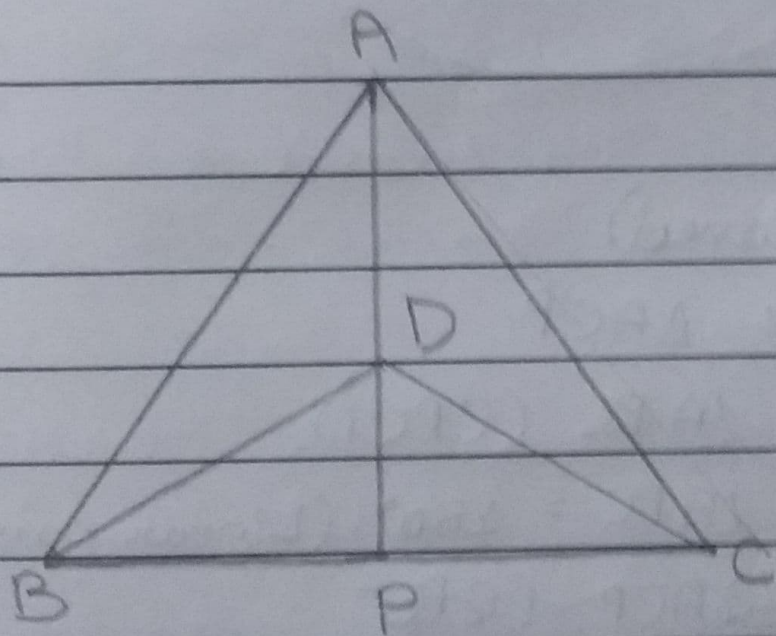


Ex 7.3

Q 1.

e) $\triangle ABD \cong \triangle ACD$



e) $\triangle ABP \cong \triangle ACP$

AD $\triangle ABD \cong \triangle ACD$ (SSS)

$\angle BAD = \angle CAD$ (CPCT)

In $\triangle ABP$ and $\triangle ACP$, we have

$AB = AC$ (given)

$\angle BAP = \angle CAP$

$\left[\begin{array}{l} \therefore \angle BAD = \angle BAP \\ \quad \quad \quad \angle CAD = \angle CAP \end{array} \right]$

$$AP = AP \text{ (Common)}$$

$$\therefore \triangle ABP \cong \triangle ACP \text{ (SAS congruence)}$$

$$\Rightarrow BP = CP \text{ (CPCT)}$$

iii) To prove:

$$\angle BAD = \angle CAD \text{ and } \angle BDP = \angle CDP$$

In $\triangle BDP$ and $\triangle CDP$, we have

$$BD = CD$$

$$\angle BDP = \angle CDP \text{ and}$$

$$BP = CP \text{ (CPCT)}$$

$$\therefore \triangle BDP \cong \triangle CDP \text{ (SAS congruence)}$$

$$\therefore \angle BDP = \angle CDP \text{ (CPCT)}$$

iv) $AP \perp BC$

$$BP = CP \text{ (Proved)}$$

$$\text{In } \triangle ABP \cong \triangle ACP$$

$$\therefore \angle APB = \angle APC \text{ (CPCT)}$$

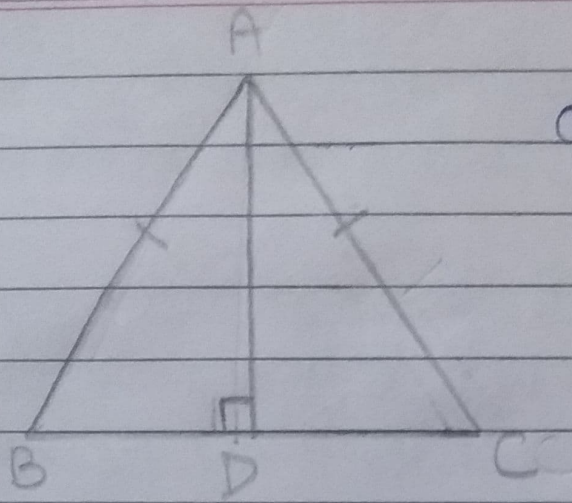
$$\text{But } \angle APB + \angle APC = 180^\circ \text{ (Linear pair)}$$

$$\text{as } \angle APB = \angle APC \text{ (CPCT)}$$

$$\therefore \angle APB = \angle APC = 90^\circ$$

AP is perpendicular bisector of BC

2.



Given:

AD is an altitude

$AB = AC$

i) To prove: AD bisects BC

Proof: In $\triangle ABD$ and $\triangle ACD$,

$\angle ADB = \angle ADC = 90^\circ$ (Both 90°)

$AB = AC$ (given)

$AD = AD$ (Common)

$\therefore \triangle ABD \cong \triangle ACD$ (RHS congruence)

$\therefore BD = CD$ (CPCT)

\therefore AD bisects BC

ii) To prove: AD bisects $\angle A$

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Proof: In $\triangle ABD$ and $\triangle ACD$,

$\angle ADB \cong \angle ADC$ (Proved in (i) above)

$\angle BAD = \angle CAD$ (CPCT)

\therefore AD bisects $\angle A$