

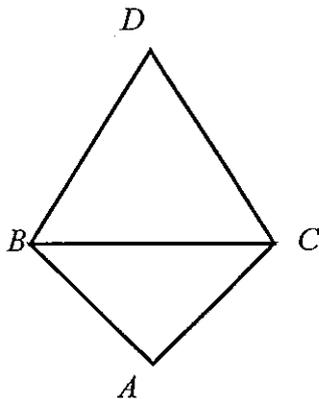
**Outcome 4 – Geometry and Similarity**

**(25 Marks)**

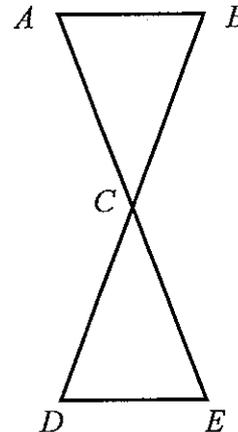
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- (a)  $\triangle ABC$  is a right-angled isosceles triangle.  $\triangle DBC$  is equilateral. Find the size of  $\angle ABD$ .



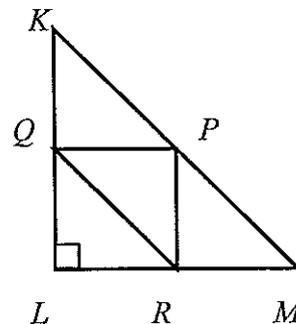
- (b)  $AC = BC = DC = EC$ . Prove that  $AB$  and  $DE$  are parallel.



2.  $\triangle KLM$  is right-angled at  $L$ .  $Q, P$  and  $R$  are the midpoints of the sides of  $\triangle KLM$ .  $KL = 15$  cm,  $LM = 10$  cm. Find the:

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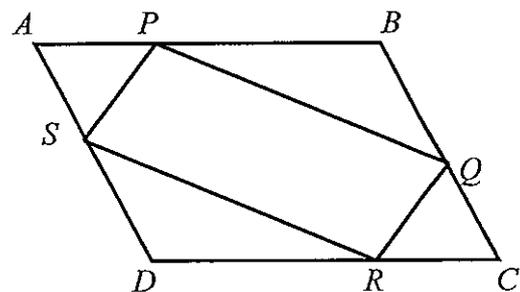
- (i) area of  $\triangle KLM$
- (ii) area of  $\triangle PQR$
- (iii) ratio of area  $\triangle LRQ$  to area trapezium  $KQRM$ . Show all reasons.



3.  $ABCD$  is a parallelogram.  $AP = AS = CQ = CR$ . By using congruent triangles, or otherwise:

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- (i) Prove  $QR = PS$  and  $PQ = SR$ .
- (ii) What shape is  $PQRS$ ? Justify your answer.





### Outcome 4

(1) (a)  $\angle ABC = \frac{1}{2}(180^\circ - 90^\circ)$  (equal base  $\angle$  of right isos  $\Delta$ )  
 $= 45^\circ$

$\angle DBC = 60^\circ$  ( $\Delta DBC$  equilateral)

$\therefore \angle ABD = 105^\circ$

(b)  $AC = EC$  (Given)  
 $BC = DC$  (Given)

$\angle ACB = \angle DCE$  (vert. opp.  $\angle$ s)

$\therefore \Delta ABC \cong \Delta DCE$  (SAS)

$\therefore \angle BAC = \angle DEC$  (base  $\angle$ s of congruent isosceles  $\Delta$ s)

$\therefore AB \parallel DE$  (alternat  $\angle$ s equal)

(2) (a)  $75 \text{ cm}^2$

(b)  $\frac{75}{4} \text{ cm}^2$

(c)  $\Delta LRQ \cong \Delta PRQ \cong \Delta QPK \cong \Delta RMP$

Area Trapezium = Area  $\Delta PRQ$  + Area  $\Delta QPK$  + Area  $\Delta RMP$   
 $= 3 \times \text{Area } \Delta LRQ$

$\therefore \text{Ratio} = 1:3$

(3) (i)  $\angle PAS = \angle QCR$  (opp.  $\angle$ s of  $\parallel$ gram)

$AP = QC$  (Given)

$AS = RC$  (Given)

$\therefore \Delta PAS \cong \Delta QCR$  (SAS)

$\therefore QR = PS$

$AB = DC$  (Opp sides of  $\parallel$ gram)

$\therefore BP = AB - AP$   
 $= DC - RC$  ( $AP = RC \rightarrow$  given)

$= DR$

Similarly  $BQ = DS$

$\angle SDR = \angle QBP$  ( $\parallel$  lines)

$\therefore \Delta SDR \cong \Delta QBP$  (SAS)

(ii) Parallelogram  
 (opposite sides are equal)

(4) (i)  $\angle APQ = \angle ABC$   
 (corresp.  $\angle$ s in  $\parallel$  lines)

$\angle AQP = \angle ACB$  (" )

$\therefore \Delta APQ \parallel \Delta ABC$

(ii)  $\frac{AQ}{22} = \frac{10}{18}$  (sides of sim  $\Delta$ s)

$AQ = 12.2$

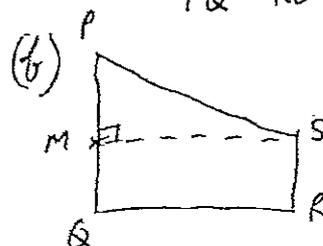
(5) (a)  $16:9$

(b)  $16^3:9^3$

$= 4096:729$

(6) (a)  $PR^2 = PQ^2 + QR^2$

$PR^2 - QS^2 = PQ^2 + QR^2 - QS^2$   
 $= PQ^2 - (QS^2 - QR^2)$   
 $= PQ^2 - RS^2$



$PS^2 = QR^2 + PM^2$

$PS^2 - QR^2 = PM^2$   
 $= (PQ - QM)^2$   
 $= (PQ - RS)^2$