

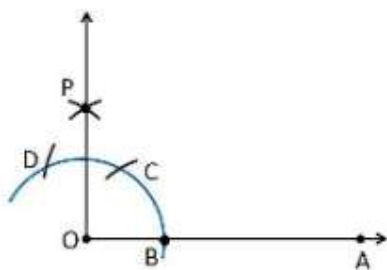
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1. Construct an angle of  $90^\circ$  at the initial point of a given ray and justify the construction.

Construction Procedure:

To construct an angle  $90^\circ$ , follow the given steps:

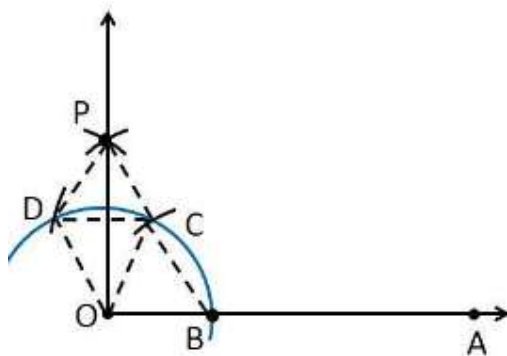
1. Draw a ray OA.
2. Take O as a centre with any radius, and draw an arc DCB that cuts OA at B.
3. With B as a centre with the same radius, mark a point C on the arc DCB.
4. With C as a centre and the same radius, mark a point D on the arc DCB.
5. Take C and D as the centres, and draw two arcs which intersect each other with the same radius at P.
6. Finally, the ray OP is joined, which makes an angle of  $90^\circ$  with OA.



Justification

To prove  $\angle POA = 90^\circ$

In order to prove this, draw a dotted line from the point O to C and O to D, and the angles formed are:



From the construction, it is observed that

$$OB = BC = OC$$

Therefore, OBC is an equilateral triangle

So that,  $\angle BOC = 60^\circ$ .

Similarly,

$$OD = DC = OC$$

Therefore, DOC is an equilateral triangle

So that,  $\angle DOC = 60^\circ$ .

From SSS triangle congruence rule,

$$\triangle OBC \cong OCD$$

So,  $\angle BOC = \angle DOC$  [By C.P.C.T]

Therefore,  $\angle COP = \frac{1}{2} \angle DOC = \frac{1}{2} (60^\circ)$ .

$$\angle COP = 30^\circ$$

To find the  $\angle POA = 90^\circ$ :

$$\angle POA = \angle BOC + \angle COP$$

$$\angle POA = 60^\circ + 30^\circ$$

$$\angle POA = 90^\circ$$

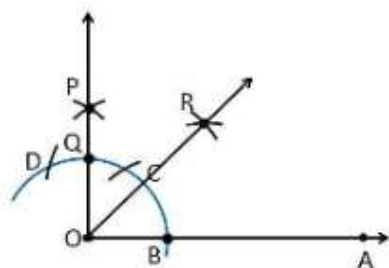
Hence, justified.

**2. Construct an angle of  $45^\circ$  at the initial point of a given ray and justify the construction.**

Construction Procedure:

1. Draw a ray OA.
2. Take O as a centre with any radius, draw an arc DCB that cuts OA at B.
3. With B as a centre with the same radius, mark a point C on the arc DCB.
4. With C as a centre and the same radius, mark a point D on the arc DCB.
5. Take C and D as the centres, and draw two arcs which intersect each other with the same radius at P.

6. Finally, the ray OP is joined, which makes an angle of  $90^\circ$  with OA.
7. Take B and Q as the centres, and draw the perpendicular bisector which intersects at the point R
8. Draw a line that joins the points O and R
9. So, the angle formed  $\angle ROA = 45^\circ$



### Justification

From the construction,

$$\angle POA = 90^\circ$$

The perpendicular bisector from points B and Q divides the  $\angle POA$  into two halves. So it becomes

$$\angle ROA = \frac{1}{2} \angle POA$$

$$\angle ROA = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \times 90^\circ = 45^\circ$$

Hence, justified

### 3. Construct the angles of the following measurements:

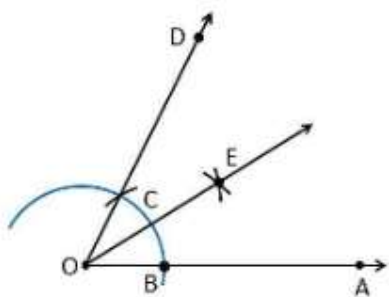
- (i)  $30^\circ$       (ii)  $22\frac{1}{2}^\circ$       (iii)  $15^\circ$

Solution:

(i)  $30^\circ$

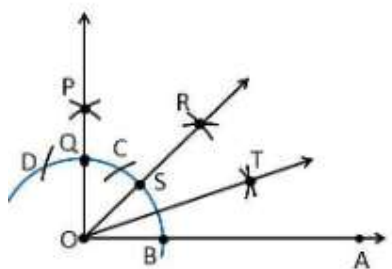
Construction Procedure:

1. Draw a ray OA
2. Take O as a centre with any radius, and draw an arc BC which cuts OA at B.
3. With B and C as centres, draw two arcs which intersect each other at point E, and the perpendicular bisector is drawn.
4. Thus,  $\angle EOA$  is the required angle making  $30^\circ$  with OA.

(ii)  $22\frac{1}{2}^\circ$ 

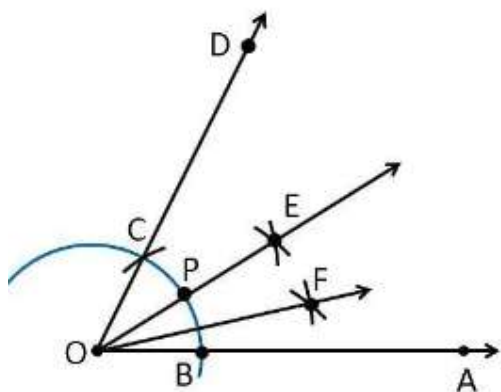
Construction Procedure:

1. Draw an angle  $\angle POA = 90^\circ$ .
2. Take O as a centre with any radius, and draw an arc BC which cuts OA at B and OP at Q
3. Now, draw the bisector from points B and Q, where it intersects at the point R such that it makes an angle  $\angle ROA = 45^\circ$ .
4. Again,  $\angle ROA$  is bisected such that  $\angle TOA$  is formed, which makes an angle of  $22.5^\circ$  with OA

(iii)  $15^\circ$ 

Construction Procedure:

1. An angle  $\angle DOA = 60^\circ$  is drawn.
2. Take O as the centre with any radius, and draw an arc BC which cuts OA at B and OD at C
3. Now, draw the bisector from points B and C, where it intersects at point E such that it makes an angle  $\angle EOA = 30^\circ$ .
4. Again,  $\angle EOA$  is bisected such that  $\angle FOA$  is formed, which makes an angle of  $15^\circ$  with OA.
5. Thus,  $\angle FOA$  is the required angle making  $15^\circ$  with OA.



4. Construct the following angles and verify by measuring them with a protractor:

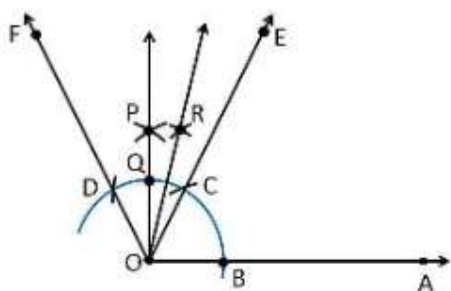
(i)  $75^\circ$  (ii)  $105^\circ$  (iii)  $135^\circ$

Solution:

(i)  $75^\circ$

Construction Procedure:

1. A ray OA is drawn.
2. With O as the centre, draw an arc of any radius and intersect at point B on the ray OA.
3. With B as the centre, draw an arc C, and with C as the centre, draw an arc D.
4. With D and C as the centres, draw an arc that intersects at point P.
5. Join points O and P.
6. The point that the arc intersects the ray OP is taken as Q.
7. With Q and C as the centres, draw an arc that intersects at point R.
8. Join points O and R.
9. Thus,  $\angle AOE$  is the required angle making  $75^\circ$  with OA.

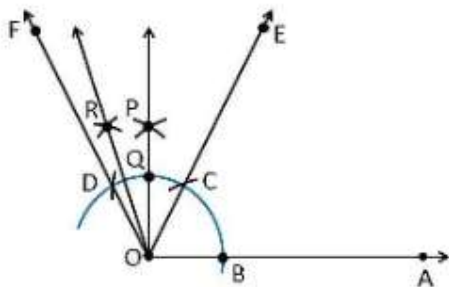


(ii)  $105^\circ$

Construction Procedure:

1. A ray OA is drawn.

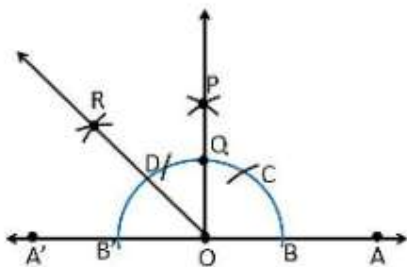
2. With O as the centre, draw an arc of any radius and intersect at point B on the ray OA.
3. With B as the centre, draw an arc C, and with C as the centre, draw an arc D.
4. With D and C as the centres, draw an arc that intersects at point P.
5. Join the points O and P
6. The point that the arc intersects the ray OP is taken as Q.
7. With Q and D as the centres, draw an arc that intersects at point R.
8. Join points O and R.
9. Thus,  $\angle AOR$  is the required angle making  $105^\circ$  with OA.



(iii)  $135^\circ$

Construction Procedure:

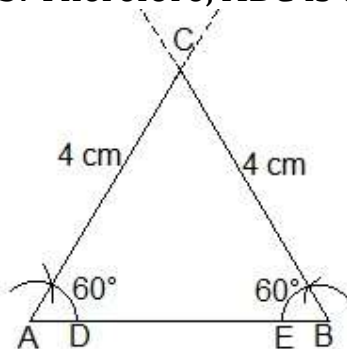
1. Draw a line AOA'
2. Draw an arc of any radius that cuts the line AOA' at points B and B'
3. With B as the centre, draw an arc of the same radius at point C.
4. With C as the centre, draw an arc of the same radius at point D.
5. With D and C as the centres, draw an arc that intersects at point P.
6. Join OP.
7. The point that the arc intersects the ray OP is taken as Q, and it forms an angle of  $90^\circ$ .
8. With B' and Q as the centre, draw an arc that intersects at point R.
9. Thus,  $\angle AOR$  is the required angle making  $135^\circ$  with OA.



**5. Construct an equilateral triangle, given its side and justify the construction.**

Construction Procedure:

1. Let us draw a line segment  $AB = 4$  cm.
2. With A and B as centres, draw two arcs on the line segment AB and note the point as D and E.
3. With D and E as centres, draw the arcs that cut the previous arc respectively that forms an angle of  $60^\circ$  each.
4. Now, draw the lines from A and B that are extended to meet each other at point C.
5. Therefore, ABC is the required triangle.



Justification:

From the construction, it is observed that,

$AB = 4$  cm,  $\angle A = 60^\circ$  and  $\angle B = 60^\circ$

We know that the sum of the interior angles of a triangle is equal to  $180^\circ$

$$\angle A + \angle B + \angle C = 180^\circ$$

Substitute the values

$$\Rightarrow 60^\circ + 60^\circ + \angle C = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 120^\circ + \angle C = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle C = 60^\circ$$

While measuring the sides, we get,

$BC = CA = 4$  cm (Sides opposite to equal angles are equal)

$AB = BC = CA = 4$  cm

$\angle A = \angle B = \angle C = 60^\circ$

Hence, justified.

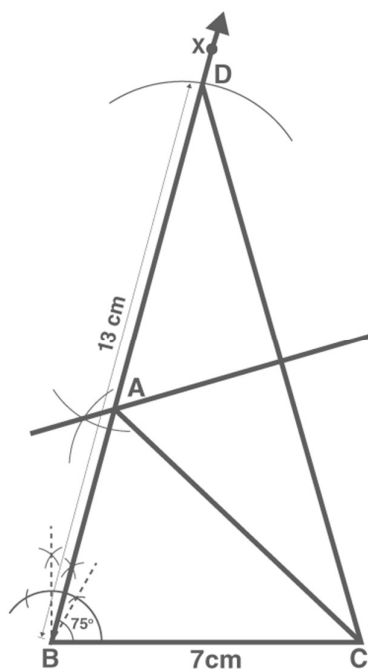
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1. Construct a triangle ABC in which  $BC = 7\text{ cm}$ ,  $\angle B = 75^\circ$  and  $AB + AC = 13\text{ cm}$ .

Construction Procedure:

The steps to draw the triangle of the given measurement are as follows:

1. Draw a line segment of base  $BC = 7\text{ cm}$ .
2. Measure and draw  $\angle B = 75^\circ$  and draw the ray BX.
3. Take a compass and measure  $AB + AC = 13\text{ cm}$ .
4. With B as the centre, draw an arc at the point D.
5. Join DC.
6. Now draw the perpendicular bisector of the line DC, and the intersection point is taken as A.
7. Now join AC.
8. Therefore, ABC is the required triangle.



2. Construct a triangle ABC in which  $BC = 8\text{ cm}$ ,  $\angle B = 45^\circ$  and  $AB - AC = 3.5\text{ cm}$ .

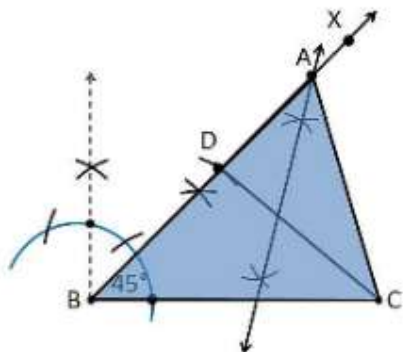
Construction Procedure:

The steps to draw the triangle of the given measurement are as follows:

1. Draw a line segment of base  $BC = 8\text{ cm}$
2. Measure and draw  $\angle B = 45^\circ$  and draw the ray BX
3. Take a compass and measure  $AB - AC = 3.5\text{ cm}$ .



4. With B as the centre, draw an arc at point D on the ray BX.
5. Join DC.
6. Now draw the perpendicular bisector of the line CD, and the intersection point is taken as A.
7. Now join AC.
8. Therefore, ABC is the required triangle.

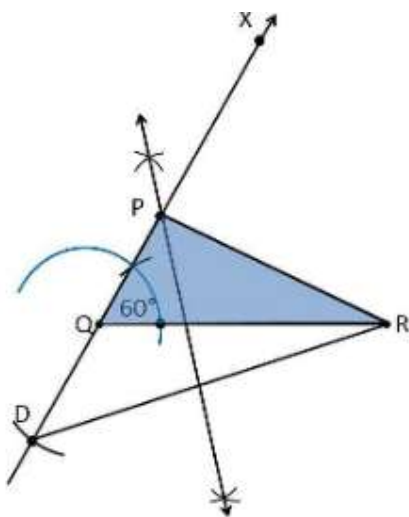


3. Construct a triangle PQR in which  $QR = 6\text{cm}$ ,  $\angle Q = 60^\circ$  and  $PR - PQ = 2\text{cm}$ .

Construction Procedure:

The steps to draw the triangle of the given measurement are as follows:

1. Draw a line segment of base  $QR = 6\text{ cm}$
2. Measure and draw  $\angle Q = 60^\circ$  and let the ray be QX.
3. Take a compass and measure  $PR - PQ = 2\text{cm}$ .
4. Since  $PR - PQ$  is negative, QD will be below the line QR.
5. With Q as the centre, draw an arc at point D on the ray QX.
6. Join DR.
7. Now draw the perpendicular bisector of the line DR and the intersection point is taken as P.
8. Now join PR.
9. Therefore, PQR is the required triangle.

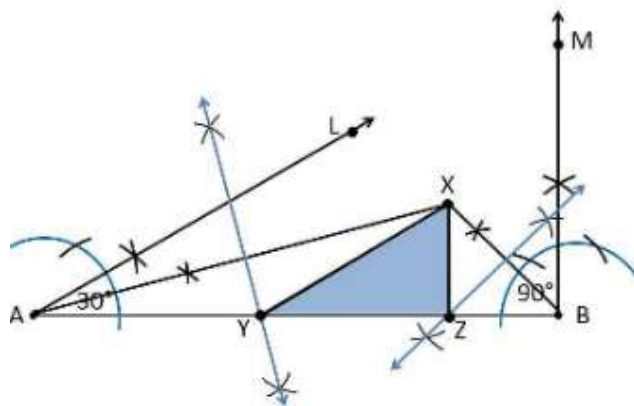


4. Construct a triangle XYZ in which  $\angle Y = 30^\circ$ ,  $\angle Z = 90^\circ$  and  $XY + YZ + ZX = 11$  cm.

Construction Procedure:

The steps to draw the triangle of the given measurement are as follows:

1. Draw a line segment AB which is equal to  $XY + YZ + ZX = 11$  cm.
2. Make an angle  $\angle LAB = 30^\circ$  from the point A.
3. Make an angle  $\angle MBA = 90^\circ$  from the point B.
4. Bisect  $\angle LAB$  and  $\angle MBA$  at point X.
5. Now, take the perpendicular bisectors of the lines XA and XB, and the intersection points are Y and Z, respectively.
6. Join XY and XZ.
7. Therefore, XYZ is the required triangle

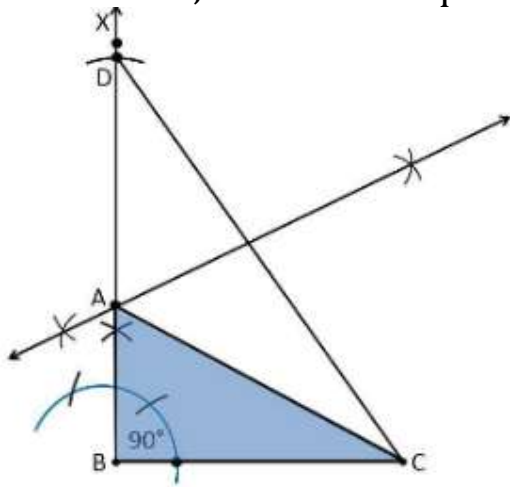


5. Construct a right triangle whose base is 12cm and sum of its hypotenuse and other side is 18 cm.

Construction Procedure:

The steps to draw the triangle of the given measurement are as follows:

1. Draw a line segment of base  $BC = 12$  cm
2. Measure and draw  $\angle B = 90^\circ$  and draw the ray  $BX$ .
3. Take a compass and measure  $AB + AC = 18$  cm.
4. With  $B$  as the centre, draw an arc at point  $D$  on the ray  $BX$ .
5. Join  $DC$ .
6. Now draw the perpendicular bisector of the line  $CD$ , and the intersection point is taken as  $A$ .
7. Now join  $AC$ .
8. Therefore,  $ABC$  is the required triangle.



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