

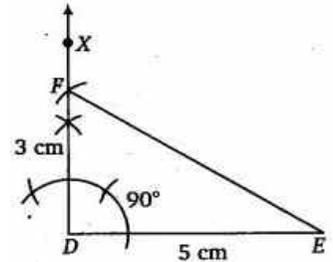
Class Notes	
Class: VII	Topic: CHAPTER -10 -PRATICAL GEOMETRY
Subject: MATHEMATICS	

EXERCISE – 10.3

Q1. Construct $\triangle DEF$ such that $DE=5$ cm, $DF=3$ cm and $m\angle EDF = 90^\circ$

Solution: Steps of construction

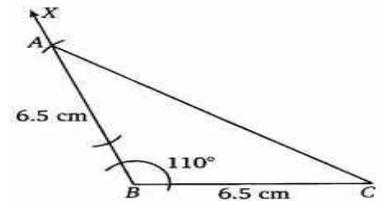
1. Draw a line segment $DE = 5$ cm.
2. Draw $\angle EDX = 90^\circ$.
3. With centre D and radius = 3 cm, draw an arc to intersect DX at F .
4. Join EF to obtain the required triangle DEF .



Q2. Construct an isosceles triangle in which the lengths of each of its equal Sides is 6.5 cm find the angle between them is 110°

Solution: Steps of construction

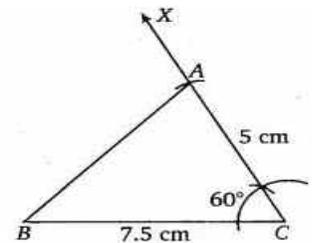
1. Draw a line segment $BC = 6.5$ cm.
2. Draw $\angle CBX = 110^\circ$.
3. With B as centre and radius = 6.5 cm, draw an arc intersecting BX at A .
4. Join AC to obtain the required $\triangle ABC$.



Q3. Construct $\triangle ABC$ with $BC = 7.5$ cm, $AC = 5$ cm and $m\angle C = 60^\circ$.

Solution: Steps of construction

1. Draw a line segment $BC = 7.5$ cm.
2. Draw $\angle BCX = 60^\circ$.
3. With C as centre and radius = 5 cm, draw an arc intersecting CX at A .
4. Join AB to obtain the required $\triangle ABC$.

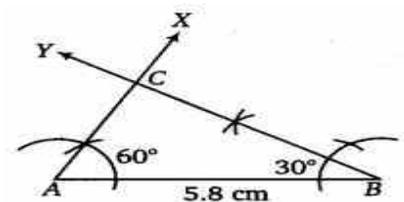


EXERCISE 10.4

Q1. Construct $\triangle ABC$, given $m\angle A = 60^\circ$, $m\angle B = 30^\circ$ and $AB = 5.8$ cm.

Solution: Steps of construction

1. Draw a line segment $AB = 5.8$ cm.
2. Draw $\angle BAX = 60^\circ$.
3. Draw $\angle ABY$, with Y on the same side of AB such that $\angle ABY = 30^\circ$.
Let AX and BY intersect at C .
Then, $\triangle ABC$ is the required triangle.



Q2. Construct $\triangle PQR$ if $PQ = 5$ cm, $m\angle PQR = 105^\circ$ and $m\angle QRP = 40^\circ$

Solution: Here, we are given the side PQ , $\angle Q$ and $\angle R$. But to draw the triangle, we require $\angle P$. We know that the sum of the angles of a triangle is 180° .

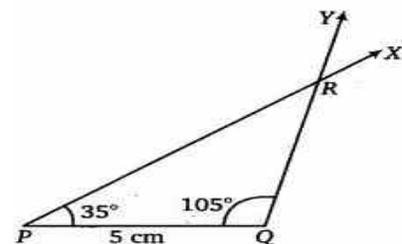
$$\therefore \angle PQR + \angle QRP + \angle RPQ = 180^\circ \Rightarrow 105^\circ + 40^\circ + \angle RPQ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 145^\circ + \angle RPQ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle RPQ = 180^\circ - 145^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle RPQ = 35^\circ$$

Hence, the measures of $\angle RPQ$ is 35° .



Steps of construction:

1. Draw a line segment $PQ = 5$ cm.
2. At point P , draw a ray L to making an angle of 105° i.e. $\angle LPQ = 35^\circ$.
3. At point Q , draw a ray M to making an angle of 40° i.e. $\angle MQP = 105^\circ$.
4. Now the two rays PL and QM intersect at the point R .

Then, ΔPQR is the required triangle.

3. Examine whether you can construct ΔDEF such that $EF = 7.2$ cm, $m\angle E = 110^\circ$ and $m\angle F = 80^\circ$. Justify your answer.

Solution: From the question it is given that, $EF = 7.2$ cm, $\angle E = 110^\circ$, $\angle F = 80^\circ$

Now we have to check whether it is possible to construct ΔDEF from the given values.

We know that the sum of the angles of a triangle is 180° .

Then, $\angle D + \angle E + \angle F = 180^\circ \Rightarrow \angle D + 110^\circ + 80^\circ = 180^\circ$

$$\Rightarrow \angle D + 190^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle D = 180^\circ - 190^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle D = -10^\circ$$

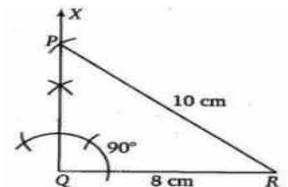
We may observe that the sum of two angles is 190° is greater than 180° . So, it is not possible to construct a triangle.

EXERCISE 10.5

1. Construct the right-angled ΔPQR , where $m\angle Q = 90^\circ$, $QR = 8$ cm and $PR = 10$ cm.

Solution: Steps of Construction

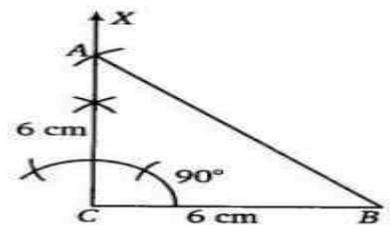
1. Draw a line segment $QR = 8$ cm.
2. Draw $\angle XQR = 90^\circ$.
3. With R as centre and radius $= 10$ cm, draw an arc to intersect ray QX at P .
4. Join RP to obtain the required ΔPQR



2. Construct an isosceles right-angled triangle ABC, where $m\angle ACB = 90^\circ$ and $AC = 6$ cm.

Solution: Steps of Constructions

1. Draw a line segment $CB = 6$ cm ($\because CB = AC = 6$ cm)
2. Draw $\angle BCX = 90^\circ$.
3. With C as centre and radius $= 6$ cm, draw an arc to intersect ray CX at A .
4. Join BA to obtain the required triangle ABC .



Miscellaneous questions

Below are given the measures of certain sides and angles of triangles. Identify those which cannot be constructed and, say why you cannot construct them. Construct rest of the triangles

1) In ΔABC , $m\angle A = 85^\circ$, $m\angle B = 115^\circ$ and $AB = 5$ cm

Solution: We know that 'Sum of the measures of three angles of a triangle is 180° .'

$$\therefore m\angle A + m\angle B + m\angle C = 180^\circ$$

$$\text{Here, } m\angle A + m\angle B = 85^\circ + 115^\circ = 200^\circ$$

$$\text{Since, } m\angle A + m\angle B > 180^\circ$$

\therefore The construction of ΔABC is not possible.

4) In ΔLMN , $m\angle L = 60^\circ$, $m\angle N = 120^\circ$ and $LM = 5$ cm

Solution: We know that 'Sum of the measures of three angles of a triangle is 180° .'

$$\therefore m\angle L + m\angle M + m\angle N = 180^\circ$$

Here, $m\angle L + m\angle N = 60^\circ + 120^\circ = 180^\circ$

Since, $m\angle L + m\angle M = 180^\circ \Rightarrow$ The construction of $\triangle LMN$ is not possible

5) In $\triangle ABC$, $BC = 2\text{ cm}$, $AB = 4\text{ cm}$, and $AC = 2\text{ cm}$

Solution: We know that 'The sum of the lengths of any two sides of a triangle is greater than the length of the third side.'

Here, $AC + BC = 2\text{ cm} + 2\text{ cm} = 4\text{ cm}$

So, $AC + BC$ is not greater than AB .

\therefore The construction of $\triangle ABC$ is not possible

ASSIGNMENT: Ex 10.5 Q3 and Remaining questions of miscellaneous exercise.