Chapter 4: Practical Geometry, Class 5

## CLASS NOTES-ANSWERS

## EXERCISE 4.2

1. Construct the following quadrilaterals.
(i) quadrilateral LIFT
$\mathrm{LI}=4 \mathrm{~cm}$
$\mathrm{IF}=3 \mathrm{~cm}$
$\mathrm{TL}=2.5 \mathrm{~cm}$
LF $=4.5 \mathrm{~cm}$
$\mathrm{IT}=4 \mathrm{~cm}$
(iii) Rhombus BEND
$\mathrm{BN}=5.6 \mathrm{~cm}$
$D E=6.5 \mathrm{~cm}$

## Answer:

(i) Rough sketch:


Steps of Construction:

- Construct $\Delta$ ITL by using the given measurements
- Vertex F is 4.5 cm away from vertex $L$ and 3 cm away from vertex I . While taking $L$ and $I$ as centres, draw arcs of 4.5 cm radius and 3 cm


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radius, respectively, which will intersect each other at point $F$.

- Join F to T and F to I.
- LIFT is the required quadrilateral.

(ii) Rough sketch:



## Steps of Construction:

- Construct $\Delta G D L$ by using the given measurements
- Vertex $O$ is 10 cm away from vertex $D$ and 7.5 cm away from vertex $L$. Therefore, while taking D and L as centres, draw arcs of 10 cm radius and 7.5 cm radius, respectively. These will intersect each other at point O .
- Join O to G and L.
- GOLD is the required quadrilateral.


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(iii) The diagonals of a rhombus always bisect each other at $90^{\circ}$.

Let us assume that these are intersecting each other at point O in this rhombus. Hence, $\mathrm{EO}=\mathrm{OD}=3.25 \mathrm{~cm}$

Rough sketch:


## Steps of Construction:

- Draw a line segment BN of 5.6 cm , and also draw its perpendicular bisector. Let it intersect the line segment BN at point O .
- Taking $O$ as the centre, draw arcs of 3.25 cm radius to intersect the perpendicular bisector at points $D$ and $E$.
- Join points $D$ and $E$ to points $B$ and $N$.
- BEND is the required quadrilateral.


