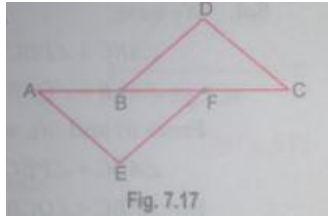


SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS-II

[3 marks]

Que 1. In Fig. 7.17, it is given that $AB = CF$, $EF = BD$ and $\angle AFE = \angle CBD$. Prove that $\Delta AFE \cong \Delta CBD$.



Sol. In triangles AFE and CBD , we have

$$AB = CF$$

Adding BF on both the sides

$$AB + BF = CF + BF$$

$$AF = BC$$

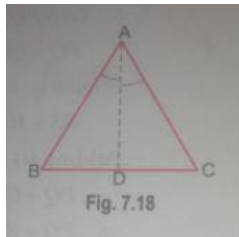
Now in triangles AFE and CBD , we have $AF = CB$ (Proved above)

$$\angle AFE = \angle CBD \quad (\text{Given})$$

$$\text{And } EF = BD \quad (\text{Given})$$

$$\therefore \Delta AFE \cong \Delta CBD \quad (\text{SAS congruence criterion})$$

Que 2. Prove that angles opposite to equal sides of a triangle are equal.



Sol. **Given:** A ΔABC in which $AB = AC$.

To prove: $\angle B = \angle C$

Construction: Draw AD , the bisector of $\angle A$, to meet BC at D .

Proof: In ΔABD and ΔACD , we have

$$AB = AC \quad (\text{Given})$$

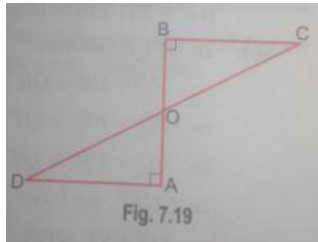
$$\angle BAD = \angle CAD \quad (\text{By Construction})$$

$$AD = AD \quad (\text{Common})$$

$$\therefore \triangle ABD \cong \triangle ACD \quad (\text{SAS Congruence criterion})$$

$$\text{Hence, } \angle B = \angle C \quad (\text{CPCT})$$

Que 3. In Fig. 7.19, AD and BC are equal perpendicular to a line segment AB . Show that CD bisects AB .



Sol. In $\triangle OAD$ and $\triangle OBC$, we have

$$\angle AOD = \angle BOC \quad (\text{Vertically opposite angles})$$

$$\angle OAD = \angle OBC \quad (\text{Each } 90^\circ)$$

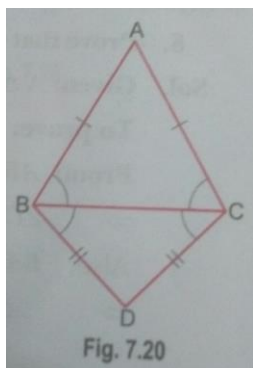
$$\text{And, } AD = BC$$

$$\therefore \triangle AOD \cong \triangle BOC \quad (\text{AAS congruence criterion})$$

$$\Rightarrow OA = OB \quad (\text{CPCT})$$

Thus, CD bisects AB .

Que 4. In Fig. 7.20, ABC and DBC are two isosceles triangles on the same base BC . Show that $\angle ABD = \angle ACD$.



Sol. In $\triangle ABC$, we have, $AB = AC$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ACB = \angle ABC \quad (\text{Angles opposite to equal sides}) \dots(i)$$

In $\triangle DBC$, we have

$$BD = CD$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle DCB = \angle DBC \text{ (Angles opposite to equal sides) ... (ii)}$$

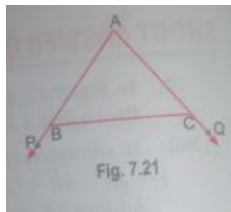
Adding (i) and (ii), we get

$$\angle ACB + \angle DCB = \angle ABC + \angle DBC$$

$$\angle ACD = \angle ABD$$

Hence, $\angle ABD = \angle ACD$

Que 5. In Fig. 7.21, sides AB and AC of $\triangle ABC$ are extended to points P and Q respectively. Also, $\angle PBC < \angle QCB$. Show that $AC > AB$.



Sol. We have,

$$\angle ABC + \angle PBC = 180^\circ \quad \text{(Linear Pair) ... (i)}$$

$$\angle ACB + \angle QCB = 180^\circ \quad \text{(Linear Pair) ... (ii)}$$

From (i) and (ii), we have

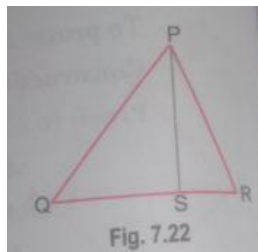
$$\angle ACB + \angle QPBC = \angle ACB + \angle QCB$$

But $\angle PBC < \angle QCB$ (Given)

$$\therefore \angle ABC > \angle ACB$$

$$\Rightarrow AC > AB \quad (\because \text{Side opposite to greater angle is larger})$$

Que 6. S is any point on side QR of a $\triangle PQR$. Show that: $PQ + QR + RP > 2PS$.



Sol. Since sum of the two sides of a triangle is greater than the third side

\therefore In $\triangle PQS$, we have

$$PQ + QS > PS \quad \dots (i)$$

Similarly, in $\triangle PRS$, we have

$$RS + RP > PS \quad \dots (ii)$$

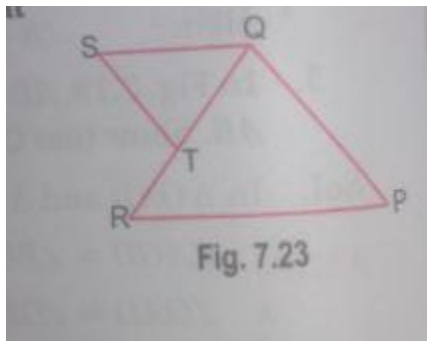
Adding (i) and (ii), we get

$$PQ + QS + RS + RP > PS + PS$$

$$\Rightarrow PQ + (QS + RS) + RP > 2PS$$

$$\Rightarrow PQ + QR + RP > 2PS$$

Que 7. In Fig. 7.23, T is a point on side QR of $\triangle PQR$ and S is a point such that $RT = ST$. Prove that $PQ + PR > QS$.



Sol. In $\triangle PQR$, we have

$$PQ + PR > QR$$

$$\Rightarrow PQ + PR > QT + RT \quad (\because QR = QT + RT)$$

$$\Rightarrow PQ + PR > QT + ST \quad (\because RT = ST) \quad \dots(i)$$

In $\triangle QST$, we have

$$QT + ST > QS \quad \dots(ii)$$

From (i) and (ii), we have

$$PQ + PR > QS$$

Que 8. Prove that each angle of an equilateral triangle is 60° .

Sol. Given: A $\triangle ABC$ in which $AB = BC = CA$ (Fig. 7.24)

To prove: $\angle A = \angle B = \angle C = 60^\circ$

Proof: $AB = AC$

$\Rightarrow \angle C = \angle B$ (Angles opposite to equal sides are equal) ... (i)

Also, $BA = BC$

$\Rightarrow \angle C = \angle A$ (Angles opposite to equal sides are equal) ... (ii)

From (i) and (ii), we have

$$\angle A = \angle B = \angle C$$

Now, $\angle A + \angle B + \angle C = 180^\circ \Rightarrow \angle A + \angle A + \angle A = 180^\circ$

$\Rightarrow 3\angle A = 180^\circ \Rightarrow \angle A = 60^\circ$

Hence, $\angle A = \angle B = \angle C = 60^\circ$

Que 9. Show that in a quadrilateral $ABCD$, $AB + BC + CD + DA > AC + BD$.

Sol. Since the sum of any two sides of a triangle is greater than the third side.

Therefore, in $\triangle ABC$, we have

$$AB + BC > AC \quad \dots(i)$$

In $\triangle BCD$, we have

$$BC + CD > BD \quad \dots(iii)$$

In $\triangle CDA$, we have

$$CD + DA > AC \quad \dots(iv)$$

Adding: (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv), we get

$$2AB + 2BC + 2CD + 2DA > 2AC + 2BD$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(AB + BC + CD + DA) > 2(AC + BD)$$

$$\Rightarrow AB + BC + CD + DA > AC + BD$$