

MSBSHSE Class 10 Mathematics Question Paper 2016 Geometry Paper with Solutions

PART - A

1. Solve any five sub-questions:

[5]

(i) $\triangle DEF \sim \triangle MNK$. If $DE = 2$, $MN = 5$, then find the value of $A(\triangle DEF)/A(\triangle MNK)$.

Solution:

Given,

$$\triangle DEF \sim \triangle MNK$$

$$DE = 2, MN = 5$$

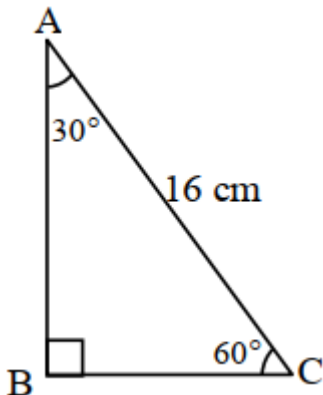
We know that the ratio of areas of similar triangles is equal to squares of the ratio of their corresponding sides.

$$A(\triangle DEF)/A(\triangle MNK) = DE^2/MN^2$$

$$= (2)^2/(5)^2$$

$$= 4/25$$

(ii) In the following figure, in $\triangle ABC$, $\angle B = 90^\circ$, $\angle C = 60^\circ$, $\angle A = 30^\circ$, $AC = 16$ cm. Find BC .



Solution:

Given,

$\triangle ABC$ is a $30^\circ - 60^\circ - 90^\circ$ triangle.

Side opposite to $30^\circ = BC$

$$BC = (1/2) \times \text{Hypotenuse}$$

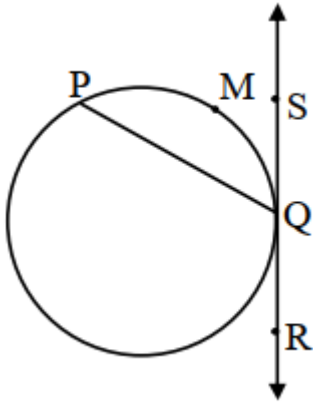
$$= (1/2) \times AC$$

$$= (1/2) \times 16$$

$$= 8 \text{ cm}$$

Therefore, $BC = 8$ cm

(iii) In the following figure, $m(\text{arc } PMQ) = 110^\circ$, find $\angle PQS$.



Solution:

Given,

$$m(\text{arc PMQ}) = 110^\circ$$

We know that the measure of the angle formed by the intersection of a chord and tangent of the circle equal to the half the angle made by the arc with the chord.

$$\angle PQS = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \times m(\text{arc PMQ})$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \times 110^\circ$$

$$= 55^\circ$$

(iv) If the angle $\theta = -30^\circ$, find the value of $\cos \theta$.

Solution:

Given,

$$\theta = -30^\circ$$

We know that,

$$\cos(-\theta) = \cos \theta$$

$$\cos \theta = \cos(-30^\circ)$$

$$= \cos 30^\circ$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

(v) Find the slope of the line with inclination 60° .

Solution:

Given,

$$\text{Inclination of line} = \theta = 60^\circ$$

$$\text{The slope of the line} = \tan \theta$$

$$= \tan 60^\circ$$

$$= \sqrt{3}$$

(vi) Using Euler's formula, find V if $E = 10$, $F = 6$.

Solution:

Given,

$$E = 10, F = 6$$

Using Euler's formula,

$$F + V = E + 2$$

$$6 + V = 10 + 2$$

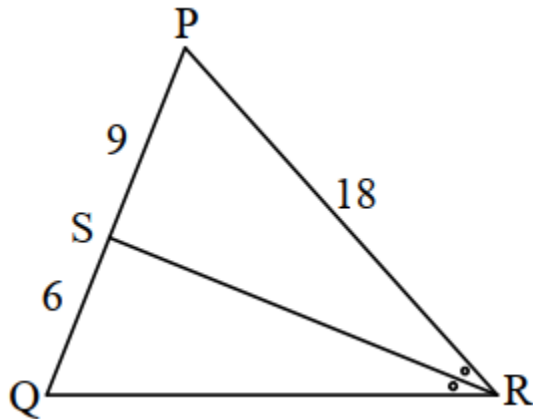
$$V = 12 - 6$$

$$V = 6$$

2. Solve any four sub-questions:

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(i) In the following figure, in $\triangle PQR$, seg RS is the bisector of $\angle PRQ$. If $PS = 9$, $SQ = 6$, $PR = 18$, find QR.



Solution:

Given that, in triangle PQR, seg RS is the bisector of $\angle PRQ$.

$PS = 9$, $SQ = 6$, $PR = 18$

By the angle bisector property,

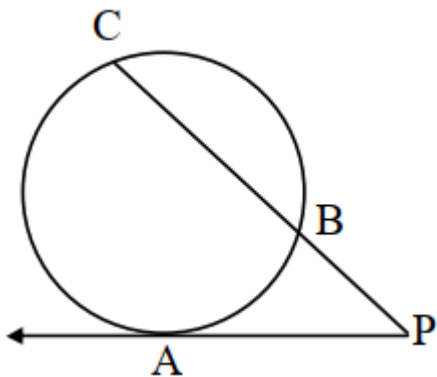
$$PR/QR = PS/SQ$$

$$18/QR = 9/6$$

$$\Rightarrow QR = (18 \times 6)/9$$

$$\Rightarrow QR = 12$$

(ii) In the following figure, a tangent segment PA touching a circle in A and a secant PBC are shown. If $AP = 12$, $BP = 9$, find BC.



Solution:

Given,

PA = tangent

PBC = secant

By the tangent - secant theorem,

$$PB \times PC = PA^2$$

$$9 \times PC = (12)^2 \text{ [given } AP = 12, BP = 9]$$

$$PC = 144/9$$

$$PC = 16$$

Now,

$$PC = PB + BC$$

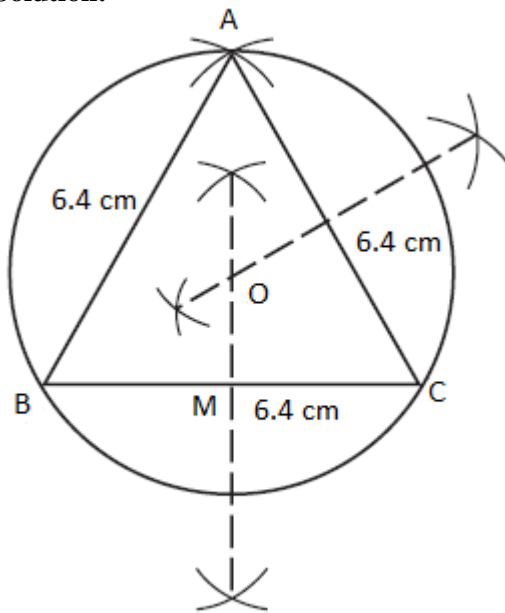
$$16 = 9 + BC$$

$$\Rightarrow BC = 16 - 9$$

$$\Rightarrow BC = 7$$

(iii) Draw an equilateral $\triangle ABC$ with side 6.4 cm and construct its circumcircle.

Solution:



(iv) For the angle in standard position if the initial arm rotates 130° in an anticlockwise direction, then state the quadrant in which the terminal arm lies. (Draw the Figure and write the answer.)

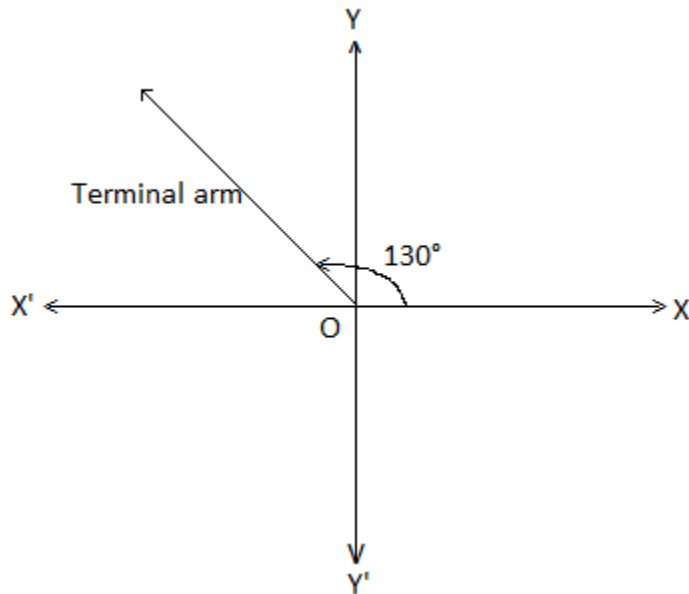
Solution:

Given,

The initial arm rotates 130° in the anticlockwise direction from the standard position.

The measure of angle 130° lies between 90° and 180° .

Hence, the terminal arm lies in quadrant II.



(v) Find the area of the sector whose arc length and radius are 16 cm and 9 cm respectively.

Solution:

Given,

Length of the arc = 16 cm

Radius = $r = 9$ cm

Area of sector = $(r/2) \times$ Length of arc

$$= (9/2) \times 16$$

$$= 9 \times 8$$

$$= 72 \text{ cm}^2$$

(vi) Find the surface area of a sphere of radius 1.4 cm. ($\pi = 22/7$)

Solution:

Given,

Radius of the sphere = $r = 1.4$ cm

The surface area of the sphere = $4\pi r^2$

$$= 4 \times (22/7) \times 1.4 \times 1.4$$

$$= 24.64 \text{ cm}^2$$

Therefore, the surface area of the sphere is 24.64 cm^2 .

3. Solve any three sub-questions:

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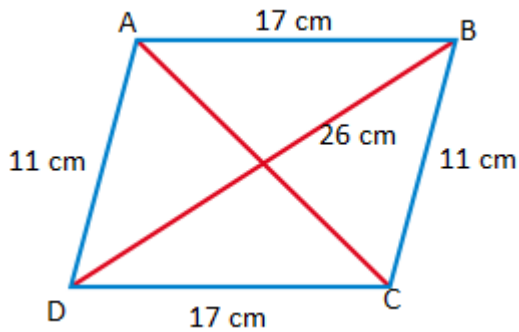
(i) Adjacent sides of a parallelogram are 11 cm and 17 cm. If the length of one of its diagonals is 26 cm, find the length of the other.

Solution:

Given,

Adjacent sides of a parallelogram are 11 cm and 17 cm.

The length of one diagonal is 26 cm.



$$AB = CD = 17 \text{ cm}$$

$$BC = AD = 11 \text{ cm}$$

$$BD = 26 \text{ cm}$$

We know that,

Sum of squares of sides of a parallelogram = Sum of squares of its diagonals

$$AB^2 + BC^2 + CD^2 + DA^2 = AC^2 + BD^2$$

$$(17)^2 + (11)^2 + (17)^2 + (11)^2 = AC^2 + (26)^2$$

$$289 + 121 + 289 + 121 = AC^2 + 676$$

$$AC^2 = 820 - 676$$

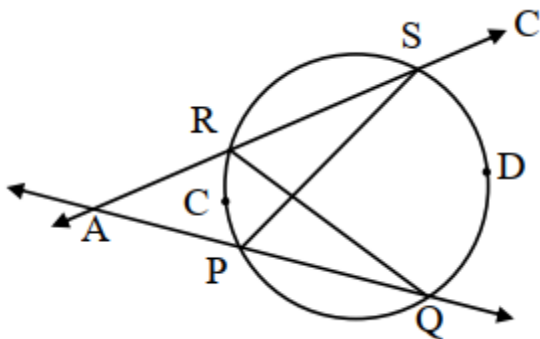
$$AC^2 = 144$$

$$AC = 12 \text{ cm}$$

Therefore, the length of the other diagonal is 12 cm.

(ii) In the following figure, secants containing chords RS and PQ of a circle intersect each other in point A in the exterior of a circle. If $m(\text{arc PCR}) = 26^\circ$, $m(\text{arc QDS}) = 48^\circ$, then find:

- $m \angle PQR$
- $m \angle SPQ$
- $m \angle RAQ$



Solution:

Given,

$$m(\text{arc PCR}) = 26^\circ$$

$$m(\text{arc QDS}) = 48^\circ$$

By the inscribed angle theorem,

$$a. \angle PQR = \frac{1}{2} \times m(\text{arc PCR})$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \times 26^\circ$$

$$= 13^\circ$$

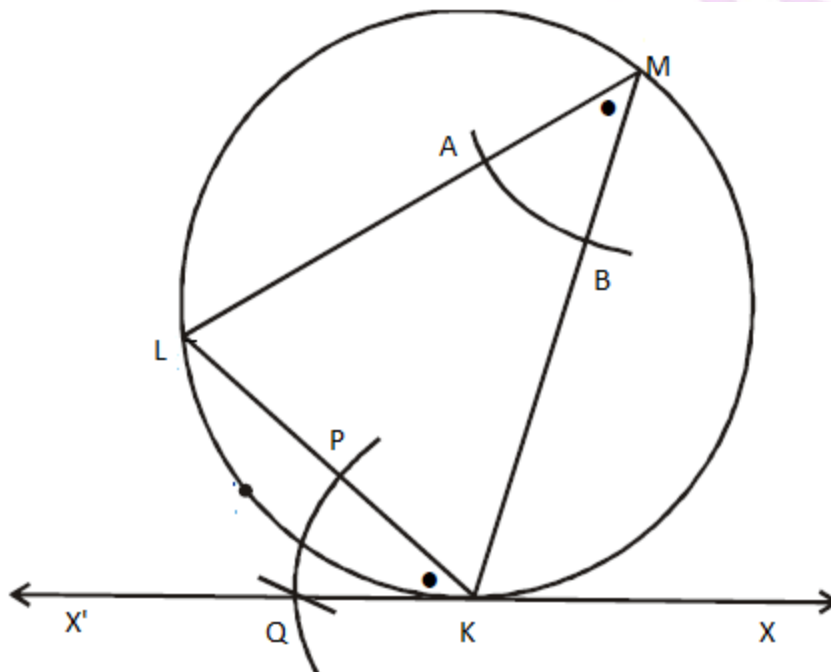
$$\angle PQR = \angle AQR = 13^\circ \dots (i)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b. } \angle SPQ &= \frac{1}{2} \times m(\text{arc QDS}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times 48^\circ \\ &= 24^\circ \\ \angle SPQ &= 24^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{c. In triangle AQR,} \\ \angle RAQ + \angle AQR &= \angle SRQ \text{ (remote interior angle theorem)} \\ \angle SRQ &= \angle SPQ \text{ (angles subtended by the same arc)} \\ \text{Therefore,} \\ \angle RAQ + \angle AQR &= \angle SPQ \\ m\angle RAQ &= m\angle SPQ - m\angle AQR \\ &= 24^\circ - 13^\circ \text{ [From (i) and (ii)]} \\ &= 11^\circ \\ m\angle RAQ &= 11^\circ \end{aligned}$$

(iii) Draw a circle of radius 3.5 cm. Take any point K on it. Draw a tangent to the circle at K without using centre of the circle.

Solution:



Therefore, XKX' is the required tangent to the circle with a radius of 3.5 cm.

(iv) If $\sec \alpha = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$, then find the value of $\frac{1 - \operatorname{cosec} \alpha}{1 + \operatorname{cosec} \alpha}$, where α is in IV quadrant.

Solution:

Given,

$$\sec \alpha = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\text{Thus, } \sec \alpha = \frac{r}{x} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\text{Let } r = 2k \text{ and } x = \sqrt{3}k$$

We know that,

$$\begin{aligned}r^2 &= x^2 + y^2 \\(2k)^2 &= (\sqrt{3}k)^2 + y^2 \\y^2 &= 4k^2 - 3k^2 \\y^2 &= k^2 \\y &= \pm k\end{aligned}$$

Given that α lies in quadrant IV.

Therefore, $y = -k$

$$\operatorname{cosec} \alpha = r/y = 2k/-k = -2$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned}(1 - \operatorname{cosec} \alpha) / (1 + \operatorname{cosec} \alpha) \\&= [1 - (-2)] / [1 + (-2)] \\&= (1 + 2) / (1 - 2) \\&= -3\end{aligned}$$

(v) Write the equation of the line passing through the pair of points (2, 3) and (4, 7) in the form of $y = mx + c$.

Solution:

Let the given points be:

$$A(2, 3) = (x_1, y_1)$$

$$B(4, 7) = (x_2, y_2)$$

Equation of the line passing through the points (x_1, y_1) and (x_2, y_2) is:

$$(x - x_1) / (x_2 - x_1) = (y - y_1) / (y_2 - y_1)$$

$$(x - 2) / (4 - 2) = (y - 3) / (7 - 3)$$

$$(x - 2) / 2 = (y - 3) / 4$$

$$4(x - 2) = 2(y - 3)$$

$$4x - 8 = 2y - 6$$

$$4x - 8 - 2y + 6 = 0$$

$$4x - 2y - 2 = 0$$

$$2(2x - y - 1) = 0$$

$$2x - y - 1 = 0$$

$$y = 2x - 1$$

This is of the form $y = mx + c$ [$m = 2, c = -1$]

Hence, the required equation of line is $y = 2x - 1$.

4. Solve any two sub-questions:

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(i) Prove that “The length of the two tangent segments to a circle drawn from an external point are equal”.

Solution:

Given,

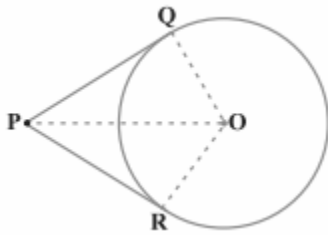
Given,

PQ and PR are the tangents to the circle with centre O from an external point P.

To prove: $PQ = PR$

Construction:

Join OQ, OR and OP.



Proof:

We know that the radius is perpendicular to the tangent through the point of contact.

$$\angle OQP = \angle ORP = 90^\circ$$

In right $\triangle OQP$ and $\triangle ORP$,

$$OQ = OR \text{ (radii of the same circle)}$$

$$OP = OP \text{ (common)}$$

By RHS congruence criterion,

$$\triangle OQP \cong \triangle ORP$$

By CPCT,

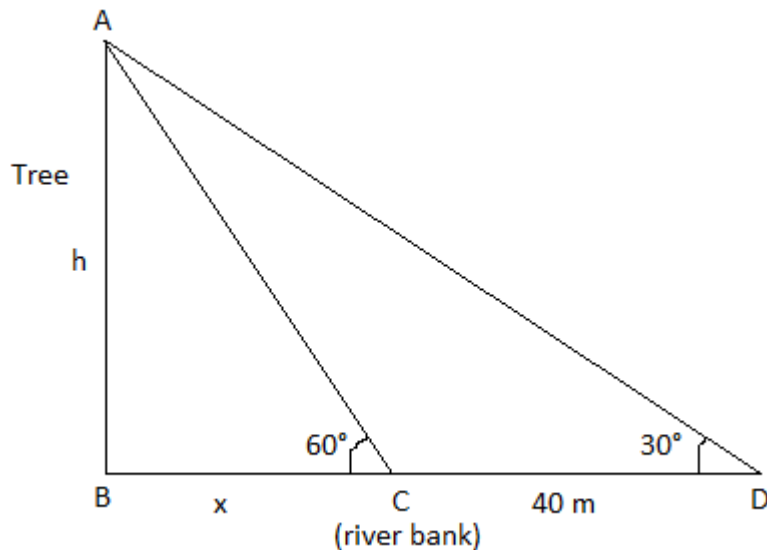
$$PQ = PR$$

Hence proved.

(ii) A person standing on the bank of a river observes that the angle of elevation of the top of a tree standing on the opposite bank is 60° . When he moves 40 m away from the bank, he finds the angle of elevation to be 30° . Find the height of the tree and width of the river. ($\sqrt{3} = 1.73$)

Solution:

Let AB be the tree and BC be the width of the river.



$$CD = 40 \text{ m}$$

$$BC = x \text{ and } AB = h$$

In right triangle ABC,

$$\tan 60^\circ = AB/BC$$

$$\sqrt{3} = h/x$$

$$h = \sqrt{3}x \dots (i)$$

In right triangle ABD,
 $\tan 30^\circ = AB/BD$
 $1/\sqrt{3} = h/(x + 40)$
 $x + 40 = h\sqrt{3}$
 $x + 40 = (\sqrt{3}x)\sqrt{3}$ [From (i)]
 $x + 40 = 3x$
 $2x = 40$
 $x = 20$ m
 Substituting $x = 20$ in (i),
 $h = 20\sqrt{3}$
 $= 20 \times 1.73$
 $= 34.6$ m

Therefore, the height of the tree is 34.6 m and the width of the river is 20 m.

(iii) A(5, 4), B(-3, -2) and C(1, -8) are the vertices of a triangle ABC. Find the equations of median AD and the line parallel to AC passing through point B.

Solution:

Given,

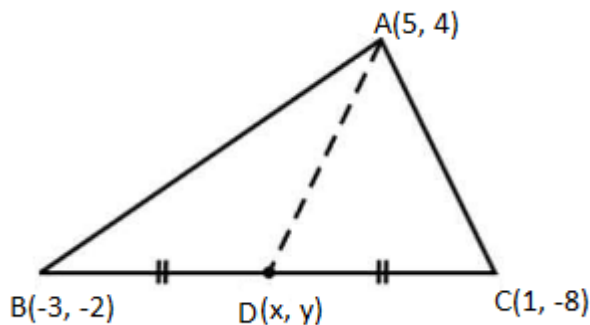
Vertices of a triangle ABC are A(5, 4), B(-3, -2) and C(1, -8).

A(5, 4) = (x₁, y₁)

B(-3, -2) = (x₂, y₂)

C(1, -8) = (x₃, y₃)

Let D(x, y) be the median of triangle ABC.



D is the midpoint of BC.

$$D(x, y) = [(x_2 + x_3)/2, (y_2 + y_3)/2]$$

$$= [(-3 + 1)/2, (-2 - 8)/2]$$

$$= (-2/2, -10/2)$$

$$= (-1, -5)$$

$$D(-1, -5) = (x_4, y_4)$$

Equation of median AD is

$$(x - x_1)/(x_4 - x_1) = (y - y_1)/(y_4 - y_1)$$

$$(x - 5)/(-1 - 5) = (y - 4)/(-5 - 4)$$

$$(x - 5)/(-6) = (y - 4)/(-9)$$

$$-9(x - 5) = -6(y - 4)$$

$$-9x + 45 = -6y + 24$$

$$9x - 45 - 6y + 24 = 0$$

$$9x - 6y - 21 = 0$$

$$3(3x - 2y - 7) = 0$$

$$3x - 2y - 7 = 0$$

Hence, the required equation of median AD is $3x - 2y - 7 = 0$.

We know that the line parallel to AC = Slope of AC

$$\text{Slope of AB} = (y_3 - y_1) / (x_3 - x_1)$$

$$= (-8 - 4) / (1 - 5)$$

$$= -12 / -4$$

$$= 3$$

Thus, $m = 3$

Equation of the line parallel to AC and passing through the point B(-3, -2) is

$$y - y_2 = m(x - x_2)$$

$$y - (-2) = 3[x - (-3)]$$

$$y + 2 = 3x + 9$$

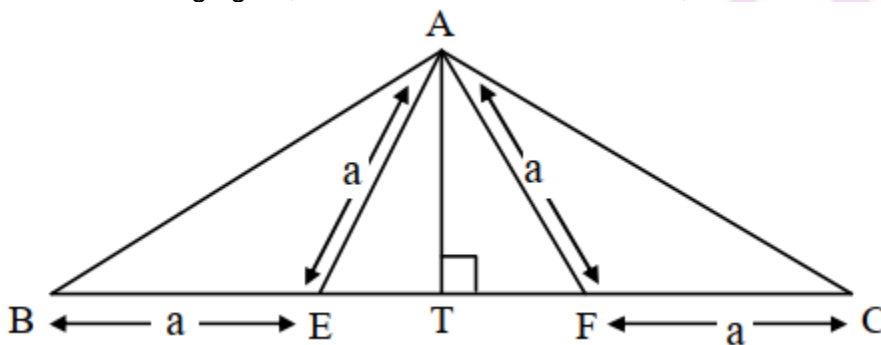
$$3x + 9 - y - 2 = 0$$

$$3x - y + 7 = 0$$

5. Solve any two sub-questions:

[10]

(i) In the following figure, $AE = EF = AF = BE = CF = a$, $AT \perp BC$. Show that $AB = AC = \sqrt{3} \times a$



Solution:

Given,

$$AE = EF = AF = BE = CF$$

$$AT \perp EF$$

$\triangle AEF$ is an equilateral triangle.

$$ET = TF = a/2$$

$$BT = CT = a + (a/2) \dots (i)$$

In right triangle ATB and ATC,

$$AT = AT \text{ (common)}$$

$$\angle ATB = \angle ATC \text{ (right angles)}$$

$$BT = CT \text{ [From (i)]}$$

By SAS congruence criterion,

$$\triangle ATB \cong \triangle ATC$$

BY CPCT,

$$AB = AC$$

In triangle AEF,

$$AE = AF = EF \text{ (given)}$$

$\triangle AEF$ is an equilateral triangle.

$$\text{Altitude of an equilateral triangle} = AT = (\sqrt{3}/2)a$$

In right triangle ATB,

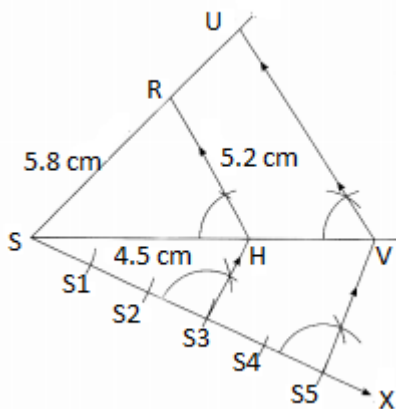
$$\begin{aligned}
 AB^2 &= AT^2 + BT^2 \\
 &= [(\sqrt{3}/2)a]^2 + [a + (a/2)]^2 \\
 &= (3a^2/4) + (3a/2)^2 \\
 &= (3a^2/4) + (9a^2/4) \\
 &= 12a^2/4 \\
 &= 3a^2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$AB = \sqrt{3}a$$

$$\text{Therefore, } AB = AC = \sqrt{3} \times a$$

(ii) $\triangle SHR \sim \triangle SVU$. In $\triangle SHR$, $SH = 4.5$ cm, $HR = 5.2$ cm, $SR = 5.8$ cm and $SH/SV = 3/5$. Construct $\triangle SVU$.

Solution:



(iii) Water flows at the rate of 15 m per minute through a cylindrical pipe, having the diameter 20 mm. How much time will it take to fill a conical vessel of base diameter 40 cm and depth 45 cm?

Solution:

Given,

Diameter of cylindrical pipe = 20 mm

Radius of the cylindrical pipe = $r = 20/2 = 10$ mm = 1 cm

Speed of water = $h = 15$ m per minute = 1500 cm/min

Volume of cylindrical pipe = Volume of water flowing per minute

$$= \pi r^2 h$$

$$= (22/7) \times 1 \times 1 \times 1500$$

$$= 33000/7 \text{ cm}^3$$

Also,

Diameter of conical vessel = 40 cm

Radius of conical vessel = $R = 40/2 = 20$ cm

Depth = $H = 45$

Capacity of the conical vessel = Volume of cone

$$= (1/3) \pi R^2 H$$

$$= (1/3) \times (22/7) \times 20 \times 20 \times 45$$

$$= 396000/21 \text{ cm}^3$$

Time required to fill the vessel = Volume of conical vessel / Volume of water flowing per minute

$$= (396000/21) / (33000/7)$$

$$= (396000 \times 7) / (21 \times 33000)$$

$$= 4$$

Hence, the time required to fill the conical vessel is 4 min.

