

CHAPTER-2 | The Baudhāyana-pythagoras Theorem

QUIZ PART-02

1. In this activity, students are asked to cut out how many identical squares of paper?

A. One
B. Two
C. Three
D. Four (B)

Explanation : The activity begins by cutting out two identical squares of paper.

2. The paper activity is mainly used for:

A. Halving a square
B. Drawing circles
C. Doubling a square
D. Finding perimeter (C)

Explanation: The activity demonstrates how to construct a square with double the area.

3. The two squares used in the activity are:

A. Different in size
B. Identical
C. Rectangular
D. Unequal (B)

Explanation: The chapter specifically mentions using two identical squares.

4. If a square has an area of 25 cm^2 , the area of the square formed on its diagonal is:

A. 5 cm^2
B. 25 cm^2
C. 50 cm^2
D. 100 cm^2 (C)

Explanation: The new square has double the area of the original square. Double of 25 cm^2 is 50 cm^2 .

5. The ratio of the area of the original square to the area of the square formed on its diagonal is:

A. 2 : 1
B. 1 : 3
C. 1 : 2
D. 2 : 3 (C)

Explanation : The diagonal square has twice the area, so the ratio is 1 : 2.

6. The square formed on the diagonal has an area that is:

A. Half the original area
B. Equal to the original area
C. Double the original area
D. Triple the original area (C)

Explanation : This is the key result demonstrated throughout the chapter.

7. The paper-cutting activity helps students understand the concept through:

A. Experimentation
B. Memorization
C. Guesswork
D. Calculation only (A)

Explanation : The activity provides a hands-on demonstration of the theorem.

8. The figures labeled 1, 2, 3, and 4 in Square 1 represent:

A. Four equal triangular regions
B. Four circles
C. Four rectangles
D. Four squares (A)

Explanation : The diagonals divide the square into four triangular regions.

9. Which mathematical idea is verified using the paper model?

A. Area of a rectangle
B. Area of a circle
C. Doubling a square using its diagonal
D. Volume of a cube (C)

Explanation : The paper model visually verifies the doubling-square concept.

10. If the original square has area 40 cm^2 , the area of the square formed on its diagonal will be:

A. 20 cm^2
B. 40 cm^2
C. 60 cm^2
D. 80 cm^2 (D)

Explanation : The area of the new square is always twice the original area. Double of 40 cm^2 is 80 cm^2 .