following question


If $C E=150 \mathrm{~cm}$, then $\mathrm{AC}=$
A. 300 cm
B. 200 cm
C. 150 cm
D. 100 cm

Answer: A
5. A girl, named Ritika of height 90 cm is walking away from the ase of a lamp-post, She observes the shadows of lamp-post and herself and relate it with a chapter of mathematics, she studied in her last class.


On the basis of information, answer the following question


Since $\triangle A B C \sim \Delta C D E$, then which of the following is correct ?
A. $C D \times A B=D E \times B D$
B. $C D \times B D=A B \times D E$
C. $C D \times C E=A B \times A E$
D. $C D \times A E=A B \times C E$

## Answer: D

6. Amit went on a trip to Uttarakhand, India. While driving, he observes a bridge in the shape of a trapezium. Let AC and BD be the diagonals of the bridge, which intersect each other at a point 0 .


Which of the following statement is correct regarding to similarity of triangles?
A. $\triangle A O D \sim \triangle C O B$ by SAS similarity rule
B. $\triangle A O B \sim \triangle C O D$ by SAS similarity rule
C. $\triangle A O D \sim \Delta C O B$ by AA similarity rule
D. $\triangle A O B \sim \Delta C O D$ by AA similarity rule

## Answer: C

7. Amit went on a trip to Uttarakhand, India. While driving, he observes a bridge in the shape of a trapezium. Let AC and BD be the diagonals of the bridge, which intersect each other at a point 0 .


If $A D=15 \mathrm{~cm}, O C=3 \mathrm{~cm}, O A=5 \mathrm{~cm}$, then the lenght of $B C$ is.
A. 3 cm
B. 9 cm
C. 15 cm
D. 20 cm

## Answer: B

8. Amit went on a trip to Uttarakhand, India. While driving, he observes a bridge in the shape of a trapezium. Let AC and BD be the diagonals of the bridge, which intersect each other at a point 0 .


If

$$
O A=3 x-1, O B=6 x-5, O C=5 x-3 \text { and } O D=2 x+1,
$$ then the value of x is:

A. 1
B. 2
C. 4
D. 6

## Answer: B

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9. Amit went on a trip to Uttarakhand, India. While driving, he observes a bridge in the shape of a trapezium. Let AC and BD be the diagonals of the bridge, which intersect each other at a point O .


If $O A=2 \mathrm{~cm}, O C=3 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $O D=4 \mathrm{~cm}$, then $\mathrm{OB}=$
A. 2 cm
B. 4 cm
C. 6 cm
D. 8 cm

## Answer: C

10. Amit went on a trip to Uttarakhand, India. While driving, he observes a bridge in the shape of a trapezium. Let $A C$ and $B D$ be the diagonals of the bridge, which intersect each other at a point O .


One of the angle property used, if any, in proving the similarity triangles in part (A), is:
A. Corresponding angles property of parallel lines
B. Alternate angles property of parallel lines
C. Interior angles property of parallel lines
D. None of the above

## Answer: B

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