

## CHAPTER-6 | Triangles

### QUIZ PART-05

1. In Fig. 1(i), if  $DE \parallel BC$ , then  $EC = ?$

- A. 1 cm
  - B. 2 cm
  - C. 2.5 cm
  - D. 3 cm
- (B)

**Explanation:** By the Basic Proportionality Theorem,  $AD/DB = AE/EC$ . So,  $1.5/3 = 1/EC$ , hence  $EC = 2$  cm.

2. In Fig. 1(ii), if  $DE \parallel BC$ , then  $AD = ?$

- A. 2.4 cm
  - B. 3.6 cm
  - C. 4.8 cm
  - D. 5.4 cm
- (A)

**Explanation:** Using  $AD/DB = AE/EC$ , we get  $AD/7.2 = 1.8/5.4 = 1/3$ . Therefore,  $AD = 2.4$  cm.

3. In Question 2(i), is  $EF \parallel QR$ ?

- A. Yes
  - B. No
  - C. Cannot be determined
  - D. Only if  $PQ = PR$
- (B)

**Explanation:**  $PE/EQ = 3.9/3 = 1.3$ , but  $PF/FR = 3.6/2.4 = 1.5$ . Since the ratios are not equal,  $EF$  is not parallel to  $QR$ .

4. In Question 2(ii), is  $EF \parallel QR$ ?

- A. Yes
  - B. No
  - C. Only if triangle is isosceles
  - D. Only if  $E$  and  $F$  are midpoints
- (A)

**Explanation:**  $PE/EQ = 4/4.5 = 8/9$  and  $PF/FR = 8/9$ . Since the ratios are equal,  $EF \parallel QR$ .

5. In Question 2(iii), is  $EF \parallel QR$ ?

- A. Yes
  - B. No
  - C. Only if  $PQ = PR$
  - D. Cannot be determined
- (A)

**Explanation:**  $PE/PQ = 0.18/1.28$  and  $PF/PR = 0.36/2.56$ . Both are equal, so  $EF$  is parallel to  $QR$ .

6. If  $LM \parallel CB$  and  $LN \parallel CD$ , then which relation is correct?

- A.  $AM/AB = AN/AD$
  - B.  $AB/AM = AD/DN$
  - C.  $LM = LN$
  - D.  $AM = AN$
- (A)

**Explanation:** Parallel lines divide the sides proportionally, so the required relation is  $AM/AB = AN/AD$ .

7. If  $DE \parallel AC$  and  $DF \parallel AE$ , then which result is correct?

- A.  $BF/BE = FE/EC$
  - B.  $BF/FE = BE/EC$
  - C.  $BE/BF = EC/FE$
  - D.  $BF/EC = BE/FE$
- (B)

**Explanation:** This is the exact proportional result asked in Question 4 of the exercise.

8. If  $DE \parallel OQ$  and  $DF \parallel OR$ , then what can be shown?

- A.  $OP \parallel QR$
  - B.  $EO \parallel FR$
  - C.  $EF \parallel QR$
  - D.  $DQ \parallel PR$
- (C)

**Explanation:** Using proportionality on the given parallel lines, we conclude that  $EF$  is parallel to  $QR$ .

9. The line joining the midpoints of any two sides of a triangle is always:

- A. Perpendicular to the third side
  - B. Equal to the third side
  - C. Parallel to the third side
  - D. Greater than the third side
- (C)

**Explanation:** This is the Midpoint Theorem: the segment joining the midpoints of two sides is parallel to the third side.

10. If  $AO/BO = CO/DO$  in a quadrilateral  $ABCD$ , then  $ABCD$  is a:

- A. Square
  - B. Rectangle
  - C. Trapezium
  - D. Rhombus
- (C)

**Explanation:** This condition proves that one pair of opposite sides is parallel, so  $ABCD$  is a trapezium.