

1. Let  $l$  be a line and  $P$  be a point not on  $l$ . Through  $P$ , draw a line  $m$  parallel to  $l$ . Now join  $P$  to any point  $Q$  on  $l$ . Choose any other point  $R$  on  $m$ . Through  $R$ , draw a line parallel to  $PQ$ . If this line meets  $l$  at  $S$ , then what shape do the two sets of parallel lines inclose?

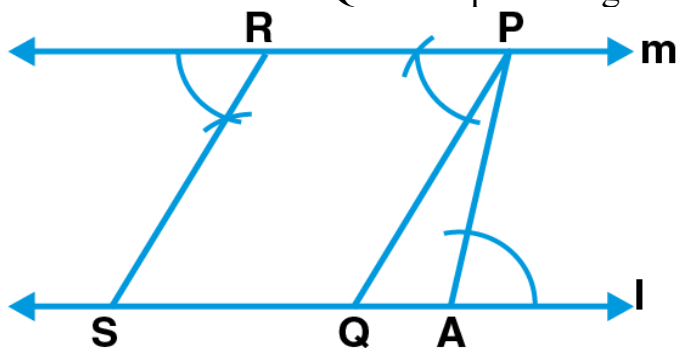
**Solution:**

Steps of Construction:

- (i) Draw a line  $l$  and  $P$  be a point not on the line  $l$
- (ii) Take a point  $A$  on line  $l$  and join  $PA$
- (iii) Draw a line  $m$  which is parallel to line  $l$  on point  $P$
- (iv) Take a point  $Q$  on line  $l$  and join  $PQ$
- (v) From a point  $R$  on line  $m$ , draw a line parallel to  $PQ$  which meets  $l$  at point  $S$

Here,

We can observe that  $PQRS$  is a parallelogram



2. Construct a triangle  $ABC$ , given that

- (i)  $AB = 5$  cm,  $BC = 6$  cm and  $AC = 7$  cm
- (ii)  $AB = 4.5$  cm,  $BC = 5$  cm and  $AC = 6$  cm

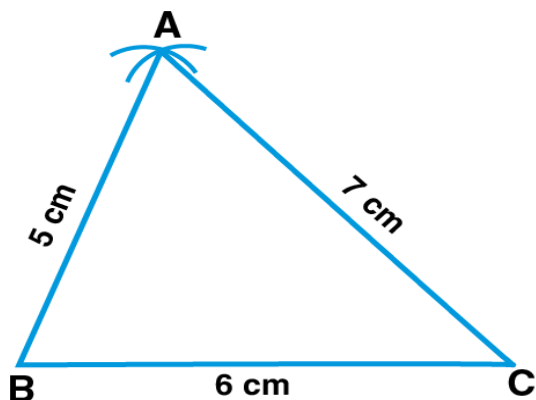
**Solution:**

(i) Steps of Construction:

1. Draw a line segment  $BC$  such that  $BC = 6$  cm
2. Taking  $B$  as centre and radius 5 cm and taking  $C$  as centre and radius 7 cm, draw arcs which intersect each other at point  $A$
3. Now, join  $AB$  and  $AC$

Therefore,

$\triangle ABC$  is the required triangle

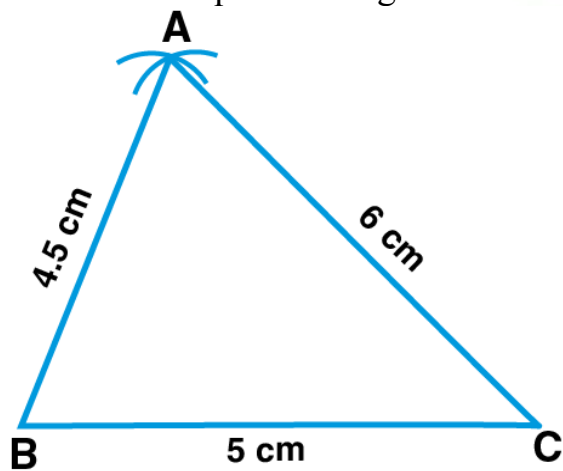


(ii) Steps of Construction:

1. Draw a line segment BC such that  $BC = 5$  cm
2. Taking B as centre and radius 4.5 cm and taking C as centre and radius 6 cm, draw arcs which intersect each other at point A
3. Now, join AB and AC

Therefore,

$\triangle ABC$  is the required triangle



**3. Construct a triangle PQR given that  $PQ = 5.4$  cm,  $QR = PR = 4.7$  cm. Name the triangle.**

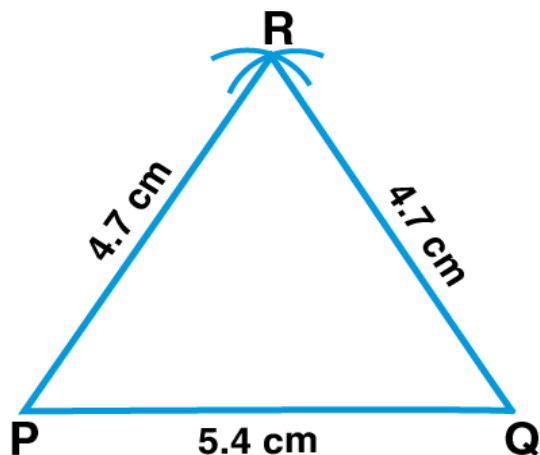
**Solution:**

**Steps of Construction:**

1. Draw a line segment PQ of length 5.4 cm
2. Taking P and Q as centres and radius 4.7 cm, draw two arcs intersecting each other at point R
3. Join PR and QR

Here, the two sides are equal of length 4.7 cm

Hence, the required  $\triangle RPQ$  is an isosceles triangle



**4. Construct a triangle LMN such that the length of each side is 5.4 cm. Name the triangle.**

**Solution:**

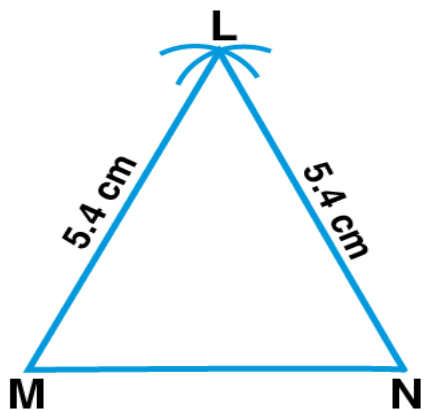
**Steps of Construction:**

1. Draw a line segment MN such that  $MN = 5.4$  cm
2. Taking M and N as centres and radius 5.4 cm, draw two arcs intersecting each other at point L

Here, we can observe that all the sides of triangle = 5.4 cm

Therefore,

The required  $\triangle LMN$  is an equilateral triangle



**5. Construct a triangle ABC such that  $AB = 2.5$  cm,  $BC = 6$  cm and  $AC = 6.5$  cm.**

**Measure  $\angle ABC$  and name the triangle**

**Solution:**

**Steps of Construction:**

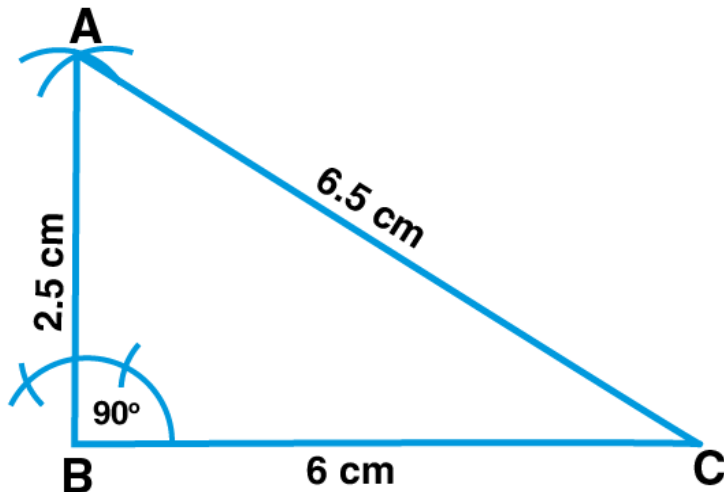
1. Draw a line segment such that  $BC = 6$  cm
2. Taking B as centre and radius 2.5 cm and taking C as centre and radius 6.5 cm, draw two arcs intersecting each other at point A

3. Join AB and AC

Now, the  $\triangle ABC$  is the required triangle

On measuring, we get,  $\angle ABC = 90^\circ$

Hence,  $\triangle ABC$  is a right angled triangle



6. Construct a triangle PQR, given that  $PQ = 3$  cm,  $QR = 5.5$  cm and  $\angle PQR = 60^\circ$

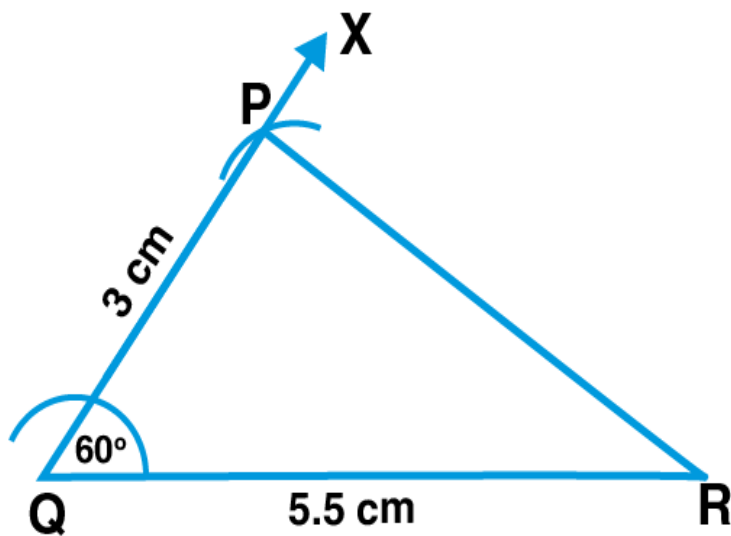
**Solution:**

**Steps of Construction:**

1. Draw a line segment QR of length 5.5 cm
2. Taking Q as centre, draw a ray QX making an angle of  $60^\circ$
3. Now, cut off  $PQ = 3$  cm
4. Join PR

Therefore,

$\triangle PQR$  is the required triangle



**7. Construct  $\triangle DEF$  such that  $DE = 5$  cm,  $DF = 3$  cm and  $\angle EDF = 90^\circ$**

**Solution:**

Steps of Construction:

1. Draw a line segment  $DE$  of length 5 cm
2. Taking  $D$  as centre, draw a ray  $DX$  making an angle of  $90^\circ$
3. Now, cut off  $DF = 3$  cm
4. Join  $FE$

$\triangle FDE$  is the required triangle

