

Exercise

Question 1.

State which of the following are polygons:



If the given figure is a polygon, name it as convex or concave.

Solution:

In given Fig. (ii), (iii) and (v) are polygons.

Fig. (ii) and (iii) are concave polygons while

Fig. (v) is convex.

Question 2.

Calculate the sum of angles of a polygon with:

(i) 10 sides

Solution:-

No. of sides $n=10$

$$\text{Sum of angles of polygon} = (n - 2) \times 180^\circ = (10 - 2) \times 180^\circ = 1440^\circ$$

(ii) 12 sides

Solution:-

No. of sides $n=12$

$$\text{Sum of angles} = (n - 2) \times 180^\circ = (12 - 2) \times 180^\circ = 10 \times 180^\circ = 1800^\circ$$

(iii) 20 sides

Solution:-

$$n = 20$$

$$\text{Sum of angles of Polygon} = (n - 2) \times 180^\circ = (20 - 2) \times 180^\circ = 3240^\circ$$

(iv) 25 sides

Solution:-

$$n = 25$$

$$\text{Sum of angles of polygon} = (n - 2) \times 180^\circ = (25 - 2) \times 180^\circ = 4140^\circ$$

Question 3.

Find the number of sides in a polygon if the sum of its interior angles is:

(i) 900°

Solution:-

Let no. of sides = n

Sum of angles of polygon = 900°

$$(n - 2) \times 180^\circ = 900$$

$$n - 2 = \frac{900}{180}$$

$$n - 2 = 5$$

$$n = 5 + 2$$

$$n = 7$$

(ii) 1620°

Solution:-

Let no. of sides = n

Sum of angles of polygon = 1620°

$$(n - 2) \times 180^\circ = 1620^\circ$$

$$n - 2 = \frac{1620}{180}$$

$$n - 2 = 9$$

$$n = 9 + 2$$

$$n = 11$$

(iii) 16 right-angles

Solution:-

Let no. of sides = n

Sum of angles of polygon = 16

$$\text{rightangles} = 16 \times 90 = 1440^\circ$$

$$(n - 2) \times 180^\circ = 1440^\circ$$

$$n - 2 = \frac{1440}{180}$$

$$n - 2 = 8$$

$$n = 8 + 2$$

$$n = 10$$

(iv) 32 right-angles.

Solution:-

Let no. of sides = n

Sum of angles of polygon = 32

$$\text{rightangles} = 32 \times 90 = 2880^\circ$$

$$(n - 2) \times 180^\circ = 2880$$

$$n - 2 = \frac{2880}{180}$$

$$n - 2 = 16$$

$$n = 16 + 2$$

$$n = 18$$

Question 4.

Is it possible to have a polygon; whose sum of interior angles is?

(i) 870°

Solution:-

(i) Let no. of sides = n

Sum of angles = 870°

$$(n - 2) \times 180^\circ = 870^\circ$$

$$n - 2 = \frac{870}{180}$$

$$n - 2 = \frac{29}{6}$$

$$n = \frac{29}{6} + 2$$

$$n = \frac{41}{6}$$

Which is not a whole number.

Hence it is not possible to have a polygon, the sum of whose interior angles is 870°

(ii) 2340°

Solution:

Let no. of sides = n

Sum of angles = 2340°

$$(n - 2) \times 180^\circ = 2340^\circ$$

$$n - 2 = \frac{2340}{180}$$

$$n - 2 = 13$$

$$n = 13 + 2 = 15$$

Which is a whole number.

Hence it is possible to have a polygon, the sum of whose interior angles is 2340° .

(iii) 7 right-angles

Solution:-

Let no. of sides = n

Sum of angles = $7 \text{ rightangles} = 7 \times 90 = 630^\circ$

$$(n - 2) \times 180^\circ = 630^\circ$$

$$n - 2 = \frac{630}{180}$$

$$n - 2 = \frac{7}{2}$$

$$n = \frac{7}{2} + 2$$

$$n = \frac{11}{2}$$

Which is not a whole number. Hence it is not possible to have a polygon, the sum of whose interior angles is 7 right-angles.

(iv) 4500°

Solution:-

Let no. of sides = n

$$(n - 2) \times 180^\circ = 4500^\circ$$

$$n - 2 = \frac{4500}{180}$$

$$n - 2 = 25$$

$$n = 25 + 2$$

$$n = 27$$

Which is a whole number.

Hence it is possible to have a polygon, the sum of whose interior angles is 4500°.

Question 5.

(i) If all the angles of a hexagon are equal; find the measure of each angle.

Solution:-

No. of sides of hexagon, n=6

Let each angle be =x°

Sum of angles =6x°

$$(n - 2) \times 180^\circ = \text{Sum of angles}$$

$$(6 - 2) \times 180^\circ = 6x^\circ$$

$$4 \times 180 = 6x$$

$$x = \frac{4 \times 180}{6}$$

$$x = 120^\circ$$

∴ Each angle of hexagon = 120°

(ii) If all the angles of a 14 – sided figure are equal; find the measure of each angle.

Solution:-

No. of sides of polygon, $n=14$

Let each angle = x°

Sum of angles = $14x^\circ$

∴ $(n - 2) \times 180^\circ = \text{Sum of angles of polygon}$

∴ $(14 - 2) \times 180^\circ = 14x$

$$12 \times 180^\circ = 14x$$

$$x = \frac{12 \times 180}{14}$$

$$x = \frac{1080}{7}$$

$$x = \left(154\frac{2}{7}\right)^\circ$$

Question 6.

Find the sum of exterior angles obtained on producing, in order, the sides of a polygon with:

(i) 7 sides

(ii) 10 sides

(iii) 250 sides.

(i) Solution:

No. of sides $n=7$

Sum of interior exterior angles at one vertex = 180°

Sum of all interior exterior angles = $7 \times 180^\circ$

= 1260°

Sum of interior angles = $(n - 2) \times 180^\circ = (7 - 2) \times 180^\circ = (7 - 2) \times 180^\circ$
= 900°

∴ Sum of exterior angles = $1260^\circ - 900^\circ$

= 360°

(ii) Solution

No. of sides $n=10$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sum of interior and exterior angles} &= 10^\circ \times 180^\circ \\ &= 1800^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{But sum of interior angles} &= (n - 2) \times 180^\circ = (10 - 2) \times 180^\circ \\ &= 1440^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{Sum of exterior angles} = 1800 - 1440$$

$$\text{Sum of exterior angles} = 360^\circ$$

(iii) Solution:

No. of side $n=250$

Sum of all interior and exterior angles

$$\begin{aligned} &= 250 \times 180^\circ \\ &= 45000^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{But sum of interior angles} &= (n - 2) \times 180^\circ = (250 - 2) \times 180^\circ = 248 \times 180^\circ \\ &= 44640^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{Sum of exterior angles} = 45000 - 44640$$

$$= 360^\circ$$

Question 7 :

The sides of a hexagon are produced in order. If the measures of exterior angles so obtained are $(6x-1)^\circ$, $(10x+2)^\circ$, $(8x+2)^\circ$, $(9x-3)^\circ$, $(5x+4)^\circ$ and $(12x+6)^\circ$; Find each exterior angle.

Solution:-

Sum of exterior angles of hexagon formed by producing sides of order $= 360^\circ$

$$\therefore (6x-1)^\circ + (10x+2)^\circ + (8x+2)^\circ + (9x-3)^\circ + (5x+4)^\circ + (12x+6)^\circ = 360^\circ$$

$$50x + 10^\circ = 360^\circ$$

$$50x = 360^\circ - 10^\circ$$

$$50x = 350^\circ$$

$$x = \frac{350}{50}$$

$$x = 7$$

$$\therefore \text{Angles are } (6x-1)^\circ; (10x+2)^\circ; (8x+2)^\circ; (9x-3)^\circ; (5x+4)^\circ \text{ and } (12x+6)^\circ$$

$$\text{i.e., } (6 \times 7 - 1)^\circ; (10 \times 7 + 2)^\circ; (8 \times 7 + 2)^\circ; (9 \times 7 - 3)^\circ; (5 \times 7 + 4)^\circ; (12 \times 7 + 6)^\circ$$

$$41^\circ; 72^\circ; 58^\circ; 60^\circ; 39^\circ \text{ and } 90^\circ$$

Question 8.

The interior angles of a pentagon are in the ratio 4:5:6:7:5. Find each angle of the pentagon.

Solution:-

Let the interior angles of the pentagon be $4x$, $5x$, $6x$, $7x$, $5x$

Their sum = $4x + 5x + 6x + 7x + 5x = 27x$

Sum of interior angles of polygon = $(n - 2) \times 180^\circ = (5 - 2) \times 180^\circ = 540^\circ$

$$27x = 540$$

$$x = \frac{540}{27} = 20^\circ$$

\therefore Angles are

$$4 \times 20^\circ = 80^\circ$$

$$5 \times 20^\circ = 100^\circ$$

$$6 \times 20^\circ = 120^\circ$$

$$7 \times 20^\circ = 140^\circ$$

$$5 \times 20^\circ = 100^\circ$$

Question 9

Two angles of a hexagon are 120° and 160° . If the remaining four angles are equal, find each equal angle.

Solution:-

Two angles of a hexagon are 120° , 160°

Let remaining four angles be x , x , x and x .

Their sum = $4x + 280^\circ$

But sum of all the interior angles of a hexagon = $(6 - 2) \times 180^\circ = 4 \times 180^\circ = 720^\circ$

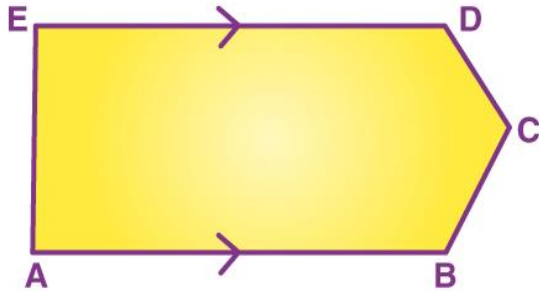
$$\therefore 4x + 280^\circ = 720^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x = 720^\circ - 280^\circ = 440^\circ \Rightarrow x = 110^\circ$$

\therefore Equal angles are 110° (each)

Question 10

The figure, given below, shows a pentagon ABCDE with sides AB and ED parallel to each other, and $\angle B : \angle C : \angle D = 5:6:7$.



- (i) Using formula, find the sum of interior angles of the pentagon.
 (ii) Write the value of $\angle A + \angle E$
 (iii) Find angles B, C and D .

Solution:-

(i) Sum of interior angles of the pentagon $= (5 - 2) \times 180^\circ$
 $= 3 \times 180^\circ = 540^\circ$ (\because sum for a polygon of x sides $= (x - 2) \times 180^\circ$)

(ii) Since $AB \parallel ED$

$\therefore \angle A + \angle E = 180^\circ$

(iii) Let $\angle B = 5x$ $\angle C = 6x$ $\angle D = 7x$

$\therefore 5x + 6x + 7x + 180^\circ = 540^\circ$

$\angle A + \angle E = 180^\circ$ Proved in (ii)

$18x = 540^\circ - 180^\circ$

$\Rightarrow 18x = 360^\circ \Rightarrow x = 20^\circ$

$\therefore \angle B = 5 \times 20^\circ = 100^\circ, \angle C = 6 \times 20 = 120^\circ \angle D = 7 \times 20 = 140^\circ$

Question 11.

Two angles of a polygon are right angles and the remaining are 120° each. Find the number of sides in it.

Solution:-

Let number of sides = n

$$\text{Sum of interior angles} = (n - 2) \times 180^\circ$$

$$= 180n - 360^\circ$$

$$\text{Sum of 2 right angles} = 2 \times 90^\circ$$

$$= 180^\circ$$

$$\therefore \text{Sum of other angles} = 180n - 360^\circ - 180^\circ$$

$$= 180n - 540$$

No. of vertices at which these angles are formed

$$= n - 2$$

$$\therefore \text{Each interior angle} = \frac{180n - 540}{n - 2} \therefore \frac{180n - 540}{n - 2} = 120^\circ$$

$$180n - 540 = 120n - 240$$

$$180n - 120n = -240 + 540$$

$$60n = 300$$

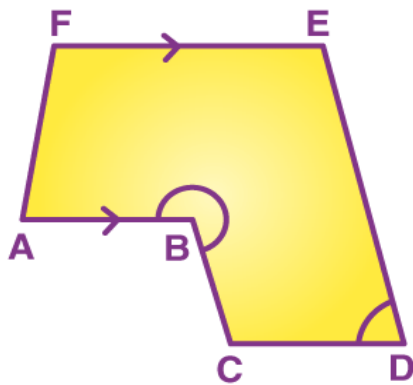
$$n = 300/60$$

$$n = 5$$

Question 12.

In a hexagon ABCDEF, side AB is parallel to side FE and $\angle B : \angle C : \angle D : \angle E = 6 : 4 : 2 : 3$. Find $\angle B$ and $\angle D$.

Solution:-



Given: Hexagon ABCDEF in which $AB \parallel EF$

and $\angle B : \angle C : \angle D : \angle E = 6 : 4 : 2 : 3$

To find : $\angle B$ and $\angle D$

Proof: No. of sides $n = 6$

$$\therefore \text{Sum of interior angles} = (n - 2) \times 180^\circ = (6 - 2) \times 180^\circ = 720^\circ$$

\therefore ABIEF (Given)

$$\therefore \angle A + \angle F = 180^\circ$$

$$\text{But } \angle A + \angle B + \angle C + \angle D + \angle E + \angle F = 720^\circ$$

(proved)

$$\angle B + \angle C + \angle D + \angle E + 180^\circ = 720^\circ \therefore \angle B + \angle C + \angle D + \angle E = 720^\circ - 180^\circ = 540^\circ$$

Ratio = 6:4:2:3

Sum of parts = 6+4+2+3=15

$$\therefore \angle B = \frac{6}{15} \times 540 = 216^\circ \quad \angle D = \frac{2}{15} \times 540 = 72^\circ$$

$$\text{Hence } \angle B = 216^\circ : \angle D = 72^\circ$$

Question 13.

the angles of a hexagon are $x+10^\circ, 2x+20^\circ, 2x-20^\circ, 3x-50^\circ, x+40^\circ$ and $x+20^\circ$. Find x .

Solution:-

Angles of a hexagon are $x+10^\circ, 2x+20^\circ,$

$2x-20^\circ, 3x-50^\circ, x+40^\circ$ and $x+20^\circ$

$$\therefore \text{But sum of angles of a hexagon} = (x - 2) \times 180^\circ = (6 - 2) \times 180^\circ = 4 \times 180^\circ = 720^\circ$$

$$\text{But sum} = x+10+2x+20^\circ+2x-20^\circ+3x-50^\circ+x+40+x+20$$

$$= 10x+90-70=10x+20$$

$$\therefore 10x+20=720^\circ \Rightarrow 10x=720-20=700$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{700^\circ}{10} = 70^\circ$$

$$\therefore x=70^\circ$$

Question 14.

In a pentagon, two angles are 40° and 60° and the rest are in the ratio 1:3:7. Find the biggest angle of the pentagon.

Solution:-

In a pentagon, two angles are 40° and 60° Sum of remaining 3 angles = $3 \times 180^\circ$
 $= 540^\circ - 40^\circ - 60^\circ = 540^\circ - 100^\circ = 440^\circ$

Ratio in these 3 angles = 1:3:7

Sum of ratios = $1+3+7=11$

Biggest angle = $\frac{440 \times 7}{11} = 280^\circ$

Question 15

Fill in the blanks:

In case of regular polygon, with:

No. of sides	Each exterior angle	Each interior angle
(i)....8....	.....	.....
(ii)....12....	.....	.....
(iii).....	.....72°
(iv).....	.....45°
(v).....	.....	.....150°
(vi).....	.....	.....140°

Solution:-

No. Of sides	Each exterior angle	Each interior angle
(i)8	45°	135°
(ii)12	30°	150°
(iii)5	72°	108°
(iv)8	45°	135°
(v)12	30°	150°
(vi)9	40°	140°

Explanation:

(i) Each exterior angle = $\frac{360^\circ}{8} = 45^\circ$

Each interior angle = $180^\circ - 45^\circ = 135^\circ$

(ii) Each exterior angle = $\frac{360^\circ}{12} = 30^\circ$

Each interior angle = $180^\circ - 30^\circ = 150^\circ$

(iii) Since each exterior = 72°

\therefore Number of sides = $\frac{360^\circ}{72^\circ} = 5$

Also interior angle = $180^\circ - 72^\circ = 108^\circ$

(iv) Since each exterior angle = 45°

\therefore Number of sides = $\frac{360^\circ}{45^\circ} = 8$

Interior angle = $180^\circ - 45^\circ = 135^\circ$

(v) Since interior angle = 150°

\therefore Exterior angle = $180^\circ - 150^\circ = 30^\circ$

\therefore Number of sides = $\frac{360^\circ}{30^\circ} = 12$

(vi) Since interior angle = 140°

\therefore Exterior angle = $180^\circ - 140^\circ = 40^\circ$

\therefore Number of sides = $\frac{360^\circ}{40^\circ} = 9$