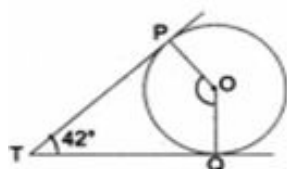


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1. Point E bisects the line segment PQ in the ratio: **(1)**
 - a. 3 : 5
 - b. 3 : 6
 - c. 2 : 3
 - d. 1 : 1
2. If PT, QT are two tangents to a circle with centre O such that $\angle PTQ = 42^\circ$, then $\angle POQ =$ **(1)**



- a. 48°
 - b. 84°
 - c. 42°
 - d. 138°
3. In division of a line segment AB, any ray AX making angle with AB is: **(1)**
 - a. Right angle
 - b. Acute angle
 - c. Obtuse angle
 - d. Any arbitrary angle
4. By geometrical construction, which of the following is possible to divide a line segment in the given ratio? **(1)**
 - a. $(\sqrt{3} - 2) : (\sqrt{3} + 2)$
 - b. $(2 + \sqrt{3}) : (2 - \sqrt{3})$
 - c. $\sqrt{6} : 2$
 - d. $\sqrt{5} : \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$
5. To draw a pair of tangents to a circle which are inclined to each other at an angle of 80° , it is required to draw tangents at endpoints of those two radii of the circle, the

angle between them should be **(1)**

- a. 90°
- b. 100°
- c. 60°
- d. 135°

6. To divide a line segment AB in the ratio 5: 7, 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 AX such that the minimum number of these points is **(1)**

- a. 8
- b. 11
- c. 10
- d. 12

7. To draw a pair tangents to a circle which are inclined to each other at an angle of 70° , it is required to draw tangents at endpoints of those two radii of the circle, the angle between them should be: **(1)**

- a. 90°
- b. 120°
- c. 20°
- d. 110°

8. To divide a line segment AB in the ratio 4 : 7, a ray AX is drawn first such that $\angle BAX$ is an acute angle and then points A_1, A_2, A_3, \dots are located at equal distances on the ray AX and the point B is joined to: **(1)**

- a. A_{12}
- b. A_{10}
- c. A_9
- d. A_{11}

9. When construction of a triangle similar to a given triangle in the scale factor $\frac{5}{3}$, then what is the nature of a given triangle? **(1)**

10. To construct a triangle similar to a given $\triangle ABC$ with its sides $\frac{8}{5}$ times of the corresponding sides 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. How many minimum number of

points to be located at equal distances on ray BX? **(1)**

11. In drawing a triangle, if $AB = 3$ cm, $BC = 2$ cm and $AC = 6$ cm. What is the possibility that a triangle cannot be drawn? **(1)**
12. Draw a pair of tangents to a circle of radius 5cm which are inclined to each other at 60° . **(2)**
13. Construct a triangle similar to a given equilateral $\triangle PQR$ with side 5 cm such that each of its side is $\frac{6}{7}$ of the corresponding sides of $\triangle PQR$. **(2)**
14. Draw a circle of radius 4cm with centre O. Draw a diameter POQ. Through P or Q draw a tangent to the circle. **(2)**
15. Construct a tangent to a circle of radius 4 cm from a point on the concentric circle of radius 6 cm and measure its length. Also, verify the measurement by actual calculation. **(2)**
16. Draw a triangle ABC with sides $BC = 6.3$ cm, $AB = 5.2$ cm and $\angle ABC = 60^\circ$. Then construct a triangle whose sides are times $\frac{4}{3}$ the corresponding sides of $\triangle ABC$ **(2)**
17. Construct a $\triangle ABC$ in which $BC = 8$ cm, $\angle B = 45^\circ$ and $\angle C = 30^\circ$. Construct another triangle, similar to $\triangle ABC$ such that its sides are $\frac{3}{4}$ of corresponding sides of $\triangle ABC$. **(3)**
18. Draw a $\triangle ABC$ in which $BC = 6$ cm, $AB = 4$ cm and $AC = 5$ cm. Draw a triangle similar to $\triangle ABC$ with its sides equal to $(\frac{3}{4})^{\text{th}}$ of the corresponding sides of $\triangle ABC$. **(3)**
19. Construct a rhombus ABCD in which $AB = 4$ cm and $\angle ABC = 60^\circ$. Divide it into two triangles ABC and ADC. Construct the triangle AB'C' similar to $\triangle ABC$ with scale factor $\frac{2}{3}$. Draw a line segment CD' parallel to CD, where D' lies on AD. Is AB'C'D' a rhombus? Give reasons. **(3)**
20. Take a point O on the plane of the paper. With O as centre, draw a circle of radius 3 cm. Take a point P on this circle and draw a tangent at P. **(3)**

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Solution

1. d. 1 : 1

Explanation: We know that point E bisects line segment PQ so,

$$PE = QE$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{PE}{QE} = \frac{1}{1}$$

$$\text{or, } PE : QE = 1 : 1$$

2. d. 138°

Explanation: As, $OPTQ$ is a quadrilateral the sum of four angles are

$\angle OPT$ and $\angle OQT$ are 90° as tangents makes 90° with radius of their touching points. So.

$$\angle POQ = ((360 - (90 + 90 + 42)))$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle POQ = (360^\circ - 212^\circ) = 138^\circ$$

3. b. Acute angle

Explanation: In division of a line segment AB , any ray AX making angle with AB is an acute angle always because of path of ray.

4. d. $\sqrt{5} : \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$

Explanation: A line segment can be divided into the ratio $\sqrt{5} : \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$ because the ratio should be whole numbers.

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{5} : \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{\sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{5}}{1} = \frac{5}{1}$$

$$= 5:1$$

5. b. 100°

Explanation: As the sum of four angles of a quadrilateral is 360° and each of, makes 90°

$$\text{Then the angle at the centre } ((360 - (90 + 90 + 80)))$$

$$= 360 - 260$$

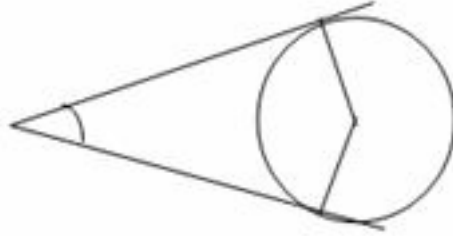
$$= 100^\circ$$

6. d. 12

Explanation: According to the question, the minimum number of those points which are to be marked should be (Numerator + Denominator) i.e., $5 + 7 = 12$

7. d. 110°

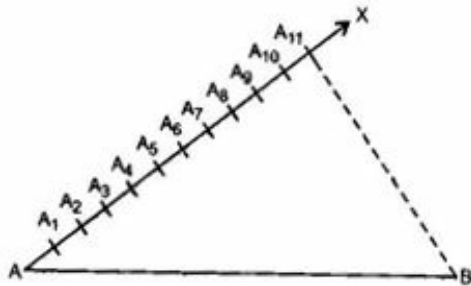
Explanation:



According to the question, the angle between the radii should be $180^\circ - 70^\circ = 110^\circ$

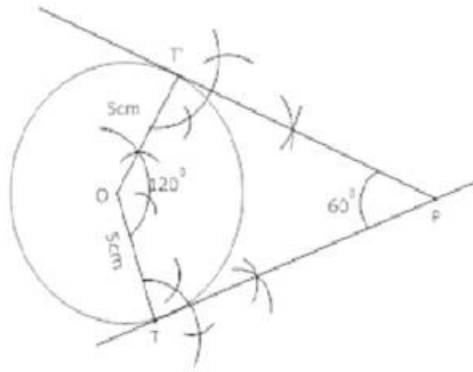
8. d. A_{11}

Explanation: According to the question, point B is joined to A_{11} .



9. When construction of a triangle similar to a given triangle in the scale factor $\frac{5}{3}$, then the nature of a given triangle is new triangle is bigger than the original triangle.
10. Let's take corresponding sides of the new triangle be $\frac{m}{n}$
 The minimum number of points to be located at an equal distance is equal to the greater of m and n , in $\frac{m}{n}$.
 Here, $\frac{m}{n} = \frac{8}{5}$ and $8 > 5$.
 So, the minimum number of points to be located at equal distances on ray BX is 8.
11. When $AB + BC < AC$, triangle cannot be drawn, because in any triangle, sum of any two sides is greater than the third side.
 $3 \text{ cm} + 2 \text{ cm} < 6 \text{ cm}$.
 Hence $\triangle ABC$ cannot be drawn.

12.



Steps of construction:

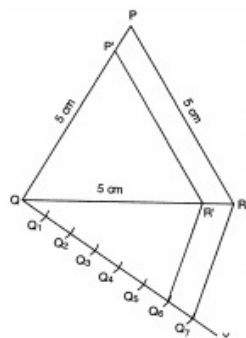
- i. Draw a circle with centre O and radius 5 cm.
- ii. Draw any radius OT.
- iii. Construct. $\angle TOT' = 180^\circ - 60^\circ = 120^\circ$
- iv. Draw and $TP \perp OT$ $T'P \perp OT'$. Then PT' and PT are the two required tangents such that. $\angle TPT' = 60^\circ$ Here, $PT = PT'$.

13. We have to Construct a triangle similar to a given equilateral $\triangle PQR$ with side 5 cm such that each of its side is $\frac{6}{7}$ of the corresponding sides of $\triangle PQR$. We write the steps of construction as follows:

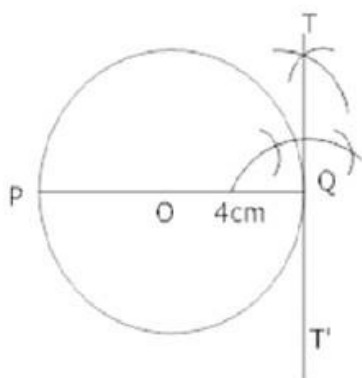
Steps of construction :

- i. Draw a line segment $QR = 5$ cm.
- ii. With Q as centre and radius = $PQ = 5$ cm, draw an arc.
- iii. With R as centre and radius = $PR = 5$ cm, draw another arc meeting the arc drawn in step 2 at the point P.
- iv. Join PQ and PR to obtain $\triangle PQR$.
- v. Below QR, construct an acute $\angle RQX$,
- vi. Along QX, mark off seven points Q_1, Q_2, \dots, Q_7 such that $QQ_1 = Q_1Q_2 = Q_2Q_3 = \dots = Q_6Q_7$
- vii. Join Q_7R .
- viii. Draw $Q_6R' \parallel Q_7R$.
- ix. From R' draw $R'P' \parallel RP$.

Hence, $P'QR'$ is the required triangle.



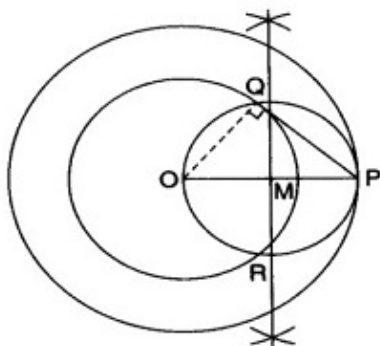
14.



Steps of construction:

- i. Draw a circle of radius 4 cm.
- ii. Draw diameter POQ.
- iii. Construct. $\angle PQT = 90^\circ$
- iv. Produce PQ to T', then TQT' is the required tangent at the point Q.

15. Required: To construct a tangent to a circle of radius 4 cm from a point on the concentric circle of radius 6 cm and measure its length, also to verify the measurement by actual by actual calculation.



Steps of construction :

- i. join PO and bisect it, Let M be the mid-point of PO.

ii. Taking M as centre and MO as radius, draw a circle. Let it intersect the given circle at the point Q and R.

iii. Join PQ

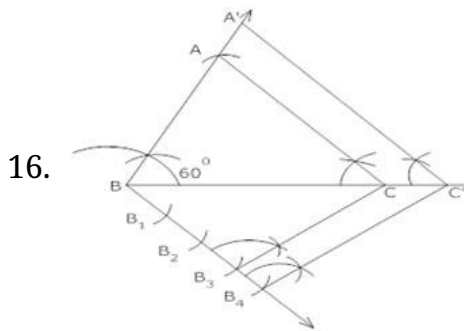
Then PQ is the required tangent. By measurement, $PQ = 4.5$ cm By actual calculation,

$$\begin{aligned} PQ &= \sqrt{OP^2 - OQ^2} \text{ [By Pythagoras Theorem]} \\ &= \sqrt{(6)^2 - (4)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{36 - 16} = \sqrt{20} \\ &= 4.47 \text{ cm} \end{aligned}$$

Justification: Join OQ. Then $\angle PQO$ is an angle in the semicircle and, therefore, $\angle PQO = 90^\circ$

$$\Rightarrow PQ \perp OQ$$

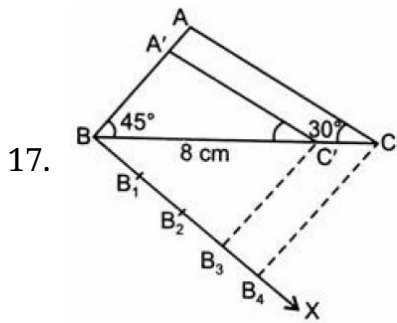
Since OQ is a radius of the given circle, PQ has to be a tangent to the circle.



Steps of construction:

- i. Draw a line segment $BC = 6.3$ cm.
- ii. At B make $\angle CBX = 60^\circ$
- iii. With B as centre and radius equal to 5.2cm, draw an arc intersecting BX at A.
- iv. Join AC, then $\triangle ABC$ is the required triangle.
- v. Draw any ray by making an acute angle with BC on the opposite side to the vertex A.
- vi. Locate the points B_1, B_2, B_3 and B_4 on BY so that $BB_1 = B_1B_2 = B_2B_3 = B_3B_4$.
- vii. Join B_3 to C and draw a line through B_4 parallel to B_3C intersecting the extended line segment BC at C' .
- viii. Draw a line through C' parallel to CA intersecting the extended line segment BA at A' .

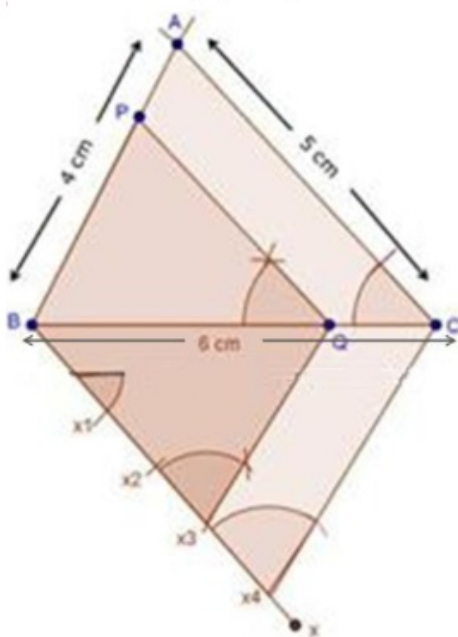
Thus, $\triangle A'BC'$ is the required triangle.



Steps of construction:

- i. Draw a line segment $BC = 8 \text{ cm}$.
- ii. Construct $\angle B = 45^\circ$ at point B.
- iii. Again construct $\angle C = 30^\circ$ at point C.
- iv. Line segment from the angles B and C, when produced, meet at A.
- v. Hence, $\triangle ABC$ is constructed.
- vi. Now, Draw an acute angle CBX opposite to point A.
- vii. Take points B_1, B_2, B_3 & B_4 at ray BX such that $BB_1 = B_1B_2 = B_2B_3 = B_3B_4 = \frac{1}{4} BB_4 \dots (1)$
- viii. Join B_4C
- ix. Draw B_3C' parallel to B_4C meeting BC at C' .
- x. Draw $C'A'$ parallel to CA, meeting BA at A' .
- xi. $A'B'C'$ is required triangle.

18. Steps of construction



- i. Draw a line segment BC of 6 cm.
- ii. With centres B and C, and radii 4 cm and 6 cm respectively draw two arcs which intersect each other at A.
- iii. Join AB and AC.
- iv. At B, draw $\angle CBX$ of any measure.
- v. Starting from B, cut 4 equal parts on BX such that $BX_1 = X_1X_2 = X_2X_3 = X_3X_4$
- vi. Join X_4C
- vii. Through X_3 , draw $X_3Q \parallel X_4C$
- viii. Through Q, draw $QP \parallel CA$
 $\therefore \triangle PBQ \sim \triangle ABC$

19. The steps of construction :

- a. The rhombus ABCD is drawn in which $AB = 4$ cm and $\angle ABC = 60^\circ$.
- b. Join AC. ABCD is divided into two triangles ABC and ADC.
- c. Construct triangle $AB'C'$ similar to ABC with scale factor $\frac{2}{3}$.
- d. Draw the line segment $C'D'$ parallel to CD.

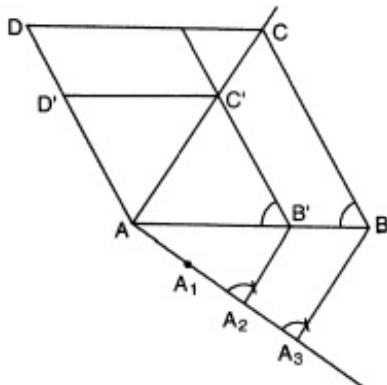
It can be observed that:

$$\frac{AB'}{AB} = \frac{2}{3} = \frac{AC'}{AC}$$

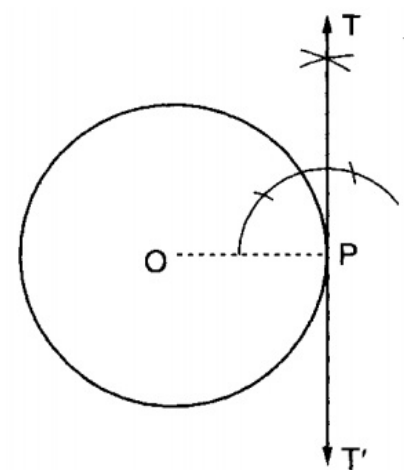
$$\text{Also, } \frac{AC'}{AC} = \frac{CD'}{CD}$$

$$= \frac{AD'}{AD} = \frac{2}{3}$$

Therefore, $AB' = B'C = CD' = AD' = \frac{2}{3} AB$



20. We follow the following steps:



Steps of construction

STEP I Take a point O on the plane of the paper and draw a circle of given radius 3 cm.

STEP II Take any point P on the circle and join OP.

STEP III Construct $\angle OPT = 90^\circ$.

STEP IV Produce TP to T' to obtain the required tangent TPT'.