

## Parallelogram solved Worksheet/ Questions Paper

### 1.Q. Name each of the following parallelograms.

- (i) The diagonals are equal and the adjacent sides are unequal.
- (ii) The diagonals are equal and the adjacent sides are equal.
- (iii) The diagonals are unequal and the adjacent sides are equal.
- (iv) All the sides are equal and one angle is  $60^\circ$ .
- (v) All the sides are equal and one angle is  $90^\circ$ .
- (vi) All the angles are equal and the adjacent sides are unequal.

Ans: (i) rectangle (ii) square (iii) rhombus (iv) rhombus (v) square (vi) rectangle

### 2. Q. State whether True or False.

- a) All rectangles are squares

Answer: All squares are rectangles but all rectangles can't be squares, so this statement is false.

- (b) All kites are rhombuses.

Answer: All rhombuses are kites but all kites can't be rhombus

- (c) All rhombuses are parallelograms

Answer: True

- (d) All rhombuses are kites.

Answer: True

- (e) All squares are rhombuses and also rectangles

Answer: True; squares fulfill all criteria of being a rectangle because all angles are right angle and opposite sides are equal. Similarly, they fulfill all criteria of a rhombus, as all sides are equal and their diagonals bisect each other.

- (f) All parallelograms are trapeziums.

Answer: False;

All trapeziums are parallelograms, but all parallelograms can't be trapezoid.

- (g) All squares are not parallelograms.

Answer: False; all squares are parallelograms

- (h) All squares are trapeziums. Answer: True

### 3. Q. In the adjacent figure, ABCD is a rectangle. If BM and DN are perpendiculars from B and D on AC, prove that $\triangle BMC \cong \triangle DNA$ . Is it true that $BM = DN$ ?

Solution:

In  $\triangle BMC$  and  $\triangle DNA$ ,

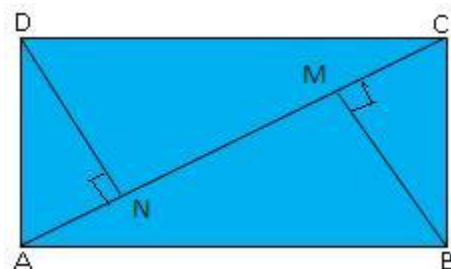
$BC = DA$  [Opposite sides]

$\angle BCM = \angle DAN$  (alternate angles)

$\angle DNA = \angle BMC = 90^\circ$  [DN and BM are perpendicular to AC]

By AAS Congruency,

$\triangle BMC \cong \triangle DNA$



By CPCT, BM=DN

**4.Q.** In the adjacent figure, ABCD is a parallelogram and line segments AE and CF bisect the angles A and C respectively. Show that AE || CF.

Solution:  $\angle A = \angle C$  [Opposite angles]

Given that, line segments AE and CF bisect the angles A and C respectively

$$\frac{1}{2}\angle A = \frac{1}{2}\angle C,$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle DAE = \angle BCF \text{ -----(i)}$$

Now, In  $\Delta s$  ADE and CBF,

$$AD = BC \text{ [Opposite sides]}$$

$$\angle B = \angle D \text{ [Opposite angles]}$$

$$\angle DAE = \angle BCF \text{ [from (i)]}$$

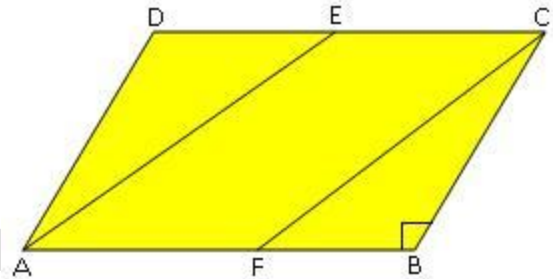
Therefore,  $\Delta ADE \cong \Delta CBF$  [By ASA congruency]

By CPCT,  $DE = BF$

But,  $CD = AB \Rightarrow CD - DE = AB - BF$ . So,  $CE = AF$ .

Therefore, AECF is a quadrilateral having pairs of side parallel and equal, So, AECF is a parallelogram.

Hence,  $AE \parallel CF$ .



**5.Q.** The lengths of the diagonals of a rhombus are 16 cm and 12 cm respectively. Find the length of each of its sides.

Solution:

$$\text{Let, } AC = 12\text{cm and } BD = 16\text{cm}$$

$$BO = \frac{1}{2}BD = 8\text{cm also, } AO = \frac{1}{2}AC = 6\text{cm}$$

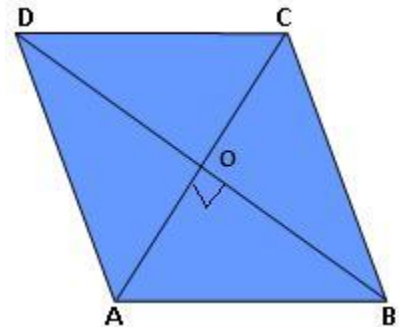
Now, In Right  $\Delta AOB$ ,

$$AB^2 = AO^2 + OB^2$$

$$AB^2 = 6^2 + 8^2 = 100 = 10^2$$

$$AB = 10 \text{ cm}$$

The length of each of its sides = 10cm



**6.Q.** In the given figure ABCD is a square. Find the measure of  $\angle CAD$ .

Solution: In  $\Delta ADC$ ,

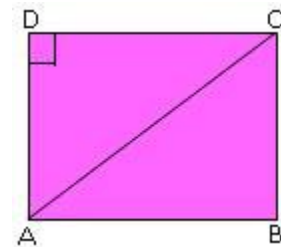
$$DA = DC$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ACD = \angle DAC = x^\circ \text{ (say)}$$

$$\text{Then, } \angle ACD + \angle DAC + \angle ADC = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x^\circ + x^\circ + 90^\circ = 180^\circ.$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{90}{2} = 45^\circ$$



7.Q. ABCD is a rhombus whose diagonals AC and BD intersect at a point O. If side AB = 10cm and diagonal BD = 16 cm, find the length of diagonal AC.

**Solution:** We know that the diagonals of a rhombus bisect each other at right angles

Therefore,  $BO = \frac{1}{2}BD = (\frac{1}{2} \times 16) \text{ cm} = 8 \text{ cm}$ ,  $AB = 10 \text{ cm}$  and  $\angle AOB = 90^\circ$ .

From right  $\triangle OAB$ , we have

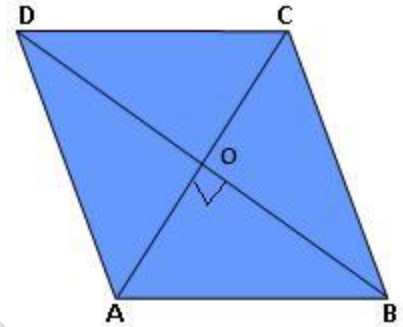
$$AB^2 = AO^2 + BO^2$$

$$\Rightarrow AO^2 = (AB^2 - BO^2) = \{(10)^2 - (8)^2\} \text{ cm}^2$$

$$= (100 - 64) \text{ cm}^2 = 36 \text{ cm}^2$$

$$\Rightarrow AO = \sqrt{36} \text{ cm} = 6 \text{ cm}.$$

Therefore,  $AC = 2 \times AO = (2 \times 6) \text{ cm} = 12 \text{ cm}$



8. Q. One of the diagonals of a rhombus is equal to one of its sides. Find the angles of the rhombus.

Solution : In rhombus, ABCD,

$$AB = AD = BD$$

$\therefore \triangle ABD$  is an equilateral triangle.

$$\therefore \angle DAB = \angle 1 = \angle 2 = 60^\circ \dots(i)$$

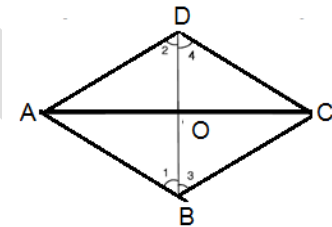
$$\text{Similarly, } \angle BCD = \angle 3 = \angle 4 = 60^\circ \dots(ii)$$

from (i) and (ii)

$$\angle ABC = \angle B = \angle 1 + \angle 3 = 60^\circ + 60^\circ = 120^\circ$$

$$\angle ADC = \angle D = \angle 2 + \angle 4 = 60^\circ + 60^\circ = 120^\circ$$

Hence,  $\angle A = 60^\circ$ ,  $\angle B = 120^\circ$ ,  $\angle C = 60^\circ$  and  $\angle D = 120^\circ$ .



9. Q. The diagonals of a rhombus ABCD intersect at O. If

$\angle ADC = 120^\circ$  and

$OD = 6 \text{ cm}$ , find (i)  $\angle OAD$  (ii) side AB (iii) perimeter of the rhombus ABCD.

Solution: Given that

$$\angle ADC = 120^\circ$$

$$\text{i.e., } \angle ADO + \angle ODC = 120^\circ$$

$$\text{But } \angle ADO = \angle ODC (\triangle AOD \cong \triangle COD)$$

$$\therefore 2\angle ADO = 120^\circ$$

$$\text{i.e. } \angle ADO = 60^\circ \dots(i)$$

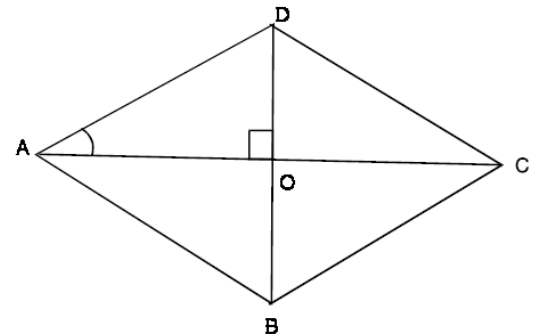
Also, we know that the diagonals of a rhombus bisect each other at  $90^\circ$ .  $\therefore \angle DOA = 90^\circ \dots(ii)$

Now, in  $\triangle DOA$

$$\angle ADO + \angle DOA + \angle OAD = 180^\circ$$

From (i) and (ii), we have

$$60^\circ + 90^\circ + \angle OAD = 180^\circ$$



$\Rightarrow \angle OAD = 30^\circ$

$\therefore \angle DAB = 60^\circ \quad \therefore \Delta DAB$  is an equilateral triangle

(ii) Now  $OD = 6$  cm

$\Rightarrow OD + OB = BD = 6$  cm +  $6$  cm =  $BD = 12$  cm Since,  $AB = BD = AD = 12$  cm  $\Rightarrow AB = 12$  m.

(iii) Now Perimeter =  $4 \times$  side =  $(4 \times 12)$  cm =  $48$  cm

Hence, the perimeter of the rhombus =  $48$  cm.

10. Q. In a quadrilateral ABCD, AC and BD are the bisectors of  $\angle A$  and  $\angle B$  resp. Prove that  $\angle AOB = \frac{1}{2}(\angle C + \angle D)$

**Given,** AO and BO are the bisectors of angle A and angle B respectively.

$\therefore \angle 1 = \angle 4$  and  $\angle 3 = \angle 5 \dots (1)$

**To prove:**  $\angle 2 = \frac{1}{2}(\angle C + \angle D)$

**Proof:**

In quadrilateral ABCD

$\angle A + \angle B + \angle C + \angle D = 360^\circ$

$\frac{1}{2}(\angle A + \angle B + \angle C + \angle D) = 180^\circ \dots (2)$

Now in  $\Delta AOB$

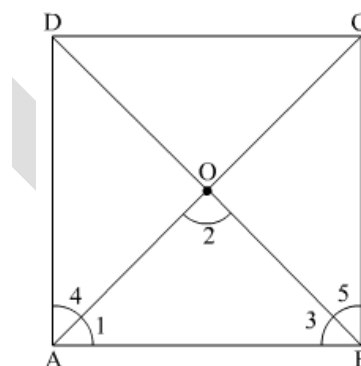
$\angle 1 + \angle 2 + \angle 3 = 180^\circ \dots (3)$

Equating (2) and (3), we get

$\angle 1 + \angle 2 + \angle 3 = \frac{1}{2} \angle A + \frac{1}{2} \angle B + \frac{1}{2}(\angle C + \angle D)$

$\angle 1 + \angle 2 + \angle 3 = \angle 1 + \angle 3 + \frac{1}{2}(\angle C + \angle D)$

$\therefore \angle 2 = \frac{1}{2}[\angle C + \angle D]$  Hence proved



11.Q. ABCD is a trapezium where AB parallel to CD. measure of  $\angle A = \angle B = 45^\circ$ . Prove that  $AD=BC$

Solution:

Given: ABCD is a trapezium with  $AB \parallel CD$  and  $\angle A = \angle B = 45^\circ$

Construction: Draw  $DE \parallel CB$ .

Now In quadrilateral DEBC

$DE \parallel CB$  and  $DC \parallel EB$

$\Rightarrow$  DEBC is a parallelogram

$\Rightarrow DE = BC \dots(1)$

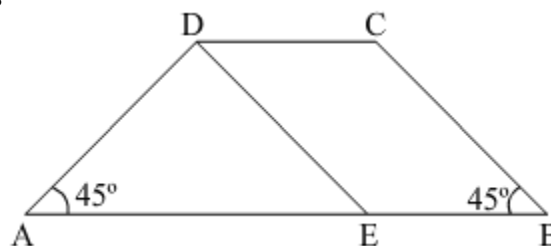
Also  $DE \parallel CB$  and AB is the transversal

$\Rightarrow \angle B = \angle DEA = 45^\circ$  (Corresponding Angles)

Now in  $\Delta ADE$

$\angle A = \angle DEA = 45^\circ$

$\Rightarrow AD = DE$  (In a triangle sides opposite to equal angles are equal)  $\dots(2)$



From (1) and (2) we get,  $AD = BC$

12. Q. ABCD is a rhombus in which the altitude from D to side AB bisects AB. Then find value of  $\angle A$  and  $\angle B$  respectively.

Solution: **Given** : ABCD is a rhombus. DE is the altitude on AB such that  $AE = EB$ .

In  $\triangle AED$  and  $\triangle BED$ ,

$DE = DE$  (Common side)

$\angle DEA = \angle DEB$  ( $90^\circ$ )

$AE = EB$  (Given)

$\therefore \triangle AED \cong \triangle BED$  (SAS congruence rule)

$\Rightarrow AD = BD$  (C.P.C.T.)

Also,  $AD = AB$  [Sides of rhombus are equal]

$\Rightarrow AD = AB = BD$

Thus,  $\triangle ABD$  is an equilateral triangle.

$\therefore \angle A = 60^\circ$

$\Rightarrow \angle C = \angle A = 60^\circ$  [Opposite angles of rhombus are equal]

$\angle ABC + \angle BCD = 180^\circ$  [Sum of adjacent angles of a rhombus is supplementary]

$\therefore \angle ABC + 60^\circ = 180^\circ$

$\Rightarrow \angle ABC = 180^\circ - 60^\circ$

$\Rightarrow \angle ABC = 120^\circ$

$\therefore \angle ADC = \angle ABC = 120^\circ$  [Opposite angles of a rhombus are equal]

Thus, angles of rhombus are  $60^\circ, 120^\circ, 60^\circ$  and  $120^\circ$ .

13. Three angles of a quadrilateral are in the ratio 3:4:5. The difference of the least and the greatest of these angles is 45. Find all the four angles of the quadrilateral.

Ans: The ratio of the three angles of quadrilateral = 3 : 4 : 5

Let the angles be  $3x, 4x$  and  $5x$ .

The greatest angle among these is  $5x$  and the least is  $3x$ .

According to the question,

$$5x - 3x = 45$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 45$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 45 \div 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 22.5$$

Hence, the three angles of quadrilateral are  $3 \times 22.5 = 67.5^\circ, 4 \times 22.5^\circ = 90^\circ$  and  $5 \times 22.5^\circ = 112.5^\circ$ .

Fourth angle of quadrilateral =  $360^\circ - 67.5^\circ + 90^\circ + 112.5^\circ = 360^\circ - 270^\circ = 90^\circ$

