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(Chapter – 10) (Practical Geometry) (Class - VII)

Exercise 10.5

Question 1:

Construct the right angled \triangle PQR, where $m\angle$ Q = 90°, QR = 8 cm and PR = 10 cm.

Answer 1:

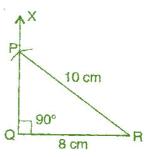
To construct:

A right angled triangle PQR where $m\angle Q = 90^\circ$, QR = 8 cm and PQ = 10 cm.

Steps of construction:

- (a) Draw a line segment QR = 8 cm.
- (b) At point Q, draw QX \perp QR.
- (c) Taking R as centre, draw an arc of radius 10 cm.
- (d) This arc cuts QX at point P.
- (e) Join PQ.

It is the required right angled triangle PQR.



Question 2:

Construct a right angled triangle whose hypotenuse is 6 cm long and one the legs is 4 cm long.

Answer 2:

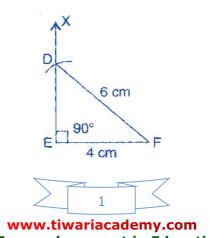
To construct:

A right angled triangle DEF where DF = 6 cm and EF = 4 cm

Steps of construction:

- (a) Draw a line segment EF = 4 cm.
- (b) At point Q, draw EX \perp EF.
- (c) Taking F as centre and radius 6 cm, draw an arc. (Hypotenuse)
- (d) This arc cuts the EX at point D.
- (e) Join DF.

It is the required right angled triangle DEF.



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Question 3:

Construct an isosceles right angled triangle ABC, where $m\angle$ ACB = 90° and AC = 6 cm.

Answer 3:

To construct:

An isosceles right angled triangle ABC where $m\angle C = 90^{\circ}$, AC = BC = 6 cm.

Steps of construction:

- (a) Draw a line segment AC = 6 cm.
- (b) At point C, draw XC \perp CA.
- (c) Taking C as centre and radius 6 cm, draw an arc.
- (d) This arc cuts CX at point B.
- (e) Join BA.

It is the required isosceles right angled triangle ABC.

