

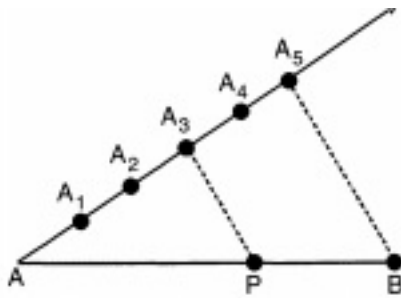
CBSE Test Paper 04
Chapter 11 Construction

1. To divide a line segment AB in the ratio 3 : 7, draw a ray AX such that $\angle BAX$ is an acute angle, then draw a ray BY parallel to AX and the points A_1, A_2, A_3, \dots and B_1, B_2, B_3, \dots are located at equal distances on ray AX and BY respectively. Then the points joined are: **(1)**
 - a. A_4 and B_3
 - b. A_3 and B_7
 - c. A_5 and B_5
 - d. A_7 and B_3
2. To divide a line segment AB in the ratio 5 : 6, draw a ray AX such that $\angle BAX$ is an acute angle, then draw a ray BY parallel to AX and the points A_1, A_2, A_3, \dots and B_1, B_2, B_3, \dots are located at equal distances on ray AX and BY, respectively. Then, the points joined are **(1)**
 - a. A_5 and B_4
 - b. A_6 and B_5
 - c. A_4 and B_5
 - d. A_5 and B_6
3. To draw a pair of tangents to a circle which are inclined to each other at an angle of 60° , it is required to draw tangents at end-points of those two radii of the circle, the angle between them should be **(1)**
 - a. 120°
 - b. 135°
 - c. 90°
 - d. 60°
4. To divide a line segment AB in the ratio 2 : 5, first a ray AX is drawn, so that $\angle BAX$ is an acute angle and then at equal distances points are marked on the ray such that the minimum number of these points is : **(1)**
 - a. 4
 - b. 5
 - c. 7

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- d. 2
5. To construct a triangle similar to given $\triangle ABC$ with its sides $\frac{7}{5}$ of the corresponding side of $\triangle ABC$, draw a ray BX such that $\angle CBX$ is an acute angle and X is on the opposite side of A with respect to BC. Then, locate points $X_1, X_2, X_3 \dots$ at equal distances on BX. The points to be joined are: **(1)**
- X_7 and C
 - X_2 and C
 - X_5 and C
 - X_{12} and C
6. To draw a pair of tangents to a circle which are inclined to each other at an angle of, 35° it is required to draw tangents at the end points of those two radii of the circle, the angle between them should be: **(1)**
- 105°
 - 140°
 - 145°
 - 70°
7. Point C bisects the line segment PQ in the ratio: **(1)**
- 1 : 1
 - 2 : 5
 - 1 : 4
 - 2 : 3
8. To divide a line segment LM in the ratio 4 : 3, a ray LX is drawn first such that $\angle MLX$ is an acute angle and then points, L_1, L_2, L_3, \dots are located at equal distances on the ray LX and the points M is joined to: **(1)**
- L_2
 - L_7
 - L_4
 - L_3
9. Triangle PQR is constructed similar to triangle ABC with scale factor $\frac{2}{3}$. Find triangle PQR. **(1)**
10. To divide a line segment AB in the ratio 2:5, first a ray AX is drawn, so that $\angle BAX$ is an acute angle and then at equal distances, how many points are located on the ray

AX? (1)

11. What is the ratio of division of the line segment AB by the point P from A? (1)



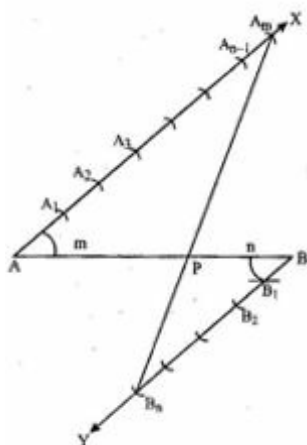
12. Draw a circle of radius 5 cm. Take a point P on it. Without using the centre of the circle, draw a tangent to the circle at point P. Also write steps of construction. (2)
13. Find the third side of a right angled triangle whose hypotenuse is length p cm , one side of length q cm and $p - q = 1$. (2)
14. Construct a quadrilateral similar to a given quadrilateral with sides $\frac{4}{7}$ of the corresponding sides of ABCD. (2)
15. Draw a pair of tangents to a circle of radius 6 cm which are inclined to each other at 60° . Also write steps of construction. (2)
16. Draw a circle of radius 1.5 cm. Take a point P outside it. Without using the centre draw two tangents to the circle from the point P. (2)
17. Draw a triangle ABC with sides $BC = 7$ cm, $\angle B = 45^\circ$, $A = 105^\circ$. Then construct a triangle whose sides are $\frac{4}{3}$ times the corresponding sides of the $\triangle ABC$. (3)
18. Draw a circle of radius 5 cm. From a point 12 cm away from its centre, construct the pair of tangents to the circle and measure their lengths. (3)
19. Divide a line segment of length 9 cm internally in the ratio 4 : 3. Also, give justification of the construction. (3)
20. Draw a quadrilateral ABCD with $AB = 3$ cm, $AD = 2.7$ cm, $DB = 3.6$ cm, $\angle B = 110^\circ$ and $BC = 4.2$ cm. Construct a quadrilateral A'BC'D similar to the quadrilateral ABCD so that the diagonal D'B may be 4.8. (3)

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Solution

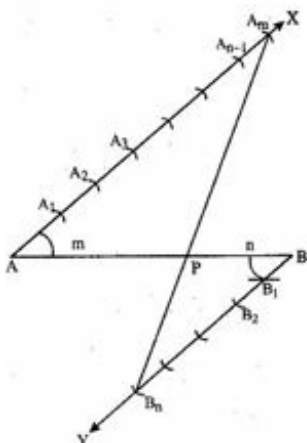
1. b. A_3 and B_7

Explanation: If to divide the line segment AB in the ratio $m : n$, then we draw a ray AX such that $\angle BAX$ is an acute angle, then draw a ray BY parallel to AX and the points $A_1, A_2, A_3, \dots, A_{m-1}, A_m$ and B_1, B_2, \dots, B_n are located at equal distances on ray AX and BY respectively. Then the points joined are A_m and B_n . Therefore, according to the question, the points joined are A_3 and B_7 .



2. b. A_6 and B_5

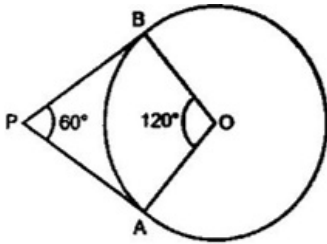
Explanation: According to the question, the points joined are A_6 to B_5 . Because if we have to divide a line segment AB in the ratio $m : n$, then we draw rays AX and BY and mark the points A_1, A_2, \dots, A_m and B_1, B_2, \dots, B_n on rays AX and BY respectively. Then we join the point A_m to B_n .



3. a. 120°

Explanation: As $AOBP$ is a quadrilateral the sum of four angles are 360° . Tangents make 90° with the radius of touching points so $\angle PAO$ and $\angle PBO$ are 90° each.

$$\text{so } \angle AOB = ((360 - (90 + 90 + 60))) \\ = (360 - 240) = 120$$

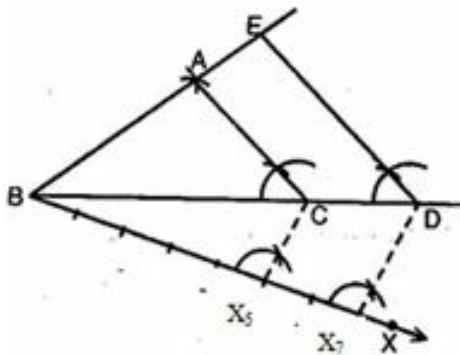


4. c. 7

Explanation: According to the question, the minimum number of those points which are to be marked should be (Numerator + Denominator) i.e., $2 + 5 = 7$

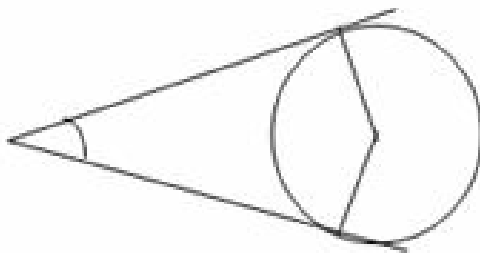
5. c. X_5 and C

Explanation: According to the question, the points to be joined are X_5 and C.



6. c. 145°

Explanation: As it is a quadrilateral the sum of four angles 360° . tangents make with 90° a radius of touching points.



So, the angle at the centre $(360 - (90 + 90 + 35))$

$$= (360 - 215)$$

$$= 145^\circ$$

7. a. 1 : 1

Explanation: As we know that, if C bisects PQ then,

$$PC = CQ$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{PC}{CQ} = \frac{1}{1}$$

$$\text{or, } PC : CQ = 1 : 1$$

8. b. L_7

Explanation: To divide a line segment AB in the ratio m: n, a ray AX is drawn, such that $\angle BAX$ is an acute angle and the points $A_1, A_2, A_3, \dots, A_m, \dots, A_n$ are located at equal distances on the ray AX and then the point B is joined to A_n . Therefore, according to the question, the point M is joined to L_7M .

9. If triangle PQR is constructed similar to triangle ABC with scale factor $\frac{2}{3}$.

So, Triangle PQR is smaller to triangle ABC

(\because Reduced scale factor figures are smaller in size)

10. We know that, to divide a line segment AB in the ratio m : n, first draw a ray AX which makes an acute $\angle BAX$, then marks m + n points at equal distances.

Here, $m = 2$ and $n = 5$

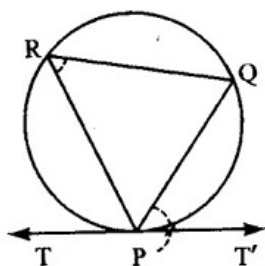
Hence, number of points on the ray $AX = 2 + 5 = 7$

11. The ratio of division of the line segment AB by the point P from A is

$$AP : AB = 3 : 5.$$

12. Steps of construction:

- Draw any chord PQ through the given point P on the circle.
- Take a point R on the circle and join P and Q to a point R.
- Construct $\angle QPT' = \angle PRQ$ on the opposite side of the chord PQ.
- Produce T'P to T to get TPT' as the required tangent.



13. Given, the length of the hypotenuse of triangle = p cm & the length of one side be q cm

Let, the length of third side be x cm

By using the Pythagoras theorem it is,

$$(\text{Hypotenuse})^2 = (\text{Base})^2 + (\text{Altitude})^2$$

$$\Rightarrow p^2 = q^2 + x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = p^2 - q^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = (p + q)(p - q)$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = p + q \text{ [Given, } p - q = 1 \text{]}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \sqrt{p + q}$$

Hence, the length of the third side is $\sqrt{p + q}$.

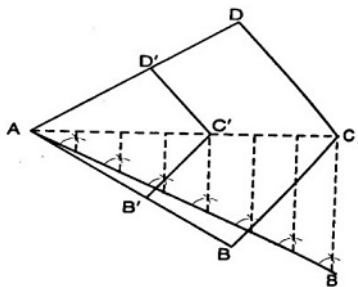
14. Steps of construction:

- Draw a quadrilateral ABCD with the given data.
- Join AC and divide it into 7 equal parts.
- Let C' be the point which divides AC in the ratio 4 : 3, i.e.

$$AC' = \frac{4}{7}AC$$

- From C' , draw lines parallel to CB and CD meeting AB and AD at B' and D' respectively.

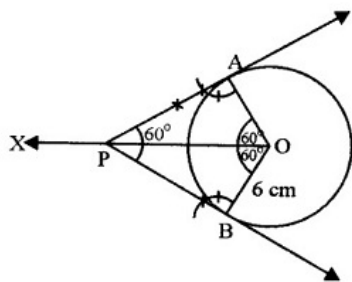
$AB'C'D'$ is the required quadrilateral



15. Steps of construction:

- Draw a circle with centre O and radius = 6 cm.
- Take a ray OP.
- Construct $\angle POA$ and $\angle POB = 60^\circ$ such that $\angle AOB = 120^\circ$.
- Construct $\angle OAP = \angle OBP = 90^\circ$ with radii OA and OB respectively such that their arms AP and BP intersect ray OP at P, then $\angle APB = 60^\circ$

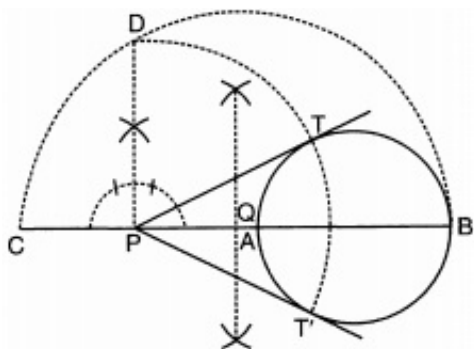
Such that tangents PA and PB are inclined at 60° with each other.



16. Steps of construction:

- i. Draw a circle of radius 1.5 cm. Take a point P outside it.
- ii. Through P draw a secant PAB to meet the circle at A and B.
- iii. Produce AP to C such that PC = PA. Bisect CB at Q.
- iv. With CB as diameter and centre as Q, draw a semicircle.
- v. Draw $PD \perp CB$, to meet semi-circle at the point D.
- vi. Intersect P as centre and PD as radius draw an arc to intersect the circle at T and T'. PT and PT' are the required tangents.
- vii. Join P to T and P to T'

Hence



17. Required: To draw a triangle ABC with sides $BC = 7$ cm, $\angle B = 45^\circ$ cm and $\angle A = 105^\circ$ and then to construct a triangle whose sides are $\frac{4}{3}$ times the corresponding sides of triangle ABC.

Steps of construction:

- i. Draw a $\triangle ABC$ with sides $BC = 7$ cm, $\angle B = 45^\circ$ cm and $\angle A = 105^\circ$
- ii. Draw any ray BX making an acute angle with BC the Side opposite to the vertex A.
- iii. Locate 4 points B_1, B_2, B_3 and B_4 on BX
- iv. Join B_3 to C and draw a line through B_4 parallel to B_3C , intersecting the extended line segment BC to C'.
- v. Draw a line through C' parallel to CA intersecting the extended line segment BA at

Justification:

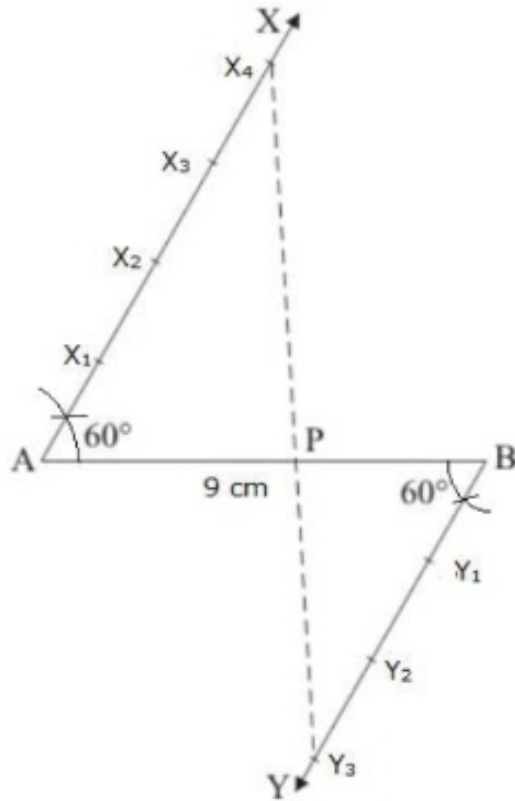
$$\therefore \triangle ABC \sim \triangle A'BC' \text{ [AA similarity criterion]}$$
$$\therefore B_4C' \mid \mid B_3C \text{ [By construction]}$$
$$\therefore \frac{BC'}{BC} = \frac{BB_4}{BB_3} \text{ [By basic proportionality theorem]}$$
$$\therefore \frac{BC'}{BC} = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\therefore \frac{A'B}{AB} = \frac{A'C'}{AC} = \frac{BC'}{BC} = \frac{4}{3}$$

- i. With O as centre, draw a circle of radius 5 cm.
- ii. Take a point A at a distance of 12 cm from O.
- iii. Join OA and bisect it. Let P is the mid-point of OA.

- iv. Taking P as centre and PO as radius, draw a circle intersecting the given circle at the points B and C.
- v. Join AB and AC. AB and AC are the required tangents. Length of tangents = 11 cm

19. Steps of construction



- i. Draw a line segment AB of 9cm.
- ii. Through the points A and B, draw two parallel lines AX and BY on the opposite side of AB.
- iii. Cut 4 equal parts on AX and 3 equal parts on BY such that.

$$AX_1 = X_1X_2 = X_2X_3 = X_3X_4 \text{ and } BY_1 = Y_1Y_2 = Y_2Y_3$$

- iv. Join X_4Y_3 which intersect AB at P

$$\therefore \frac{AP}{PB} = \frac{4}{3}$$

Justification

In $\triangle APX_4$ and $\triangle BPY_3$

$$\angle APX_4 = \angle BPY_3 \text{ (vertically opposite angles)}$$

$$\angle PAX_4 = \angle PBY_3 \text{ (alternate interior angle)}$$

then, $\triangle APX_4 \sim \triangle BPY_3$ (by AA similarity)

$$\therefore \frac{PA}{PB} = \frac{AX_4}{BY_3} = \frac{4}{3}$$

20. Steps of construction

- i. Draw $AB = 3$ cm
- ii. Make $\angle PBQ = 110^\circ$
- iii. From BP, cut $BC = 4.2$ cm and from BQ, cut $BA = 3$ cm.
- iv. Taking B and A as a centre, draw arcs of radii 3.6 cm and 2.7 cm respectively, let the arcs intersect in D. Join AD, DC. ABCD is the quadrilateral with the given data.
- v. Now produce BD and cut $BD' = 4.8$ cm.
- vi. Through D', draw lines parallel to DA and DC meeting BQ and BC' in A' and C' respectively.
- vii. Join D'A' and D'C'.

ABC'S' is the required quadrilateral.

