

EXERCISE 11.1

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1. With the help of a ruler and a compass it is not possible to construct an angle of :

(A) 37.5°

(B) 40°

(C) 22.5°

(D) 67.5°

Solution:

(B) 40°

Explanation:

Considering Option (A):

$$37.5^\circ = \frac{1}{2} \times 75^\circ$$

75° can be constructed with the help of a ruler and a compass.

Considering Option (B):

$$40^\circ = \frac{1}{2} \times 20^\circ$$

This is not possible.

20° cannot be constructed with the help of a ruler and a compass.

Considering Option (C):

$$22.5^\circ = \frac{1}{2} \times 45^\circ$$

45° can be constructed with the help of a ruler and a compass.

Considering Option (D):

$$67.5^\circ = \frac{1}{2} \times 135^\circ = \frac{1}{2} \times (90^\circ + 45^\circ)$$

Both 90° and 45° can be constructed with the help of a ruler and a compass.

Hence, option (B), is not possible to construct an angle of 40° with the help of ruler and compass is the correct answer.

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Write True or False in each of the following. Give reasons for your answer:

1. An angle of 52.5° can be constructed.

Solution:

True

Justification:

$$52.5^\circ = \frac{1}{2} \times 105^\circ = \frac{1}{2} \times (90^\circ + 15^\circ)$$

We know that,

It is possible to construct both 90° and 15° with the help of ruler and compass.

Therefore angle of 52.5° can be constructed.

2. An angle of 42.5° can be constructed.

Solution:

False

Justification:

$$42.5^\circ = \frac{1}{2} \times 85^\circ$$

We know that,

It is possible to construct 85° with the help of ruler and compass.

Therefore, angle of 42.5° cannot be constructed.

3. A triangle ABC can be constructed in which $AB = 5$ cm, $\angle A = 45^\circ$ and $BC + AC = 5$ cm.

Solution:

True

Justification:

We know that,

Sum of any two sides of a triangle must be greater than the third side.

Here,

$BC + AC = 5\text{cm} = AB$ which does not satisfy the above condition that the sum is equal to the third side.

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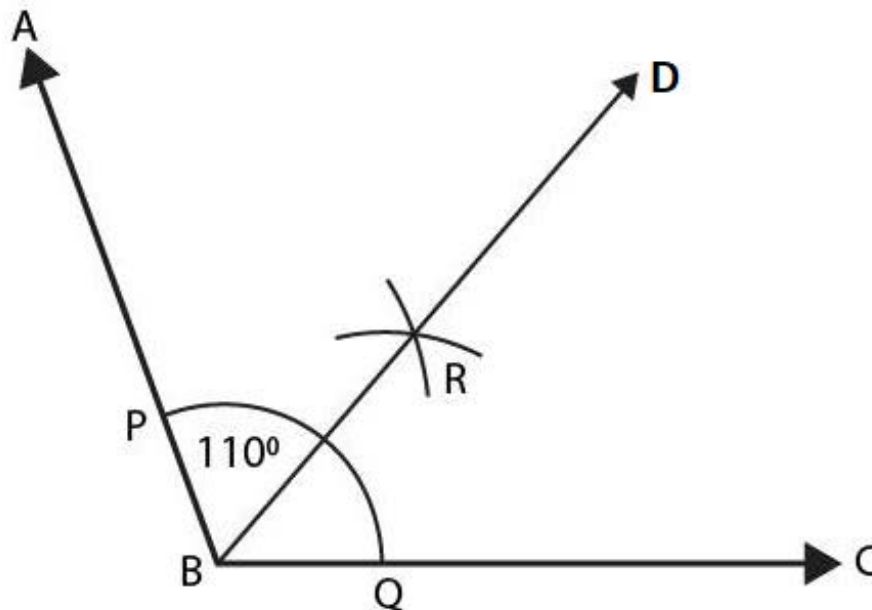
1. Draw an angle of 110° with the help of a protractor and bisect it. Measure each angle.

Solution:

According to the question,

An angle $ABC = 110^\circ$.

To draw the bisector of $\angle ABC$



Steps of construction:

1. With B as centre and a convenient radius, draw an arc to intersect the rays BA at P and BC at Q respectively.
2. With centre P and a radius greater than half of PQ, draw an arc.
3. With centre Q and the same radius (as in step 2), draw another arc to cut the previous arc at R.
4. Draw ray BR.

The ray BR is the required bisectors of $\angle ABC$.

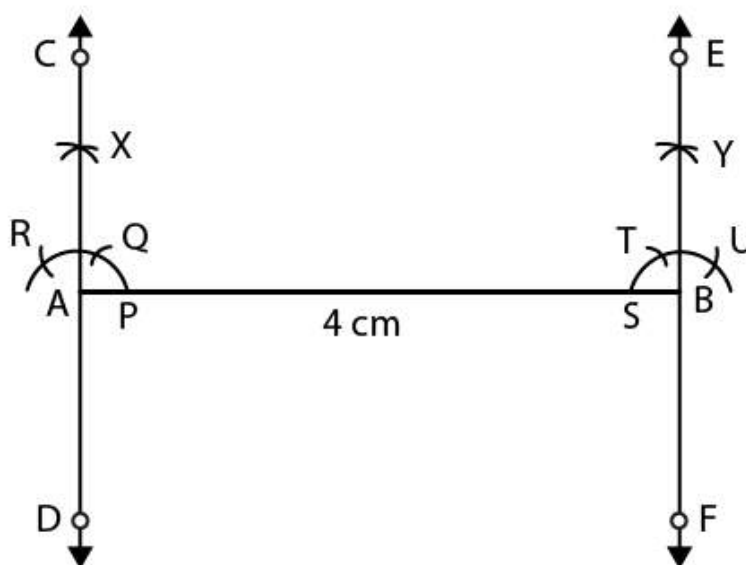
2. Draw a line segment AB of 4 cm in length. Draw a line perpendicular to AB through A and B, respectively. Are these lines parallel?

Solution:

According to the question,

A line segment AB of length 4cm.

To draw perpendicular to AB through A and B, respectively.



Steps of construction:

1. Draw $AB = 4$ cm.
 2. With A as centre, draw an arc, cutting AB at P.
 3. With P as centre and the same radius, draw an arc cutting the arc drawn in step 2 at Q.
 4. With Q as centre and the same radius, draw an arc, cutting the arc drawn in step 3 at R.
 5. With R as centre and the same radius, draw an arc, cutting the arc drawn in step 5 at X.
 6. Draw OX and produced it to C and D.
 7. Now, repeat the steps from 2 to 7 to draw the line EF perpendicular through B.
- Yes, these lines are parallel because sum of the interior angles on the same side of the transversal is 180° .

3. Draw an angle of 80° with the help of a protractor. Then construct angles of

(i) 40°

(ii) 160°

(iii) 120° .

Solution:

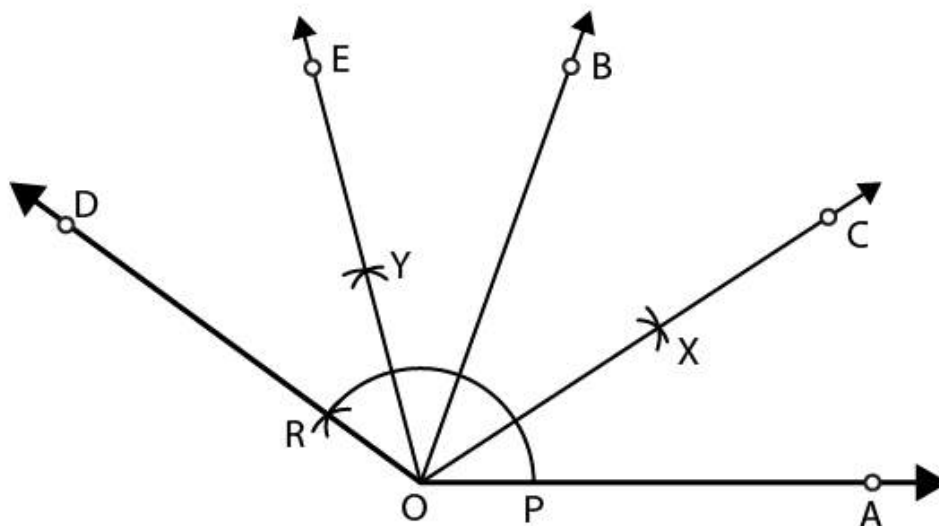
According to the question:

We have to draw an angle of 80° with the help of a protractor. Then construct angles of

(i) 40°

(ii) 160°

(iii) 120°



Steps of construction:

1. Draw a ray OA.
2. With the help of a protractor, construction $\angle BOA = 80^\circ$
3. Taking O as centre and any suitable radius, draw an arc to intersect rays OA and OB at points P and Q respectively.
4. Bisect $\angle BOA$ as done in Q1. Let ray OC be the bisector of $\angle BOA$, then
 $\angle ROA = \frac{1}{2} \angle BOA = \frac{1}{2} \times 80^\circ = 40^\circ$
5. With Q as centre and radius equal to PQ, draw an arc to cut the extended arc PQ at R.
 Join OR and produce it to form ray OD, then $\angle DOA = 2\angle BOA = 2 \times 80 = 40$
6. Bisect $\angle DOB$ as in Q1. Let OE be the bisector of $\angle DOB$ is then
 $\angle EOA = \angle EOB + \angle BOA = \frac{1}{2} \angle DOB + \angle BOA = \frac{1}{2} (80) + 80 = 40 + 80 = 120^\circ$

4. Construct a triangle whose sides are 3.6 cm, 3.0 cm and 4.8 cm. Bisect the smallest angle and measure each part.

Solution:

According to the question,

We have to construct a triangle whose sides are 3.6 cm, 3.0 cm and 4.8 cm.

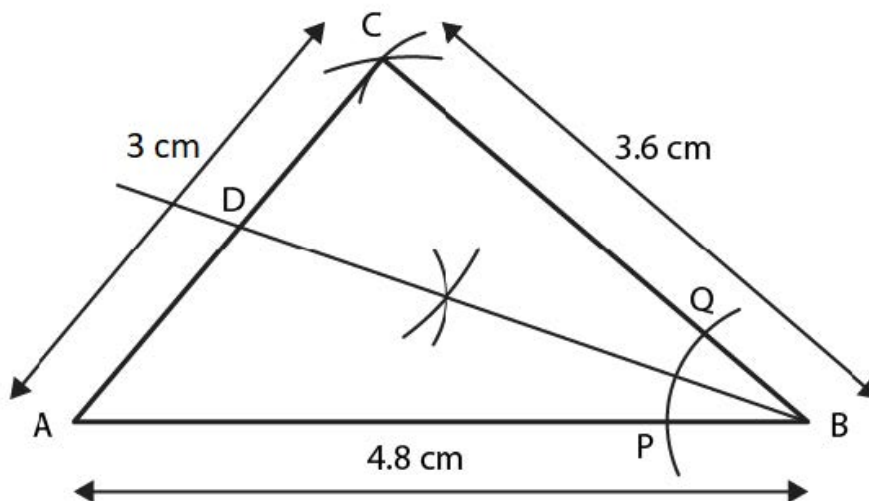
And to bisect the smallest angle and measure each part.

Steps of construction:

Step1: Draw a line $AB = 4.8$ cm.

Step2: Now, take radius of 3 cm and centre 'A' draw an arc. And take radius of 3.6 cm and centre 'B' draw an arc that intersect our previous arc at 'C'.

Step3: Join CA and CB we get required triangle ABC.



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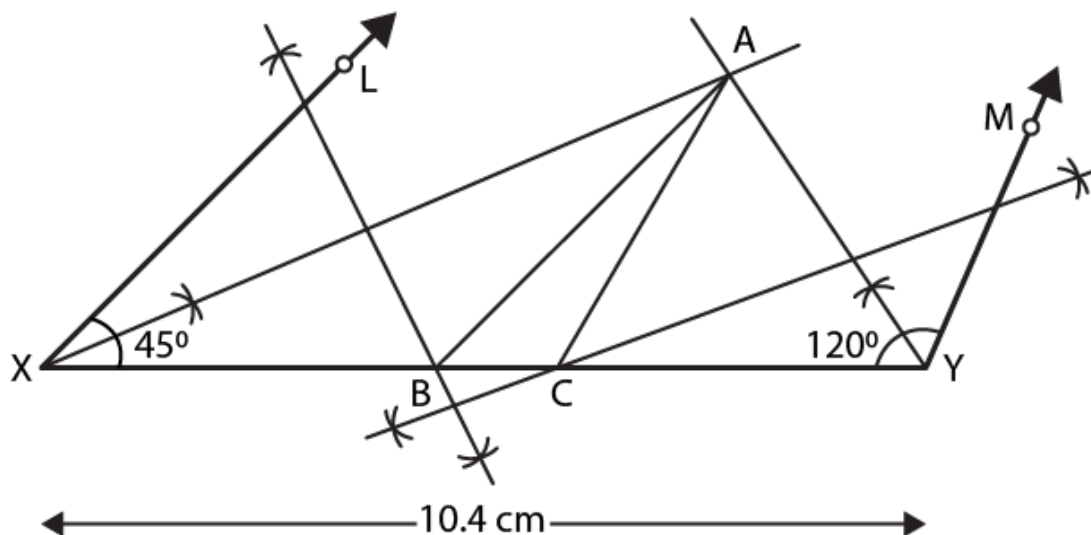
Construct each of the following and give justification:

1. A triangle if its perimeter is 10.4 cm and two angles are 45° and 120° .

Solution:

According to the question,

We have to construct a triangle if its perimeter is 10.4 cm and two angles are 45° and 120°



Steps of construction:

1. Draw $XY = 10.4$ cm.
2. Draw $\angle LXY = 45^\circ$ and $\angle MYX = 120^\circ$
3. Draw angle bisector of $\angle LXY$.
4. Draw angles bisector of $\angle MYX$ such that it meets the angle bisector of $\angle LXY$ at point A.
5. Draw the perpendicular bisector of AX such that it meets XY at B.
6. Draw the perpendicular bisector of AY such that it meets XY at C.
7. Join AB and AC.

Thus, ABC is the required triangle.

2. A triangle PQR given that $QR = 3$ cm, $\angle PQR = 45^\circ$ and $QP - PR = 2$ cm.

Solution:

According to the question,

We have to draw a triangle PQR such that $QR = 3$ cm, $\angle PQR = 45^\circ$ and $QP - PR = 2$ cm

Steps of construction:

1. Draw a ray OX and cut off a line segment $QR = 3$ cm.
2. AT Q, construction $\angle YQR = 45^\circ$.
3. From QY, cut off $QS = 2$ cm.
4. Join RS.
5. Draw perpendicular bisector of RS to Meet QY at P.
6. Join PR. Then PQR is the required triangle.

