

5. Given:- D, E, F are midpoints of sides BC, CA, AB.

Proof:- D and E are midpoint of side BC and CA.

$$DE = \frac{1}{2} AB, \quad EF = \frac{1}{2} BC, \quad DF = \frac{1}{2} AC.$$

$$\therefore \frac{DE}{AB} = \frac{EF}{BC} = \frac{DF}{AC} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \triangle DEF \sim \triangle ABC$$

$$\therefore \frac{\text{ar } \triangle DEF}{\text{ar } \triangle ABC} = \frac{DE^2}{AB^2} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\therefore \text{ar } \triangle DEF : \text{ar } \triangle ABC = \underline{\underline{1:4}}$$

6. Given:-  $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle DEF$ , AP and DQ are median.

To prove:-  $\frac{\text{ar } \triangle ABC}{\text{ar } \triangle DEF} = \frac{AP^2}{DQ^2}$

Proof:-  $\frac{\text{ar } \triangle ABC}{\text{ar } \triangle DEF} = \frac{AB^2}{DE^2}$

$\frac{\text{ar } \triangle ABC}{\text{ar } \triangle DEF} = \frac{AB^2}{DE^2}$

$\therefore \triangle ABC \sim \triangle DEF$

$$\therefore \frac{AB}{DE} = \frac{BC}{EF} = \frac{2BP}{2EQ} = \frac{BP}{EQ}$$

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$$LB = LE$$

$$\therefore \triangle ABP \sim \triangle DEQ \text{ (SAS)}$$

$$BP = AP \quad \text{(i)}$$

$$EQ = DQ$$

$$\therefore \text{From eq (i) and (ii), } \frac{AB}{DE} = \frac{AP}{DQ}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\text{ar } \triangle ABC}{\text{ar } \triangle DEF} = \frac{AP^2}{DQ^2}$$

$$7. AC^2 = AB^2 + BC^2 = a^2 + a^2 = 2a^2$$

$$AC = \sqrt{2}a$$

$$\therefore \triangle PAD \sim \triangle QAC \text{ (AA)}$$

$$\text{ar } \triangle PAD = \frac{AD^2}{AC^2} = \frac{a^2}{(\sqrt{2}a)^2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \text{ar } \triangle PAD = \frac{1}{2} \text{ ar } \triangle QAC$$

$$8. \text{ Let } AB = BC = CA = a$$

$$BD = \frac{1}{2}a$$

$$\therefore \triangle ABC \sim \triangle BDE$$

$$\therefore \frac{\text{ar } \triangle ABC}{\text{ar } \triangle BDE} = \frac{AB^2}{BD^2} = \frac{a^2}{\left(\frac{1}{2}a\right)^2} = \frac{a^2}{\frac{1}{4}a^2} = 4 \text{ or } \underline{\underline{4:1}}$$

$$9. \text{ Ratio of areas of triangle } = \left(\frac{4}{9}\right)^2 = \frac{16}{81} \text{ or } \underline{\underline{16:81}}$$