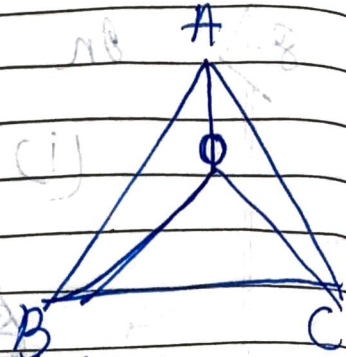


7.2

1)

Given  $AB = AC$

To prove:  $OB = OC$



$\triangle AOB$  and  $\triangle AOC$

- (i)  $\angle ABO = \angle ACO$  } A.S.S
- (ii)  $AB = AC$  }
- (iii)  $OB = OC$  }

$\triangle BOC$

$\angle OBC = \angle OCB$

$\Rightarrow OB = OC$

2)

Given:

line  $AD$  is perpendicular to  $BC$

So,  $\angle ADC = \angle ADB = 90^\circ$

$\therefore$  line  $AD$  bisect line  $BC$

(As it is perpendicular bisector)  $BD = CD$

In  $\triangle ABD$  and  $\triangle ACD$

$$AD = AD$$

$$\angle ADB = \angle ADC$$

$$BD = CD$$

$$\therefore \triangle ADC \cong \triangle ADB$$

$$\therefore AB = AC$$

Therefore,  $ABC$  is an isosceles triangle in which  $AB = AC$ .

Hence proved.

3) In  $\triangle ABC$

$$AB = AC \text{ [Given]}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle B = \angle C$$

Now, in right triangle  $BFC$  and  $CEB$ .

$$\angle BFC = \angle CEB \text{ [Each} = 90^\circ \text{]}$$

$$\angle FBC = \angle ECB \text{ [Proved above]}$$

$$BC = BC$$

$$\therefore \triangle BFC \cong \triangle CEB$$

Hence,  $BF = CE$  (CPCT) Proved.

4.) (i) In  $\triangle ABE$  and  $\triangle ACF$  we have  
 $BE = CF$  [Given]  
 $\angle BAE = \angle CAF$  [Common]  
 $\angle BEA = \angle CFA$

So,  $\triangle ABE = \triangle ACF$  [AAS]

(ii) Also  $AB = AC$   
 i.e.  $\triangle ABC$  is an isosceles triangle.