

1. In the given figure, apply SSS congruence condition and state the result in the symbolic form.

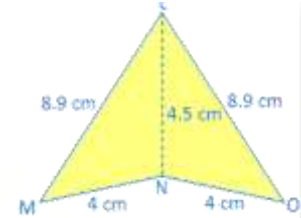
Ans. In $\triangle LMN$ and $\triangle LON$

$$LM = LO = 8.9\text{cm}$$

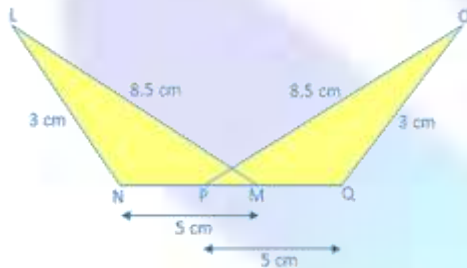
$$MN = NO = 4\text{cm}$$

$$LN = NL = 4.5\text{ cm}$$

Therefore, $\triangle LMN \cong \triangle LON$, by side side side (SSS) congruence condition



2. In the adjoining figure, apply S-S-S congruence condition and state the result in the symbolic form.



Ans. In $\triangle LNM$ and $\triangle OQP$

$$LN = OQ = 3\text{ cm}$$

$$NM = PQ = 5\text{cm}$$

$$LM = PO = 8.5\text{cm}$$

Therefore, $\triangle LNM \cong \triangle OQP$, by Side Side Side (SSS) congruence condition

3. $\triangle OLM$ and $\triangle NML$ have common base LM, $LO = MN$ and $OM = NL$. Which of the following are true?

(i) $\triangle LMN \cong \triangle LMO$

(ii) $\triangle LMO \cong \triangle LNM$

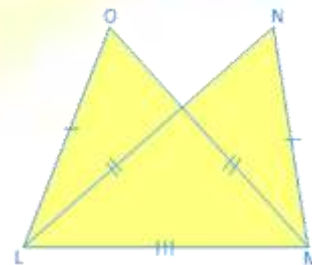
(iii) $\triangle LMO \cong \triangle MLN$

Ans. $LO = MN$ and $OM = NL \rightarrow$ given

$$LM = LM \rightarrow \text{common}$$

Thus, $\triangle MLN \cong \triangle LMO$, by SSS congruence condition

Therefore, statement (iii) is true. So, (i) and (ii) statements are false.



4. By Side Side Side congruence prove that 'Diagonal of the rhombus bisects each other at right angles'.

Ans. Diagonal LN and MP of the rhombus LMNP intersect each other at O.

It is required to prove that $LM \perp NP$ and $LO = ON$ and $MO = OP$.

Proof: LMNP is a rhombus.

Therefore, LMNP is a parallelogram.

Therefore, $LO = ON$ and $MO = OP$.

In $\triangle LOP$ and $\triangle LOM$; $LP = LM$, [Since, sides of a rhombus are equal]

Side LO is common

$PO = OM$, [Since diagonal of a parallelogram bisects each other]

Therefore, $\triangle LOP \cong \triangle LOM$, [by SSS congruence condition]

But, $\angle LOP + \angle MOL = 2 \text{ rt. angle}$

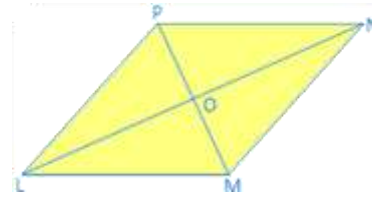
Therefore, $2\angle LOP = 2 \text{ rt. angle}$

or, $\angle LOP = 1 \text{ rt. angle}$

Therefore, $LO \perp MP$

i.e., $LN \perp MP$ (Proved)

[Note: Diagonals of a square are perpendicular to each other]



5. If the opposite sides of a quadrilateral are equal, prove that the quadrilateral will be parallelogram.

Ans. LMNO is a parallelogram quadrilateral, whose sides $LM = ON$ and $LO = MN$. It is required to prove that LMNO is a parallelogram.

Construction: Diagonal LN is drawn.

Proof: In $\triangle LMN$ and $\triangle NOL$,

$LM = ON$ and $MN = LO$, [By hypothesis]

LN is common side.

Therefore, $\triangle LMN \cong \triangle NOL$, [by Side Side Side congruence condition]

Therefore, $\angle MLN = \angle LNO$, [Corresponding angles of congruent triangles]

Since, LN cuts LM and ON and the both alternate angles are equal.

Therefore, $LM \parallel ON$

Again, $\angle MNL = \angle OLN$ [Corresponding angles of congruent triangles]

But LN cuts LO and MN, and the alternate angles are equal.

Therefore, $LO \parallel MN$

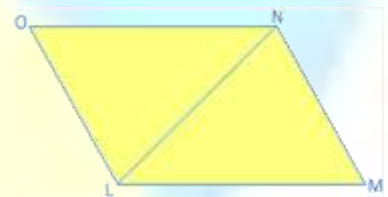
Therefore, In quadrilateral LMNO,

$LM \parallel ON$ and

$LO \parallel MN$.

Therefore, LMNO is a parallelogram. [Proved]

[Note: Rhombus is parallelogram.]



6. In the kite shown, $PQ = PS$ and $\angle QPR = \angle SPR$.

(i) Find the third pair of corresponding parts to make $\Delta PQR \cong \Delta PSR$ by SAS congruence condition.

(ii) Is $\angle QRP = \angle SRP$?

Ans. (i) In ΔPQR and ΔPSR

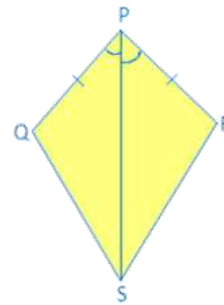
$$PQ = PS \quad \rightarrow \quad \text{given}$$

$$\angle QPR = \angle SPR \quad \rightarrow \quad \text{given}$$

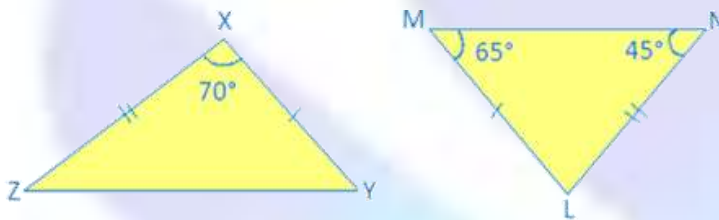
$$PR = PR \quad \rightarrow \quad \text{common}$$

Therefore, $\Delta PQR \cong \Delta PSR$ by SAS congruence condition

(ii) Yes, $\angle QRP = \angle SRP$ (corresponding parts of congruence triangle).



7. Identify the congruent triangle:



Ans. In ΔLMN ,

$$65^\circ + 45^\circ + \angle L = 180^\circ$$

$$110^\circ + \angle L = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle L = 180^\circ - 110^\circ$$

Therefore, $\angle L = 70^\circ$

Now in ΔXYZ and ΔLMN

$$\angle X = \angle L \quad (\text{given in the picture})$$

$$XY = LM \quad (\text{given in the picture})$$

$$XZ = NL \quad (\text{given in the picture})$$

Therefore, $\Delta XYZ \cong \Delta LMN$ by SAS congruence axiom

8. By using SAS congruency proof that, angles opposite to equal side of an isosceles triangle are equal.

Ans. Given: ΔPQR is isosceles and $PQ = PR$

Construction: Draw PO , the angle bisector of $\angle P$, PO meets QR at O .

Proof: In ΔQPO and ΔRPO

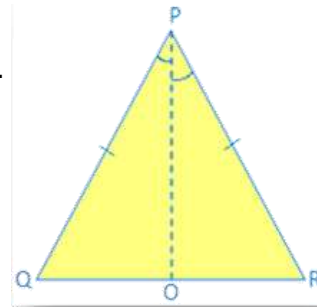
$$PQ = PR \quad (\text{given})$$

$$PO = PO \quad (\text{common})$$

$$\angle QPO = \angle RPO \quad (\text{by construction})$$

Therefore, $\Delta QPO \cong \Delta RPO$ (by SAS congruence)

Therefore, $\angle PQO = \angle PRO$ (by corresponding parts of congruent triangle)



9. Show that bisector of the vertical angle of an isosceles triangle bisects the base at right angle.

Ans. Given: ΔPQR is isosceles, and PO bisects $\angle P$

Proof: In ΔPOQ and ΔPOR

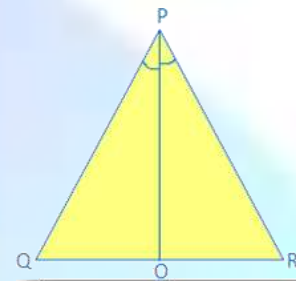
$$PQ = PR \quad (\text{isosceles triangle})$$

$$\angle QPO = \angle RPO \quad (\text{PO bisects } \angle P)$$

$$PO = PO \quad (\text{common})$$

Therefore, $\Delta POQ \cong \Delta POR$ (by SAS congruence axiom)

Therefore, $\angle POQ = \angle POR$ (by corresponding parts of congruent triangle)



10. Diagonals of a rectangle are equal.

Ans. In the rectangle JKLM, JL and KM are the two diagonals.

It is required to prove that $JL = KM$.

Proof: In ΔJKL and ΔKLM ,

$$JK = ML \quad [\text{Opposite of a parallelogram}]$$

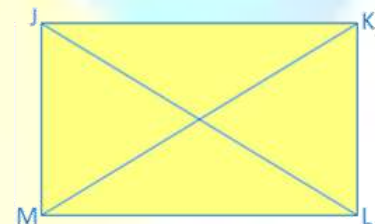
$$KL = KL \quad [\text{Common side}]$$

$$\angle JKL = \angle KLM \quad [\text{Both are right angle}]$$

Therefore, $\Delta JKL \cong \Delta KLM$ [By Side Angle Side Congruence]

Therefore, $JL = KM$ [Corresponding parts of congruence triangle]

Note: Diagonals of a square are equal to one another.



11. $\Delta PQR \cong \Delta XYZ$ by ASA congruence condition. Find the value of x and y .



Ans. We know $\Delta PQR \cong \Delta XYZ$ by ASA congruence.

Therefore $\angle Q = \angle Y$ i.e., $x + 15 = 80^\circ$ and $\angle R = \angle Z$ i.e., $5y + 10 = 30^\circ$.

Also, $QR = YZ$.

Since, $x + 15 = 80^\circ$

Therefore $x = 80 - 15 = 65^\circ$

Also, $5y + 10 = 30^\circ$

So, $5y = 30 - 10$

Therefore, $5y = 20$

$\Rightarrow y = 20/5$

$\Rightarrow y = 4^\circ$

Therefore, the value of x and y are 65° and 4° .

12. Prove that the diagonals of a parallelogram bisect each other.

Ans. In a parallelogram JKLM, diagonal JL and KM intersect at O

It is required to prove that $JO = OL$ and $KO = OM$

Proof: In ΔJOM and ΔKOL

$\angle OJM = \angle OLK$ [since, $JM \parallel KL$ and JL is the transversal]

$JM = KL$ [opposite sides of a parallelogram]

$\angle OMJ = \angle OKL$ [since, $JM \parallel KL$ and KM is the transversal]

Therefore, ΔJOM and ΔKOL [Angle-Side-Angle]

Therefore, $JO = OL$ and $KO = OM$ [Sides of congruent triangle]



13. ΔXYZ is an equilateral triangle such that XO bisects $\angle X$.

Also, $\angle XYO = \angle XZO$. Show that $\Delta YXO \cong \Delta ZXO$

Ans. ΔXYZ is an equilateral

Therefore, $XY = YZ = ZX$

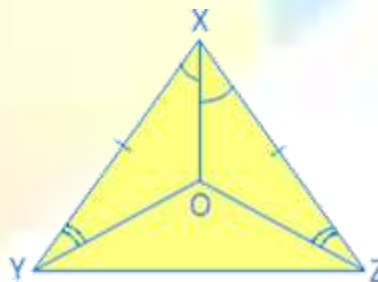
Given: XY bisects $\angle X$.

Therefore, $\angle YXO = \angle ZXO$

Given: $\angle XYO = \angle XZO$

Given: $XY = XZ$

Therefore, $\Delta YXO \cong \Delta ZXO$ by ASA congruence condition



14. The straight line drawn through the intersection of the two diagonals of a parallelogram divide it into two equal parts.

Ans. O is the point of intersection of the two diagonals JL and KM of the parallelogram JKLM.

Straight line XOY meets JK and LM at the point X and Y respectively.

Proof: In ΔJXO and ΔLYO , $JO = OL$ [diagonals of a parallelogram bisect each other]

$\angle OJX = \text{alternate } \angle OLY$

$\angle JOX = \angle LOY$

Therefore, $\Delta JOX \cong \Delta LOY$ [by angle side angle congruence]

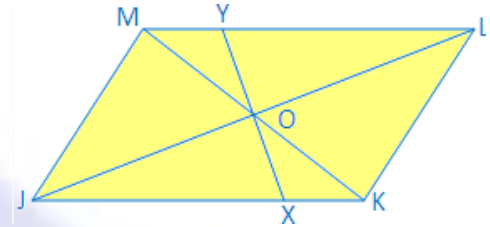
Therefore, $JX = LY$

Therefore, $KX = MY$ [since, $JK = ML$]

Now in quadrilaterals $JXYM$ and $LYXK$, $JX = LY$; $XY = YX$, $YM = XK$ and $MJ = KL$ and $\angle MJX = \angle KLY$

Hence it is proved that in the two quadrilaterals the sides are equal to each other and the included angles of two equal sides are also equal.

Therefore, quadrilateral $JXYM$ equal to quadrilateral $LYXK$.



15. OB is the bisector of $\angle AOC$, $PM \perp OA$ and $PN \perp OC$. Show that $\Delta MPO \cong \Delta NPO$.

Ans. In ΔMPO and ΔNPO

$PM \perp OM$ and $PN \perp ON$

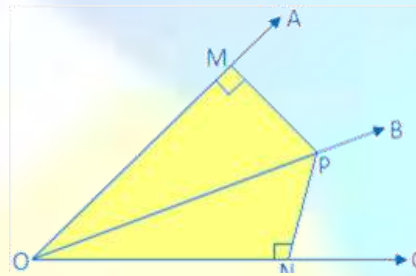
Therefore $\angle PMO = \angle PNO = 90^\circ$

Also, OB is the bisector of $\angle AOC$

Therefore $\angle MOP = \angle NOP$

$OP = OP$ common

Therefore, $\Delta MPO \cong \Delta NPO$ by AAS congruence condition.



16. ΔPQR is an isosceles triangle such that $PQ = PR$, prove that the altitude PO from P on QR bisects PQ.

Ans. In the right triangles POQ and POR ,

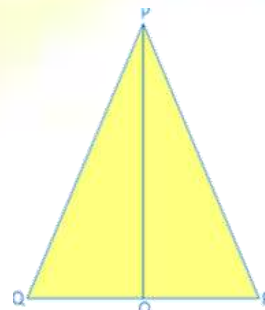
$\angle POQ = \angle POR = 90^\circ$

$PQ = PR$ [since, ΔPQR is an isosceles. Given $PQ = PR$]

$PO = OP$ [common]

Therefore $\Delta POQ \cong \Delta POR$ by RHS congruence condition

So, $QO = RO$ (by corresponding parts of congruence triangles)



17. ΔXYZ is an isosceles triangle such that $XY = XZ$, prove that the altitude XO from X on YZ bisects YZ .

Ans. In the right triangles XOY and XOZ ,

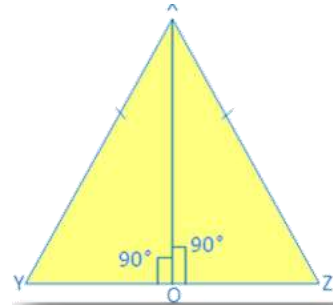
$$\angle XOY = \angle XOZ = 90^\circ$$

$$XY = XZ \quad [\text{since, } \Delta XYZ \text{ is an isosceles. Given } XY = XZ]$$

$$XO = XO \quad [\text{common}]$$

Therefore $\Delta XOY \cong \Delta XOZ$ by RHS congruence condition

So, $YO = ZO$ (by corresponding parts of congruence triangles)



18. In the adjoining figure, given that $AB = BC$, $YB = BZ$, $BA \perp XY$ and $BC \perp XZ$. Prove that $XY = XZ$.

Ans. In right triangles YAB and BCZ we get,

$$YB = BZ \quad [\text{given}]$$

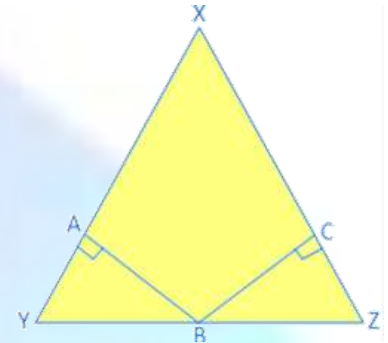
$$AB = BC \quad [\text{given}]$$

So, by RHS congruence condition

$$\Delta YAB \cong \Delta BCZ$$

$\angle Y = \angle Z$ (since by corresponding parts of congruence triangles are equal)

$XZ = XY$ (since sides opposite to equal angles are equal)



19. $LM = NO$ and $LO = MN$. Show that $\Delta LON \cong \Delta NML$.

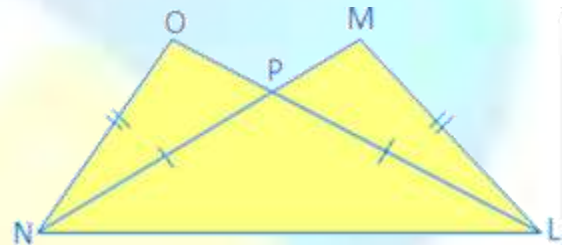
Ans. In ΔLON and ΔNML

$$LM = NO \rightarrow \text{given}$$

$$LO = MN \rightarrow \text{given}$$

$$LN = NL \rightarrow \text{common}$$

Therefore, $\Delta LON \cong \Delta NML$, by side-side-side (SSS) congruence condition .



20. In a quadrilateral $LMNP$, $LM = LP$ and $MN = NP$. Prove that $LN \perp MP$ and $MO = OP$

[O is the point of intersection of MP and LN]

Ans. In ΔLMN and ΔLPN ,

$$LM = LP,$$

$$MN = NP,$$

$$LN = LN$$

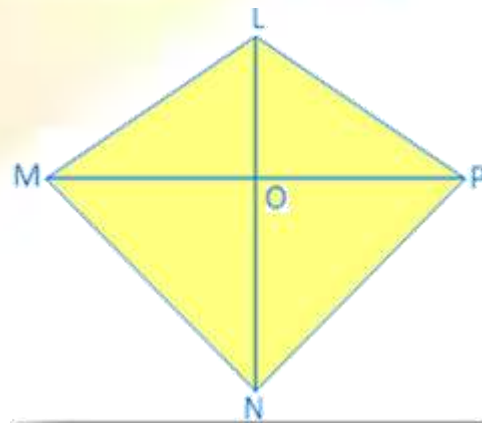
Therefore, $\Delta LMN \cong \Delta LPN$, [by SSS congruence condition]

Therefore, $\angle MLN = \angle PLN$ ----- (i)

Now in ΔLMO and ΔLPO ,

$$LM = LP;$$

LO is common and



$$\angle MLO = \angle PLO$$

$\triangle LMO \cong \triangle LPO$, [by SAS congruence condition]

Therefore, $\angle LOM = \angle LOP$ and

$MO = OP$, [Proved]

But $\angle LOM + \angle LOP = 2 \text{ rt. angles.}$

Therefore, $\angle LOM = \angle LOP = 1 \text{ rt. angles.}$

Therefore, $LO \perp MP$

i.e., $LN \perp MP$, [Proved]