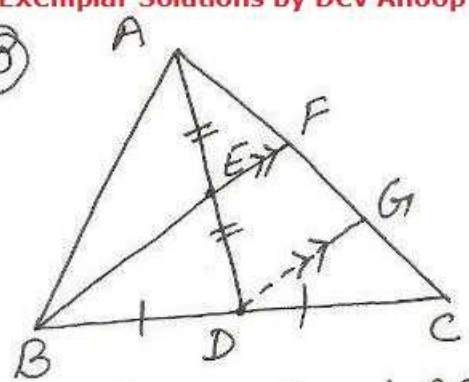


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to show $AF = \frac{1}{3} AC$

const - draw $DG \parallel BF$
intersecting AC at G

proof In $\triangle ADG$, E is
midpt of AD and $EF \parallel DG$

$\therefore AF = FG \dots$ (i) [converse
of midpt
theorem]

In $\triangle FBC$, D is midpt
of BC , $DG \parallel BF$

$\therefore FG = GC \dots$ (ii) (do)

From (i), (ii)

$AF = FG = GC \dots$ (iii)

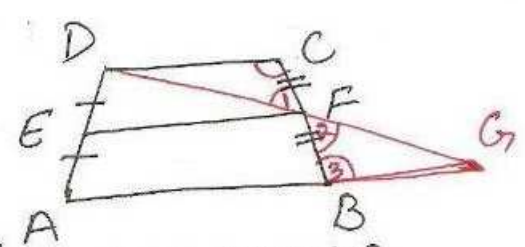
$AC = AF + FG + GC$
 $= AF + AF + AF$
 $= 3AF$

$\Rightarrow AF = \frac{AC}{3} \dots$ (iv)

11 Same as Q5.
given square whose
diagonals are
equal and perpendicular

ex 8.4, exemplar problems 1x

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to prove $EF \parallel AB$
 $EF = \frac{1}{2} (AB + CD)$

const - join DF and
produce it to
intersect AB produced
at G

Proof In $\triangle CFD$ and $\triangle BFG$

$DC \parallel AB$

$\angle C = \angle B$ (alternate
interior \angle s)

$CF = BF$ (given)

$\angle 1 = \angle 2$ (vert. opp \angle s)

$\therefore \triangle CFD \cong \triangle BFG$ by ASA
prop

$CD = BG$ (cpct)

EF joins midpts of sides
 AD and GD resp.

$\therefore EF \parallel AG$ (midpt. th.)

$\Rightarrow EF \parallel AB$

$EF = \frac{1}{2} AG$ (do)

$= \frac{1}{2} (AB + BG)$

$= \frac{1}{2} (AB + CD)$

[$\because CD = BG$]