ML Aggarwal Solutions for Class 7 Maths Chapter 11 Triangles and its Properties



- 1. In the adjoining figure:
- (i) Name the vertex opposite to side PQ.
- (ii) Name the side opposite to vertex Q.
- (iii) Name the angle opposite to side QR.
- (iv) Name the side opposite to $\angle R$



Solution:-

From the figure,

- (i) R is the vertex opposite to side PQ.
- (ii) PR is the side opposite to vertex Q.
- (iii) P is the angle opposite to side QR.
- (iv) PQ is the side opposite to $\angle R$.
- 2. Look at the figures given below and classify each of the triangles according to its (a) Sides
- (b) Angles





Solution:-

From the given figure,

- (a) According to sides,
- (i) Isosceles triangle, because two sides of triangle are equal.
- (ii) Scalene triangle, because three sides are unequal.
- (iii) Equilateral triangle, because three sides are equal.
- (iv) Isosceles triangle, because two sides of triangle are equal.
- (v) Scalene triangle, because three sides are unequal.
- (vi) Isosceles triangle, because two sides of triangle are equal.
- (b) According to angles,
- (i) Acute angle triangle, because angle of triangle less than 90°.
- (ii) Right angled triangle, because one of the angle is equal to 90°.
- (iii) Acute angle triangle, because angle of triangle less than 90°.
- (iv) Obtuse angle triangle, because one of the angle is more than 90° but less than 180°.
- (v) Obtuse angle triangle, because one of the angle is more than 90° but less than 180°.

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(vi) Right angled triangle, because one of the angle is equal to 90°.

3. In the given ΔPQR , if D is the mid-point of \overline{QR} , then

(i) \overline{PM} (ii) \overline{PD} Is QM = MR? P D M Solution:-From the figure, ΔPQR, D is the mid-point of \overline{QR} So, (i) \overline{PM} is Altitude (ii) \overline{PD} is Median No, QM ≠ MR



4. Will an altitude always lie in the interior of triangle? If no, draw a rough sketch to show such a case.

Solution:-

No, it is not necessary an altitude may lie outside of triangle also.

A rough sketch to show such a case,

PS is the altitude of Δ PQR

Draw from P to the side QR



5. Can you think of a triangle in which two altitudes of the triangle are its sides? If yes, draw a rough sketch to show such a case.

Solution:-

Yes, it is a right angled triangle.



6. Draw rough sketches for the following:(i) In ΔABC, BE is a median of the triangle.Solution:-

As per the condition given in the question,

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(ii) In ΔPQR , PQ and PR are altitudes of the triangle. Solution:-

As per the condition given in the question,



(iii) In ΔXYZ , XL is an altitude in the exterior of the triangle. Solution:-

As per the condition given in the question,



7. Take an equilateral triangle and draw its medians and altitudes and check that the medians and altitude are same.

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Solution:-

Consider the equilateral triangle Δ PQR,

PS, QN and MR are altitudes of the triangle.

The altitudes of an equilateral triangle divide the sides into equal parts.

Hence, altitudes are also the medians of the triangle.



