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Exercise 6 1

1. Give two different examples of pair of , - similar figures.

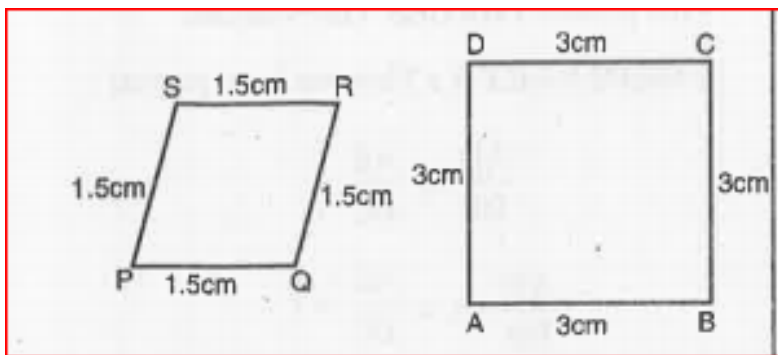


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2. Give two different examples of pair of , - non-similar figures.

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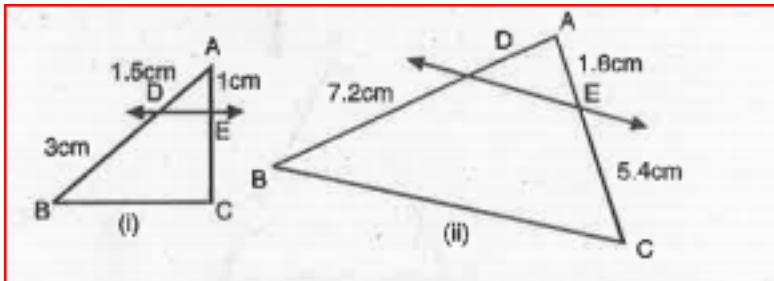
3. State whether the following quadrilaterals are similar or not :-



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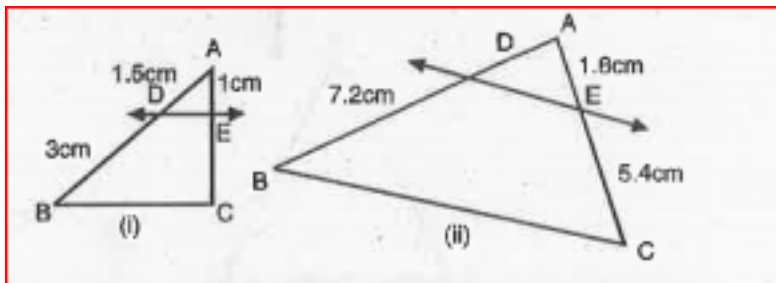
Exercise 6 2

1. In fig. (i) and (ii), $DE \parallel BC$. Find EC in (i) and AD in (ii).



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3. E and F are points on the sides PQ and PR respectively of a $\angle PQR$. For each of the following cases, state whether $EF \parallel QR$: PE = 3.9 cm, EQ = 3 cm, PF = 3.6 cm and FR = 2.4 cm.



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4. E and F are points on the sides PQ and PR respectively of a ΔPQR . For each of the following series, state whether $EF \parallel QR$:

$PE = 4\text{cm}$, $QE = 4.5\text{cm}$, $PF = 8\text{cm}$ and $RE = 9$



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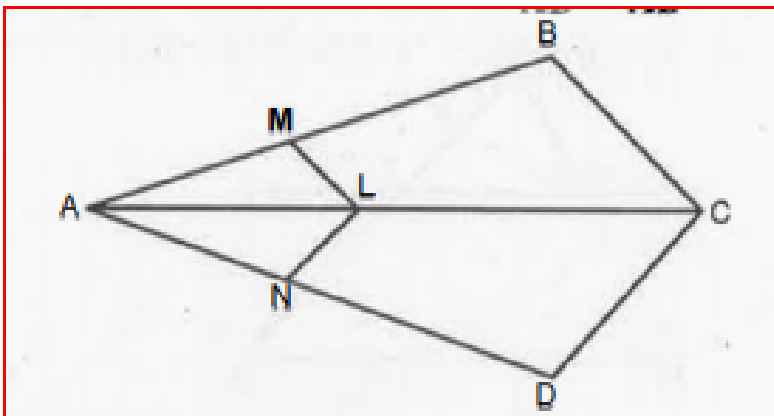
5. E and F are points on the sides PQ and PR respectively of a ΔPQR . For each of the

following cases, state whether $EF \parallel QR : PQ = 1.28$
cm, $PR = 2.56$ cm, $PE = 0.18$ cm and $PF = 0.36$ cm.

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6. In fig., $LM \parallel CB$, and $LN \parallel CD$. Prove that

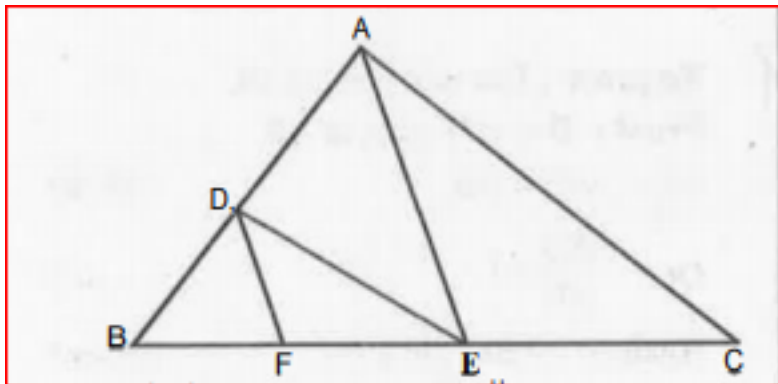
$$\frac{AM}{AB} = \frac{AN}{AD} .$$



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7. In fig. $DE \parallel AC$, and $DF \parallel AE$ prove that

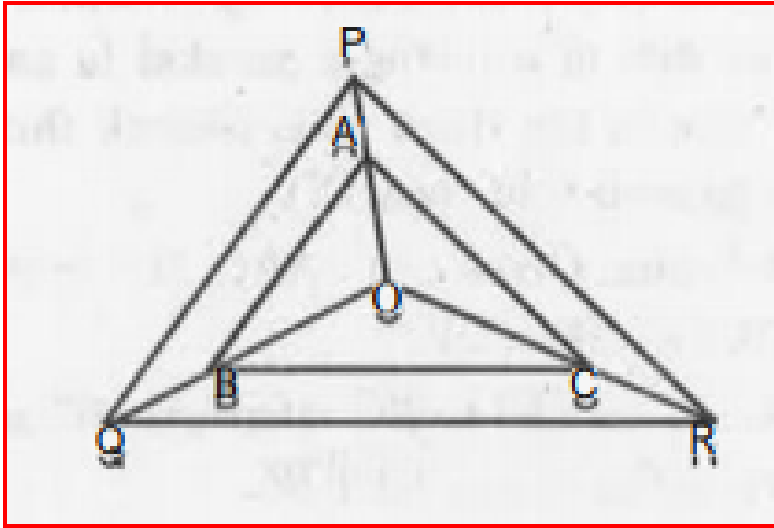
$$\frac{BF}{EF} = \frac{BE}{EC}.$$



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8. In fig., A, B and C are points on OP, OQ and OR respectively such that $AB \parallel PQ$ and $AC \parallel PR$. Show

that $BC \parallel QR$.



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9. ABCD is a trapezium in which $AB \parallel DC$ and its diagonals intersect each other at the point O.

show that $\frac{AO}{BO} = \frac{CO}{DO}$.

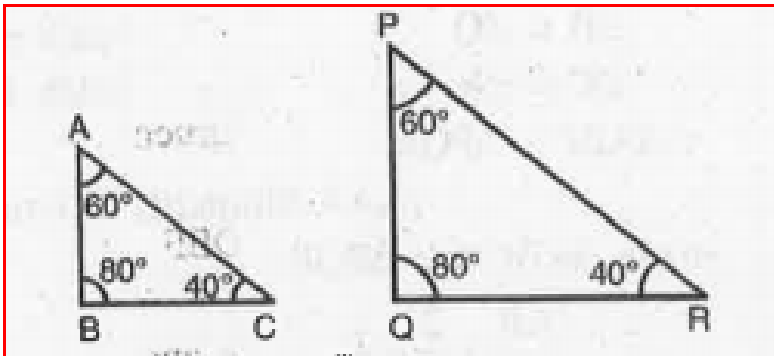


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Exercise 6 3

1. State which pairs of triangles in Fig. are similar.

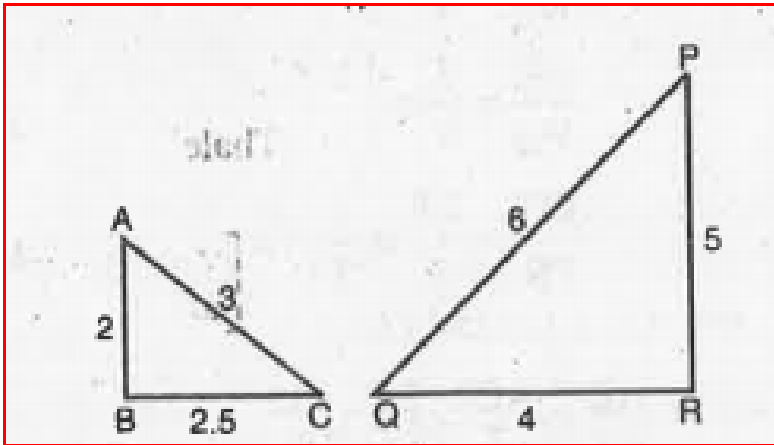
Write the similarity criterion used by you for answering the question and also write the pairs of similar triangles in the symbolic form :



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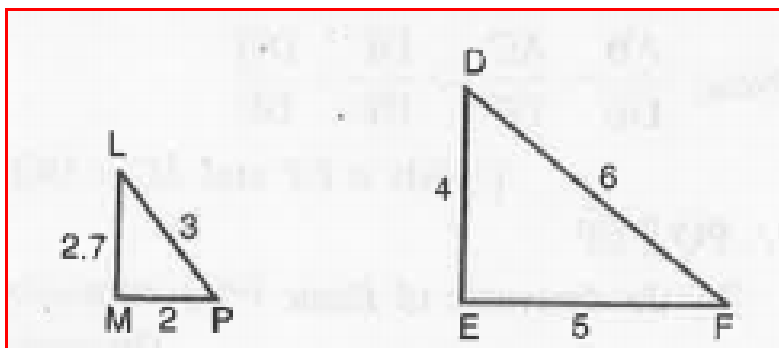
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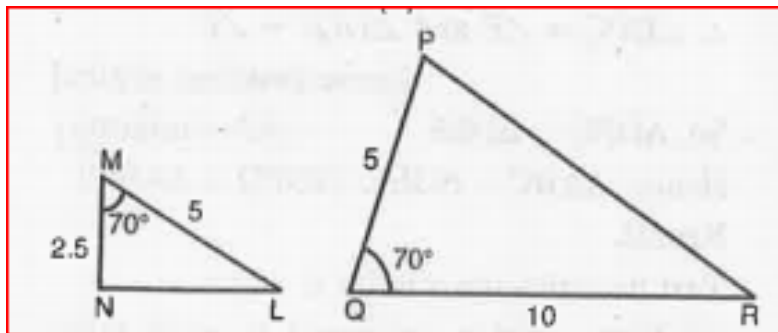


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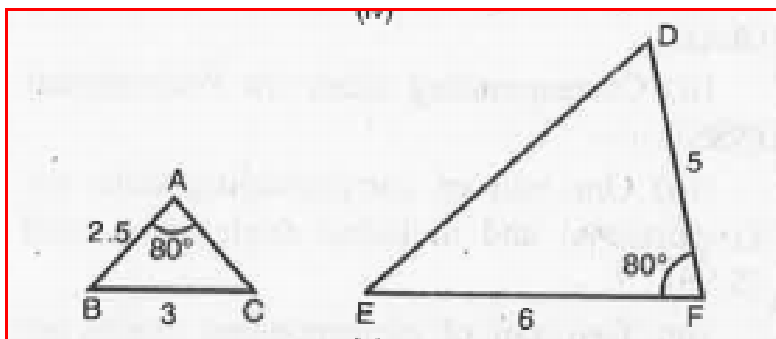


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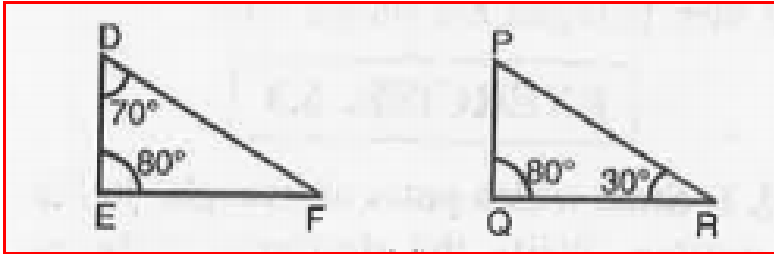


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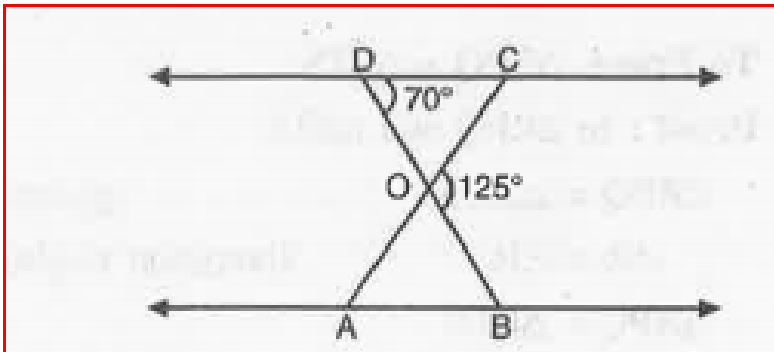
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of similar triangles in the symbolic form :



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7. In fig., $\triangle ODC \sim \triangle OBA$, $\angle BOC = 125^\circ$ and $\angle CDO = 70^\circ$. Find $\angle DOC$, $\angle DCO$ and $\angle OAB$.

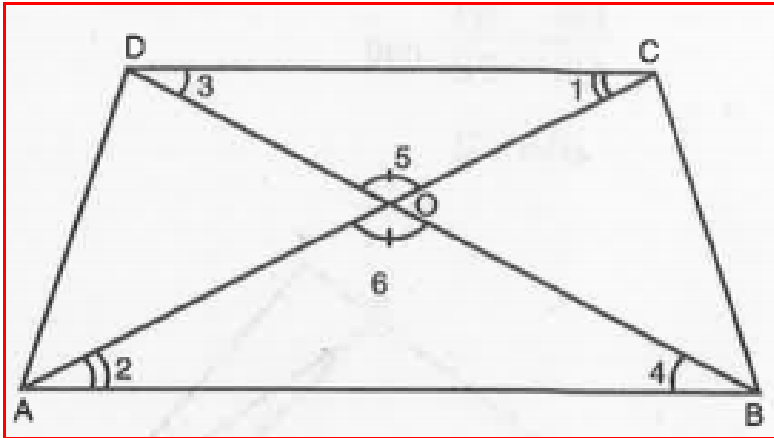




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8. Diagonals AC and BD of a trapezium ABCD with $AB \parallel DC$ intersect each other at the point O. Using a similarity criterion for two triangles, show that

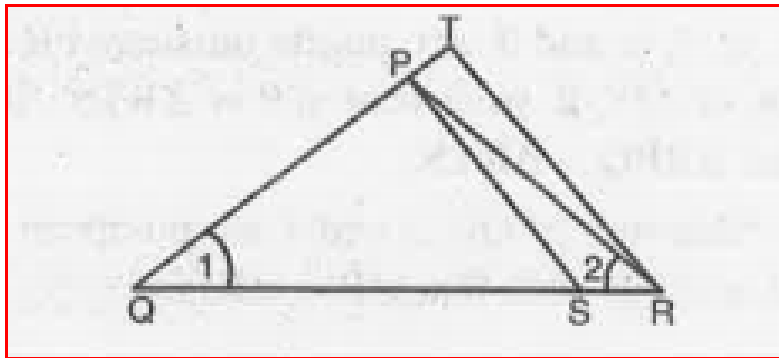
$$\frac{OA}{OC} = \frac{OB}{OD}.$$



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9. In fig., $\frac{QR}{QS} = \frac{QT}{PR}$ and $\angle 1 = \angle 2$. Show that

$\triangle PQS \sim \triangle TQR$.



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10. D is a point on side BC of $\triangle ABC$ such that $AD = AC$ (see Fig. 7.47). Show that $AB > AD$.

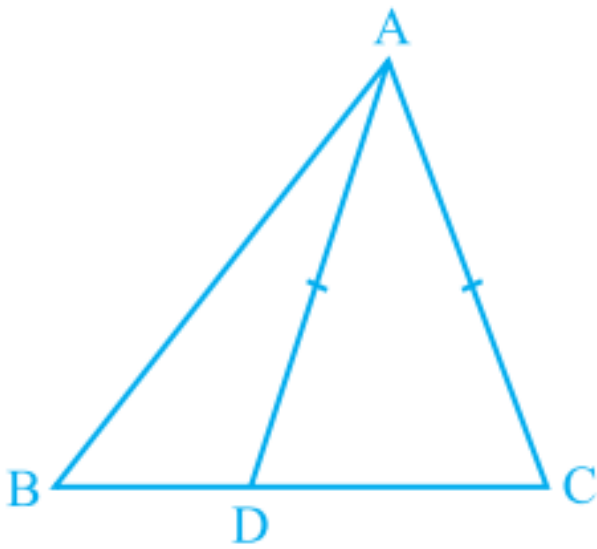
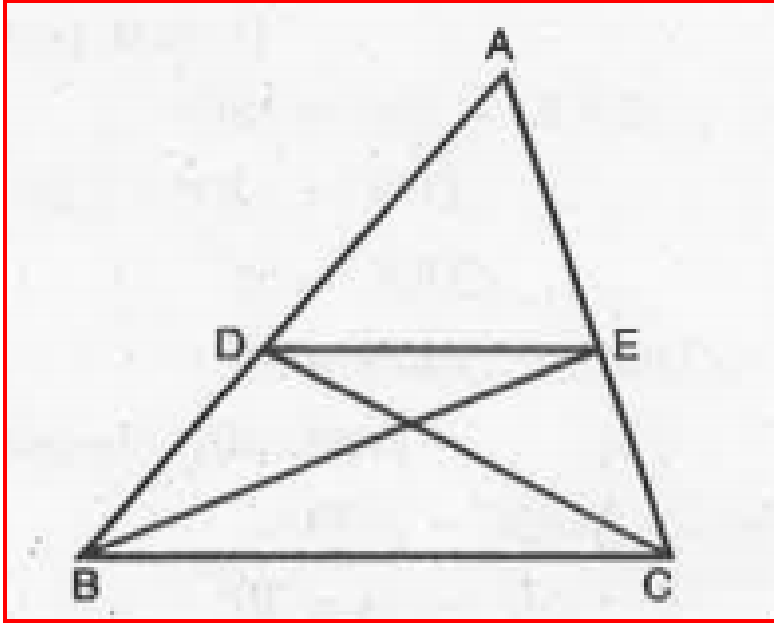


Fig. 7.47



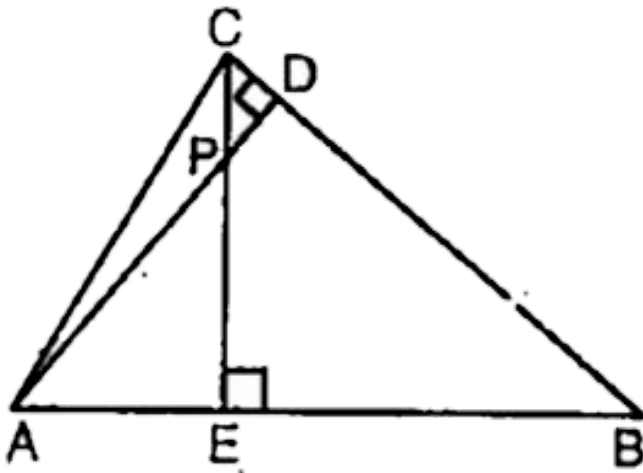
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- 11.** In figure $\triangle ABE = \triangle ACD$ show that $\triangle ADE \sim \triangle ABC$.



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12. In figure, altitudes AD and CE of $\triangle ABC$ intersect each other at the point P . show that:

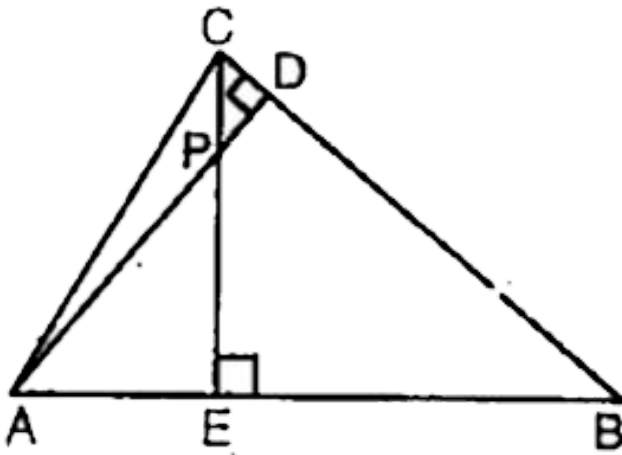


$$\Delta AEP \sim \Delta CDP$$



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13. In figure, altitudes AD and CE of ΔABC intersect each other at the point P. show that:



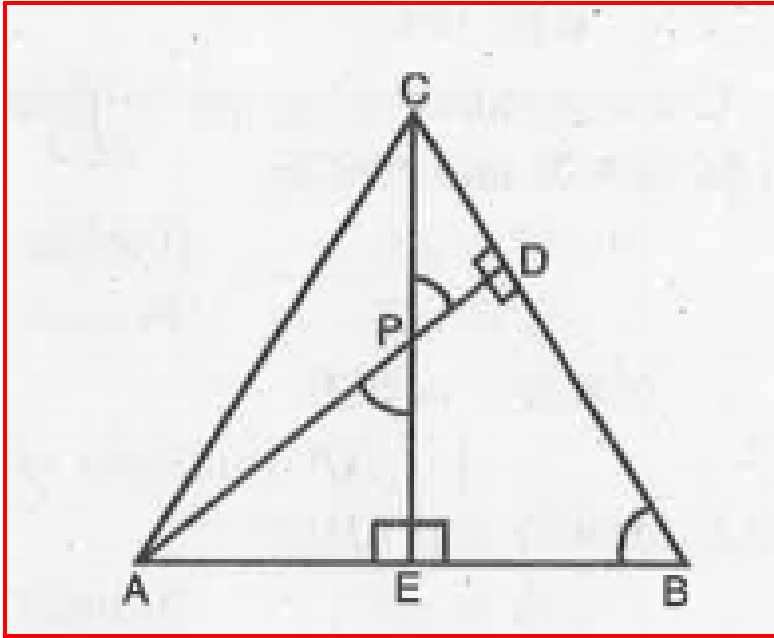
$$\triangle ABD \sim \triangle CBE$$



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14. In Fig., altitudes AD and CE of $\triangle ABC$ intersect each other at the point P . Show that :-

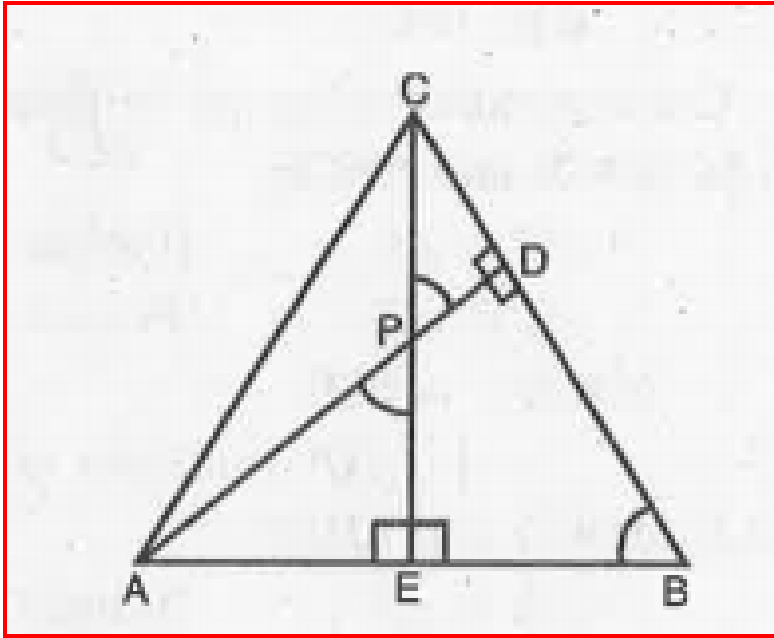
$\triangle AEP \sim \triangle ADB$.



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15. In Fig., altitudes AD and CE of $\triangle ABC$ intersect each other at the point P . Show that :-

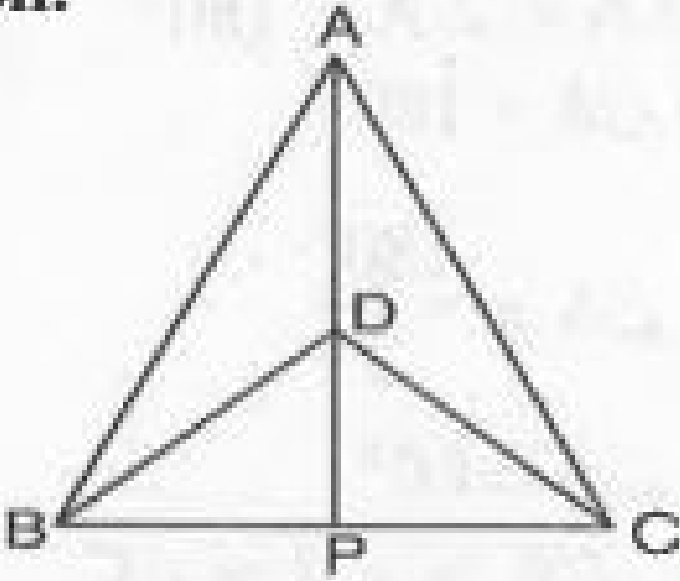
$\triangle PDC \sim \triangle BEC$.



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16. $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle DBC$ are two isosceles triangles on the same base BC and vertices A and D are on the same side of BC (See Fig.

1011.



).If AD is

extended to intersect BC at P, show that

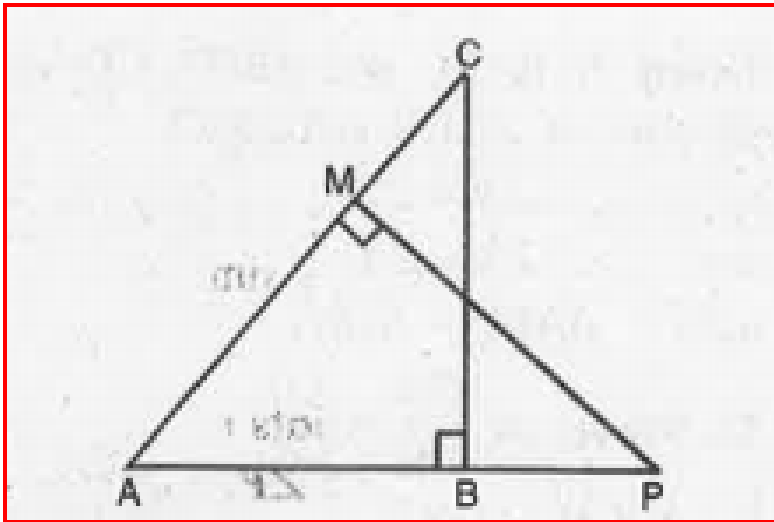
$$\triangle ABP \cong \triangle ACP.$$



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17. In Fig., ABC and AMP are two right triangles, right angled at B and M respectively. Prove that :-

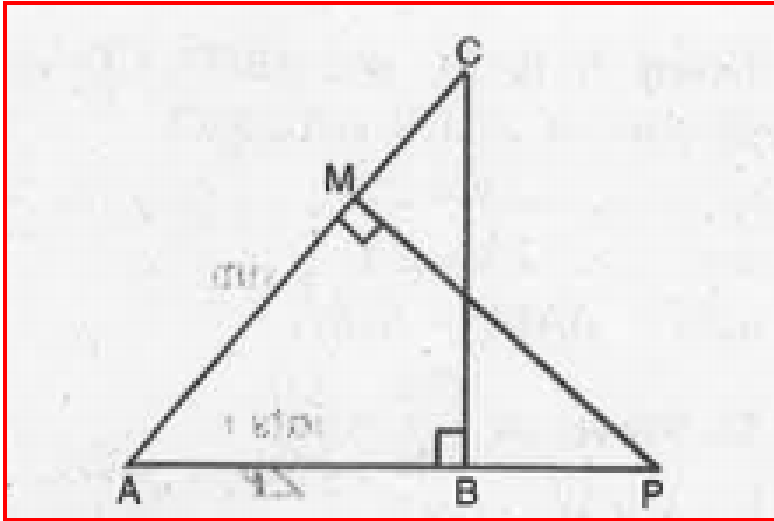
$\triangle ABC \sim \triangle AMP$.



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18. In Fig., ABC and AMP are two right triangles, right angled at B and M respectively. Prove that :-

$$\frac{CA}{PA} = \frac{BC}{MP}.$$



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19. CD and GH are respectively the bisectors of $\angle ACB$ and $\angle EGF$ such that D and H lie on sides AB and FE of $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle EFG$ respectively.

If $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle FEG$, show that $:- \frac{CD}{GH} = \frac{AC}{FG}$.



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20. CD and GH are respectively the bisectors of $\angle ACB$ and $\angle EGF$ such that D and H lie on sides AB and FE of $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle EFG$ respectively. If $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle FEG$, show that :- $\triangle DCB \sim \triangle HGE$.



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21. CD and GH are respectively the bisectors of $\angle ACB$ and $\angle EGF$ such that D and H lie on sides

AB and FE of $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle EFG$ respectively.

If $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle FEG$, show that :-

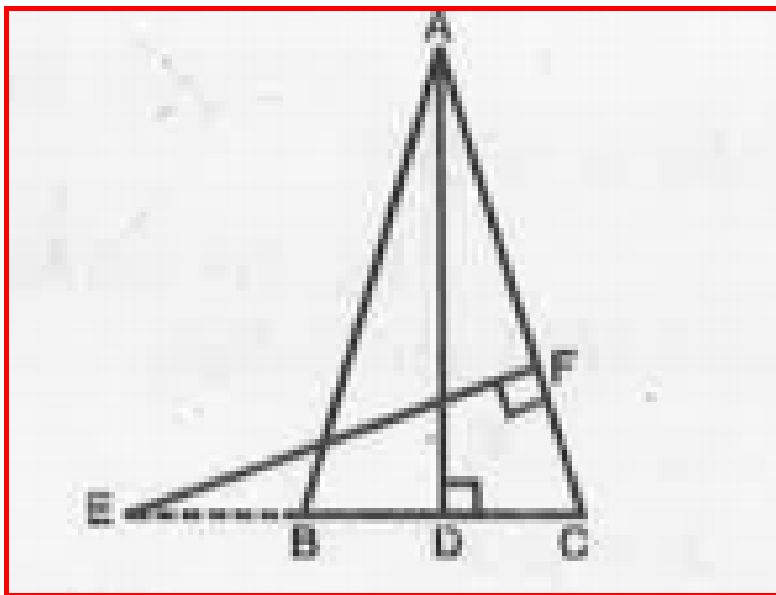
$\triangle DCB \sim \triangle HGE$.



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22. In Fig., E is a point on side CB produced of an isosceles triangle ABC with $AB = AC$. If $AD \perp BC$

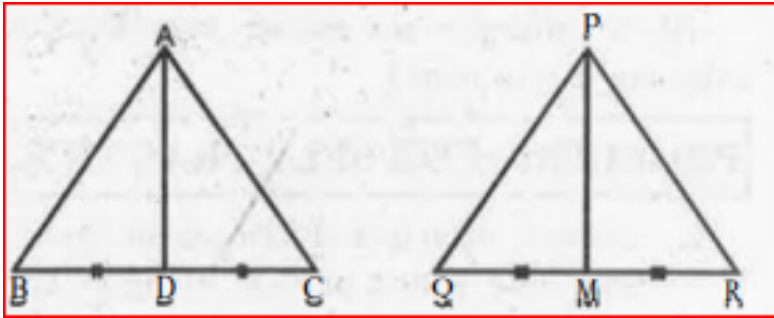
and $EF \perp AC$, prove that $\triangle ABD \sim \triangle ECF$.



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23. If AD and PM are medians of triangles ABC and PQR, respectively where $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle PQR$,

Prove that $\frac{AB}{PQ} = \frac{AD}{PM}$.



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Exercise 6 4

1. Let $\Delta ABC \sim \Delta DEF$ and their areas be, respectively, 64 cm^2 and 121 cm^2 . If $EF = 15.4 \text{ cm}$, find BC .



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2. Diagonals of a trapezium ABCD with $AB \parallel DC$ intersect each other at the point O. If $AB = 2 CD$, find the ratio of the areas of triangles AOB and COD.



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



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4. If D,E and F are respectively, the mid-points of AB,AC and BC in $\triangle ABC$, then BE+AF is equal to



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5. Prove that the areas of the equilateral triangle described on the side of a square is equal to half the area of the equilateral triangle described on one of its diagonal.



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6. If $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle BDE$ are two equilateral triangles such that D is the mid-point of BC , then find

$$ar(\triangle ABC) : ar(\triangle BDE)$$

A. 2:1

B. 1:2

C. 4:1

D. 1:4

Answer: C



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7. Tick the correct answer and justify : Sides of two similar triangles are in the ratio 4:9. Areas of these triangles are in the ratio

A. 2 : 3

B. 4 : 9

C. 81 : 16

D. 16 : 81

Answer: D



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Exercise 6 5

1. Sides of triangles are given below. Determine which of them are right triangles. In case of a right triangle, write the length of its hypotenuse.

:- 7 cm, 24 cm, 25 cm



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2. Sides of triangles are given below. Determine which of them are right triangles. In case of a

right triangle, write the length of its hypotenuse.

:- 3 cm, 8 cm, 6 cm.



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3. Sides of triangles are given below. Determine which of them are right triangles. In case of a right triangle, write the length of its hypotenuse.

:- 50 cm, 80 cm, 100 cm.



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4. Sides of triangles are given below. Determine which of them are right triangles. In case of a right triangle, write the length of its hypotenuse.

:- 13 cm, 12 cm, 5 cm.



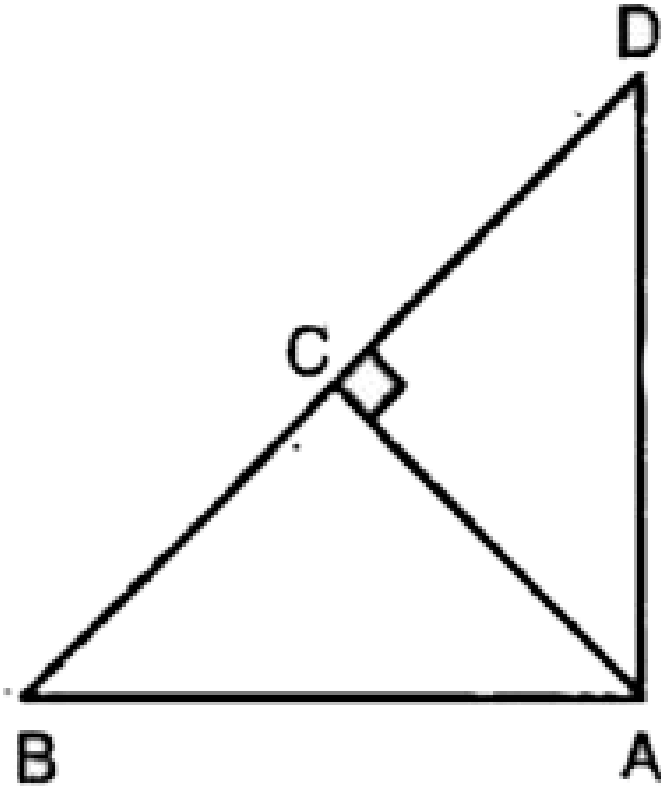
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5. PQR is a triangle right angled at P and M is a point on QR such that $PM \perp QR$. Show that $PM^2 = QM.MR$.



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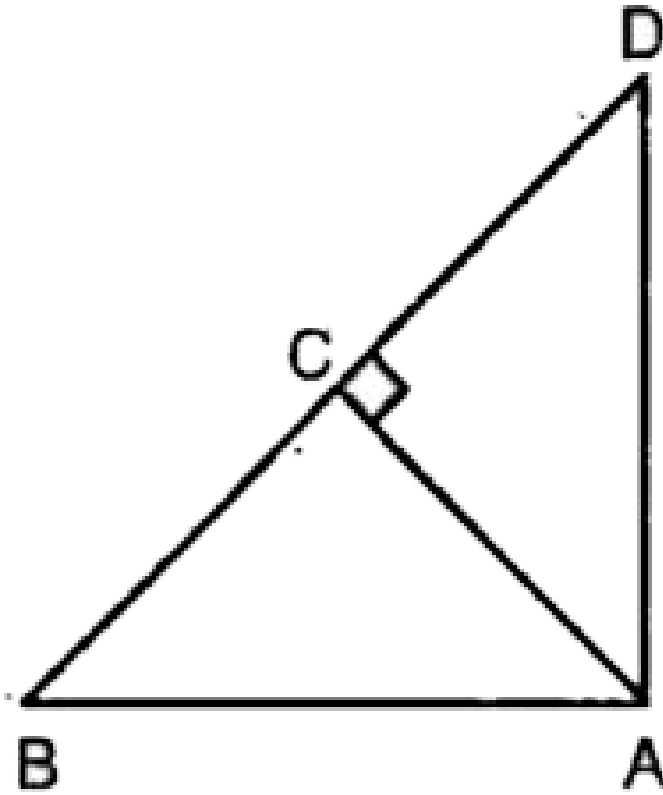
6. In $\triangle ABD$ is a triangle right angled at A and $AC \perp BD$. Show that $AB^2 = BC \cdot BD$.



$$AB^2 = BC \cdot BD$$

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7. In $\triangle ABC$ is a triangle right angled at A and $AC \perp BD$. Show that $\triangle BDC$ is right angled at C and $AC \perp BD$. Show that

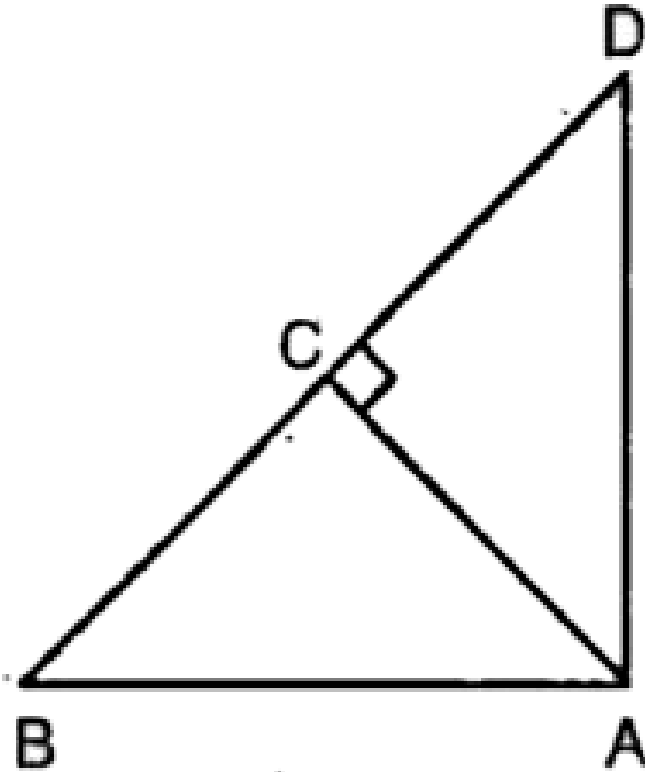


$$AC^2 = BC \cdot DC$$



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8. In $\triangle ABD$ is a triangle right angled at A and $AC \perp BD$. Show that $AD^2 = BD \cdot CD$.



$$AD^2 = BD \cdot CD$$



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9. ABC is an isosceles triangle right angled at C.

Prove that $AB^2 = 2AC^2$.



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10. ABC is an isosceles triangle with $AC = BC$. If

$AB^2 = 2AC^2$, prove that ABC is right triangle.



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11. ABC is an equilateral triangle of side $2a$. Find each of its altitudes.



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12. A ladder 10 m long reaches a window 8 m above the ground. Find the distance of the foot of the ladder from base of the wall.



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13. D and E are points on the sides CA and CB respectively of a triangle ABC right angled at C.

Prove that $AE^2 + BD^2 = AB^2 + DE^2$.



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14. In an equilateral triangle, prove that three times the square of one side is equal to four times the square of one of its altitudes.

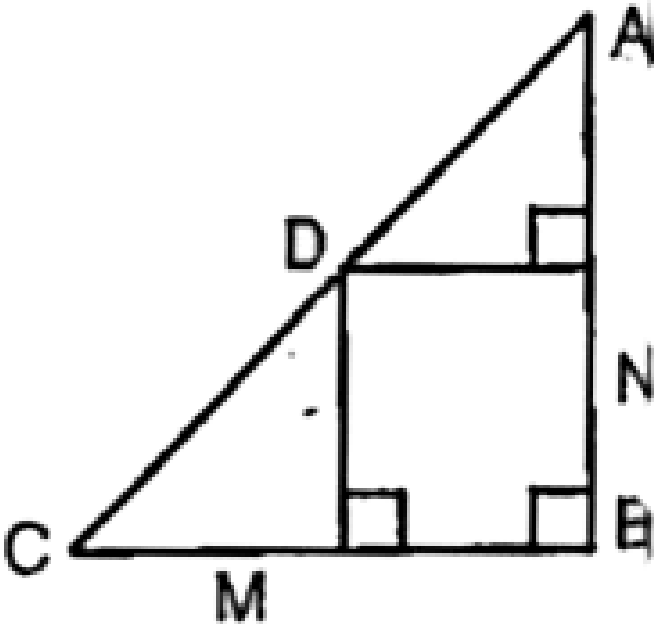


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1. In figure , D is point on hypotenuse AC of $\triangle ABC$, $BD \perp AC$, $DM \perp BC$ and $DN \perp AB$.

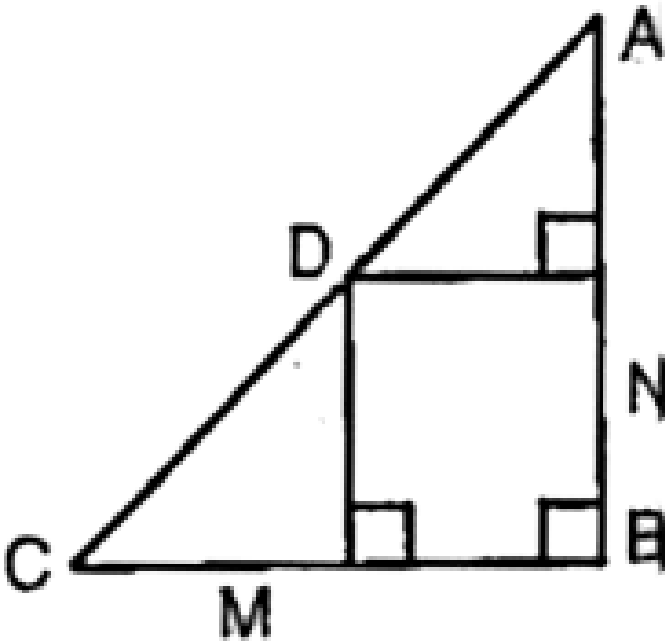
Prove that



$$DM^2 = DN \cdot MC$$

2. In figure , D is point on hypotenuse AC of ΔABC , $BD \perp AC$, $DM \perp BC$ and $DN \perp AB$.

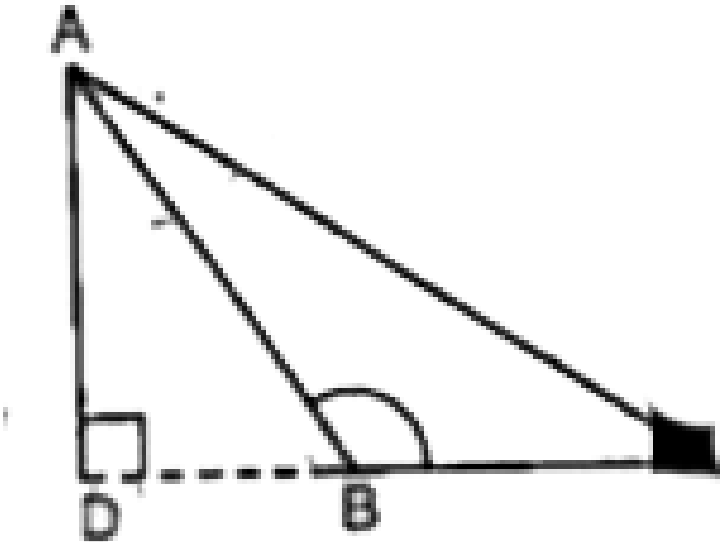
Prove that



$$DN^2 = DM \cdot AN$$

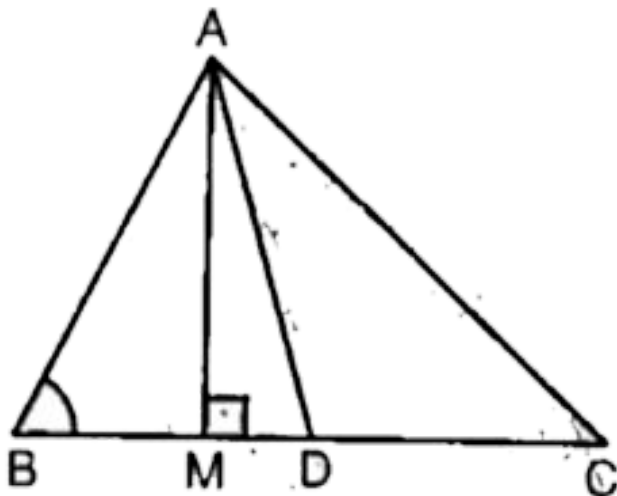
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3. In figure, ABC is a triangle in which $\angle ABC > 90^\circ$ and $AD \perp CB$ produced. Prove that $AC^2 = AB^2 + BC^2 + 2BCBD$.



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4. In figure, AD is a median of a triangle ABC and $AM \perp BC$. Prove that



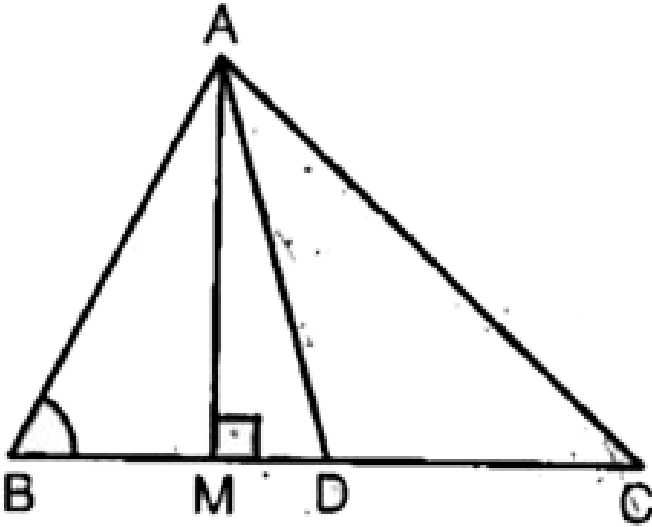
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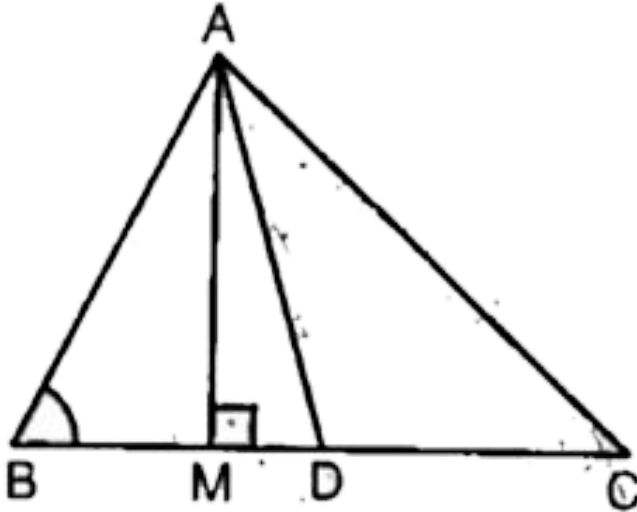
$$AB^2 = AD^2 - BC \cdot DM + \left(\frac{BC}{2}\right)^2$$



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6. In figure, AD is a median of a triangle ABC and

$AM \perp BC$. Prove that



$$AC^2 + AB^2 = 2AD^2 + \frac{1}{2}BC^2.$$



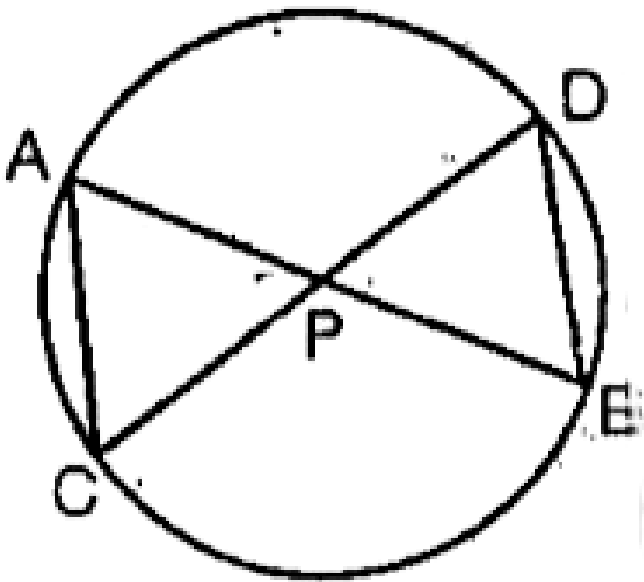
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7. Prove that sum of squares of the diagonals of a parallelogram is equal to sum of squares of its sides.



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8. In two chords AB and CD intersect each AB and CD intersect each other at the point P. Prove that

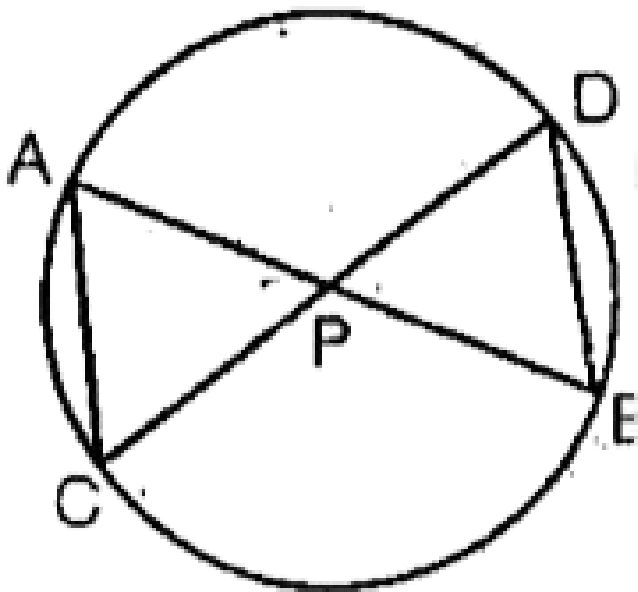


$$\triangle APC \sim \triangle DPB$$



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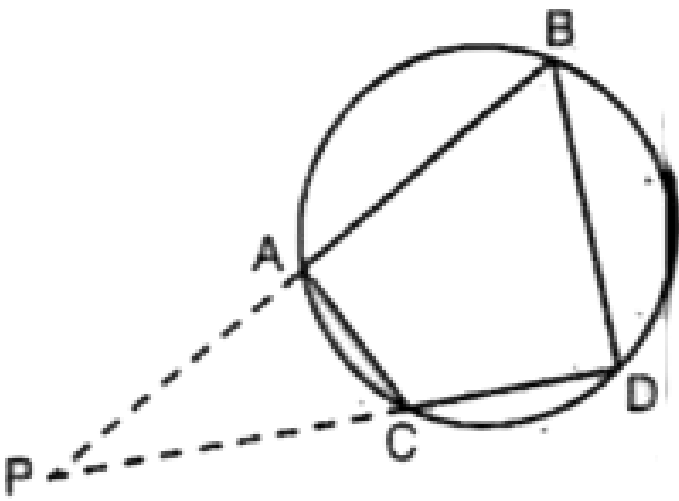


$$AP \cdot PB = CP \cdot DP$$



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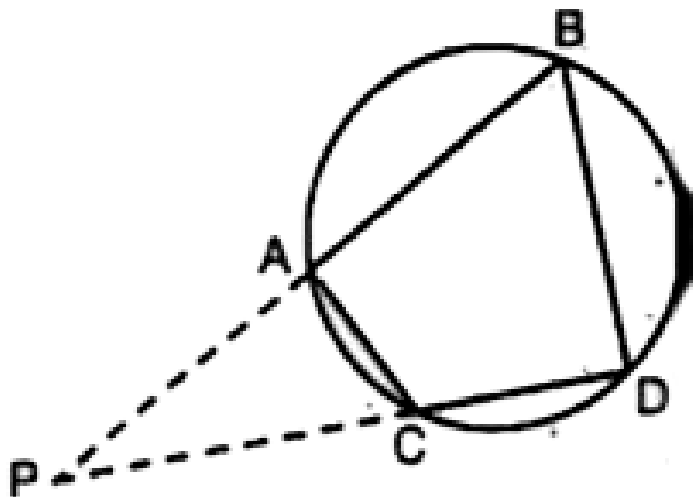
10. In two chords AB and CD of a circle intersect each other at the point P (when produced) outside the circle. Prove that



$$\Delta PAC \sim PDB$$

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$$PA \cdot PB = PC \cdot PD$$



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