

Exercise 9.4(Optional)*

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1. Parallelogram ABCD and rectangle ABEF are on the same base AB and have equal areas. Show that the perimeter of the parallelogram is greater than that of the rectangle. Solution:



Given,

 \parallel gm ABCD and a rectangle ABEF have the same base AB and equal areas. To prove,

Perimeter of || gm ABCD is greater than the perimeter of rectangle ABEF.

Proof,

We know that, the opposite sides of all gm and rectangle are equal.

 $\therefore, AB = DC \quad [As ABCD is a \parallel gm]$ and, $AB = EF \quad [As ABEF is a rectangle]$ $\therefore, DC = EF \qquad \dots (i)$ Adding AB on both sides, we get, $\Rightarrow AB + DC = AB + EF \qquad \dots (ii)$

We know that, the perpendicular segment is the shortest of all the segments that can be drawn to a given line from a point not lying on it.

∴, BE < BC and AF < AD
⇒ BC > BE and AD > AF
⇒ BC + AD > BE + AF ... (iii)
Adding (ii) and (iii), we get
AB + DC + BC + AD > AB + EF + BE + AF
⇒ AB + BC + CD + DA > AB + BE + EF + FA
⇒ perimeter of || gm ABCD > perimeter of rectangle ABEF.
∴, the perimeter of the parallelogram is greater than that of the rectangle.

Hence Proved.

2. In Fig. 9.30, D and E are two points on BC such that BD = DE = EC.

Show that ar (ABD) = ar (ADE) = ar (AEC). Can you now answer the question that you have left in the 'Introduction' of this chapter, whether the field of Budhia has been actually divided into three parts of equal area?

[<u>Remark:</u> Note that by taking BD = DE = EC, the triangle ABC is divided into three triangles ABD, ADE and AEC of equal areas. In the same way, by dividing BC into *n* equal parts and joining the points of division so obtained to the opposite vertex of BC, you can divide DABC into *n* triangles of equal areas.]





Solution:

Given, BD = DE = ECTo prove, ar $(\triangle ABD) = ar (\triangle ADE) = ar (\triangle AEC)$ Proof. In ($\triangle ABE$), AD is median [since, BD = DE, given] We know that, the median of a triangle divides it into two parts of equal areas \therefore , ar($\triangle ABD$) = ar($\triangle AED$) ---(i) Similarly, In (\triangle ADC), AE is median [since, DE= EC, given] ar(ADE) = ar(AEC)**∴**, ---(ii) From the equation (i) and (ii), we get ar(ABD) = ar(ADE) = ar(AEC)

3. In Fig. 9.31, ABCD, DCFE and ABFE are parallelograms. Show that ar (ADE) = ar (BCF).



Solution:

Given,

ABCD, DCFE and ABFE are parallelograms

To prove,

ar ($\triangle ADE$) = ar ($\triangle BCF$)

Proof,

In \triangle ADE and \triangle BCF,

AD=BC	[Since, they are the opposite sides of the parallelogram ABCD]
DE = CF	[Since, they are the opposite sides of the parallelogram DCFE]
AE = BF	[Since, they are the opposite sides of the parallelogram ABFE]
\therefore , $\triangle ADE = \triangle B$	CF [Using SSS Congruence theorem]
\therefore , ar(\triangle ADE) =	$ar(\triangle BCF)$ [By CPCT]

4. In Fig. 9.32, ABCD is a parallelogram and BC is produced to a point Q such that AD = CQ. If AQ intersect DC at P, show that ar (BPC) = ar (DPQ). [Hint : Join AC.]





Solution:

Given:			
	ABCD is a parallelogram		
	AD = CQ		
To prov	/e:		
	ar ($\triangle BPC$) = ar ($\triangle DPQ$)		
Proof:			
	In \triangle ADP and \triangle QCP,		
	$\angle APD = \angle QPC$	[Vertically Opposite Angles]	
	$\angle ADP = \angle QCP$	[Alternate Angles]	
	AD=CQ	[given]	
	\therefore , $\triangle ABO = \triangle ACD$	[AAS congruency]	
	\therefore , DP=CP	[CPCT]	
	In \triangle CDQ, QP is median.	[Since, DP=CP]	
	Since, median of a triangle divides it into two parts of equal areas.		
	$\therefore, \operatorname{ar}(\triangle DPQ) = \operatorname{ar}(\triangle QPC) \qquad(i)$		
	In $\triangle PBQ$, PC is median.	[Since, AD= CQ and AD= BC \Rightarrow BC= QC]	
	Since, median of a triangle divides it into two parts of equal areas.		
	$\therefore, \operatorname{ar}(\triangle QPC) = \operatorname{ar}(\triangle BPC) \qquad(ii)$		
	From the equation (i) and (ii), we get		
	$ar(\triangle BPC) = ar(\triangle DPQ)$		

5. In Fig.9.33, ABC and BDE are two equilateral triangles such that D is the mid-point of BC. If AE intersects BC at F, show that:





(i) ar (BDE) =
$$\frac{1}{4}$$
 ar (ABC)
(ii) ar (BDE) = $\frac{1}{2}$ ar (BAE)
(iii) ar (ABC) = 2 ar (BEC)
(iv) ar (BFE) = ar (AFD)
(v) ar (BFE) = 2 ar (FED)
(vi) ar (FED) = $\frac{1}{8}$ ar (AFC)

Solution:

 (i) Assume that G and H are the mid-points of the sides AB and AC respectively. Join the mid-points with line-segment GH. Here, GH is parallel to third side.
 ∴, BC will be half of the length of BC by mid-point theorem.



 \therefore GH = $\frac{1}{2}$ BC and GH || BD

 \therefore GH = BD = DC and GH || BD (Since, D is the mid-point of BC)

Similarly,

GD = HC = HAHD = AG = BG

 \therefore , \triangle ABC is divided into 4 equal equilateral triangles \triangle BGD, \triangle AGH, \triangle DHC and \triangle GHD We can say that,

$$\Delta BGD = \frac{1}{4} \Delta ABC$$

Considering, ΔBDG and ΔBDE BD = BD (Common base) Since both triangles are equilateral triangle, we can say that, BG = BE DG = DE \therefore , $\Delta BDG \cong \Delta BDE$ [By SSS congruency] \therefore , area (ΔBDG) = area (ΔBDE) $ar (\Delta BDE) = \frac{1}{4} ar (\Delta ABC)$

Hence proved





 $ar(\Delta BDE) = ar(\Delta AED)$ (Common base DE and DE||AB) $ar(\Delta BDE) - ar(\Delta FED) = ar(\Delta AED) - ar(\Delta FED)$ $ar(\Delta BEF) = ar(\Delta AFD)$...(i) Now. $ar(\Delta ABD) = ar(\Delta ABF) + ar(\Delta AFD)$ $ar(\Delta ABD) = ar(\Delta ABF) + ar(\Delta BEF)$ [From equation (i)] $ar(\Delta ABD) = ar(\Delta ABE) \dots (ii)$ AD is the median of $\triangle ABC$. $ar(\Delta ABD) = \frac{1}{2} ar (\Delta ABC)$ $=\frac{\overline{4}}{2}$ ar (Δ BDE) = 2 ar (Δ BDE) ...(iii) From (ii) and (iii), we obtain 2 ar (Δ BDE) = ar (Δ ABE) ar (BDE) = $\frac{1}{2}$ ar (BAE) Hence proved

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(iii) ar(\Delta ABE) = ar(\Delta BEC) [Common base BE and BE||AC]

ar(\Delta ABF) + ar(\Delta BEF) = ar(\Delta BEC)

From eq<sup>n</sup> (i), we get,

ar(\Delta ABF) + ar(\Delta AFD) = ar(\Delta BEC)

ar(\Delta ABD) = ar(\Delta BEC)

\frac{1}{2}ar(\Delta ABC) = ar(\Delta BEC)

ar(\Delta ABC) = 2 ar(\Delta BEC)

Hence proved
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(iv) ΔBDE and ΔAED lie on the same base (DE) and are in-between the parallel lines DE and AB.
∴ ar (ΔBDE) = ar (ΔAED)
Subtracting ar(ΔFED) from L.H.S and R.H.S,
We get,
∴ ar (ΔBDE) - ar (ΔFED) = ar (ΔAED) - ar (ΔFED)
∴ ar (ΔBFE) = ar (ΔAFD)
Hence proved





- (v) Assume that h is the height of vertex E, corresponding to the side BD in \triangle BDE. Also assume that H is the height of vertex A, corresponding to the side BC in \triangle ABC. While solving Question (i), We saw that, ar (Δ BDE) = $\frac{1}{4}$ ar (Δ ABC) While solving Question (iv), We saw that, ar (Δ BFE)= ar (Δ AFD). \therefore ar (\triangle BFE) = ar (\triangle AFD) $= 2 \text{ ar} (\Delta \text{FED})$ Hence, ar (Δ BFE) = 2 ar (Δ FED) Hence proved ar (ΔAFC) = ar (ΔAFD) + ar(ΔADC) (vi) = 2 ar (Δ FED) + $\frac{1}{2}$ ar(Δ ABC) [using (v) = 2 ar (Δ FED) + $\frac{1}{2}$ [4ar(Δ BDE)] [Using result of Question (i)] = 2 ar (Δ FED) + 2 ar(Δ BDE) Since, \triangle BDE and \triangle AED are on the same base and between same parallels $= 2 \operatorname{ar} (\Delta FED) + 2 \operatorname{ar} (\Delta AED)$ = 2 ar (Δ FED) + 2 [ar (Δ AFD) + ar (Δ FED)] = 2 ar (Δ FED) + 2 ar (Δ AFD) + 2 ar (Δ FED) [From question (viii)] = 4 ar (Δ FED) + 4 ar (Δ FED) \Rightarrow ar (\triangle AFC) = 8 ar (\triangle FED) \Rightarrow ar (Δ FED) = $\frac{1}{8}$ ar (Δ AFC) Hence proved
- 6. Diagonals AC and BD of a quadrilateral ABCD intersect each other at P. Show that ar (APB) × ar (CPD) = ar (APD) × ar (BPC).
 [Hint : From A and C, draw perpendiculars to BD.]
 Solution:

Given:

The diagonal AC and BD of the quadrilateral ABCD, intersect each other at point E.

Construction:

From A, draw AM perpendicular to BD From C, draw CN perpendicular to BD







To Prove,

ar(ΔAED) × ar(ΔBEC) = ar (ΔABE) ×ar (ΔCDE) Proof, ar(ΔABE) = $\frac{1}{2}$ ×BE×AM......i ar(ΔAED) = $\frac{1}{2}$ ×DE×AM.....ii Dividing eq. ii by i, we get, $\frac{ar(\Delta AED)}{ar(\Delta ABE)} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}$ ×DE×AM $\frac{ar(\Delta AED)}{ar(\Delta ABE)} = \frac{DE}{BE}$iii Similarly, $\frac{ar(\Delta CDE)}{ar(\Delta BEC)} = \frac{DE}{BE}$iv From eq. iii and iv, we get $\frac{ar(\Delta AED)}{ar(\Delta BE)} = \frac{ar(\Delta CDE)}{ar(\Delta BEC)}$ \therefore , ar(ΔAED) × ar(ΔBEC) = ar (ΔABE) ×ar (ΔCDE) Hence proved.

- 7. P and Q are respectively the mid-points of sides AB and BC of a triangle ABC and R is the mid-point of AP, show that:
- (i) ar (PRQ) = $\frac{1}{2}$ ar (ARC) (ii) ar (RQC) = $\frac{3}{8}$ ar (ABC) (iii) ar (PBQ) = ar (ARC) Solution: (i)





We know that, median divides the triangle into two triangles of equal area, PC is the median of ABC. ar $(\Delta BPC) = ar (\Delta APC) \dots (i)$ RC is the median of APC. ar ($\triangle ARC$) = $\frac{1}{2}$ ar ($\triangle APC$)(ii) PQ is the median of BPC. ar $(\Delta PQC) = \frac{1}{2}$ ar (ΔBPC) (iii) From eq. (i) and (iii), we get, ar $(\Delta PQC) = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{ar} (\Delta APC) \dots (iv)$ From eq. (ii) and (iv), we get, ar $(\Delta PQC) = ar (\Delta ARC) \dots (v)$ P and Q are the mid-points of AB and BC respectively [given] ∴PQ||AC $PA = \frac{1}{2}AC$ and, Since, triangles between same parallel are equal in area, we get, ar $(\Delta APQ) = ar (\Delta PQC) \dots (vi)$ From eq. (v) and (vi), we obtain, ar $(\Delta APQ) = ar (\Delta ARC) \dots (vii)$ R is the mid-point of AP. \therefore , RQ is the median of APQ. ar $(\Delta PRQ) = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{ar} (\Delta APQ) \dots (viii)$ From (vii) and (viii), we get, ar $(\Delta PRQ) = \frac{1}{2} ar (\Delta ARC)$ Hence Proved.

(ii) PQ is the median of BPC

ar
$$(\Delta PQC) = \frac{1}{2}$$
 ar (ΔBPC)
= $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2}$ ar (ΔABC)



$$= \frac{1}{4} ar (\Delta ABC) \dots(x)$$
Also,
ar (ΔPRC) = $\frac{1}{2} ar (\Delta APC)$ [From (iv)]
ar (ΔPRC) = $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} ar (ABC)$
 $-\frac{1}{4} ar (\Delta BC) \dots(x)$
Add eq. (ix) and (x), we get,
ar (ΔPQC) + ar (ΔPC) - $\frac{1}{4} \times \frac{1}{4} ar (\Delta ABC)$
ar (quad. PQCR) - $\frac{1}{4} \times \frac{1}{4} ar (\Delta ABC)$(xi)
Subtracting ar (ΔPQC) from L.H.S and R.H.S,
ar (quad. PQCR) - ar (ΔPQC) - $\frac{1}{2} ar (\Delta ABC) - ar (\Delta PRQ)$
ar (ΔARC) - $\frac{1}{2} ar (\Delta ABC) - \frac{1}{2} ar (\Delta ABC)$ [From result (i)]
ar (ΔRQC) - $\frac{1}{2} ar (\Delta ABC) - \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{1}{2} ar (\Delta ABC)$
ar (ΔRQC) - $\frac{1}{2} ar (\Delta ABC) - \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{1}{2} ar (\Delta ABC)$ [As, PC is median of ΔABC]
ar (ΔRQC) - $\frac{1}{2} ar (\Delta ABC) - \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{1}{2} ar (\Delta ABC)$ [As, PC is median of ΔABC]
ar (ΔRQC) - $\frac{1}{2} ar (\Delta ABC) - \frac{1}{8} ar (\Delta ABC)$
(iii) ar (ΔPRQ) = $\frac{1}{2} ar (\Delta ARC)$ [From result (i)]
2ar (ΔPRQ) = $\frac{1}{2} ar (\Delta ARC)$ [From result (i)]
2ar (ΔPRQ) = $\frac{1}{2} ar (\Delta ARC)$ [From the reason mentioned in eq. (vi)](xiv)
From eq. (xii) and (xiv), we get,
ar (ΔPRQ) = $\frac{1}{2} ar (\Delta PQC)$ [PQ is the median of APQ](xiv)
At the asame time,
ar (ΔPRQ) = $\frac{1}{2} ar (\Delta APQ)$ [PQ is the median of BPC](xvi)
From eq. (xvi) and (xvi), we get,
 $2x (\Delta PRQ) = \frac{1}{2} ar (\Delta APQ)$ [PQ is the median of BPC](xvi)
From eq. (xvi) and (xvi), we get,
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From eq. (xvi) and (xvi), we get,
 $2x (\Delta PRQ) = ar (\Delta PQC)$ [PQ is the median of BPC](xvi)
From eq. (xii) and (xvi), we get,
 $2x (\Delta BPQ) = ar (\Delta ARC)$
 $\Rightarrow ar (\Delta BPQ) = ar (\Delta ARC)$
 $\Rightarrow ar (\Delta BPQ) = ar (\Delta ARC)$
Hence Proved.



8. In Fig. 9.34, ABC is a right triangle right angled at A. BCED, ACFG and ABMN are squares on the sides BC, CA and AB respectively. Line segment AX ^ DE meets BC at Y. Show that:



Fig. 9.34

- (i) $\Delta MBC \cong \Delta ABD$
- (ii) ar(BYXD) = 2ar(MBC)
- (iii) ar(BYXD) = ar(ABMN)
- (iv) $\Delta FCB \cong \Delta ACE$
- (v) ar(CYXE) = 2ar(FCB)
- (vi) ar(CYXE) = ar(ACFG)
- (vii) ar(BCED) = ar(ABMN) + ar(ACFG)

Note : Result (vii) is the famous Theorem of Pythagoras. You shall learn a simpler proof of this theorem in Class X.

Solution:

(i) We know that each angle of a square is 90°. Hence, $\angle ABM = \angle DBC = 90^{\circ}$ $\therefore \angle ABM + \angle ABC = \angle DBC + \angle ABC$ $\therefore \angle MBC = \angle ABD$

In \triangle MBC and \triangle ABD, \angle MBC = \angle ABD (Proved above) MB = AB (Sides of square ABMN) BC = BD (Sides of square BCED) $\therefore \triangle$ MBC $\cong \triangle$ ABD (SAS congruency)

(ii) We have

 $\Delta MBC \cong \Delta ABD$ $\therefore \text{ ar } (\Delta MBC) = \text{ ar } (\Delta ABD) \dots (i)$ It is given that AX \perp DE and BD \perp DE (Adjacent sides of square BDEC) $\therefore BD \parallel AX \text{ (Two lines perpendicular to same line are parallel to each other)}$



 ΔABD and parallelogram BYXD are on the same base BD and between the same parallels BD and AX. Area (ΔYXD) = 2 Area (ΔMBC) [From equation (i)] ... (ii)

(iii) Δ MBC and parallelogram ABMN are lying on the same base MB and between same parallels MB and NC.

2 ar (Δ MBC) = ar (ABMN) ar (Δ YXD) = ar (ABMN) [From equation (ii)] ... (iii)

- (iv) We know that each angle of a square is 90°. $\therefore \angle FCA = \angle BCE = 90^{\circ}$ $\therefore \angle FCA + \angle ACB = \angle BCE + \angle ACB$ $\therefore \angle FCB = \angle ACE$ In $\triangle FCB$ and $\triangle ACE$, $\angle FCB = \angle ACE$ FC = AC (Sides of square ACFG) CB = CE (Sides of square BCED) $\triangle FCB \cong \triangle ACE$ (SAS congruency)
- (v) AX ⊥ DE and CE ⊥ DE (Adjacent sides of square BDEC) [given] Hence,
 CE || AX (Two lines perpendicular to the same line are parallel to each other)



Consider BACE and parallelogram CYXE BACE and parallelogram CYXE are on the same base CE and between the same parallels CE and AX. \therefore ar (Δ YXE) = 2 ar (Δ ACE) ... (iv) We had proved that $\therefore \Delta$ FCB $\cong \Delta$ ACE ar (Δ FCB) \cong ar (Δ ACE) ... (v) From equations (iv) and (v), we get





ar (CYXE) = 2 ar (Δ FCB) ... (vi)

(vi) Consider BFCB and parallelogram ACFG BFCB and parallelogram ACFG are lying on the same base CF and between the same parallels CF and BG. \therefore ar (ACFG) = 2 ar (Δ FCB)

 \therefore ar (ACFG) = ar (CYXE) [From equation (vi)] ... (vii)

(vii) From the figure, we can observe that $ar (\Delta CED) = ar (\Delta YXD) + ar (CYXE)$ $\therefore ar (\Delta CED) = ar (ABMN) + ar (ACFG) [From equations (iii) and (vii)].$

