

**RD SHARMA**

**Solutions**

**Class 9 Maths**

**Chapter 9**

**Ex 9.1**

Q1) In a  $\triangle ABC$ , if  $\angle A = 55^\circ$ ,  $\angle B = 40^\circ$ , Find  $\angle C$ .

Solution:

Given Data:

$$\angle A = 55^\circ, \angle B = 40^\circ, \text{ then } \angle C = ?$$

We know that

In a  $\triangle ABC$  sum of all angles of a triangle is  $180^\circ$

$$\text{i.e., } \angle A + \angle B + \angle C = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 55^\circ + 40^\circ + \angle C = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 95^\circ + \angle C = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle C = 180^\circ - 95^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle C = 85^\circ$$

Q2) If the angles of a triangle are in the ratio 1:2:3, determine three angles.

Solution:

Given that,

Angles of a triangle are in the ratio 1:2:3

Let the angles be  $x, 2x, 3x$

$\therefore$  We know that,

Sum of all angles of triangles is  $180^\circ$

$$x + 2x + 3x = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{180^\circ}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 30^\circ$$

Since  $x = 30^\circ$

$$2x = 2(30^\circ) = 60^\circ$$

$$3x = 3(30^\circ) = 90^\circ$$

Therefore, angles are  $30^\circ, 60^\circ, 90^\circ$

Q3) The angles of a triangle are  $(x - 40^\circ)$ ,  $(x - 20^\circ)$  and  $(\frac{1}{2}x - 10^\circ)$ . Find the value of  $x$ .

Solution:

Given that,

The angles of a triangle are

$$(x - 40^\circ), (x - 20^\circ) \text{ and } (\frac{1}{2}x - 10^\circ)$$

We know that,

Sum of all angles of triangle is  $180^{\circ}$

$$\therefore (x - 40^{\circ}) + (x - 20^{\circ}) + \left(\frac{1}{2}x - 10^{\circ}\right) = 180^{\circ}$$

$$2x + \frac{1}{2}x - 70^{\circ} = 180^{\circ}$$

$$\frac{5}{2}x = 180^{\circ} + 70^{\circ}$$

$$5x = 2(250)^{\circ}$$

$$x = \frac{500^{\circ}}{5}$$

$$\therefore x = 100^{\circ}$$

*Q4) The angles of a triangle are arranged in ascending order of magnitude. If the difference between two consecutive angles is  $10^{\circ}$ , find the three angles.*

**Solution:**

Given that,

The difference between two consecutive angles is  $10^{\circ}$

Let  $x, x+10^{\circ}, x+20^{\circ}$  be the consecutive angles that differ by  $10^{\circ}$

We know that,

Sum of all angles in a triangle is  $180^{\circ}$

$$x+x+10^{\circ}+x+20^{\circ} = 180^{\circ}$$

$$3x+30^{\circ} = 180^{\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x = 180^{\circ} - 30^{\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x = 150^{\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 50^{\circ}$$

Therefore, the required angles are

$$x = 50^{\circ}$$

$$x+10^{\circ} = 50^{\circ} + 10^{\circ} = 60^{\circ}$$

$$x+20^{\circ} = 50^{\circ} + 20^{\circ} = 70^{\circ}$$

As the difference between two consecutive angles is  $10^{\circ}$ , the three angles are  $50^{\circ}, 60^{\circ}, 70^{\circ}$ .

*Q5) Two angles of a triangle are equal and the third angle is greater than each of those angles by  $30^{\circ}$ . Determine all the angles of the triangle.*

**Solution:**

Given that,

Two angles of a triangle are equal and the third angle is greater than each of those angles by  $30^{\circ}$ .

Let  $x, x, x+30^{\circ}$  be the angles of a triangle

We know that,

Sum of all angles in a triangle is  $180^{\circ}$

$$x + x + x + 30^{\circ} = 180^{\circ}$$

$$3x + 30^{\circ} = 180^{\circ}$$

$$3x = 180^{\circ} - 30^{\circ}$$

$$3x = 150^{\circ}$$

$$x = 50^{\circ}$$

Therefore, the three angles are  $50^{\circ}, 50^{\circ}, 80^{\circ}$ .

Q6) If one angle of a triangle is equal to the sum of the other two, show that the triangle is a right angle triangle.

Solution:

If one angle of a triangle is equal to the sum of the other two angles

$$\Rightarrow \angle B = \angle A + \angle C$$

In  $\triangle ABC$ ,

Sum of all angles of a triangle is  $180^{\circ}$

$$\Rightarrow \angle A + \angle B + \angle C = 180^{\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle B + \angle B = 180^{\circ} [\angle B = \angle A + \angle C]$$

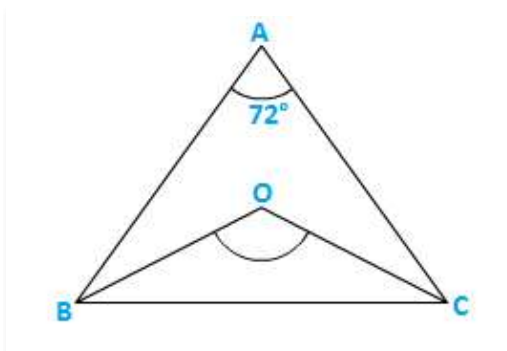
$$\Rightarrow 2\angle B = 180^{\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle B = \frac{180^{\circ}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle B = 90^{\circ}$$

Therefore, ABC is a right angled triangle.

Q7) ABC is a triangle in which  $\angle A = 72^{\circ}$ , the internal bisectors of angles B and C meet in O. Find the magnitude of  $\angle BOC$ .



Solution:

Given,

ABC is a triangle where  $\angle A = 72^{\circ}$  and the internal bisector of angles B and C meeting O.

In  $\triangle ABC$ ,

$$\angle A + \angle B + \angle C = 180^0$$

$$\Rightarrow 72^0 + \angle B + \angle C = 180^0$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle B + \angle C = 180^0 - 72^0$$

Dividing both sides by '2'

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\angle B}{2} + \frac{\angle C}{2} = \frac{108^0}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle OBC + \angle OCB = 54^0$$

$$\text{Now, In } \triangle BOC \Rightarrow \angle OBC + \angle OCB + \angle BOC = 180^0$$

$$\Rightarrow 54^0 + \angle BOC = 180^0$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BOC = 180^0 - 54^0 = 126^0$$

$$\therefore \angle BOC = 126^0$$

Q8) The bisectors of base angles of a triangle cannot enclose a right angle in any case.

Solution:

In  $\triangle XYZ$ ,

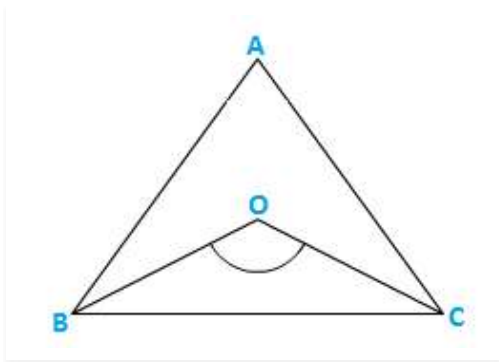
Sum of all angles of a triangle is  $180^0$

$$\text{i.e., } \angle X + \angle Y + \angle Z = 180^0$$

Dividing both sides by '2'

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}\angle X + \frac{1}{2}\angle Y + \frac{1}{2}\angle Z = 90^0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}\angle X + \angle OYZ + \angle OYZ = 90^0 \quad [ \because OY, OZ, \angle Y \text{ and } \angle Z ]$$



$$\Rightarrow \angle OYZ + \angle OZY = 90^0 - \frac{1}{2}\angle X$$

Now in  $\triangle YOZ$

$$\therefore \angle YOZ + \angle OYZ + \angle OZY = 180^0$$

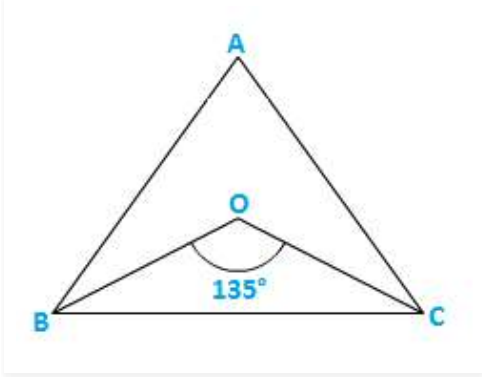
$$\Rightarrow \angle YOZ + 90^0 - \frac{1}{2}\angle X = 180^0$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle YOZ = 90^0 - \frac{1}{2}\angle X$$

Therefore, the bisectors of a base angle cannot enclosure right angle.

Q9) If the bisectors of the base angles of a triangle enclose an angle of  $135^{\circ}$ , prove that the triangle is a right angle.

Solution:



Given the bisectors of the base angles of a triangle enclose an angle of  $135^{\circ}$

i.e.,  $\angle BOC = 135^{\circ}$

But, We know that

$$\angle BOC = 90^{\circ} + \frac{1}{2}\angle A$$

$$\Rightarrow 135^{\circ} = 90^{\circ} + \frac{1}{2}\angle A$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}\angle A = 135^{\circ} - 90^{\circ}$$

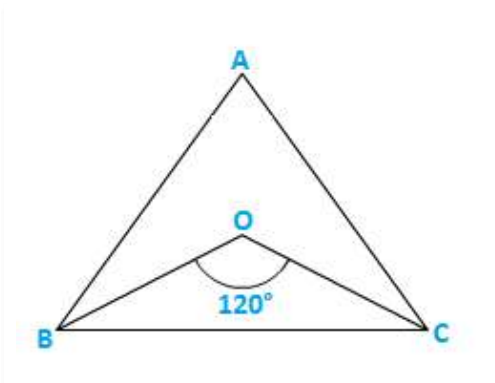
$$\Rightarrow \angle A = 45^{\circ}(2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle A = 90^{\circ}$$

Therefore,  $\triangle ABC$  is a right angle triangle that is right angled at A.

Q10) In a  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $\angle ABC = \angle ACB$  and the bisectors of  $\angle ABC$  and  $\angle ACB$  intersect at O such that  $\angle BOC = 120^{\circ}$ . Show that  $\angle A = \angle B = \angle C = 60^{\circ}$ .

Solution:



Given,

In  $\triangle ABC$ ,

$$\angle ABC = \angle ACB$$

Dividing both sides by '2'

$$\frac{1}{2}\angle ABC = \frac{1}{2}\angle ACB$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle OBC = \angle OCB \quad [\because OB, OC \text{ bisects } \angle B \text{ and } \angle C]$$

Now,

$$\angle BOC = 90^\circ + \frac{1}{2}\angle A$$

$$\Rightarrow 120^\circ - 90^\circ = \frac{1}{2}\angle A$$

$$\Rightarrow 30^\circ * (2) = \angle A$$

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

Now in  $\triangle ABC$

$$\angle A + \angle ABC + \angle ACB = 180^\circ \quad (\text{Sum of all angles of a triangle})$$

$$\Rightarrow 60^\circ + 2\angle ABC = 180^\circ \quad [\because \angle ABC = \angle ACB]$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\angle ABC = 180^\circ - 60^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ABC = \frac{120^\circ}{2} = 60^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ABC = \angle ACB$$

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

Hence Proved.

Q11) Can a triangle have:

(i) Two right angles?

(ii) Two obtuse angles?

(iii) Two acute angles?

(iv) All angles more than  $60^\circ$ ?

(v) All angles less than  $60^\circ$ ?

(vi) All angles equal to  $60^\circ$ ?

Justify your answer in each case.

Sol:

(i) No,

Two right angles would up to  $180^\circ$ . So the third angle becomes zero. This is not possible, so a triangle cannot have two right angles. [Since sum of angles in a triangle is  $180^\circ$ ]

(ii) No,

A triangle can't have 2 obtuse angles. Obtuse angle means more than  $90^\circ$  So that the sum of the two sides will exceed  $180^\circ$  which is not possible. As the sum of all three angles of a triangle is  $180^\circ$ .

(iii) Yes

A triangle can have 2 acute angles. Acute angle means less the  $90^\circ$  angle.

(iv) No

Having angles more than  $60^\circ$  make that sum more than  $180^\circ$ . This is not possible. [Since the sum of all the internal angles of a triangle is  $180^\circ$ ]

(v) No

Having all angles less than  $60^\circ$  will make that sum less than  $180^\circ$  which is not possible. [Therefore, the sum of all the internal angles of a triangle is  $180^\circ$ ]

(vi) Yes

A triangle can have three angles equal to  $60^\circ$ . Then the sum of three angles equal to the  $180^\circ$ . Such triangles are called as equilateral triangle. [Since, the sum of all the internal angles of a triangle is  $180^\circ$ ]

*Q12) If each angle of a triangle is less than the sum of the other two, show that the triangle is acute angled.*

Solution

Given each angle of a triangle less than the sum of the other two

$$\therefore \angle X + \angle Y + \angle Z$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle X + \angle X < \angle X + \angle Y + \angle Z$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\angle X < 180^\circ \quad [\text{Sum of all the angles of a triangle}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle X < 90^\circ$$

Similarly  $\angle Y < 90^\circ$  and  $\angle Z < 90^\circ$

Hence, the triangles are acute angled.