

## Exercise 14.2

**Q.1** In  $\triangle ABC$  as shown in the figure  $\overline{CD}$  bisects  $\angle C$  and meets  $\overline{AB}$  at D.  $m\overline{BD}$  is equal to

(a) 5

(b) 16

(c) 10

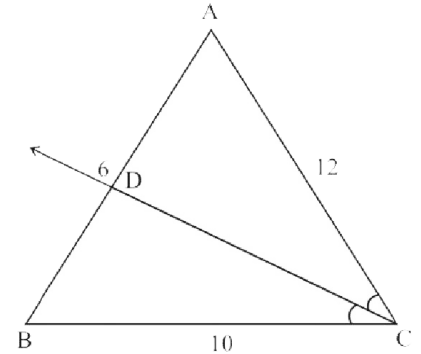
(d) 18

$$\frac{m\overline{BD}}{m\overline{DA}} = \frac{m\overline{BC}}{m\overline{CA}}$$

$$\frac{\overline{BD}}{6} = \frac{10}{12}$$

$$\overline{BD} = \frac{10 \times 6}{12} \text{ or } \overline{BD} = \frac{10 \times 6}{12} = \frac{60}{12}$$

$$\overline{BD} = 5$$



**Q.2** In  $\triangle ABC$  shown in the figure  $\overline{CD}$  bisects  $\angle C$ . If  $m\overline{AC}=3$ ,  $m\overline{CB}=6$  and  $m\overline{AB}=7$  then find  $m\overline{AD}$  and  $\overline{DB}$

$$\overline{AB} = \overline{AD} + \overline{BD}$$

$$\overline{AD} = \overline{AB} - \overline{BD}$$

$$\overline{AD} = 7 - x$$

$$\frac{m\overline{AD}}{m\overline{BD}} = \frac{m\overline{AC}}{m\overline{CB}}$$

$$\frac{x}{7-x} = \frac{3}{6}$$

$$\frac{x}{7-x} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$2x = 7-x$$

$$2x + x = 7$$

$$3x = 7$$

$$x = \frac{7}{3} \text{ or } \overline{AD} = \frac{7}{3}$$

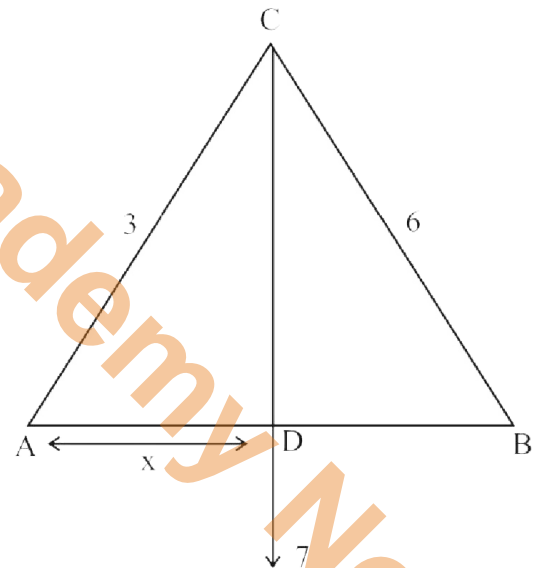
$$\overline{AB} = \overline{AD} + \overline{BD}$$

$$7 = \frac{7}{3} + \overline{BD}$$

$$7 - \frac{7}{3} = \overline{BD}$$

$$\frac{21-7}{3} = \overline{BD}$$

$$\overline{BD} = \frac{14}{3}$$



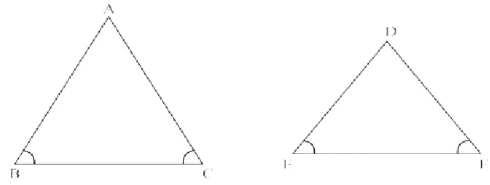
**Q.3** Show that in any corresponding of two triangles if two angles of one triangle are congruent to the corresponding angles of the other, then the triangle are similar

**Given**

$\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle DEF$

$\angle B \cong \angle E$

$\angle C \cong \angle F$



**To Prove**

$\triangle ABC \cong \triangle DEF$

**Proof**

Statements	Reasons
$\angle A + \angle B + \angle C = 180^\circ$	Sum of three angles of a triangle = $180^\circ$
$\angle D + \angle E + \angle F = 180$	
$\angle A \cong \angle D$	
$\angle B = \angle E$	
$\angle C = \angle F$	
Hence $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle DEF$	

**Q.4** If line segment  $\overline{AB}$  and  $\overline{CD}$  are intersecting at point  $X$  and  $\frac{m\overline{AX}}{m\overline{XB}} = \frac{m\overline{CX}}{m\overline{XD}}$  then show that  $\triangle AXC$  and  $\triangle BXD$  are similar

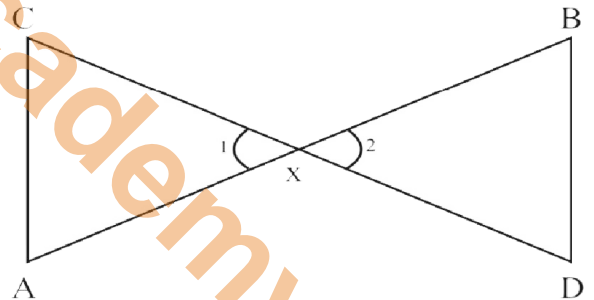
**Given**

Line segment  $\overline{AB}$  and  $\overline{CD}$  intersect at  $X$

$$\frac{m\overline{AX}}{m\overline{XB}} = \frac{m\overline{CX}}{m\overline{XD}}$$

**To Prove**

$\triangle CXA$  and  $\triangle DXB$  are similar



**Proof**

Statements	Reasons
$\frac{\overline{AX}}{\overline{XB}} = \frac{\overline{CX}}{\overline{XD}}$	Given
$\angle 1 \cong \angle 2$	Vertical angles
$\overline{AC} \parallel \overline{BD}$	Vertical angles
$\angle A = m\angle B$	Alternate angles
$m\angle C = m\angle D$	Alternate angles
Hence proved the triangle are similar	