

THE VILLAGE INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

QUESTION BANK – MATHEMATICS

GRADE: 9

CHAPTER: TRIANGLES

1. In triangle ABC, if $AB=BC$ and $\angle B = 70^\circ$, $\angle A$ will be:

- a. 70°
- b. 110°
- c. 55°
- d. 130°

Answer: c

2. For two triangles, if two angles and the included side of one triangle are equal to two angles and the included side of another triangle. Then the congruency rule is:

- a. SSS
- b. ASA
- c. SAS
- d. None of the above

Answer: b

3. A triangle in which two sides are equal is called:

- a. Scalene triangle
- b. Equilateral triangle
- c. Isosceles triangle
- d. None of the above

Answer: c

4. The angles opposite to equal sides of a triangle are:

- a. Equal
- b. Unequal
- c. supplementary angles
- d. Complementary angles

Answer: a

5. ABC is an isosceles triangle in which altitudes BE and CF are drawn to equal sides AC and AB, respectively. Then:

- a. $BE > CF$
- b. $BE < CF$
- c. $BE = CF$
- d. None of the above

Answer: c

6. Which of the following is not a criterion for congruence of triangles?

- (a) SAS
- (b) ASA
- (c) SSA
- (d) SSS

Answer: c

7. In triangles ABC and PQR, $AB = AC$, $\angle C = \angle P$ and $\angle B = \angle Q$. The two triangles are

- (a) Isosceles and congruent
- (b) Isosceles but not congruent
- (c) Congruent but not isosceles
- (d) Neither congruent nor isosceles

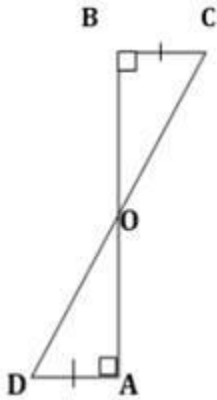
Answer: b

8. If $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle PQR$, then which of the following is not true?

- (a) $AC = PR$
- (b) $BC = PQ$
- (c) $QR = BC$
- (d) $AB = PQ$

Answer: b

9. AD and BC are equal perpendiculars to a line segment AB. Show that CD bisects AB (See figure)



Ans. In $\triangle BOC$ and $\triangle AOD$,

$$\angle OBC = \angle OAD = 90^\circ \text{ (by construction)}$$

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

$$BC = AD$$

$$\therefore \triangle BOC \cong \triangle AOD \text{ (ASA congruence rule)}$$

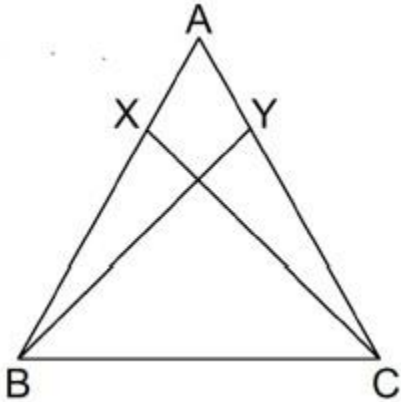
$$\Rightarrow OB = OA \text{ and } OC = OD \text{ (CPCT)}$$

10. In the following question, a statement of assertion (A) is followed by a statement of reason (R). Mark the correct choice as:

- (a) Both assertion (A) and reason (R) are true and reason (R) is the correct explanation of assertion (A).
- (b) Both assertion (A) and reason (R) are true but reason (R) is not the correct explanation of assertion (A).
- (c) Assertion (A) is true but reason (R) is false.
- (d) Assertion (A) is false but reason (R) is true.

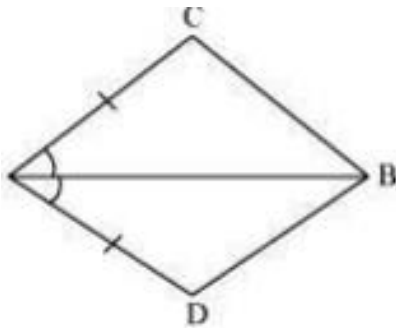
Assertion: In the adjoining figure, X and Y are respectively two points on equal sides AB and AC of $\triangle ABC$ such that $AX = AY$ then $CX = BY$.

Reason: If two sides and the included angle of one triangle are equal to two sides and the included angle of the other triangle, then the two triangles are congruent.



Ans: (a)

11. In quadrilateral ACBD, $AC = AD$ and AB bisects $\angle A$ (See the given figure). Show that $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle ABD$. What can you say about BC and BD?



ANSWER:

In $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle ABD$, $AC = AD$ (Given) $\angle CAB = \angle DAB$ (AB bisects $\angle A$) $AB = AB$ (Common)
 $\therefore \triangle ABC \cong \triangle ABD$ (By SAS congruence rule) $\therefore BC = BD$ (By CPCT) Therefore, BC and BD are of equal lengths.