

Exercise: 6.3

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1. In Fig. 6.39, sides QP and RQ of  $\Delta PQR$  are produced to points S and T respectively. If  $\angle SPR = 135^\circ$  and  $\angle PQT = 110^\circ$ , find  $\angle PRQ$ .

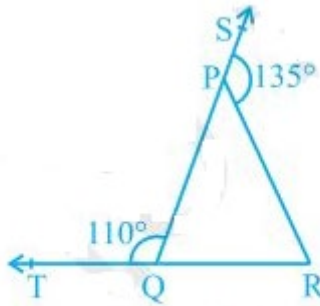


Fig. 6.39

**Solution:**

It is given the TQR is a straight line and so, the linear pairs (i.e.  $\angle TQP$  and  $\angle PQR$ ) will add up to  $180^\circ$

$$\text{So, } \angle TQP + \angle PQR = 180^\circ$$

Now, putting the value of  $\angle TQP = 110^\circ$  we get,

$$\angle PQR = 70^\circ$$

Consider the  $\Delta PQR$ ,

Here, the side QP is extended to S and so,  $\angle SPR$  forms the exterior angle.

Thus,  $\angle SPR$  ( $\angle SPR = 135^\circ$ ) is equal to the sum of interior opposite angles. (triangle property)

$$\text{Or, } \angle PQR + \angle PRQ = 135^\circ$$

Now, putting the value of  $\angle PQR = 70^\circ$  we get,

$$\angle PRQ = 135^\circ - 70^\circ$$

$$\text{Or, } \angle PRQ = 65^\circ$$

2. In Fig. 6.40,  $\angle X = 62^\circ$ ,  $\angle XYZ = 54^\circ$ . If YO and ZO are the bisectors of  $\angle XYZ$  and  $\angle XZY$  respectively of  $\Delta XYZ$ , find  $\angle OZY$  and  $\angle YOZ$ .

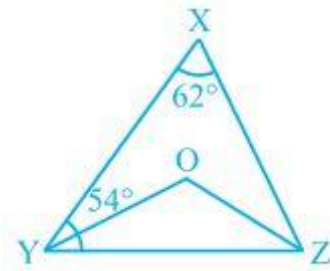


Fig. 6.40

**Solution:**

We know that the sum of the interior angles of the triangle.

$$\text{So, } \angle X + \angle XYZ + \angle XZY = 180^\circ$$

Putting the values as given in the question we get,

$$62^\circ + 54^\circ + \angle XZY = 180^\circ$$

$$\text{Or, } \angle XZY = 64^\circ$$

Now, we know that ZO is the bisector so,

$$\angle OZY = \frac{1}{2} \angle XZY$$

$$\therefore \angle OZY = 32^\circ$$

Similarly, YO is a bisector and so,

$$\angle OYZ = \frac{1}{2} \angle XYZ$$

$$\text{Or, } \angle OYZ = 27^\circ \text{ (As } \angle XYZ = 54^\circ)$$

Now, as the sum of the interior angles of the triangle,

$$\angle OZY + \angle OYZ + \angle O = 180^\circ$$

Putting their respective values we get,

$$\angle O = 180^\circ - 32^\circ - 27^\circ$$

$$\text{Or, } \angle O = 121^\circ$$

3. In Fig. 6.41, if  $AB \parallel DE$ ,  $\angle BAC = 35^\circ$  and  $\angle CDE = 53^\circ$ , find  $\angle DCE$ .

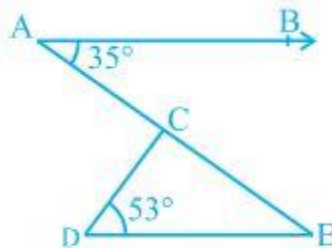


Fig. 6.41

**Solution:**

We know that AE is a transversal since  $AB \parallel DE$

Here  $\angle BAC$  and  $\angle AED$  are alternate interior angles.

Hence,  $\angle BAC = \angle AED$

It is given that  $\angle BAC = 35^\circ$

$\Rightarrow \angle AED = 35^\circ$

Now consider the triangle CDE. We know that the sum of the interior angles of a triangle is  $180^\circ$ .

$\therefore \angle DCE + \angle CED + \angle CDE = 180^\circ$

Putting the values we get

$\angle DCE + 35^\circ + 53^\circ = 180^\circ$

Or,  $\angle DCE = 92^\circ$

4. In Fig. 6.42, if lines PQ and RS intersect at point T, such that  $\angle PRT = 40^\circ$ ,  $\angle RPT = 95^\circ$  and  $\angle TSQ = 75^\circ$ , find  $\angle SQT$ .

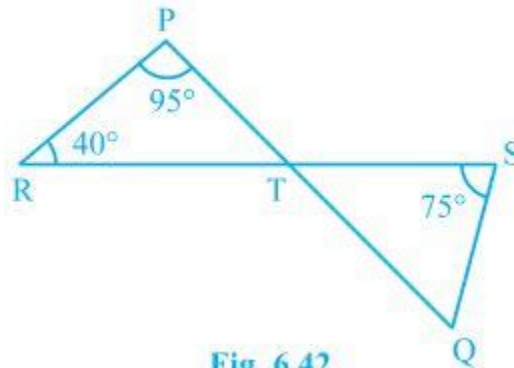


Fig. 6.42

**Solution:**

Consider triangle PRT.

$\angle PRT + \angle RPT + \angle PTR = 180^\circ$

So,  $\angle PTR = 45^\circ$

Now  $\angle PTR$  will be equal to  $\angle STQ$  as they are vertically opposite angles.

So,  $\angle PTR = \angle STQ = 45^\circ$

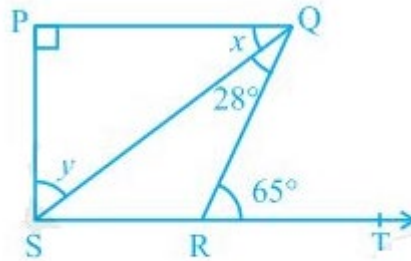
Again in triangle STQ,

$\angle TSQ + \angle PTR + \angle SQT = 180^\circ$

Solving this we get,

$\angle SQT = 60^\circ$

5. In Fig. 6.43, if  $PQ \perp PS$ ,  $PQ \parallel SR$ ,  $\angle SQR = 28^\circ$  and  $\angle QRT = 65^\circ$  then find the values of  $x$  and  $y$ .



**Fig. 6.43**

**Solution:**

$x + \angle SQR = \angle QRT$  (As they are alternate angles since QR is transversal)

So,  $x + 28^\circ = 65^\circ$

$\therefore x = 37^\circ$

It is also known that alternate interior angles are same and so,

$\angle QSR = x = 37^\circ$

also,

Now,

$\angle QRS + \angle QRT = 180^\circ$  (As they are a Linear pair)

Or,  $\angle QRS + 65^\circ = 180^\circ$

So,  $\angle QRS = 115^\circ$

Now, we know that the sum of the angles in a quadrilateral is  $360^\circ$ . So,

$\angle P + \angle Q + \angle R + \angle S = 360^\circ$

Putting their respective values we get,

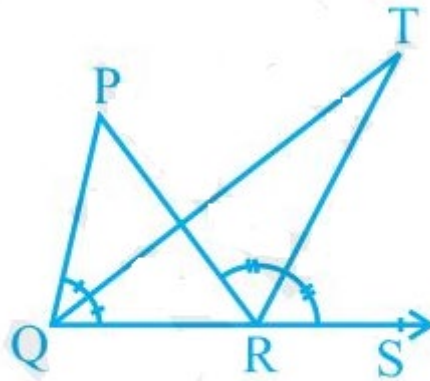
$\angle S = 360^\circ - 90^\circ - 65^\circ - 115^\circ$

Or,  $\angle QSR + y = 360^\circ$

$\Rightarrow y = 360^\circ - 90^\circ - 65^\circ - 115^\circ - 37^\circ$

Or,  $y = 53^\circ$

6. In Fig. 6.44, the side QR of  $\triangle PQR$  is produced to a point S. If the bisectors of  $\angle PQR$  and  $\angle PRS$  meet at point T, then prove that  $\angle QTR = \frac{1}{2} \angle QPR$ .



**Fig. 6.44**

**Solution:**

Consider the  $\Delta PQR$ .  $\angle PRS$  is the exterior angle and  $\angle QPR$  and  $\angle PQR$  are interior angles.

So,  $\angle PRS = \angle QPR + \angle PQR$  (According to triangle property)

Or,  $\angle PRS - \angle PQR = \angle QPR$  -----(i)

Now, consider the  $\Delta QRT$ ,

$\angle TRS = \angle TQR + \angle QTR$

Or,  $\angle QTR = \angle TRS - \angle TQR$

We know that  $QT$  and  $RT$  bisect  $\angle PQR$  and  $\angle PRS$  respectively.

So,  $\angle PRS = 2 \angle TRS$  and  $\angle PQR = 2 \angle TQR$

Now,  $\angle QTR = \frac{1}{2} \angle PRS - \frac{1}{2} \angle PQR$

Or,  $\angle QTR = \frac{1}{2} (\angle PRS - \angle PQR)$

From (i) we know that  $\angle PRS - \angle PQR = \angle QPR$

So,  $\angle QTR = \frac{1}{2} \angle QPR$  (hence proved).