

Chapter - 6

Triangles

(Assertion and Reasoning Questions)

In the following questions, a statement of assertion (A) is followed by a statement of reason (R). Mark the correct choice as:

- (a) Both assertion (A) and reason (R) are true and reason (R) is the correct explanation of assertion (A).
- (b) Both assertion (A) and reason (R) are true but reason (R) is not the correct explanation of assertion (A).
- (c) Assertion (A) is true but reason (R) is false.
- (d) Assertion (A) is false but reason (R) is true.

Q.1. Assertion (A) : If two sides of a right angle are 7 cm and 8 cm, then its third side will be 9 cm.

Reason (R) : In a right triangle, the square of the hypotenuse is equal to the sum of the squares of the other two sides.

Q.2. Assertion (A) : If $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle PQR$ are congruent triangles, then they are also similar triangles.

Reason (R) : All congruent triangles are similar but the similar triangles need not be congruent.

Q.3. Assertion (A) : In the given figures, $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle GHI$.

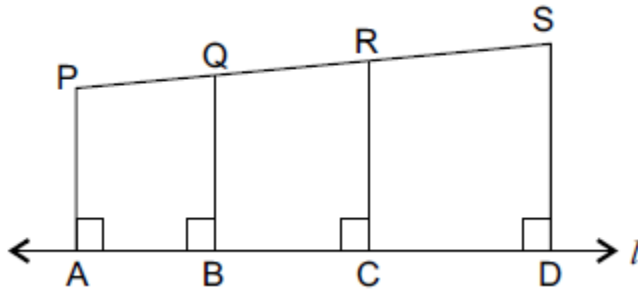
Reason (R) : If the corresponding sides of two triangles are proportional, then they are similar.

Q.4. Assertion (A) : The sides of two similar triangles are in the ratio 2 : 5, then the areas of these triangles are in the ratio 4 : 25.

Reason (R) : The ratio of the areas of two similar triangles is equal to the square of the ratio of their sides.

Q.5. Assertion (A) : In the given figure, $PA \parallel QB \parallel RC \parallel SD$.

Reason (R) : If three or more line segments are perpendicular to one line, then they are parallel to each other.



Q.6. Assertion (A) : In the $\triangle ABC$, $AB = 24$ cm, $BC = 10$ cm and $AC = 26$ cm, then $\triangle ABC$ is a right angle triangle.

Reason (R) : If in two triangles, their corresponding angles are equal, then the triangles are similar.

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ANSWER KEY

Q.1 : (d)

Q.2 : (a)

Q.3 : (a)

Q.4 : (a)

Q.5 : (a)

Q.6 : (b)