

NCERT solutions for class 9 maths chapter 10 Circles

Excercise: 10.1

Fill in the blanks:

Q1 (i) The centre of a circle lies in _____ of the circle. (exterior/ interior)

Answer:

The centre of a circle lies in the interior of the circle.

Fill in the blanks:

Q1 (ii) A point, whose distance from the centre of a circle is greater than its radius lies in _____ of the circle. (exterior/ interior)

Answer:

A point, whose distance from the centre of a circle is greater than its radius lies in exterior of the circle.

Fill in the blanks:

Q1 (iii) The longest chord of a circle is a _____ of the circle.

Answer:

The longest chord of a circle is a diameter of the circle.

Fill in the blanks:

Q1 (iv) An arc is a _____ when its ends are the ends of a diameter.

Answer:

An arc is a semi- circle when its ends are the ends of a diameter.

Fill in the blanks:

Q1 (v) Segment of a circle is the region between an arc and _____ of the circle.

Answer:

Segment of a circle is the region between an arc and chord of the circle.

Fill in the blanks:

Q1 (vi) A circle divides the plane, on which it lies, in _____ parts.

Answer:

A circle divides the plane, on which it lies, in two parts.

Write True or False: Give reasons for your answers.

Q2 (i) Line segment joining the centre to any point on the circle is a radius of the circle.

Answer:

True. As line segment joining the centre to any point on the circle is a radius of the circle.

Write True or False: Give reasons for your answers.

Q2 (ii) A circle has only finite number of equal chords.

Answer:

False . As a circle has infinite number of equal chords.

Write True or False: Give reasons for your answers.

Q2 (iii) If a circle is divided into three equal arcs, each is a major arc.

Answer:

False. If a circle is divided into three equal arcs, each arc makes angle of 120 degrees whereas major arc makes angle greater than 180 degree at centre.

Write True or False: Give reasons for your answers.

Q2 (iv) A chord of a circle, which is twice as long as its radius, is a diameter of the circle.

Answer:

True. A chord of a circle, which is twice as long as its radius, is a diameter of the circle.

Write True or False: Give reasons for your answers.

Q2 (v) Sector is the region between the chord and its corresponding arc.

Answer:

False. As the sector is the region between the radii and arc.

Write True or False: Give reasons for your answers.

Q2 (vi) A circle is a plane figure.

Answer:

True. A circle is a plane figure.

Exercise: 10.2

Q1 Recall that two circles are congruent if they have the same radii. Prove that equal chords of congruent circles subtend equal angles at their centres.

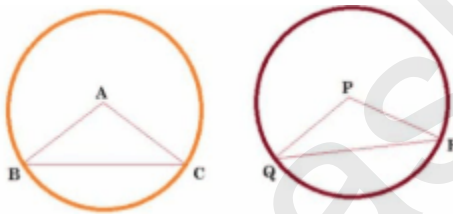
Answer:

Given: The two circles are congruent if they have the same radii.

To prove: The equal chords of congruent circles subtend equal angles at their centres

i.e. $\angle BAC = \angle QPR$

Proof :



In $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle PQR$,

$BC = QR$ (Given)

$AB = PQ$ (Radii of congruent circle)

$AC = PR$ (Radii of congruent circle)

Thus, $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle PQR$ (By SSS rule)

$$\angle BAC = \angle QPR \text{ (CPCT)}$$

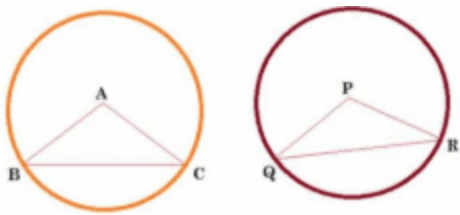
Q2 Prove that if chords of congruent circles subtend equal angles at their centres, then the chords are equal.

Answer:

Given : chords of congruent circles subtend equal angles at their centres,

To prove : $BC = QR$

Proof :



In $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle PQR$,

$$\angle BAC = \angle QPR \text{ (Given)}$$

$$AB = PQ \text{ (Radii of congruent circle)}$$

$$AC = PR \text{ (Radii of congruent circle)}$$

Thus, $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle PQR$ (By SAS rule)

$$BC = QR \text{ (CPCT)}$$

Exercise: 10.3

Q1 Draw different pairs of circles. How many points does each pair have in common? What is the maximum number of common points?

Answer:



In (i) we do not have any common point.

In (ii) we have 1 common point.

In (iii) we have 1 common point.

In (iv) we have 2 common points.

The maximum number of common points is 2.

Q2 Suppose you are given a circle. Give a construction to find its centre.

Answer:



Given : Points P,Q,R lies on circle.

Construction :

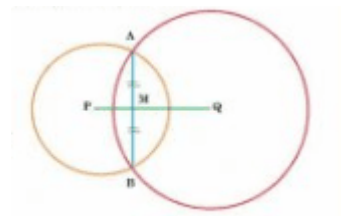
1. Join PR and QR
2. Draw perpendicular bisector of PR and QR which intersects at point O.
3. Taking O as centre and OP as radius draw a circle.
4. The circle obtained is required.

Q3 If two circles intersect at two points, prove that their centres lie on the perpendicular bisector of the common chord.

Answer:

Given: Two circles intersect at two points.

To prove: their centres lie on the perpendicular bisector of the common chord.



Construction: Join point P and Q to midpoint M of chord AB.

Proof: AB is a chord of circle C(Q,r) and QM is the bisector of chord AB.

$$\therefore PM \perp AB$$

$$\text{Hence, } \angle PMA = 90^\circ$$

Similarly, AB is a chord of circle (Q,r') and QM is the bisector of chord AB.

$$\therefore QM \perp AB$$

Hence, $\angle QMA = 90^\circ$

Now, $\angle QMA + \angle PMA = 90^\circ + 90^\circ = 180^\circ$

$\angle PMA$ and $\angle QMA$ are forming linear pairs so PMQ is a straight line.

Hence, P and Q lie on the perpendicular bisector of common chord AB.

Exercise: 10.4

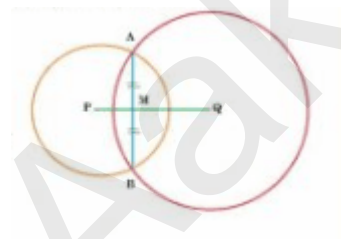
Q1 Two circles of radii 5 cm and 3 cm intersect at two points and the distance between their centres is 4 cm . Find the length of the common chord.

Answer:

Given: Two circles of radii 5 cm and 3 cm intersect at two points and the distance between their centres is 4 cm .

To find the length of the common chord.

Construction: Join OP and draw $OM \perp AB$ and $ON \perp CD$.



Proof: AB is a chord of circle C(P,3) and PM is the bisector of chord AB.

$\therefore PM \perp AB$

$$\angle PMA = 90^\circ$$

Let, $PM = x$, so $QM = 4 - x$

In $\triangle APM$, using Pythagoras theorem

$$AM^2 = AP^2 - PM^2 \dots\dots\dots 1$$

Also,

In $\triangle AQM$, using Pythagoras theorem

$$AM^2 = AQ^2 - MQ^2 \dots\dots\dots 2$$

From 1 and 2, we get

$$AP^2 - PM^2 = AQ^2 - MQ^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 3^2 - x^2 = 5^2 - (4 - x)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 9 - x^2 = 25 - 16 - x^2 + 8x$$

$$\Rightarrow 9 = 9 + 8x$$

$$\Rightarrow 8x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0$$

Put, $x=0$ in equation 1

$$AM^2 = 3^2 - 0^2 = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow AM = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow AB = 2AM = 6$$

Q2 If two equal chords of a circle intersect within the circle, prove that the segments of one chord are equal to corresponding segments of the other chord.

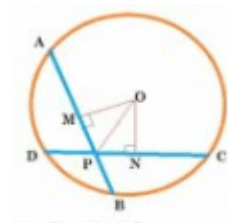
Answer:

Given: two equal chords of a circle intersect within the circle

To prove: Segments of one chord are equal to corresponding segments of the other chord i.e. $AP = CP$ and $BP = DP$.

Construction : Join OP and draw $OM \perp AB$ and $ON \perp CD$.

Proof :



In $\triangle OMP$ and $\triangle ONP$,

$OP = OP$ (Common)

$OM = ON$ (Equal chords of a circle are equidistant from the centre)

$\angle OMP = \angle ONP$ (Both are right angled)

Thus, $\triangle OMP \cong \triangle ONP$ (By SAS rule)

$$PM = PN \dots\dots\dots 1 \text{ (CPCT)}$$

$$AB = CD \dots\dots\dots 2 \text{ (Given)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}AB = \frac{1}{2}CD$$

$$\Rightarrow AM = CN \dots\dots\dots 3$$

Adding 1 and 3, we have

$$AM + PM = CN + PN$$

$$\Rightarrow AP = CP$$

Subtract 4 from 2, we get

$$AB - AP = CD - CP$$

$$\Rightarrow PB = PD$$

Q3 If two equal chords of a circle intersect within the circle, prove that the line joining the point of intersection to the centre makes equal angles with the chords.

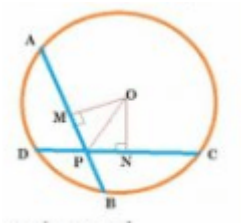
Answer:

Given: two equal chords of a circle intersect within the circle.

To prove: the line joining the point of intersection to the centre makes equal angles with the chords.

i.e. $\angle OPM = \angle OPN$

Proof :



Construction: Join OP and draw $OM \perp AB$ and $ON \perp CD$.

In $\triangle OMP$ and $\triangle ONP$,

$OP = OP$ (Common)

$OM = ON$ (Equal chords of a circle are equidistant from the centre)

$\angle OMP = \angle ONP$ (Both are right-angled)

Thus, $\triangle OMP \cong \triangle ONP$ (By RHS rule)

$\angle OPM = \angle OPN$ (CPCT)

Q4 If a line intersects two concentric circles (circles with the same centre) with centre O at A, B, C and D, prove that $AB = CD$ (see Fig. 10.25).

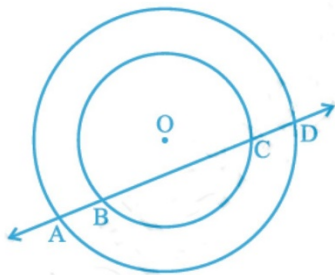


Fig. 10.25

Answer:

Given: a line intersects two concentric circles (circles with the same centre) with centre O at A, B, C and D.

To prove : $AB = CD$

Construction: Draw $OM \perp AD$

Proof :

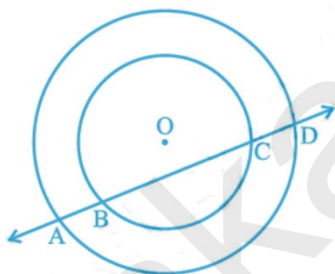


Fig. 10.25

BC is a chord of the inner circle and $OM \perp BC$

So, $BM = CM$ 1

(Perpendicular OM bisect BC)

Similarly,

AD is a chord of the outer circle and $OM \perp AD$

So, $AM = DM$ 2

(Perpendicular OM bisect AD)

Subtracting 1 from 2, we get

$$AM - BM = DM - CM$$

$$\Rightarrow AB = CD$$

Q5 Three girls Reshma, Salma and Mandip are playing a game by standing on a circle of radius $5m$ drawn in a park. Reshma throws a ball to Salma, Salma to Mandip, Mandip to Reshma. If the distance between Reshma and Salma and between Salma and Mandip is $6m$ each, what is the distance between Reshma and Mandip?

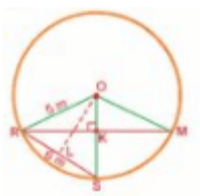
Answer:

Given: From the figure, R, S, M are the position of Reshma, Salma, Mandip respectively.

So, $RS = SM = 6 \text{ cm}$

Construction : Join OR, OS, RS, RM and OM . Draw $OL \perp RS$.

Proof:



In $\triangle ORS$,

$OS = OR$ and $OL \perp RS$ (by construction)

So, $RL = LS = 3\text{cm}$ ($RS = 6\text{ cm}$)

In $\triangle OLS$, by pythagoras theorem,

$$OL^2 = OS^2 - SL^2$$

$$\Rightarrow OL^2 = 5^2 - 3^2 = 25 - 9 = 16$$

$$\Rightarrow OL = 4$$

In $\triangle ORK$ and $\triangle OMK$,

$OR = OM$ (Radii)

$\angle ROK = \angle MOK$ (Equal chords subtend equal angle at centre)

$OK = OK$ (Common)

$\triangle ORK \cong \triangle OMK$ (By SAS)

$RK = MK$ (CPCT)

Thus, $OK \perp RM$

$$\text{area of } \triangle ORS = \frac{1}{2} \times RS \times OL \dots\dots\dots 1$$

$$\text{area of } \triangle ORS = \frac{1}{2} \times OS \times KR \dots\dots\dots 2$$

From 1 and 2, we get

$$\frac{1}{2} \times RS \times OL = \frac{1}{2} \times OS \times KR$$

$$\Rightarrow RS \times OL = OS \times KR$$

$$\Rightarrow 6 \times 4 = 5 \times KR$$

$$\Rightarrow KR = 4.8cm$$

$$\text{Thus, } RM = 2KR = 2 \times 4.8cm = 9.6cm$$

Q6 A circular park of radius $20m$ is situated in a colony. Three boys Ankur, Syed and David are sitting at equal distance on its boundary each having a toy telephone in his hands to talk each other. Find the length of the string of each phone.

Answer:

Given: In the figure, A, S, D are positioned Ankur, Syed and David respectively.

So, $AS = SD = AD$

Radius of circular park = 20 m

so, $AO=SO=DO=20\text{ m}$

Construction: $AP \perp SD$

Proof :



Let $AS = SD = AD = 2x$ cm

In $\triangle ASD$,

$AS = AD$ and $AP \perp SD$

So, $SP = PD = x$ cm

In $\triangle OPD$, by Pythagoras,

$$OP^2 = OD^2 - PD^2$$
$$\Rightarrow OP^2 = 20^2 - x^2 = 400 - x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow OP = \sqrt{400 - x^2}$$

In $\triangle APD$, by Pythagoras,

$$AP^2 = AD^2 - PD^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (AO + OP)^2 + x^2 = (2x)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (20 + \sqrt{400 - x^2})^2 + x^2 = 4x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 400 + 400 - x^2 + 40\sqrt{400 - x^2} + x^2 = 4x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 800 + 40\sqrt{400 - x^2} = 4x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 200 + 10\sqrt{400 - x^2} = x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 10\sqrt{400 - x^2} = x^2 - 200$$

Squaring both sides,

$$\Rightarrow 100(400 - x^2) = (x^2 - 200)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 40000 - 100x^2 = x^4 - 40000 - 400x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^4 - 300x^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2(x^2 - 300) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = 300$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 10\sqrt{3}$$

Hence, length of string of each phone = $2x = 20\sqrt{3}$ m

Excercise: 10.5

Q1 In Fig. 10.36 , A,B and C are three points on a circle with centre O such that $\angle BOC = 30^\circ$ and $\angle AOB = 60^\circ$. If D is a point on the circle other than the arc ABC, find $\angle ADC$.

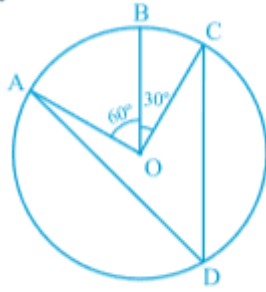


Fig. 10.36

Answer:

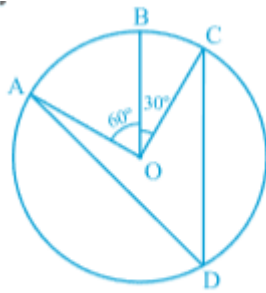


Fig. 10.36

$$\angle AOC = \angle AOB + \angle BOC = 60^\circ + 30^\circ = 90^\circ$$

$\angle AOC = 2 \angle ADC$ (angle subtended by an arc at the centre is double the angle subtended by it at any)

$$\angle ADC = \frac{1}{2} \angle AOC$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ADC = \frac{1}{2} 90^\circ = 45^\circ$$

Q2 A chord of a circle is equal to the radius of the circle. Find the angle subtended by the chord at a point on the minor arc and also at a point on the major arc.

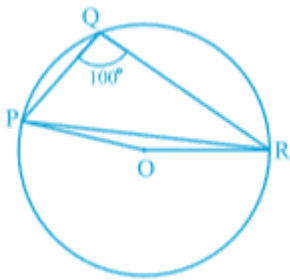
Answer:

$$\Rightarrow \angle ACB + 30^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ACB = 180^\circ - 30^\circ = 150^\circ$$

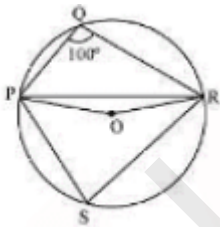
Q3 In Fig. 10.37, $\angle PQR = 100^\circ$, where P, Q and R are points on a circle with centre O.

Find $\angle OPR$.



Answer:

Construction: Join PS and RS.



PQRS is a cyclic quadrilateral.

So, $\angle PSR + \angle PQR = 180^\circ$

$$\Rightarrow \angle PSR + 100^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle PSR = 180^\circ - 100^\circ = 80^\circ$$

Here, $\angle POR = 2 \angle PSR$

$$\Rightarrow \angle POR = 2 \times 80^\circ = 160^\circ$$

In $\triangle OPR$,

$OP = OR$ (Radii)

$\angle ORP = \angle OPR$ (the angles opposite to equal sides)

In $\triangle OPR$,

$$\angle OPR + \angle ORP + \angle POR = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\angle OPR + 160^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\angle OPR = 180^\circ - 160^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\angle OPR = 20^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle OPR = 10^\circ$$

Q4 In Fig. 10.38, $\angle ABC = 69^\circ$, $\angle ACB = 31^\circ$, find $\angle BDC$

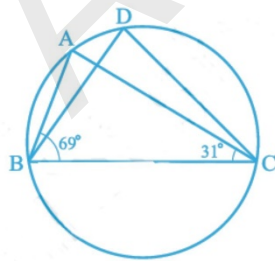


Fig. 10.38

Answer:

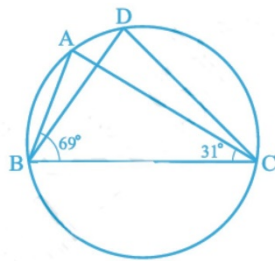


Fig. 10.38

In $\triangle ABC$,

$$\angle A + \angle ABC + \angle ACB = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle A + 69^\circ + 31^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle A + 100^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle A = 180^\circ - 100^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle A = 80^\circ$$

$$\angle A = \angle BDC = 80^\circ \text{ (Angles in same segment)}$$

Q5 In Fig. 10.39, A, B, C and D are four points on a circle. AC and BD intersect at a point E such that $\angle BEC = 130^\circ$ and $\angle ECD = 20^\circ$. Find $\angle BAC$

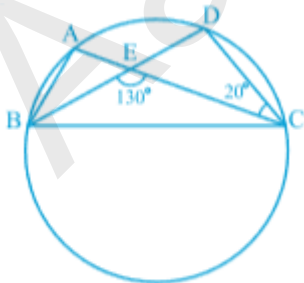


Fig. 10.39

Answer:

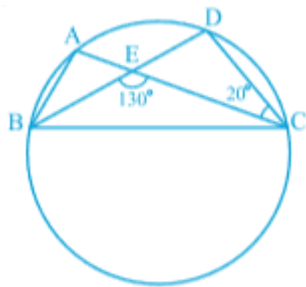


Fig. 10.39

$$\angle DEC + \angle BEC = 180^\circ \text{ (linear pairs)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle DEC + 130^\circ = 180^\circ \text{ (} \angle BEC = 130^\circ \text{)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle DEC = 180^\circ - 130^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle DEC = 50^\circ$$

In $\triangle DEC$,

$$\angle D + \angle DEC + \angle DCE = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle D + 50^\circ + 20^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle D + 70^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle D = 180^\circ - 70^\circ = 110^\circ$$

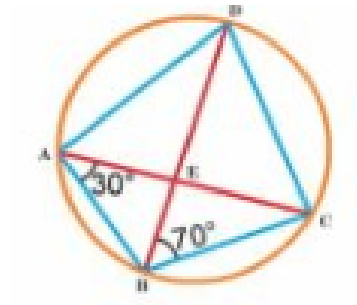
$\angle D = \angle BAC$ (angles in same segment are equal)

$$\angle BAC = 110^\circ$$

Q6 ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral whose diagonals intersect at a point E.

If $\angle DBC = 70^\circ$, $\angle BAC$ is 30° , find $\angle BCD$. Further, if $AB = BC$, find $\angle ECD$.

Answer:



$\angle BDC = \angle BAC$ (angles in the same segment are equal)

$$\angle BDC = 30^\circ$$

In $\triangle BDC$,

$$\angle BCD + \angle BDC + \angle DBC = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BCD + 30^\circ + 70^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BCD + 100^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BCD = 180^\circ - 100^\circ = 80^\circ$$

If $AB = BC$, then

$$\angle BCA = \angle BAC$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BCA = 30^\circ$$

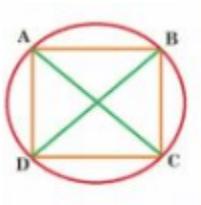
Here, $\angle ECD + \angle BCE = \angle BCD$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ECD + 30^\circ = 80^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ECD = 80^\circ - 30^\circ = 50^\circ$$

Q7 If diagonals of a cyclic quadrilateral are diameters of the circle through the vertices of the quadrilateral, prove that it is a rectangle.

Answer:



AC is the diameter of the circle.

Thus, $\angle ADC = 90^\circ$ and $\angle ABC = 90^\circ$ 1 (Angle in a semi-circle is right angle)

Similarly, BD is the diameter of the circle.

Thus, $\angle BAD = 90^\circ$ and $\angle BCD = 90^\circ$ 2 (Angle in a semi-circle is right angle)

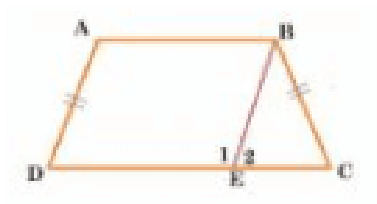
From 1 and 2, we get

$$\angle BCD = \angle ADC = \angle ABC = \angle BAD = 90^\circ$$

Hence, ABCD is a rectangle.

Q8 If the non-parallel sides of a trapezium are equal, prove that it is cyclic.

Answer:



Given: ABCD is a trapezium.

Construction: Draw $AD \parallel BE$.

Proof: In quadrilateral ABED,

$AB \parallel DE$ (Given)

$AD \parallel BE$ (By construction)

Thus, ABED is a parallelogram.

$AD = BE$ (Opposite sides of parallelogram)

$AD = BC$ (Given)

so, $BE = BC$

In $\triangle EBC$,

$BE = BC$ (Proved above)

Thus, $\angle C = \angle 2$ 1 (angles opposite to equal sides)

$\angle A = \angle 1$ 2 (Opposite angles of the parallelogram)

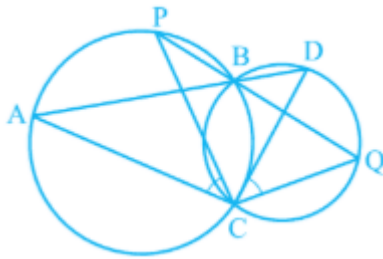
From 1 and 2, we get

$$\angle 1 + \angle 2 = 180^\circ \text{ (linear pair)}$$

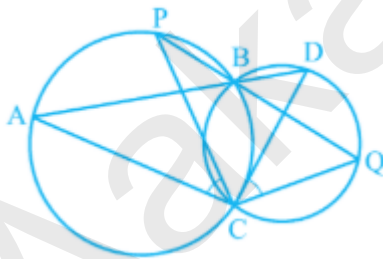
$$\Rightarrow \angle A + \angle C = 180^\circ$$

Thus, ABED is a cyclic quadrilateral.

Q9 Two circles intersect at two points B and C. Through B, two line segments ABD and PBQ are drawn to intersect the circles at A, D and P, Q respectively (see Fig. 10.40). Prove that $\angle ACP = \angle QCD$.



Answer:



$$\angle ABP = \angle QBD \text{1 (vertically opposite angles)}$$

$$\angle ACP = \angle ABP \text{2 (Angles in the same segment are equal)}$$

$$\angle QBD = \angle QCD \text{3 (angles in the same segment are equal)}$$

From 1,2,3 ,we get

$$\angle ACP = \angle QCD$$

Q10 If circles are drawn taking two sides of a triangle as diameters, prove that the point of intersection of these circles lie on the third side.

Answer:

Given: circles are drawn taking two sides of a triangle as diameters.

Construction: Join AD.



Proof: AB is the diameter of the circle and $\angle ADB$ is formed in a semi-circle.

$$\angle ADB = 90^\circ \dots\dots\dots 1(\text{angle in a semi-circle})$$

Similarly,

AC is the diameter of the circle and $\angle ADC$ is formed in a semi-circle.

$$\angle ADC = 90^\circ \dots\dots\dots 2(\text{angle in a semi-circle})$$

From 1 and 2, we have

$$\angle ADB + \angle ADC = 90^\circ + 90^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$\angle ADB$ and $\angle ADC$ are forming a linear pair. So, BDC is a straight line.

Hence, point D lies on this side.

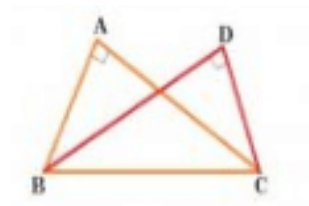
Q11 ABC and ADC are two right triangles with common hypotenuse AC. Prove that $\angle CAD = \angle CBD$.

Answer:

Given: ABC and ADC are two right triangles with common hypotenuse AC.

To prove : $\angle CAD = \angle CBD$

Proof :



Triangle ABC and ADC are on common base BC and $\angle BAC = \angle BDC$.

Thus, point A,B,C,D lie in the same circle.

(If a line segment joining two points subtends equal angles at two other points lying on the same side of line containing line segment, four points lie on the circle.)

$\angle CAD = \angle CBD$ (Angles in same segment are equal)

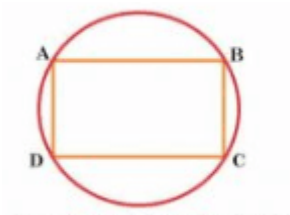
Q12 Prove that a cyclic parallelogram is a rectangle.

Answer:

Given: ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral.

To prove: ABCD is a rectangle.

Proof :



In cyclic quadrilateral ABCD.

$\angle A + \angle C = 180^\circ$ 1(sum of either pair of opposite angles of a cyclic quadrilateral)

$\angle A = \angle C$ 2(opposite angles of a parallelogram are equal)

From 1 and 2,

$$\angle A + \angle A = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\angle A = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle A = 90^\circ$$

We know that a parallelogram with one angle right angle is a rectangle.

Hence, ABCD is a rectangle.

Excercise: 10.6

Q1 Prove that the line of centres of two intersecting circles subtends equal angles at the two points of intersection.

Answer:

Given: Circle $C(P,r)$ and circle $C(Q,r')$ intersect each other at A and B.

To prove : $\angle PAQ = \angle PBQ$

Proof : In $\triangle APQ$ and $\triangle BPQ$,

$PA = PB$ (radii of same circle)

$PQ = PQ$ (Common)

$QA = QB$ (radii of same circle)

So, $\triangle APQ \cong \triangle BPQ$ (By SSS)

$\angle PAQ = \angle PBQ$ (CPCT)

Q2 Two chords AB and CD of lengths 5 cm and 11 cm respectively of a circle are parallel to each other and are on opposite sides of its centre. If the distance between AB and CD is 6 cm , find the radius of the circle.

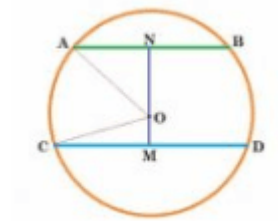
Answer:

Given : $AB = 5\text{ cm}$, $CD = 11\text{ cm}$ and $AB \parallel CD$.

To find Radius (OA).

Construction: Draw $OM \perp CD$ and $ON \perp AB$

Proof :



Proof: CD is a chord of circle and $OM \perp CD$

Thus, $CM = MD = 5.5$ cm (perpendicular from centre bisects chord)

and $AN = NB = 2.5$ cm

Let OM be x.

So, $ON = 6 - x$ ($MN = 6$ cm)

In $\triangle OCM$, using Pythagoras,

$$OC^2 = CM^2 + OM^2 \dots\dots\dots 1$$

and

In $\triangle OAN$, using Pythagoras,

$$OA^2 = AN^2 + ON^2 \dots\dots\dots 2$$

From 1 and 2,

$$CM^2 + OM^2 = AN^2 + ON^2 \text{ (OC=OA =radii)}$$

$$5.5^2 + x^2 = 2.5^2 + (6 - x)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 30.25 + x^2 = 6.25 + 36 + x^2 - 12x$$

$$\Rightarrow 30.25 - 42.25 = -12x$$

$$\Rightarrow -12 = -12x$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 1$$

From 2, we get

$$OC^2 = 5.5^2 + 1^2 = 30.25 + 1 = 31.25$$

$$\Rightarrow OC = \frac{5}{2}\sqrt{5}cm$$

$$OA = OC$$

Thus, the radius of the circle is $\frac{5}{2}\sqrt{5}cm$

Q3 The lengths of two parallel chords of a circle are 6 cm and 8 cm . If the smaller chord is at distance 4 cm from the centre, what is the distance of the other chord from the centre?

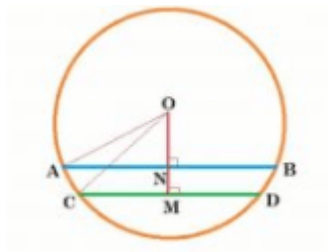
Answer:

Given : AB = 8 cm, CD = 6 cm , OM = 4 cm and AB \parallel CD.

To find: Length of ON

Construction: Draw $OM \perp CD$ and $ON \perp AB$

Proof :



Proof: CD is a chord of circle and $OM \perp CD$

Thus, $CM = MD = 3$ cm (perpendicular from centre bisects chord)

and $AN = NB = 4$ cm

Let MN be x.

So, $ON = 4 - x$ ($MN = 4$ cm)

In $\triangle OCM$, using Pythagoras,

$$OC^2 = CM^2 + OM^2 \dots\dots\dots 1$$

and

In $\triangle OAN$, using Pythagoras,

$$OA^2 = AN^2 + ON^2 \dots\dots\dots 2$$

From 1 and 2,

$$CM^2 + OM^2 = AN^2 + ON^2 \text{ (OC=OA =radii)}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3^2 + 4^2 = 4^2 + (4 - x)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 9 + 16 = 16 + 16 + x^2 - 8x$$

$$\Rightarrow 9 = 16 + x^2 - 8x$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 8x + 7 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 7x - x + 7 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x(x - 7) - 1(x - 7) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 1)(x - 7) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 1, 7$$

So, $x=1$ (since $x \neq 7 > OM$)

$$ON = 4 - x = 4 - 1 = 3 \text{ cm}$$

Hence, second chord is 3 cm away from centre.

Q4 Let the vertex of an angle ABC be located outside a circle and let the sides of the angle intersect equal chords AD and CE with the circle. Prove that $\angle ABC$ is equal to half the difference of the angles subtended by the chords AC and DE at the centre.

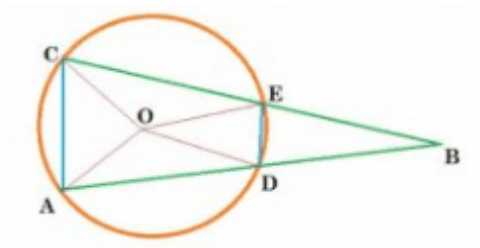
Answer:

Given : $AD = CE$

To prove : $\angle ABC = \frac{1}{2}(\angle AOC - \angle DOE)$

Construction: Join AC and DE.

Proof :



Let $\angle ADC = x$, $\angle DOE = y$ and $\angle AOD = z$

So, $\angle EOC = z$ (each chord subtends equal angle at centre)

$$\angle AOC + \angle DOE + \angle AOD + \angle EOC = 360^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x + y + z + z = 360^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x + y + 2z = 360^\circ \dots\dots\dots 1$$

In $\triangle OAD$,

$OA = OD$ (Radii of the circle)

$\angle OAD = \angle ODA$ (angles opposite to equal sides)

$$\angle OAD + \angle ODA + \angle AOD = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\angle OAD + z = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\angle OAD = 180^\circ - z$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle OAD = \frac{180^\circ - z}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle OAD = 90^\circ - \frac{z}{2} \dots\dots\dots 2$$

Similarly,

$$\Rightarrow \angle OCE = 90^\circ - \frac{x}{2} \dots\dots\dots 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle OED = 90^\circ - \frac{y}{2} \dots\dots\dots 4$$

$\angle ODB$ is exterior of triangle OAD . So,

$$\angle ODB = \angle OAD + \angle ODA$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ODB = 90^\circ - \frac{z}{2} + z \text{ (from 2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ODB = 90^\circ + \frac{z}{2} \dots\dots\dots 5$$

similarly,

$\angle OBE$ is exterior of triangle OCE . So,

$$\angle OBE = \angle OCE + \angle OEC$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle OEB = 90^\circ - \frac{z}{2} + z \text{ (from 3)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle OEB = 90^\circ + \frac{z}{2} \dots\dots\dots 6$$

From 4,5,6 ;we get

$$\angle BDE = \angle BED = \angle OEB - \angle OED$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BDE = \angle BED = 90^\circ + \frac{z}{2} - (90 - \frac{y}{2}) = \frac{y+z}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BDE + \angle BED = y + z \dots\dots\dots 7$$

In $\triangle BDE$,

$$\angle DBE + \angle BDE + \angle BED = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle DBE + y + z = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle DBE = 180^\circ - (y + z)$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ABC = 180^\circ - (y + z) \dots\dots\dots 8$$

Here, from equation 1,

$$\frac{x - y}{2} = \frac{360^\circ - y - 2x - y}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x - y}{2} = \frac{360^\circ - 2y - 2x}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x - y}{2} = 180^\circ - y - x \dots\dots\dots 9$$

From 8 and 9, we have

$$\angle ABC = \frac{x - y}{2} = \frac{1}{2}(\angle AOC - \angle DOE)$$

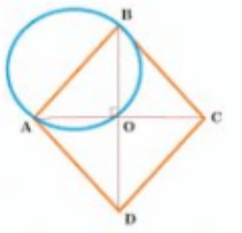
Q5 Prove that the circle drawn with any side of a rhombus as diameter, passes through the point of intersection of its diagonals.

Answer:

Given : ABCD is rhombus.

To prove : the circle drawn with AB as diameter, passes through the point O.

Proof :



ABCD is rhombus.

Thus, $\angle AOC = 90^\circ$ (diagonals of a rhombus bisect each other at 90°)

So, a circle drawn AB as diameter will pass through point O.

Thus, the circle is drawn with any side of a rhombus as diameter passes through the point of intersection of its diagonals.

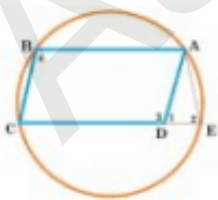
Q6 ABCD is a parallelogram. The circle through A, B and C intersect CD (produced if necessary) at E. Prove that $AE = AD$.

Answer:

Given: ABCD is a parallelogram. The circle through A, B and C intersect CD (produced if necessary) at E.

To prove : $AE = AD$

Proof :



$\angle ADC = \angle 3$, $\angle ABC = \angle 4$, $\angle ADE = \angle 1$ and $\angle AED = \angle 2$

$$\angle 3 + \angle 1 = 180^\circ \dots\dots\dots 1(\text{linear pair})$$

$$\angle 2 + \angle 4 = 180^\circ \dots\dots\dots 2(\text{sum of opposite angles of cyclic quadrilateral})$$

$$\angle 3 = \angle 4 \text{ (opposite angles of parallelogram)}$$

From 1 and 2,

$$\angle 3 + \angle 1 = \angle 2 + \angle 4$$

From 3, $\angle 1 = \angle 2$

From 4, $\triangle AQB$, $\angle 1 = \angle 2$

Therefore, $AE = AD$ (In an isosceles triangle, angles opposite to equal sides are equal)

Q7 (i) AC and BD are chords of a circle which bisect each other. Prove that AC and BD are diameters

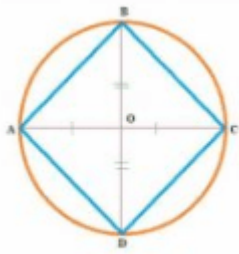
Answer:

Given: AC and BD are chords of a circle which bisect each other.

To prove: AC and BD are diameters.

Construction : Join AB, BC, CD, DA.

Proof :



In $\triangle ABD$ and $\triangle CDO$,

$AO = OC$ (Given)

$\angle AOB = \angle COD$ (Vertically opposite angles)

$BO = DO$ (Given)

So, $\triangle ABD \cong \triangle CDO$ (By SAS)

$\angle BAO = \angle DCO$ (CPCT)

$\angle BAO$ and $\angle DCO$ are alternate angle and are equal .

So, $AB \parallel DC$ 1

Also $AD \parallel BC$ 2

From 1 and 2,

$\angle A + \angle C = 180^\circ$ 3(sum of opposite angles)

$\angle A = \angle C$ 4(Opposite angles of the parallelogram)

From 3 and 4,

$\angle A + \angle A = 180^\circ$

$$\Rightarrow 2\angle A = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle A = 90^\circ$$

BD is a diameter of the circle.

Similarly, AC is a diameter.

Q7 (ii) AC and BD are chords of a circle which bisect each other. Prove that ABCD is a rectangle.

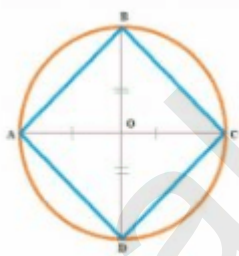
Answer:

Given: AC and BD are chords of a circle which bisect each other.

To prove: ABCD is a rectangle.

Construction : Join AB,BC,CD,DA.

Proof :



ABCD is a parallelogram. (proved in (i))

$\angle A = 90^\circ$ (proved in (i))

A parallelogram with one angle 90° , is a rectangle)

Thus, ABCD is rectangle.

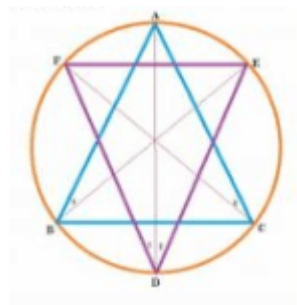
Q8 Bisectors of angles A, B and C of a triangle ABC intersect its circumcircle at D, E and F respectively. Prove that the angles of the triangle DEF are $90^\circ - \frac{1}{2}C$, $90^\circ - \frac{1}{2}B$ and $90^\circ - \frac{1}{2}A$

Answer:

Given : Bisectors of angles A, B and C of a triangle ABC intersect its circumcircle at D, E and F respectively.

To prove : the angles of the triangle DEF are $90^\circ - \frac{1}{2}C$, $90^\circ - \frac{1}{2}B$ and $90^\circ - \frac{1}{2}A$

Proof :



$\angle 1$ and $\angle 3$ are angles in same segment.therefore,

$\angle 1 = \angle 3$ 1(angles in same segment are equal)

and $\angle 2 = \angle 4$ 2

Adding 1 and 2,we have

$$\angle 1 + \angle 2 = \angle 3 + \angle 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle D = \frac{1}{2}\angle B + \frac{1}{2}\angle C,$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle D = \frac{1}{2}(\angle B + \angle C)$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle D = \frac{1}{2}(180^\circ + \angle C)$$

$$\text{and } \Rightarrow \angle D = \frac{1}{2}(180^\circ - \angle A)$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle D = 90^\circ - \frac{1}{2}\angle A$$

$$\text{Similarly, } \Rightarrow \angle E = 90^\circ - \frac{1}{2}\angle B \text{ and } \angle F = 90^\circ - \frac{1}{2}\angle C$$

Q9 Two congruent circles intersect each other at points A and B. Through A any line segment PAQ is drawn so that P, Q lie on the two circles. Prove that $BP = BQ$.

Answer:

Given: Two congruent circles intersect each other at points A and B. Through A any line segment PAQ is drawn so that P, Q lie on the two circles.

To prove : $BP = BQ$

Proof :



AB is a common chord in both congruent circles.

$$\therefore \angle APB = \angle AQB$$

In $\triangle BPQ$,

$$\angle APB = \angle AQB$$

$$\therefore BQ = BP \text{ (Sides opposite to equal of the triangle are equal)}$$

Q10 In any triangle ABC, if the angle bisector of $\angle A$ and perpendicular bisector of BC intersect, prove that they intersect on the circumcircle of the triangle ABC.

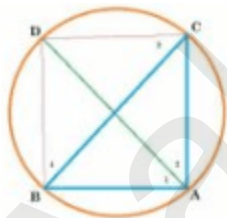
Answer:

Given : In any triangle ABC, if the angle bisector of $\angle A$ and perpendicular bisector of BC intersect.

To prove : D lies on perpendicular bisector BC.

Construction: Join BD and DC.

Proof :



$$\text{Let } \angle ABD = \angle 1, \angle ADC = \angle 2, \angle DCB = \angle 3, \angle CBD = \angle 4$$

$\angle 1$ and $\angle 3$ lies in same segment. So,

$$\angle 1 = \angle 3 \dots\dots\dots 1(\text{angles in same segment})$$

similarly, $\angle 2 = \angle 4$ 2

also, $\angle 1 = \angle 2$ 3(given)

From 1,2,3 , we get

$$\angle 3 = \angle 4$$

Hence, $BD = DC$ (angles opposite to equal sides are equal)

All points lying on perpendicular bisector BC will be equidistant from B and C.

Thus, point D also lies on perpendicular bisector BC.