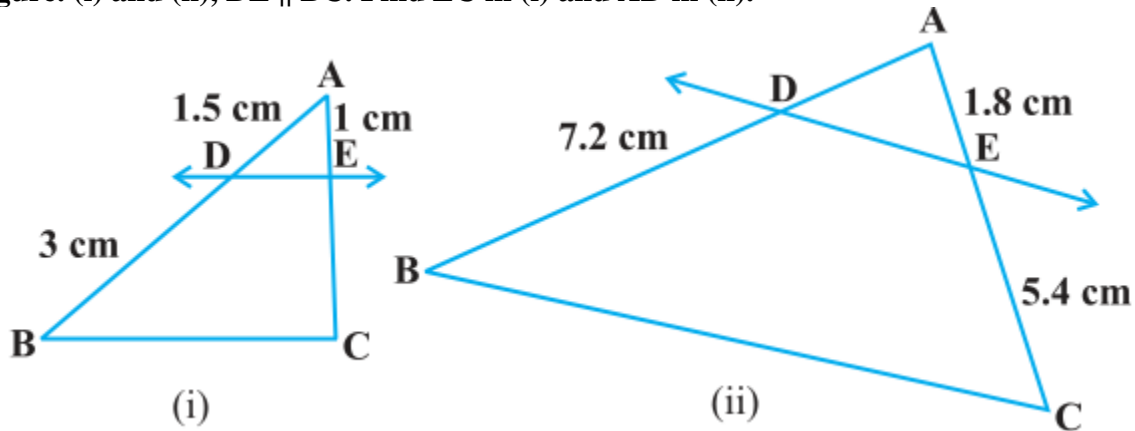


Exercise 6.2

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



Solution:

(i) Given, in $\triangle ABC$, $DE \parallel BC$

$$\therefore \frac{AD}{DB} = \frac{AE}{EC} \text{ [Using Basic proportionality theorem]}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1.5}{3} = \frac{1}{EC}$$

$$\Rightarrow EC = \frac{3}{1.5}$$

$$EC = 3 \times \frac{10}{15} = 2 \text{ cm}$$

Hence, $EC = 2 \text{ cm}$.

(ii) Given, in $\triangle ABC$, $DE \parallel BC$

$$\therefore \frac{AD}{DB} = \frac{AE}{EC} \text{ [Using Basic proportionality theorem]}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{AD}{7.2} = \frac{1.8}{5.4}$$

$$\Rightarrow AD = 1.8 \times \frac{7.2}{5.4} = \frac{18}{10} \times \frac{72}{10} \times \frac{10}{54} = \frac{24}{10}$$

$$\Rightarrow AD = 2.4$$

Hence, $AD = 2.4 \text{ cm}$.

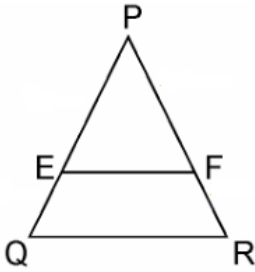
2. E and F are points on the sides PQ and PR respectively of a $\triangle PQR$. For each of the following cases, state whether $EF \parallel QR$.

(i) $PE = 3.9 \text{ cm}$, $EQ = 3 \text{ cm}$, $PF = 3.6 \text{ cm}$ and $FR = 2.4 \text{ cm}$

(ii) $PE = 4 \text{ cm}$, $QE = 4.5 \text{ cm}$, $PF = 8 \text{ cm}$ and $RF = 9 \text{ cm}$

(iii) $PQ = 1.28 \text{ cm}$, $PR = 2.56 \text{ cm}$, $PE = 0.18 \text{ cm}$ and $PF = 0.63 \text{ cm}$

Solution: Given, in $\triangle PQR$, E and F are two points on side PQ and PR respectively. See the figure below;



(i) Given, PE = 3.9 cm, EQ = 3 cm, PF = 3.6 cm and FR = 2.4 cm

Therefore, by using Basic proportionality theorem, we get,

$$\frac{PE}{EQ} = \frac{3.9}{3} = \frac{39}{30} = \frac{13}{10} = 1.3$$

$$\text{And, } \frac{PF}{FR} = \frac{3.6}{2.4} = \frac{36}{24} = \frac{3}{2} = 1.5$$

$$\text{So, we get, } \frac{PE}{EQ} \neq \frac{PF}{FR}$$

Hence, EF is not parallel to QR.

(ii) Given, PE = 4 cm, QE = 4.5 cm, PF = 8 cm and RF = 9 cm

Therefore, by using Basic proportionality theorem, we get,

$$\frac{PE}{QE} = \frac{4}{4.5} = \frac{40}{45} = \frac{8}{9}$$

$$\text{And, } \frac{PF}{RF} = \frac{8}{9}$$

So, we get here,

$$\frac{PE}{QE} = \frac{PF}{RF}$$

Hence, EF is parallel to QR.

(iii) Given, PQ = 1.28 cm, PR = 2.56 cm, PE = 0.18 cm and PF = 0.36 cm

From the figure,

$$EQ = PQ - PE = 1.28 - 0.18 = 1.10 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{And, } FR = PR - PF = 2.56 - 0.36 = 2.20 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{So, } \frac{PE}{EQ} = \frac{0.18}{1.10} = \frac{18}{110} = \frac{9}{55} \dots\dots\dots \text{(i)}$$

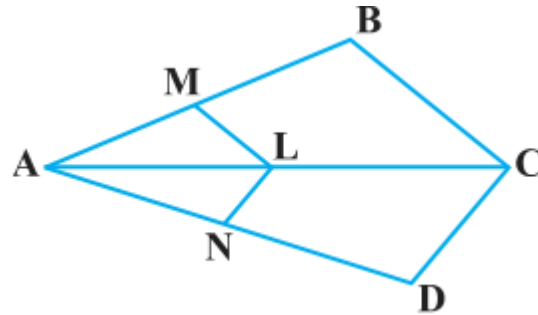
$$\text{And, } \frac{PF}{FR} = \frac{0.36}{2.20} = \frac{36}{220} = \frac{9}{55} \dots\dots\dots \text{(ii)}$$

So, we get here,

$$\frac{PE}{EQ} = \frac{PF}{FR}$$

Hence, EF is parallel to QR.

3. In the figure, if LM || CB and LN || CD, prove that AM/MB = AN/AD



Solution: In the given figure, we can see, $LM \parallel CB$,

By using basic proportionality theorem, we get,

$$\frac{AM}{MB} = \frac{AL}{LC} \dots\dots\dots \text{(i)}$$

Similarly, given, $LN \parallel CD$ and using basic proportionality theorem,

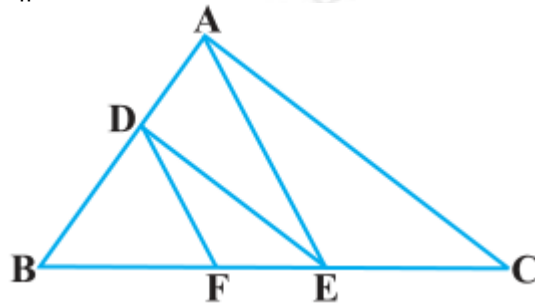
$$\therefore \frac{AN}{ND} = \frac{AL}{LC} \dots\dots\dots \text{(ii)}$$

From equation (i) and (ii), we get,

$$\frac{AM}{MB} = \frac{AN}{ND}$$

Hence, proved.

4. In the figure, $DE \parallel AC$ and $DF \parallel AE$. Prove that $BF/FE = BE/EC$



Solution: In $\triangle ABC$, given as, $DE \parallel AC$

Thus, by using Basic Proportionality Theorem, we get,

$$\therefore \frac{BD}{DA} = \frac{BE}{EC} \dots\dots\dots \text{(i)}$$

In $\triangle ABC$, given as, $DF \parallel AE$

Thus, by using Basic Proportionality Theorem, we get,

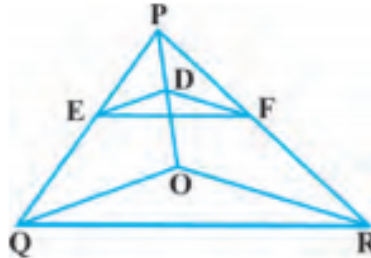
$$\therefore \frac{BD}{DA} = \frac{BF}{FE} \dots\dots\dots \text{(ii)}$$

From equation (i) and (ii), we get

$$\frac{BE}{EC} = \frac{BF}{FE}$$

Hence, proved.

5. In the figure, $DE \parallel OQ$ and $DF \parallel OR$, show that $EF \parallel QR$.



Solution: Given,

In ΔPQO , $DE \parallel OQ$

So by using Basic Proportionality Theorem,

$$\frac{PD}{DO} = \frac{PE}{EQ} \dots\dots\dots\text{(i)}$$

Again given, in ΔPQR , $DF \parallel OR$,

So by using Basic Proportionality Theorem,

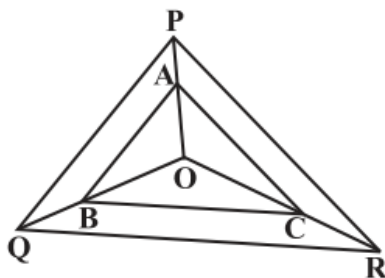
$$\frac{PD}{DO} = \frac{PF}{FR} \dots\dots\dots\text{(ii)}$$

From equation (i) and (ii), we get,

$$\frac{PE}{EQ} = \frac{PF}{FR}$$

Therefore, by converse of Basic Proportionality Theorem,
 $EF \parallel QR$, in ΔPQR .

6. In the figure, A, B and C are points on OP, OQ and OR respectively such that $AB \parallel PQ$ and $AC \parallel PR$. Show that $BC \parallel QR$.



Solution: Given here,

In $\triangle OPQ$, $AB \parallel PQ$

By using Basic Proportionality Theorem,

$$\frac{OA}{AP} = \frac{OB}{BQ} \dots\dots\dots\text{(i)}$$

Also given,

In $\triangle OPR$, $AC \parallel PR$

By using Basic Proportionality Theorem

$$\therefore \frac{OA}{AP} = \frac{OC}{CR} \dots\dots\dots\text{(ii)}$$

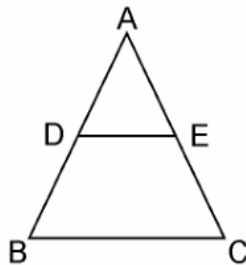
From equation (i) and (ii), we get,

$$\frac{OB}{BQ} = \frac{OC}{CR}$$

Therefore, by converse of Basic Proportionality Theorem,

In $\triangle OQR$, $BC \parallel QR$.

7. Using Basic proportionality theorem, prove that a line drawn through the mid-points of one side of a triangle parallel to another side bisects the third side. (Recall that you have proved it in Class IX).



Solution: Given, in $\triangle ABC$, D is the midpoint of AB such that $AD=DB$.
A line parallel to BC intersects AC at E as shown in above figure such that $DE \parallel BC$.

We have to prove that E is the mid point of AC.

Since, D is the mid-point of AB.

$$\therefore AD=DB$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{AD}{DB} = 1 \dots\dots\dots\text{(i)}$$

In $\triangle ABC$, $DE \parallel BC$,

By using Basic Proportionality Theorem,

Therefore, $\frac{AD}{DB} = \frac{AE}{EC}$

From equation (i), we can write,

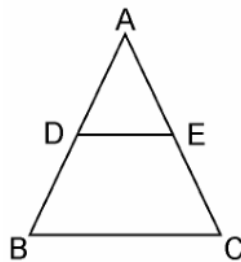
$$\Rightarrow 1 = \frac{AE}{EC}$$

$$\therefore AE = EC$$

Hence, proved, E is the midpoint of AC.

8. Using Converse of basic proportionality theorem, prove that the line joining the mid-points of any two sides of a triangle is parallel to the third side. (Recall that you have done it in Class IX).

Solution: Given, in $\triangle ABC$, D and E are the mid points of AB and AC respectively, such that, $AD=BD$ and $AE=EC$.



We have to prove that: $DE \parallel BC$.

Since, D is the midpoint of AB

$$\therefore AD=BD$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{AD}{BD} = 1 \dots\dots\dots \text{(i)}$$

Also given, E is the mid-point of AC.

$$\therefore AE=EC$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{AE}{EC} = 1$$

From equation (i) and (ii), we get,

$$\frac{AD}{BD} = \frac{AE}{EC}$$

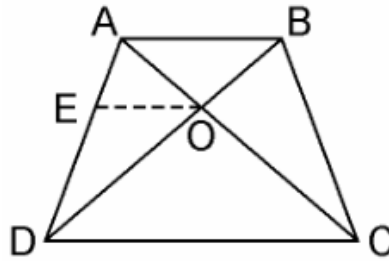
By converse of Basic Proportionality Theorem,

$$DE \parallel BC$$

Hence, proved.

9. ABCD is a trapezium in which $AB \parallel DC$ and its diagonals intersect each other at the point O. Show that $AO/BO = CO/DO$.

Solution: Given, ABCD is a trapezium where $AB \parallel DC$ and diagonals AC and BD intersect each other at O.



We have to prove, $\frac{AO}{BO} = \frac{CO}{DO}$

From the point O, draw a line EO touching AD at E, in such a way that,
 $EO \parallel DC \parallel AB$

In $\triangle ADC$, we have $OE \parallel DC$

Therefore, By using Basic Proportionality Theorem

$$\frac{AE}{ED} = \frac{AO}{CO} \dots\dots\dots\text{(i)}$$

Now, In $\triangle ABD$, $OE \parallel AB$

Therefore, By using Basic Proportionality Theorem

$$\frac{DE}{EA} = \frac{DO}{BO} \dots\dots\dots\text{(ii)}$$

From equation (i) and (ii), we get,

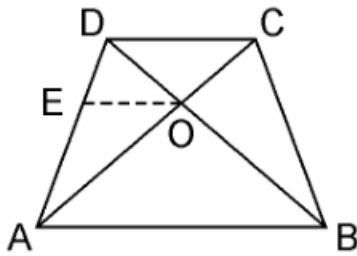
$$\frac{AO}{CO} = \frac{BO}{DO}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{AO}{BO} = \frac{CO}{DO}$$

Hence, proved.

10. The diagonals of a quadrilateral ABCD intersect each other at the point O such that $AO/BO = CO/DO$. Show that ABCD is a trapezium.

Solution: Given, Quadrilateral ABCD where AC and BD intersects each other at O such that,
 $AO/BO = CO/DO$.



We have to prove here, ABCD is a trapezium

From the point O, draw a line EO touching AD at E, in such a way that,
EO || DC || AB

In $\triangle DAB$, EO || AB

Therefore, By using Basic Proportionality Theorem

$$\frac{DE}{EA} = \frac{DO}{OB} \dots\dots\dots\text{(i)}$$

Also, given,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{AO}{BO} &= \frac{CO}{DO} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{AO}{CO} &= \frac{BO}{DO} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{AO}{BO} &= \frac{DO}{CO} \dots\dots\dots\text{(ii)} \end{aligned}$$

From equation (i) and (ii), we get

$$\frac{DE}{EA} = \frac{CO}{AO}$$

Therefore, By using converse of Basic Proportionality Theorem,

EO || DC also EO || AB

\Rightarrow AB || DC.

Hence, quadrilateral ABCD is a trapezium with AB || CD.