

3. AD and BC are equal perpendiculars to a line segment AB (see Fig. 7.18). Show that CD bisects AB.

Given:- $AD = BC$, $AD \perp AB$
and $BC \perp AB$

To Prove:- CD bisects AB
so, $OA = OB$

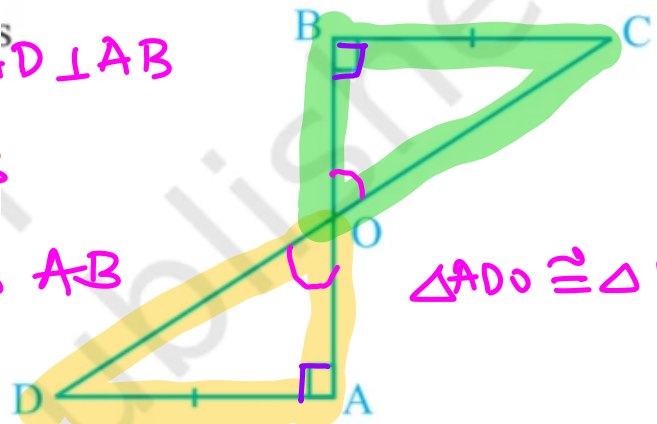


Fig. 7.18

Proof:- In $\triangle ADO$ and $\triangle BCO$

(Angle) $\angle A = \angle B = 90^\circ$

(Angle) $\angle AOD = \angle BOC$ (vertically opposite angles)

(Side) $AD = BC$ (given)

$\therefore \triangle ADO \cong \triangle BCO$ (by AAS Rule)

so, $OA = OB$ (C.P.C.T)

$\therefore$ CD bisects AB

4. l and m are two parallel lines intersected another pair of parallel lines p and q (see Fig. 7.19). Show that $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle CDA$.

Given: $l \parallel m$ and $p \parallel q$

To Prove $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle CDA$

In $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle CDA$

$$\angle 1 = \angle 2 \text{ (Alternate interior angles for } p \parallel q \text{)}$$

$$AC = CA \text{ (common side)}$$

$$\angle 4 = \angle 3 \text{ (Alternate interior angles for } l \parallel m \text{)}$$

$$\therefore \triangle ABC \cong \triangle CDA \text{ (ASA rule)}$$

