

RD Sharma Class 9 Chapter 15 Areas of Parallelograms and Triangles

Question 1.

Fill in the blanks:

- (i) All points lying inside / outside a circle are called points / points.
- (ii) Circles having the same centre and different radii are called circles.
- (iii) A point whose distance from the centre of a circle is greater than its radius lies in of the circle.
- (iv) A continuous piece of a circle is of the circle.
- (v) The longest chord of a circle is a of the circle.
- (vi) An arc is a when its ends are the ends of a diameter.
- (vii) Segment of a circle is the region between an arc and of the circle.
- (viii) A circle divides the plane, on which it lies, in parts.

Solution:

- (i) All points lying inside / outside a circle are called interior points / exterior points.
- (ii) Circles having the same centre and different radii are called concentric circles.
- (iii) A point whose distance from the centre of a circle is greater than its radius lies in exterior of the circle.
- (iv) A continuous piece of a circle is arc of the circle.
- (v) The longest chord of a circle is a diameter of the circle.
- (vi) An arc is a semi-circle when its ends are the ends of a diameter.
- (vii) Segment of a circle is the region between an arc and centre of the circle.
- (viii) A circle divides the plane, on which it lies, in three parts.

Question 2.

Write the truth value (T/F) of the following with suitable reasons: [NCERT]

- (i) A circle is a plane figure.
- (ii) Line segment joining the centre to any point on the circle is a radius of the circle.
- (iii) If a circle is divided into three equal arcs each is a major arc.
- (iv) A circle has only finite number of equal chords.
- (v) A chord of a circle, which is twice as long as its radius is a diameter of the circle.
- (vi) Sector is the region between the chord and its corresponding arc.
- (vii) The degree measure of an arc is the complement of the central angle containing the arc.
- (viii) The degree measure of a semi-circle is 180° .

Solution:

- (i) True.
- (ii) True.
- (iii) True.

- (iv) False. As it has infinite number of equal chords.
- (v) True.
- (vi) False. It is a segment not sector.
- (vii) False. As total degree measure of a circle is 360° .
- (viii) True.

Question 1.

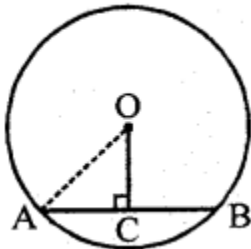
The radius of a circle is 8 cm and the length of one of its chords is 12 cm. Find the distance of the chord from the centre.

Solution:

Radius of circle with centre O is $OA = 8$ cm

Length of chord $AB = 12$ cm

$OC \perp AB$ which bisects AB at C



$$\therefore AC = CB = \frac{12}{2} = 6 \text{ cm}$$

In $\triangle OAC$,

$$OA^2 = OC^2 + AC^2 \text{ (Pythagoras Theorem)}$$

$$\Rightarrow (8)^2 = OC^2 + (6)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 64 = OC^2 + 36$$

$$OC^2 = 64 - 36 = 28$$

$$\therefore OC = \sqrt{28} = 2\sqrt{7} \text{ cm}$$

$$= 2 \times 2.6457 = 5.291 \text{ cm}$$

Question 2.

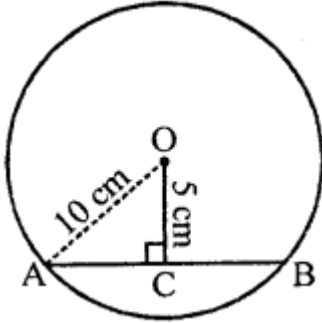
Find the length of a chord which is at a distance of 5 cm from the centre of a circle of radius 10 cm.

Solution:

Let AB be a chord of a circle with radius 10 cm. $OC \perp AB$

$$\therefore OA = 10 \text{ cm}$$

$$OC = 5 \text{ cm}$$



∴ OC divides AB into two equal parts

i.e. AC = CB

Now in right ΔOAC,

$OA^2 = OC^2 + AC^2$ (Pythagoras Theorem)

$$\Rightarrow (10)^2 = (5)^2 + AC^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 100 = 25 + AC^2$$

$$\Rightarrow AC^2 = 100 - 25 = 75$$

$$\therefore AC = \sqrt{75} = \sqrt{25 \times 3} = 5 \times 1.732$$

$$\therefore AB = 2 \times AC = 2 \times 5 \times 1.732 = 10 \times 1.732 = 17.32 \text{ cm}$$

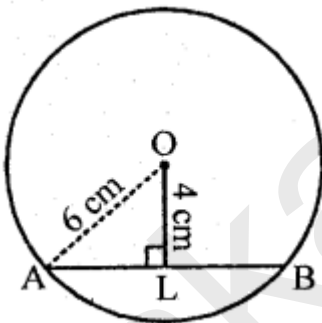
Question 3.

Find the length of a chord which is at a distance of 4 cm from the centre of the circle of radius 6 cm.

Solution:

In a circle with centre O and radius 6 cm and a chord AB at a distance of 4 cm from the centre of the circle

i.e. OA = 6 cm and $OL \perp AB$, $OL = 4$ cm



∴ Perpendicular OL bisects the chord AB at L

∴ $AL = LB = \frac{1}{2} AB$

Now in right ΔOAL,

$OA^2 = OL^2 + AL^2$ (Pythagoras Theorem)

$$(6)^2 = (4)^2 + AL^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 36 = 16 + AL^2$$

$$\Rightarrow AL^2 = 36 - 16 = 20$$

$$\therefore AL = \sqrt{20} = \sqrt{4 \times 5} = 2 \times 2.236 = 4.472 \text{ cm}$$

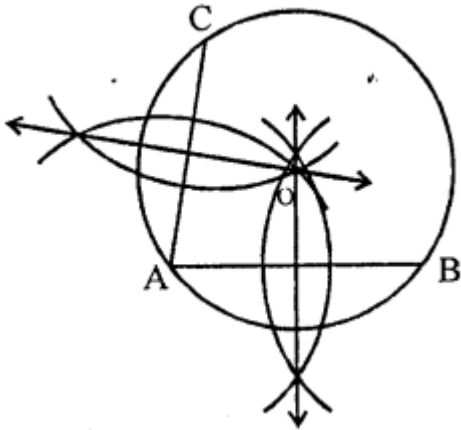
$$\therefore \text{Chord } AB = 4.472 \times 2 = 8.944 = 8.94 \text{ cm}$$

Question 4.

Give a method to find the centre of a given circle.

Solution:

Steps of construction :



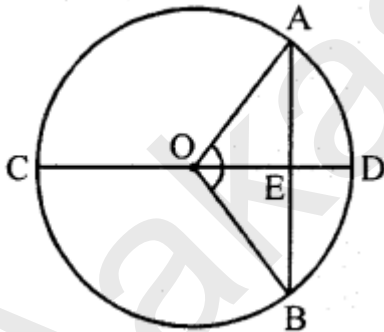
- (i) Take three distinct points on the circle say A, B and C.
- (ii) Join AB and AC.
- (iii) Draw the perpendicular bisectors of AB and AC which intersect each other at O. O is the required centre of the given circle

Question 5.

Prove that a diameter of a circle which bisects a chord of the circle also bisects the angle subtended by the chord at the centre of the circle.

Solution:

Given : In circle with centre O
CD is the diameter and AB is the chord
which is bisected by diameter at E
OA and OB are joined



To prove : $\angle AOE = \angle BOE$

Proof : In $\triangle OAE$ and $\triangle OBE$

$OA = OB$ (Radii of the circle)

$OE = OE$ (Common)

$AE = EB$ (Given)

$\therefore \triangle OAE = \triangle OBE$ (SSS criterion)

$\therefore \angle AOE = \angle BOE$ (c.p.c.t.)

Hence diameter bisect the angle subtended by the chord AB.

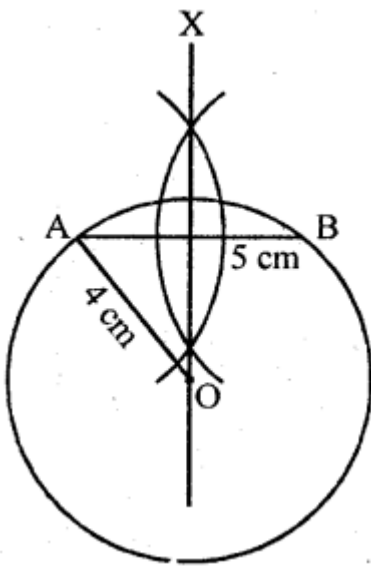
Question 6.

A line segment AB is of length 5 cm. Draw a circle of radius 4 cm passing through A and B. Can you draw a circle of radius 2 cm passing through A and B? Give reason in support of your answer.

Solution:

Steps of construction :

- (i) Draw a line segment $AB = 5$ cm.
 - (ii) Draw a perpendicular bisector of AB.
 - (iii) With centre A and radius 4 cm, draw an arc which intersects the perpendicular bisector at O.
 - (iv) With centre O and radius 4 cm, draw a circle which passes through A and B.
- With radius 2 cm, we cannot draw the circle passing through A and B as diameter i. e. $2 + 2 = 4$ cm is shorter than 5 cm.



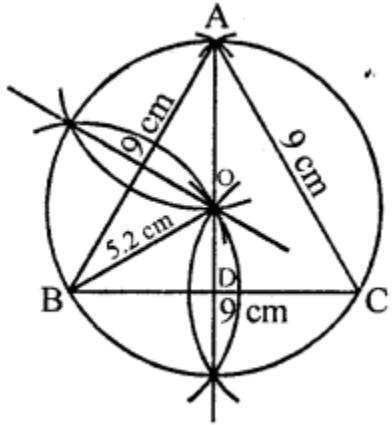
Question 7.

An equilateral triangle of side 9 cm is inscribed in a circle. Find the radius of the circle.

Solution:

Steps of construction :

- (i) Draw a line segment $BC = 9$ cm.
 - (ii) With centres B and C, draw arcs of 9 cm radius which intersect each other at A.
 - (iii) Join AB and AC.
- $\triangle ABC$ is the required triangle.
- (iv) Draw perpendicular bisectors of sides AB and BC which intersect each other at O.
 - (v) With centre O and radius OB, draw a circle which passes through A, B and C.
- This is the required circle in which $\triangle ABC$ is inscribed.



On measuring its radius, it is 5.2 cm

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Radius} &= \frac{2}{3} AD = \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \times \text{side} \\ &= \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \times 9 = 3\sqrt{3} \text{ cm} \\ &= 3 \times 1.732 = 5.196 = 5.2 \text{ cm} \end{aligned}$$

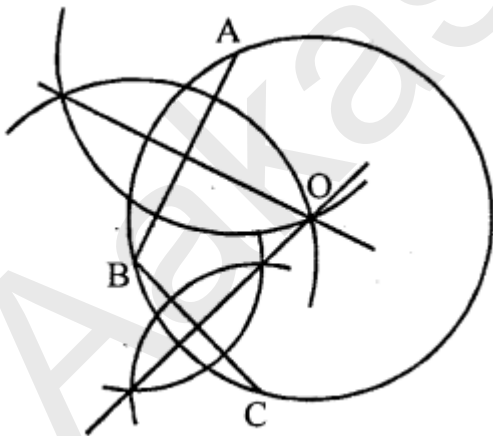
Question 8.

Given an arc of a circle, complete the circle.

Solution:

Steps of construction :

- (i) Take three points A, B and C on the arc and join AB and BC.
- (ii) Draw the perpendicular bisector of AB and BC which intersect each other at O.



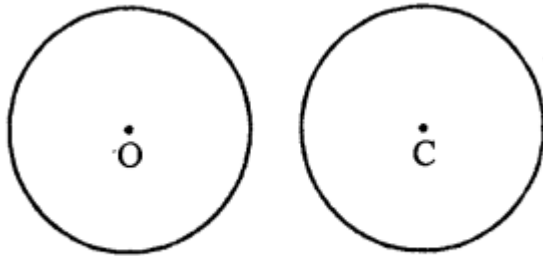
- (iii) With centre O and radius OA or OB, complete the circle.
This is the required circle.

Question 9.

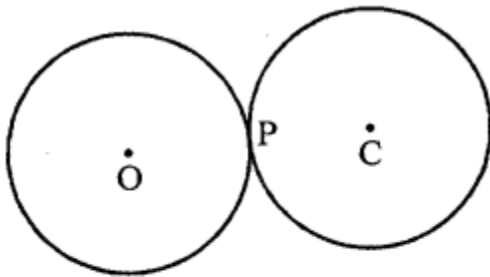
Draw different pairs of circles. How many points does each pair have in common? What is the maximum number of common points?

Solution:

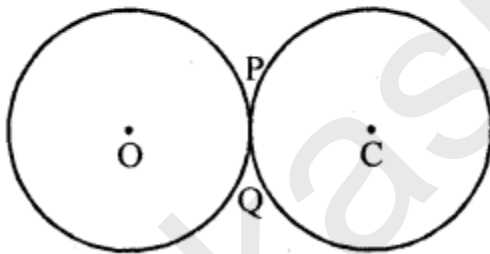
Below, three different pairs of circles are drawn:



(i)



(ii)



(iii)

(i) In the first pair, two circles do not intersect each other. Therefore they have no point in common.

(ii) In the second pair, two circles intersect (touch) each other at one point P. Therefore they have one point in common.

(iii) In the third pair, two circles intersect each other at two points. Therefore they have two points in common.

There is no other possibility of two circles intersecting each other.

Therefore, two circles have at the most two points in common.

Question 10.

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

Solution:

See Q. No. 4 of this exercise.

Question 11.

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

Solution:

A circle with centre O and two parallel chords

AB and CD are $AB = 6$ cm, $CD = 8$ cm

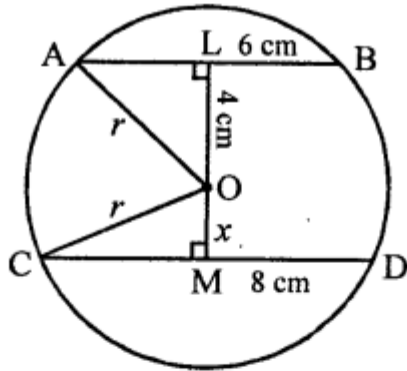
Let $OL \perp AB$ and $OM \perp CD$

$\therefore OL = 4$ cm

Let $OM = x$ cm

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Let r be the radius of the circle



Now in right $\triangle OAL$

$$OA^2 = OL^2 + AL^2 = 4^2 + \left(\frac{6}{2}\right)^2$$

$$r^2 = 16 + 9 = 25 \quad \dots(i)$$

and in right $\triangle OMC$,

$$OC^2 = OM^2 + CM^2$$

$$r^2 = x^2 + \left(\frac{8}{2}\right)^2$$

$$= x^2 + (4)^2 = x^2 + 16 \quad \dots(ii)$$

From (i) and (ii),

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

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = (3)^2$$

$$\therefore x = 3 \text{ cm}$$

$$\therefore \text{Distance} = 3 \text{ cm}$$

Question 12.

Two chords AB, CD of lengths 5 cm and 11 cm respectively of a circle are parallel. If the distance between AB and CD is 3 cm, find the radius of the circle.

Solution:

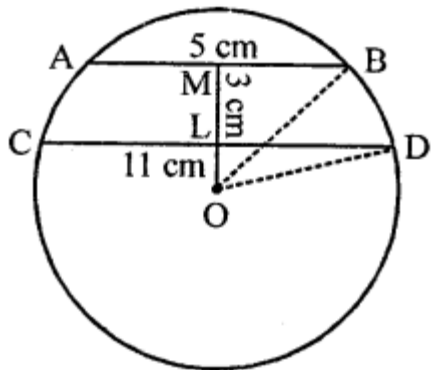
Let two chords AB and CD of length 5 cm and 11 cm are parallel to each other $AB = 5$ cm, $CD = 11$ cm

Distance between AB and LM = 3 cm

Join OB and OD

OL and OM are the perpendicular on CD and AB respectively. Which bisects AB and CD.

Let $OL = x$, then $OM = (x + 3)$



Now in right $\triangle OLD$,

$$OD^2 = OL^2 + LD^2$$

$$= x^2 + (5.5)^2$$

Similarly in right $\triangle OMB$,

$$OB^2 = OM^2 + MB^2 = (x + 3)^2 + (2.5)^2$$

But $OD = OB$ (Radii of the circle)

$$\therefore (x + 3)^2 + (2.5)^2 = x^2 + (5.5)^2$$

$$x^2 + 6x + 9 + 6.25 = x^2 + 30.25$$

$$6x = 30.25 - 6.25 - 9 = 15$$

$$x = \frac{15}{6} = \frac{5}{2}$$

$$\text{Now, } OD^2 = x^2 + 30.25$$

$$= (2.5)^2 + 30.25 = 6.25 + 30.25 = 36.50$$

$$OD = \sqrt{36.50} = \sqrt{\frac{3650}{100}} = \sqrt{\frac{146}{4}}$$

$$\therefore \text{Radius} = \frac{\sqrt{146}}{2} \text{ cm}$$

Question 13.

Prove that the line joining the mid-point of a chord to the centre of the circle passes through the mid-point of the corresponding minor arc.

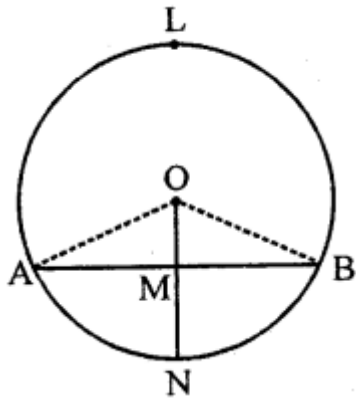
Solution:

Given : A circle with centre O and a chord AB

Let M be the mid point of AB and OM is joined and produced to meet the minor arc AB at N

To prove : M is the mid point of arc AB

Construction : Join OA, OB



Proof: \because M is mid point of AB

\therefore $OM \perp AB$

In $\triangle OAM$ and $\triangle OBM$,

$OA = OB$ (Radii of the circle)

$OM = OM$ (common)

$AM = BM$ (M is mid point of AB)

$\therefore \triangle OAM = \triangle OBM$ (SSS criterion)

$\therefore \angle AOM = \angle BOM$ (c.p.c.t.)

$\Rightarrow \angle AOM = \angle BOM$

But these are centre angles at the centre made by arcs AN and BN

\therefore Arc AN = Arc BN

Hence N divides the arc in two equal parts

Question 14.

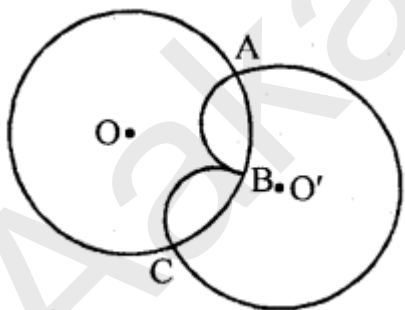
Prove that two different circles cannot intersect each other at more than two points.

Solution:

Given : Two circles

To prove : They cannot intersect each other more than two points

Construction : Let two circles intersect each other at three points A, B and C



Proof : Since two circles with centres O and O' intersect at A, B and C

\therefore A, B and C are non-collinear points

\therefore Circle with centre O passes through three points A, B and C

and circle with centre O' also passes through three points A, B and C

But one and only one circle can be drawn through three points

\therefore Our supposition is wrong

\therefore Two circles cannot intersect each other at more than two points.

Question 15.

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

Solution:

Let r be the radius of the circle with centre O .

Two parallel chords $AB = 5$ cm, $CD = 11$ cm

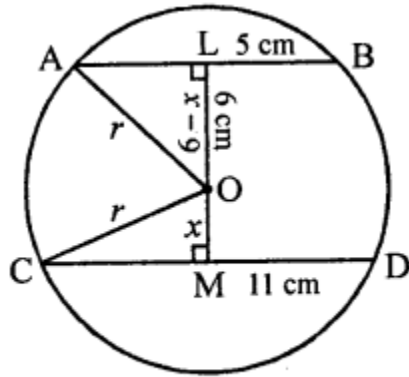
Let $OL \perp AB$ and $OM \perp CD$

$\therefore LM = 6$ cm

Let $OM = x$, then

$OL = 6 - x$

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Now in right $\triangle OAL$,
 $OA^2 = OL^2 + AL^2$

$$r^2 = (6 - x)^2 + \left(\frac{5}{2}\right)^2 \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \because OL \perp AB \\ \therefore L \text{ is mid point} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$= 36 - 12x + x^2 + \frac{25}{4} \quad \dots(i)$$

Similarly in right $\triangle OCM$,

$$r^2 = x^2 + \left(\frac{11}{2}\right)^2 = x^2 + \frac{121}{4} \quad \dots(ii)$$

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From (i) and (ii),

$$x^2 + \frac{121}{4} = 36 - 12x + x^2 + \frac{25}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{121}{4} - \frac{25}{4} - 36 = -12x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{96}{4} - \frac{36}{1} = -12x$$

$$\Rightarrow 12x = 36 - 24 = 12$$

$$x = \frac{12}{12} = 1$$

$$\therefore r^2 = CM^2 + OM^2$$

$$= \left(\frac{11}{2}\right)^2 + (1)^2$$

$$= \frac{121}{4} + 1 = \frac{125}{4} \text{ cm}$$

$$\therefore r = \sqrt{\frac{125}{4}} = \frac{\sqrt{125}}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{25 \times 5}}{2} \text{ cm}$$

$$= \frac{5}{2} \sqrt{5} \text{ cm}$$

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Question 1.

Three girls Ishita, Isha and Nisha are playing a game by standing on a circle of radius 20 m drawn in a park. Ishita throws a ball to Isha, Isha to Nisha and Nisha to Ishita. If the distance between Ishita and Isha and between Isha and Nisha is 24 m each, what is the distance between Ishita and Nisha. [NCERT]

Solution:

\therefore Distance between Isha and Ishita and Ishita and Nisha is same

\therefore RS = SM = 24 m

\therefore They are equidistant from the centre

In right $\triangle ORL$,
 $OL^2 = OR^2 - RL^2$

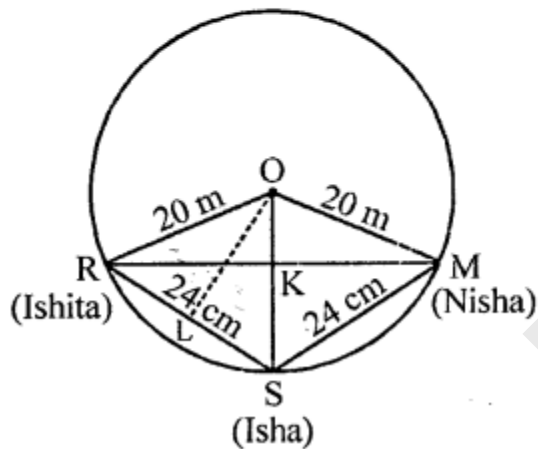
$$= 20^2 - \left(\frac{24}{2}\right)^2$$

$$= 400 - 144 = 256 = 16^2$$

$$\therefore OL = 16 \text{ cm}$$

Let $OL \perp RS$

OS bisects RM



Let $RK = x$

Now, $ar\triangle ORS = \frac{1}{2} \text{ base} \times \text{altitude}$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 24 \times 16 \text{ m}^2 = 192 \text{ m}^2$$

and $ar\triangle ORS = \frac{1}{2} \times OS \times RK$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 20 \times x = 10x$$

$$\therefore 10x = 192 \Rightarrow x = \frac{192}{10} = 19.2 \text{ m}$$

Now $RM = 2 \times RK = 2x$

$$= 2 \times 19.2 \text{ m} = 38.4 \text{ m}$$

Hence distance between Ishita and Nisha = 38.4 m

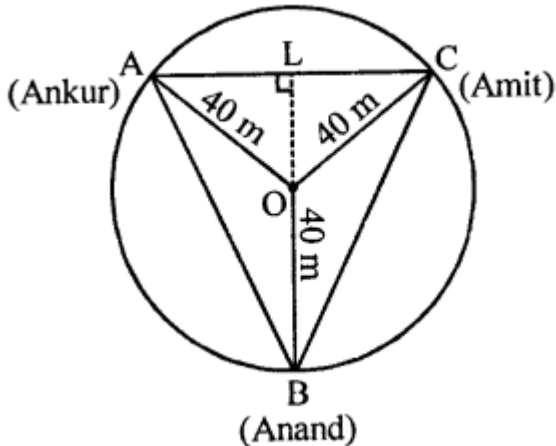
Question 2.

A circular park of radius 40 m is situated in a colony. Three boys Ankur, Amit and Anand are sitting at equal distance on its boundary each having a toy telephone in his hands to talk to each other. Find the length of the string of each phone. [NCERT]

Solution:

Radius of circular park = 40 m

Ankur, Amit and Anand are sitting at equal distance to each other. By joining them, an equilateral triangle ABC is formed. Produce BO to L which is perpendicular bisector of AC.



$\therefore BL = 40 + 20 = 60$ m (\because O is centroid of $\triangle ABC$ also)

Let a be the side of $\triangle ABC$

$$\therefore \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} a = 60 \Rightarrow a = \frac{60 \times 2}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{120 \times \sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3} \times \sqrt{3}}$$

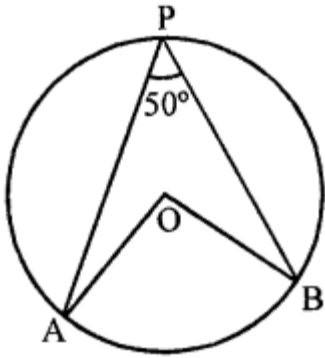
$$a = \frac{120 \times \sqrt{3}}{3} = 40\sqrt{3} \text{ m}$$

Hence the distance between each other = $40\sqrt{3}$ m

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Question 1.

In the figure, O is the centre of the circle. If $\angle APB = 50^\circ$, find $\angle AOB$ and $\angle OAB$.

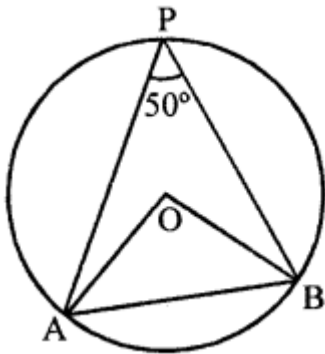


Solution:

Arc AB, subtends $\angle AOB$ at the centre and $\angle APB$ at the remaining part of the circle

$$\therefore \angle AOB = 2\angle APB = 2 \times 50^\circ = 100^\circ$$

Join AB



$\triangle AOB$ is an isosceles triangle in which

$$OA = OB$$

$$\therefore \angle OAB = \angle OBA \text{ But } \angle AOB = 100^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle OAB + \angle OBA = 180^\circ - 100^\circ = 80^\circ$$

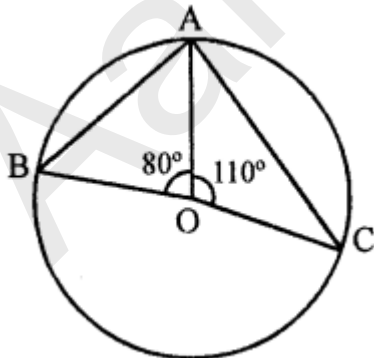
$$\Rightarrow 2\angle OAB = 80^\circ$$

$$80^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle OAB = 80 \div 2 = 40^\circ$$

Question 2.

In the figure, O is the centre of the circle. Find $\angle BAC$.



Solution:

In the circle with centre O

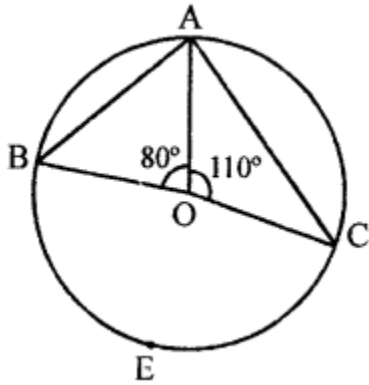
$$\angle AOB = 80^\circ \text{ and } \angle AOC = 110^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle BOC = \angle AOB + \angle AOC$$

$$= 80^\circ + 110^\circ = 190^\circ$$

$$\therefore \text{Reflex } \angle BOC = 360^\circ - 190^\circ = 170^\circ$$

Now arc BEC subtends $\angle BOC$ at the centre and $\angle BAC$ at the remaining part of the circle.



$$\therefore \angle BOC = 2\angle BAC$$

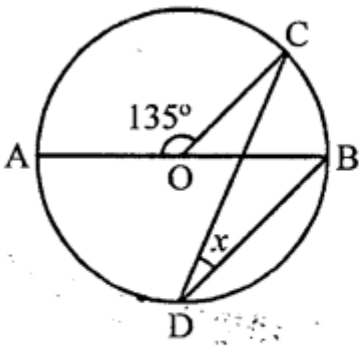
$$\Rightarrow 170^\circ = 2\angle BAC$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BAC = 170 \div 2 = 85^\circ$$

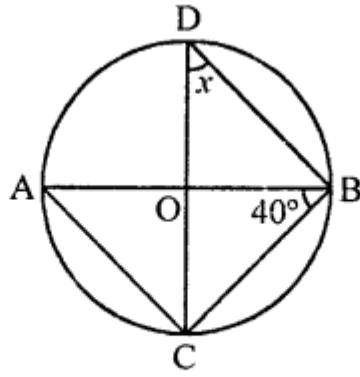
$$\therefore \angle BAC = 85^\circ$$

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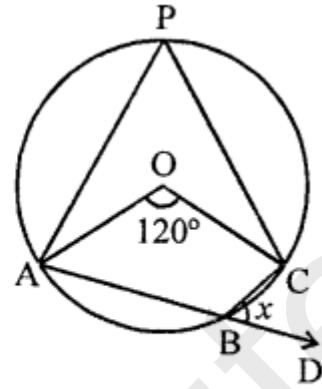
If O is the centre of the circle, find the value of x in each of the following figures:



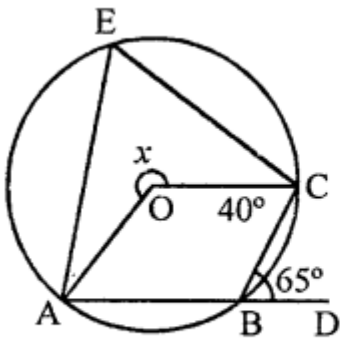
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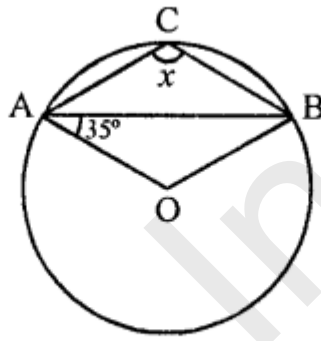
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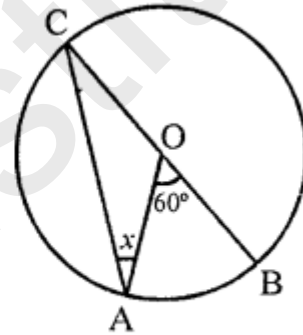
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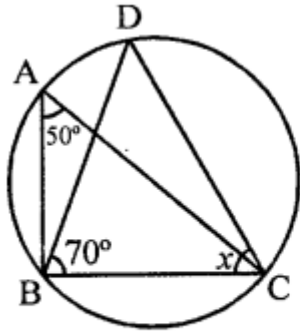
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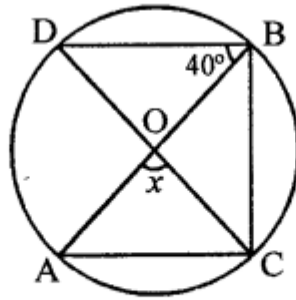
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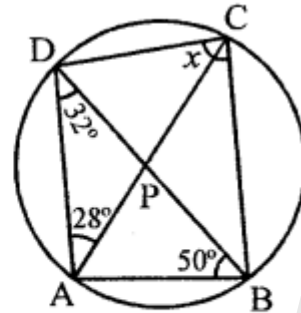
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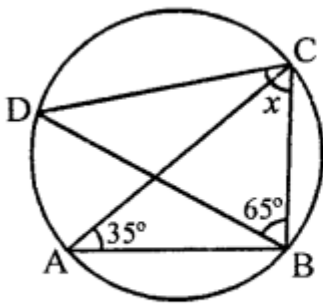
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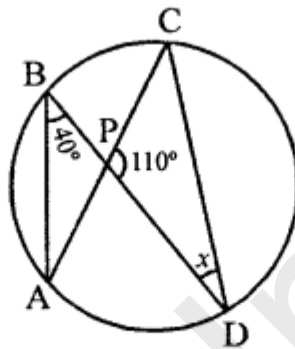
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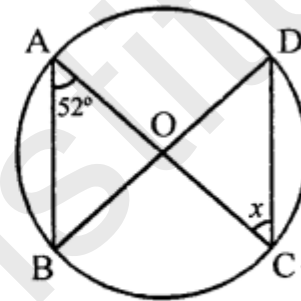
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(x)



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(xii)

Solution:

(i) A circle with centre O

$$\angle AOC = 135^\circ$$

But $\angle AOC + \angle COB = 180^\circ$ (Linear pair)

$$\Rightarrow 135^\circ + \angle COB = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle COB = 180^\circ - 135^\circ = 45^\circ$$

Now arc BC subtends $\angle BOC$ at the centre and $\angle BPC$ at the remaining part of the circle

$$\therefore \angle BOC = 2\angle BPC$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BPC = \frac{1}{2}\angle BOC = \frac{1}{2} \times 45^\circ = 22.5^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle BPC = 22.5^\circ \text{ or } x = 22.5^\circ$$

(ii) \because CD and AB are the diameters of the circle with centre O

$$\angle ABC = 40^\circ$$

But in $\triangle OBC$,

$$OB = OC \text{ (Radii of the circle)}$$

$$\angle OCB = \angle OBC = 40^\circ$$

Now in $\triangle OBC$,

$$\angle ODB + \angle OCB + \angle CBD = 180^\circ \text{ (Angles of a triangle)}$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 40^\circ + 90^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 130^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 180^\circ - 130^\circ = 50^\circ$$

$$\therefore x = 50^\circ$$

(iii) In circle with centre O,

$\angle AOC = 120^\circ$, AB is produced to D

$$\therefore \angle AOC = 120^\circ$$

and $\angle AOC + \text{convex } \angle AOC = 360^\circ$

$$\Rightarrow 120^\circ + \text{convex } \angle AOC = 360^\circ$$

$$\therefore \text{Convex } \angle AOC = 360^\circ - 120^\circ = 240^\circ$$

\therefore Arc APC Subtends $\angle AOC$ at the centre and $\angle ABC$ at the remaining part of the circle

$$\therefore \angle ABC = \frac{1}{2} \angle AOC = \frac{1}{2} \times 240^\circ = 120^\circ$$

But $\angle ABC + \angle CBD = 180^\circ$ (Linear pair)

$$\Rightarrow 120^\circ + x = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 180^\circ - 120^\circ = 60^\circ$$

$$\therefore x = 60^\circ$$

(iv) A circle with centre O and $\angle CBD = 65^\circ$

But $\angle ABC + \angle CBD = 180^\circ$ (Linear pair)

$$\Rightarrow \angle ABC + 65^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ABC = 180^\circ - 65^\circ = 115^\circ$$

Now arc AEC subtends $\angle x$ at the centre and $\angle ABC$ at the remaining part of the circle

$$\therefore \angle AOC = 2 \angle ABC$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2 \times 115^\circ = 230^\circ$$

$$\therefore x = 230^\circ$$

(v) In circle with centre O

AB is chord of the circle, $\angle OAB = 35^\circ$

In $\triangle OAB$,

OA = OB (Radii of the circle)

$$\angle OBA = \angle OAB = 35^\circ$$

But in $\triangle OAB$,

$\angle OAB + \angle OBA + \angle AOB = 180^\circ$ (Angles of a triangle)

$$\Rightarrow 35^\circ + 35^\circ + \angle AOB = 180^\circ$$

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

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

$$\therefore \text{Convex } \angle AOB = 360^\circ - 110^\circ = 250^\circ$$

But arc AB subtends $\angle AOB$ at the centre and $\angle ACB$ at the remaining part of the circle.

$$\therefore \angle ACB = \frac{1}{2} \angle AOB$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{2} \times 250^\circ = 125^\circ$$

$$\therefore x = 125^\circ$$

(vi) In the circle with centre O,

BOC is its diameter, $\angle AOB = 60^\circ$

Arc AB subtends $\angle AOB$ at the centre of the circle and $\angle ACB$ at the remaining part of the circle

$$\therefore \angle ACB = \frac{1}{2} \angle AOB$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 60^\circ = 30^\circ$$

But in $\triangle OAC$,

OC = OA (Radii of the circle)

$$\therefore \angle OAC = \angle OCA = \angle ACB$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 30^\circ$$

(vii) In the circle, $\angle BAC$ and $\angle BDC$ are in the same segment

$$\therefore \angle BDC = \angle BAC = 50^\circ$$

Now in $\triangle ABC$,

$$\angle DBC + \angle BCD + \angle BDC = 180^\circ \text{ (Angles of a triangle)}$$

$$\Rightarrow 70^\circ + x + 50^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 120^\circ = 180^\circ \Rightarrow x = 180^\circ - 120^\circ = 60^\circ$$

$$\therefore x = 60^\circ$$

(viii) In circle with centre O,

$$\angle OBD = 40^\circ$$

AB and CD are diameters of the circle

$\angle DBA$ and $\angle ACD$ are in the same segment

$$\therefore \angle ACD = \angle DBA = 40^\circ$$

In $\triangle OAC$, $OA = OC$ (Radii of the circle)

$$\therefore \angle OAC = \angle OCA = 40^\circ$$

and $\angle OAC + \angle OCA + \angle AOC = 180^\circ$ (Angles in a triangle)

$$\Rightarrow 40^\circ + 40^\circ + x = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 80^\circ = 180^\circ \Rightarrow x = 180^\circ - 80^\circ = 100^\circ$$

$$\therefore x = 100^\circ$$

(ix) In the circle, ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral $\angle ADB = 32^\circ$, $\angle DAC = 28^\circ$ and $\angle ABD = 50^\circ$

$\angle ABD$ and $\angle ACD$ are in the same segment of a circle

$$\therefore \angle ABD = \angle ACD \Rightarrow \angle ACD = 50^\circ$$

Similarly, $\angle ADB = \angle ACB$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ACB = 32^\circ$$

Now, $\angle DCB = \angle ACD + \angle ACB$

$$= 50^\circ + 32^\circ = 82^\circ$$

$$\therefore x = 82^\circ$$

(x) In a circle,

$$\angle BAC = 35^\circ, \angle CBD = 65^\circ$$

$\angle BAC$ and $\angle BDC$ are in the same segment

$$\therefore \angle BAC = \angle BDC = 35^\circ$$

In $\triangle BCD$,

$$\angle BDC + \angle BCD + \angle CBD = 180^\circ \text{ (Angles in a triangle)}$$

$$\Rightarrow 35^\circ + x + 65^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 100^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 180^\circ - 100^\circ = 80^\circ$$

$$\therefore x = 80^\circ$$

(xi) In the circle,

$\angle ABD$ and $\angle ACD$ are in the same segment of a circle

$$\therefore \angle ABD = \angle ACD = 40^\circ$$

Now in $\triangle CPD$,

$$\angle CPD + \angle PCD + \angle PDC = 180^\circ \text{ (Angles of a triangle)}$$

$$110^\circ + 40^\circ + x = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 150^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\therefore x = 180^\circ - 150^\circ = 30^\circ$$

(xii) In the circle, two diameters AC and BD intersect each other at O

$$\angle BAC = 50^\circ$$

In $\triangle OAB$,
 $OA = OB$ (Radii of the circle)
 $\therefore \angle OBA = \angle OAB = 52^\circ$
 $\Rightarrow \angle ABD = 52^\circ$

But $\angle ABD$ and $\angle ACD$ are in the same segment of the circle
 $\therefore \angle ABD = \angle ACD \Rightarrow 52^\circ = x$
 $\therefore x = 52^\circ$

Question 4.

O is the circumcentre of the triangle ABC and OD is perpendicular on BC. Prove that $\angle BOD = \angle A$.

Solution:

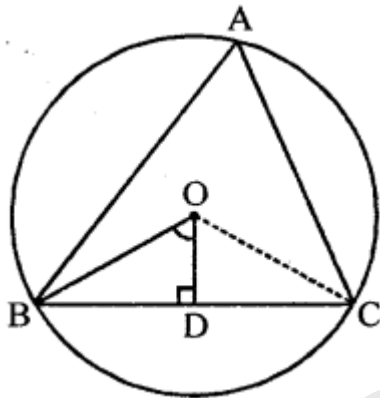
Given : O is the circumcentre of $\triangle ABC$.

$OD \perp BC$

OB is joined

To prove : $\angle BOD = \angle A$

Construction : Join OC.



Proof : Arc BC subtends $\angle BOC$ at the centre and $\angle BAC$ at the remaining part of the circle

$\therefore \angle BOC = 2\angle A \dots(i)$

In right $\triangle OBD$ and $\triangle OCD$ Side $OD = OD$ (Common)

Hyp. $OB = OC$ (Radii of the circle)

$\therefore \triangle OBD \cong \triangle OCD$ (RHS criterion)

$\therefore \angle BOD = \angle COD = \frac{1}{2} \angle BOC$

$\Rightarrow \angle BOC = 2\angle BOD \dots(ii)$

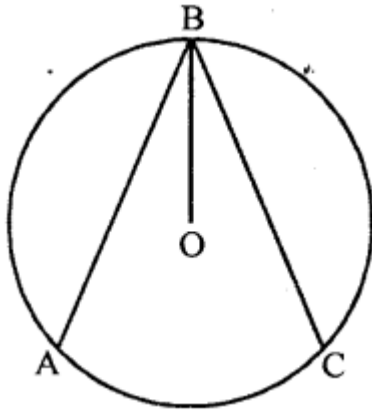
From (i) and (ii)

$2\angle BOD = 2\angle A$

$\therefore \angle BOD = \angle A$

Question 5.

In the figure, O is the centre of the circle, BO is the bisector of $\angle ABC$. Show that $AB = BC$.

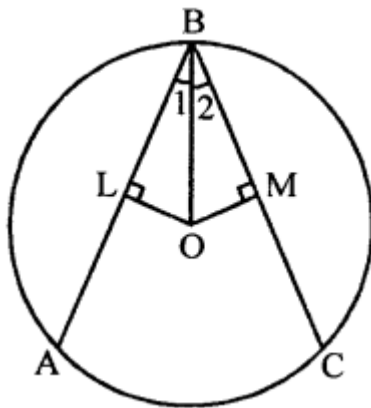


Solution:

Given : In the figure, a circle with centre O OB is the bisector of $\angle ABC$

To prove : $AB = BC$

Construction : Draw $OL \perp AB$ and $OM \perp BC$



Proof: In $\triangle OLB$ and $\triangle OMB$,

$\angle 1 = \angle 2$ (Given)

$\angle L = \angle M$ (Each = 90°)

$OB = OB$ (Common)

$\therefore \triangle OLB \cong \triangle OMB$ (AAS criterion)

$\therefore OL = OM$ (c.p.c.t.)

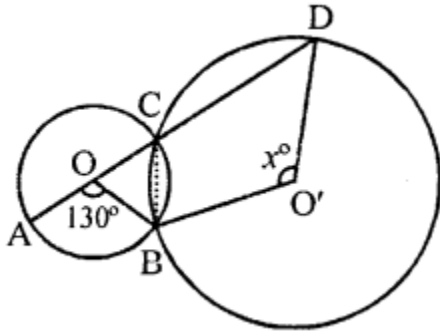
But these are distance from the centre and chords equidistant from the centre are equal

\therefore Chord $BA = BC$

Hence $AB = BC$

Question 6.

In the figure, O and O' are centres of two circles intersecting at B and C. ACD is a straight line, find x.

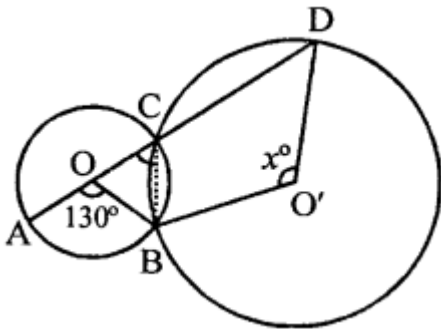


Solution:

In the figure, two circles with centres O and O' intersect each other at B and C.

ACD is a line, $\angle AOB = 130^\circ$

Arc AB subtends $\angle AOB$ at the centre O and $\angle ACB$ at the remaining part of the circle.



$$\therefore \angle ACB = \frac{1}{2} \angle AOB$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 130^\circ = 65^\circ$$

But $\angle ACB + \angle BCD = 180^\circ$ (Linear pair)

$$\Rightarrow 65^\circ + \angle BCD = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BCD = 180^\circ - 65^\circ = 115^\circ$$

Now, arc BD subtends reflex $\angle BO'D$ at the centre and $\angle BCD$ at the remaining part of the circle

$$\therefore \angle BO'D = 2\angle BCD = 2 \times 115^\circ = 230^\circ$$

But $\angle BO'D + \text{reflex } \angle BO'D = 360^\circ$ (Angles at a point)

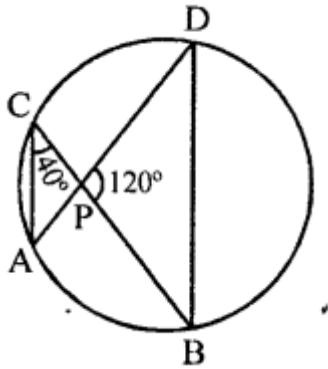
$$\Rightarrow x + 230^\circ = 360^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 360^\circ - 230^\circ = 130^\circ$$

Hence $x = 130^\circ$

Question 7.

In the figure, if $\angle ACB = 40^\circ$, $\angle DPB = 120^\circ$, find $\angle CBD$.



Solution:

Arc AB subtend $\angle ACB$ and $\angle ADB$ in the same segment of a circle

$$\therefore \angle ACB = \angle ADB = 40^\circ$$

In $\triangle PDB$,

$$\angle DPB + \angle PBD + \angle ADB = 180^\circ \text{ (Sum of angles of a triangle)}$$

$$\Rightarrow 120^\circ + \angle PBD + 40^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 160^\circ + \angle PBD = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle PBD = 180^\circ - 160^\circ = 20^\circ$$

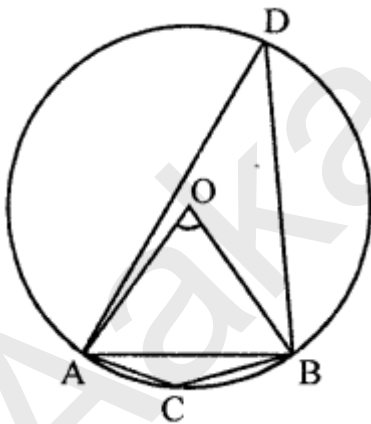
$$\Rightarrow \angle CBD = 20^\circ$$

Question 8.

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.

Solution:

A circle with centre O, a chord $AB =$ radius of the circle C and D are points on the minor and major arcs of the circle



$\therefore \angle ACB$ and $\angle ADB$ are formed Now in $\triangle AOB$,

$OA = OB = AB$ ($\because AB =$ radii of the circle)

$\therefore \triangle AOB$ is an equilateral triangle,

$$\therefore \angle AOB = 60^\circ$$

Now arc AB subtends $\angle AOB$ at the centre and $\angle ADB$ at the remainder part of the circle.

$$\therefore \angle ADB = \frac{1}{2} \angle AOB = \frac{1}{2} \times 60^\circ = 30^\circ$$

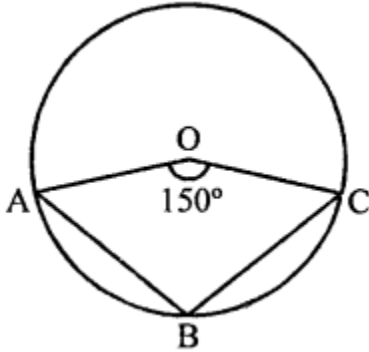
Now ACBD is a cyclic quadrilateral,

$\therefore \angle ADB + \angle ACB = 180^\circ$ (Sum of opposite angles of cyclic quad.)
 $\Rightarrow 30^\circ + \angle ACB = 180^\circ$
 $\Rightarrow \angle ACB = 180^\circ - 30^\circ = 150^\circ$
 $\therefore \angle ACB = 150^\circ$

Hence angles are 150° and 30°

Question 9.

In the figure, it is given that O is the centre of the circle and $\angle AOC = 150^\circ$. Find $\angle ABC$.



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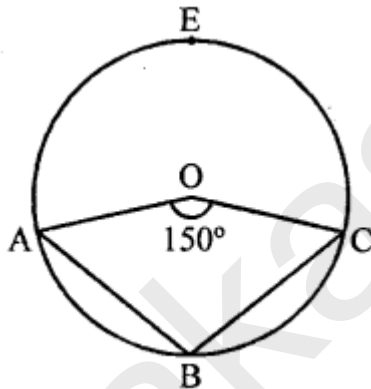
In circle with centre O and $\angle AOC = 150^\circ$

But $\angle AOC + \text{reflex } \angle AOC = 360^\circ$

$\therefore 150^\circ + \text{reflex } \angle AOC = 360^\circ$

$\Rightarrow \text{Reflex } \angle AOC = 360^\circ - 150^\circ = 210^\circ$

Now arc AEC subtends $\angle AOC$ at the centre and $\angle ABC$ at the remaining part of the circle.



$\text{Reflex } \angle AOC = 2\angle ABC$

$\Rightarrow 210^\circ = 2\angle ABC$

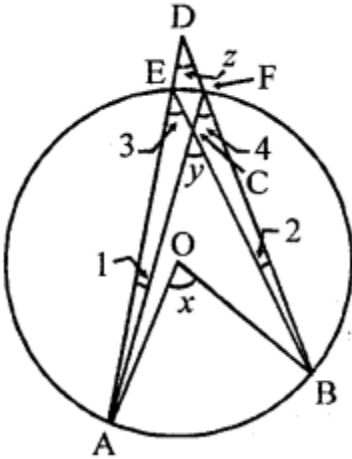
$\therefore \angle ABC = \frac{210^\circ}{2} = 105^\circ$

Question 10.

In the figure, O is the centre of the circle, prove that $\angle x = \angle y + \angle z$.

Solution:

Given : In circle, O is centre



To prove : $\angle x = \angle y + \angle z$

Proof : $\because \angle 3$ and $\angle 4$ are in the same segment of the circle

$\therefore \angle 3 = \angle 4 \dots(i)$

\because Arc AB subtends $\angle AOB$ at the centre and $\angle 3$ at the remaining part of the circle

$\therefore \angle x = 2\angle 3 = \angle 3 + \angle 3 = \angle 3 + \angle 4 (\because \angle 3 = \angle 4) \dots(ii)$

In $\triangle ACE$,

Ext. $\angle y = \angle 3 + \angle 1$

(Ext. is equal to sum of its interior opposite angles)

$\Rightarrow \angle 3 = \angle y - \angle 1 \dots(ii)$

From (i) and (ii),

$\angle x = \angle y - \angle 1 + \angle 4 \dots(iii)$

Similarly in $\triangle ADF$,

Ext. $\angle 4 = \angle 1 + \angle z \dots(iv)$

From (iii) and (iv)

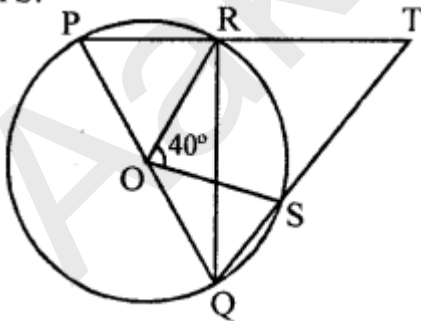
$\angle x = \angle y - \angle 1 + (\angle 1 + \angle z)$

$= \angle y - \angle 1 + \angle 1 + \angle z = \angle y + \angle z$

Hence $\angle x = \angle y + \angle z$

Question 11.

In the figure, O is the centre of a circle and PQ is a diameter. If $\angle ROS = 40^\circ$, find $\angle RTS$.



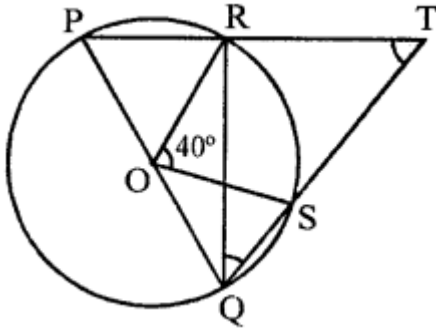
Solution:

In the figure, O is the centre of the circle,

PQ is the diameter and $\angle ROS = 40^\circ$

Now we have to find $\angle RTS$

Arc RS subtends $\angle ROS$ at the centre and $\angle RQS$ at the remaining part of the circle

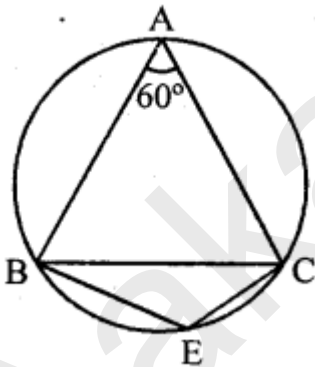


$\therefore \angle RQS = \frac{1}{2} \angle ROS$
 $= \frac{1}{2} \times 40^\circ = 20^\circ$
 $\therefore \angle PRQ = 90^\circ$ (Angle in a semi circle)
 $\therefore \angle QRT = 180^\circ - 90^\circ = 90^\circ$ (\because PRT is a straight line)
 Now in $\triangle RQT$,
 $\angle RQT + \angle QRT + \angle RTQ = 180^\circ$ (Angles of a triangle)
 $\Rightarrow 20^\circ + 90^\circ + \angle RTQ = 180^\circ$
 $\Rightarrow \angle RTQ = 180^\circ - 20^\circ - 90^\circ = 70^\circ$ or $\angle RTS = 70^\circ$
 Hence $\angle RTS = 70^\circ$

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Question 1.

In the figure, $\triangle ABC$ is an equilateral triangle. Find $m \angle BEC$.

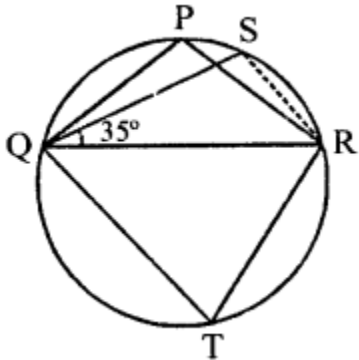


Solution:

$\because \triangle ABC$ is an equilateral triangle
 $\therefore \angle A = 60^\circ$
 $\because ABEC$ is a cyclic quadrilateral
 $\therefore \angle A + \angle E = 180^\circ$ (Sum of opposite angles)
 $\Rightarrow 60^\circ + \angle E = 180^\circ$
 $\Rightarrow \angle E = 180^\circ - 60^\circ = 120^\circ$
 $\therefore m \angle BEC = 120^\circ$

Question 2.

In the figure, ΔPQR is an isosceles triangle with $PQ = PR$ and $m \angle PQR = 35^\circ$. Find $m \angle QSR$ and $m \angle QTR$.



Solution:

In the figure, ΔPQR is an isosceles $PQ = PR$

$$\angle PQR = 35^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle PRQ = 35^\circ$$

But $\angle PQR + \angle PRQ + \angle QPR = 180^\circ$ (Sum of angles of a triangle)

$$\Rightarrow 35^\circ + 35^\circ + \angle QPR = 180^\circ$$

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

$$\therefore \angle QPR = 180^\circ - 70^\circ = 110^\circ$$

$\therefore \angle QSR = \angle QPR$ (Angle in the same segment of circles)

$$\therefore \angle QSR = 110^\circ$$

But $PQTR$ is a cyclic quadrilateral

$$\therefore \angle QTR + \angle QPR = 180^\circ$$

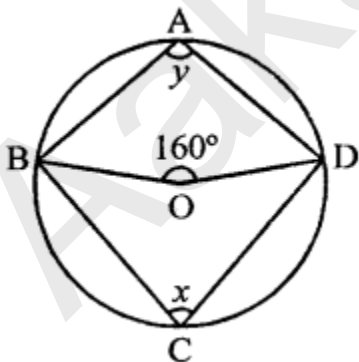
$$\Rightarrow \angle QTR + 110^\circ = 180^\circ$$

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

Hence $\angle QTR = 70^\circ$

Question 3.

In the figure, O is the centre of the circle. If $\angle BOD = 160^\circ$, find the values of x and y .



Solution:

In the figure, O is the centre of the circle $\angle BOD = 160^\circ$

$ABCD$ is the cyclic quadrilateral

∴ Arc BAD subtends $\angle BOD$ is the angle at the centre and $\angle BCD$ is on the other part of the circle

$$\therefore \angle BCD = \frac{1}{2} \angle BOD$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{2} \times 160^\circ = 80^\circ$$

∴ ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral,

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

$$\Rightarrow y + x = 180^\circ$$

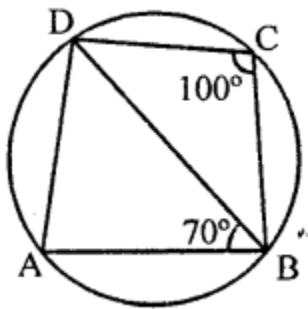
$$\Rightarrow y + 80^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 180^\circ - 80^\circ = 100^\circ$$

$$\therefore x = 80^\circ, y = 100^\circ$$

Question 4.

In the figure, ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral. If $\angle BCD = 100^\circ$ and $\angle ABD = 70^\circ$, find $\angle ADB$.

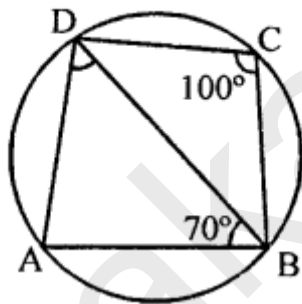


Solution:

In a circle, ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral $\angle BCD = 100^\circ$ and $\angle ABD = 70^\circ$

∴ ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral,

∴ $\angle A + \angle C = 180^\circ$ (Sum of opposite angles)



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

$$\angle A = 180^\circ - 100^\circ = 80^\circ$$

Now in $\triangle ABD$,

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

$$\Rightarrow 80^\circ + 70^\circ + \angle ADB = 180^\circ$$

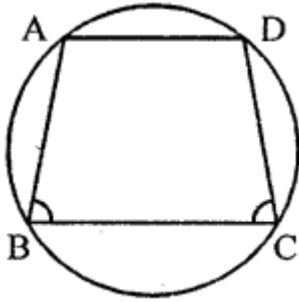
$$\Rightarrow 150^\circ + \angle ADB = 180^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle ADB = 180^\circ - 150^\circ = 30^\circ$$

Hence $\angle ADB = 30^\circ$

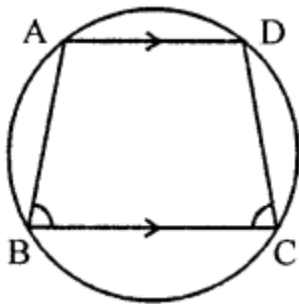
Question 5.

If ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral in which $AD \parallel BC$. Prove that $\angle B = \angle C$.



Solution:

Given : ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral in which $AD \parallel BC$



To prove : $\angle B = \angle C$

Proof : $\because AD \parallel BC$

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

(Sum of cointerior angles)

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

(Opposite angles of the cyclic quadrilateral)

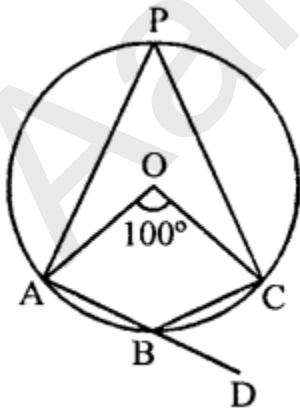
$\therefore \angle A + \angle B = \angle A + \angle C$

$\Rightarrow \angle B = \angle C$

Hence $\angle B = \angle C$

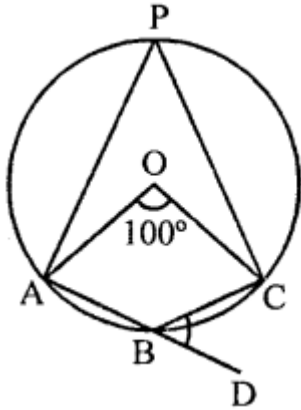
Question 6.

In the figure, O is the centre of the circle. Find $\angle CBD$.



Solution:

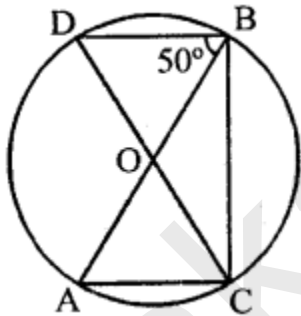
Arc AC subtends $\angle AOC$ at the centre and $\angle APC$ at the remaining part of the circle



$\therefore \angle APC = \frac{1}{2} \angle AOC$
 $= \frac{1}{2} \times 100^\circ = 50^\circ$
 \therefore APCB is a cyclic quadrilateral,
 $\therefore \angle APC + \angle ABC = 180^\circ$
 $\Rightarrow 50^\circ + \angle ABC = 180^\circ \Rightarrow \angle ABC = 180^\circ - 50^\circ$
 $\therefore \angle ABC = 130^\circ$
 But $\angle ABC + \angle CBD = 180^\circ$ (Linear pair)
 $\Rightarrow 130^\circ + \angle CBD = 180^\circ$
 $\Rightarrow \angle CBD = 180^\circ - 130^\circ = 50^\circ$
 $\therefore \angle CBD = 50^\circ$

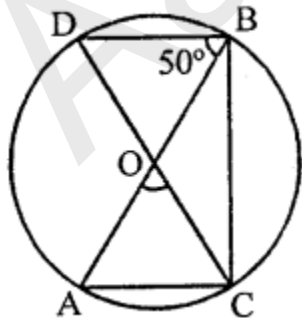
Question 7.

In the figure, AB and CD are diameters of a circle with centre O. If $\angle OBD = 50^\circ$, find $\angle AOC$.



Solution:

Two diameters AB and CD intersect each other at O. AC, CB and BD are joined



$$\angle DBA = 50^\circ$$

$\angle DBA$ and $\angle DCA$ are in the same segment

$$\therefore \angle DBA = \angle DCA = 50^\circ$$

In $\triangle OAC$, $OA = OC$ (Radii of the circle)

$$\therefore \angle OAC = \angle OCA = \angle DCA = 50^\circ$$

and $\angle OAC + \angle OCA + \angle AOC = 180^\circ$ (Sum of angles of a triangle)

$$\Rightarrow 50^\circ + 50^\circ + \angle AOC = 180^\circ$$

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

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

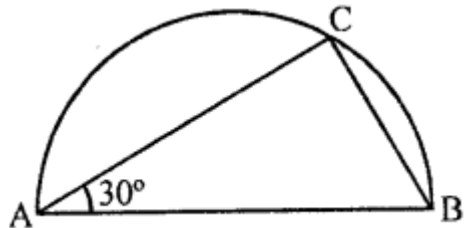
Hence $\angle AOC = 80^\circ$

Question 8.

On a semi circle with AB as diameter, a point C is taken so that $m(\angle CAB) = 30^\circ$. Find $m(\angle ACB)$ and $m(\angle ABC)$.

Solution:

A semicircle with AB as diameter



$$\angle CAB = 30^\circ$$

$\angle ACB = 90^\circ$ (Angle in a semi circle)

But $\angle CAB + \angle ACB + \angle ABC = 180^\circ$

$$\Rightarrow 30^\circ + 90^\circ + \angle ABC = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 120^\circ + \angle ABC = 180^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle ABC = 180^\circ - 120^\circ = 60^\circ$$

Hence $m \angle ACB = 90^\circ$

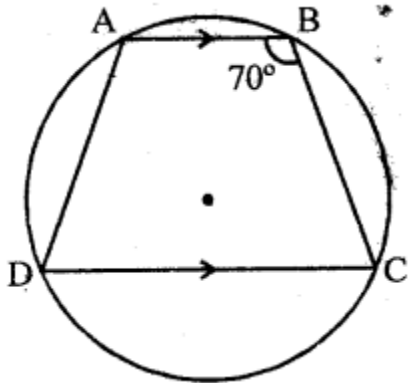
and $m \angle ABC = 60^\circ$

Question 9.

In a cyclic quadrilateral $ABCD$, if $AB \parallel CD$ and $\angle B = 70^\circ$, find the remaining angles.

Solution:

In a cyclic quadrilateral $ABCD$, $AB \parallel CD$ and $\angle B = 70^\circ$



∴ ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral

$$\therefore \angle B + \angle D = 180^\circ$$

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

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

∴ $AB \parallel CD$

∴ $\angle A + \angle D = 180^\circ$ (Sum of cointerior angles)

$$\angle A + 110^\circ = 180^\circ$$

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

Similarly, $\angle B + \angle C = 180^\circ$

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

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

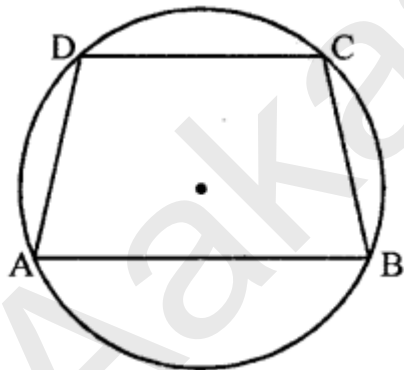
$$\therefore \angle A = 70^\circ, \angle C = 110^\circ, \angle D = 110^\circ$$

Question 10.

In a cyclic quadrilateral ABCD, if $m \angle A = 3(m \angle C)$. Find $m \angle A$.

Solution:

In cyclic quadrilateral ABCD, $m \angle A = 3(m \angle C)$



∴ ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral,

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

$$\Rightarrow 3 \angle C + \angle C = 180^\circ \Rightarrow 4 \angle C = 180^\circ$$

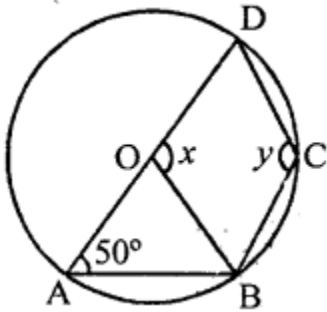
$$\Rightarrow \angle C = \frac{180^\circ}{4} = 45^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle A = 3 \times 45^\circ = 135^\circ$$

Hence $m \angle A = 135^\circ$

Question 11.

In the figure, O is the centre of the circle and $\angle DAB = 50^\circ$. Calculate the values of x and y.



Solution:

In the figure, O is the centre of the circle $\angle DAB = 50^\circ$

\therefore ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral

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

$\Rightarrow 50^\circ + y = 180^\circ$

$\Rightarrow y = 180^\circ - 50^\circ = 130^\circ$

In $\triangle OAB$, $OA = OB$ (Radii of the circle)

$\therefore \angle A = \angle OBA = 50^\circ$

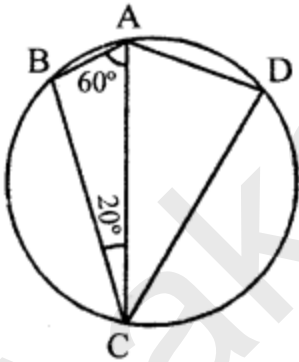
\therefore Ext. $\angle DOB = \angle A + \angle OBA$

$x = 50^\circ + 50^\circ = 100^\circ$

$\therefore x = 100^\circ, y = 130^\circ$

Question 12.

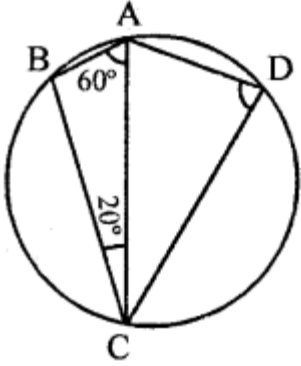
In the figure, if $\angle BAC = 60^\circ$ and $\angle BCA = 20^\circ$, find $\angle ADC$.



Solution:

In $\triangle ABC$,

$\angle BAC + \angle ABC + \angle ACB = 180^\circ$ (Sum of angles of a triangle)



$$60^\circ + \angle ABC + 20^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle ABC + 80^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle ABC = 180^\circ - 80^\circ = 100^\circ$$

\therefore ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral,

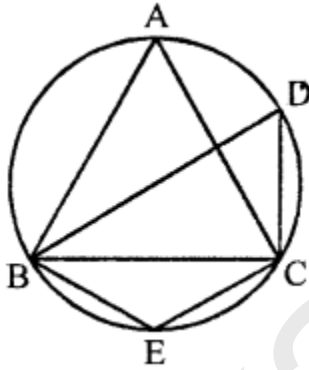
$$\therefore \angle ABC + \angle ADC = 180^\circ$$

$$100^\circ + \angle ADC = 180^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle ADC = 180^\circ - 100^\circ = 80^\circ$$

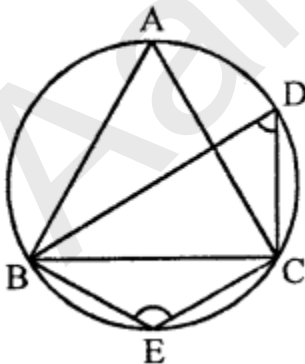
Question 13.

In the figure, if ABC is an equilateral triangle. Find $\angle BDC$ and $\angle BEC$.



Solution:

In a circle, $\triangle ABC$ is an equilateral triangle



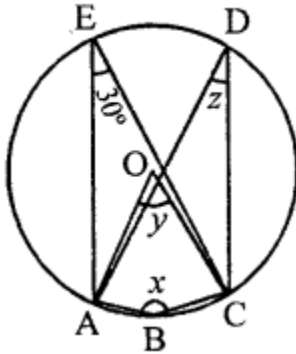
$$\therefore \angle A = 60^\circ$$

\therefore $\angle BAC$ and $\angle BDC$ are in the same segment

$\therefore \angle BAC = \angle BDC = 60^\circ$
 \because BECD is a cyclic quadrilateral
 $\therefore \angle BDC + \angle BEC = 180^\circ$
 $\Rightarrow 60^\circ + \angle BEC = 180^\circ$
 $\Rightarrow \angle BEC = 180^\circ - 60^\circ = 120^\circ$
 Hence $\angle BDC = 60^\circ$ and $\angle BEC = 120^\circ$

Question 14.

In the figure, O is the centre of the circle. If $\angle CEA = 30^\circ$, find the values of x, y and z.



Solution:

$\angle AEC$ and $\angle ADC$ are in the same segment

$$\therefore \angle AEC = \angle ADC = 30^\circ$$

$$\therefore z = 30^\circ$$

ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral

$$\therefore \angle B + \angle D = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x + z = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 30^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 180^\circ - 30^\circ = 150^\circ$$

Arc AC subtends $\angle AOB$ at the centre and $\angle ADC$ at the remaining part of the circle

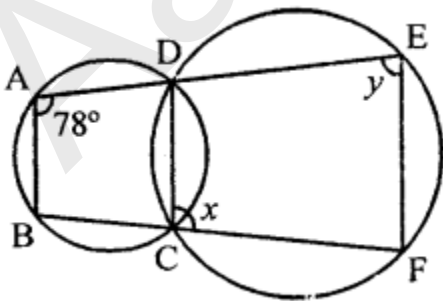
$$\therefore \angle AOC = 2\angle D = 2 \times 30^\circ = 60^\circ$$

$$\therefore y = 60^\circ$$

Hence $x = 150^\circ$, $y = 60^\circ$ and $z = 30^\circ$

Question 15.

In the figure, $\angle BAD = 78^\circ$, $\angle DCF = x^\circ$ and $\angle DEF = y^\circ$. Find the values of x and y.



Solution:

In the figure, two circles intersect each other at C and D

$$\angle BAD = 78^\circ, \angle DCF = x, \angle DEF = y$$

ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral

\therefore Ext. $\angle DCF =$ its interior opposite $\angle BAD$

$$\Rightarrow x = 78^\circ$$

In cyclic quadrilateral CDEF,

$$\angle DCF + \angle DEF = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 78^\circ + y = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 180^\circ - 78^\circ$$

$$y = 102^\circ$$

Hence $x = 78^\circ$, and $y = 102^\circ$

Question 16.

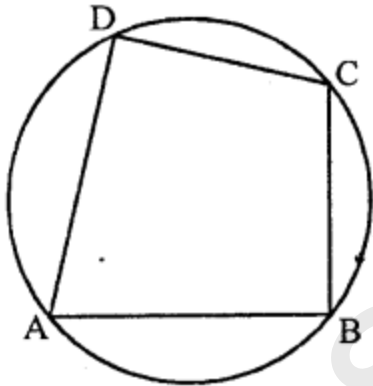
In a cyclic quadrilateral ABCD, if $\angle A - \angle C = 60^\circ$, prove that the smaller of two is 60° .

Solution:

In cyclic quadrilateral ABCD,

$$\angle A - \angle C = 60^\circ$$

But $\angle A + \angle C = 180^\circ$ (Sum of opposite angles)



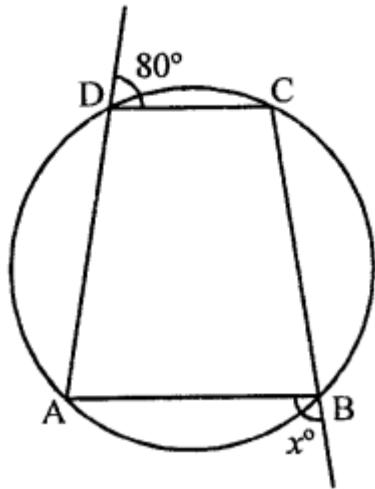
Adding, $2\angle A = 240^\circ \Rightarrow \angle A = 240 \div 2 = 120^\circ$ and subtracting

$$2\angle C = 120^\circ \Rightarrow \angle C = 120 \div 2 = 60^\circ$$

\therefore Smaller angle of the two is 60° .

Question 17.

In the figure, ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral. Find the value of x.

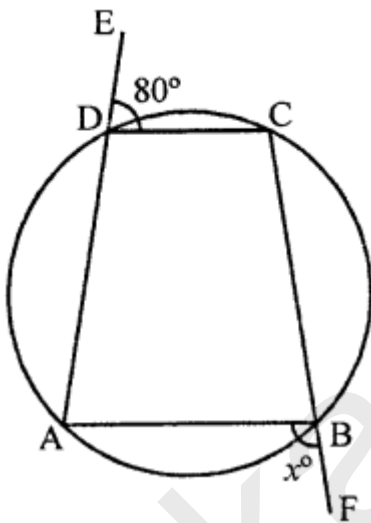


Solution:

$$\angle CDE + \angle CDA = 180^\circ \text{ (Linear pair)}$$

$$\Rightarrow 80^\circ + \angle CDA = 180^\circ$$

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



In cyclic quadrilateral ABCD,

Ext. $\angle ABF =$ Its interior opposite angle $\angle CDA = 100^\circ$

$$\therefore x = 100^\circ$$

Question 18.

ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral in which:

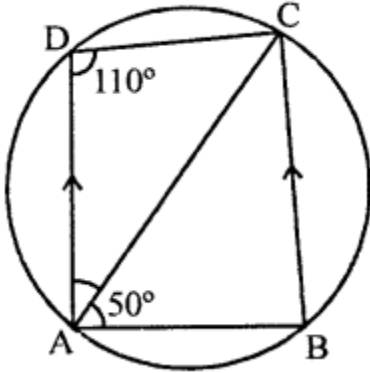
(i) $BC \parallel AD$, $\angle ADC = 110^\circ$ and $\angle BAC = 50^\circ$. Find $\angle DAC$.

(ii) $\angle DBC = 80^\circ$ and $\angle BAC = 40^\circ$. Find $\angle BCD$.

(iii) $\angle BCD = 100^\circ$ and $\angle ABD = 70^\circ$, find $\angle ADB$.

Solution:

(i) In the figure,



ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral and $AD \parallel BC$, $\angle ADC = 110^\circ$
 $\angle BAC = 50^\circ$

$\therefore \angle B + \angle D = 180^\circ$ (Sum of opposite angles)

$\Rightarrow \angle B + 110^\circ = 180^\circ$

$\therefore \angle B = 180^\circ - 110^\circ = 70^\circ$

Now in $\triangle ABC$,

$\angle CAB + \angle ABC + \angle BCA = 180^\circ$ (Sum of angles of a triangle)

$\Rightarrow 50^\circ + 70^\circ + \angle BCA = 180^\circ$

$\Rightarrow 120^\circ + \angle BCA = 180^\circ$

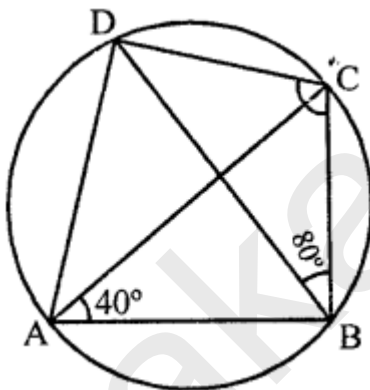
$\Rightarrow \angle BCA = 180^\circ - 120^\circ = 60^\circ$

But $\angle DAC = \angle BCA$ (Alternate angles)

$\therefore \angle DAC = 60^\circ$

(ii) In cyclic quadrilateral ABCD,

Diagonals AC and BD are joined $\angle DBC = 80^\circ$, $\angle BAC = 40^\circ$



Arc DC subtends $\angle DBC$ and $\angle DAC$ in the same segment

$\therefore \angle DBC = \angle DAC = 80^\circ$

$\therefore \angle DAB = \angle DAC + \angle CAB = 80^\circ + 40^\circ = 120^\circ$

But $\angle DAC + \angle BCD = 180^\circ$ (Sum of opposite angles of a cyclic quad.)

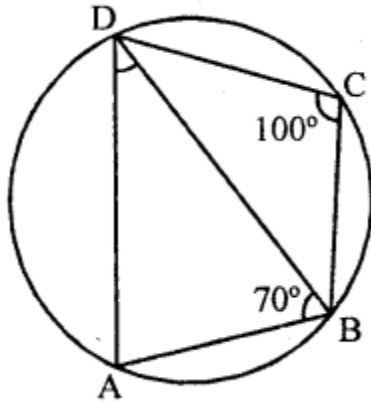
$\Rightarrow 120^\circ + \angle BCD = 180^\circ$

$\Rightarrow \angle BCD = 180^\circ - 120^\circ = 60^\circ$

(iii) In the figure, ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral BD is joined

$\angle BCD = 100^\circ$

and $\angle ABD = 70^\circ$



$\angle A + \angle C = 180^\circ$ (Sum of opposite angles of cyclic quad.)

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

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

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

Now in $\triangle ABD$,

$\angle A + \angle ABD + \angle ADB = 180^\circ$ (Sum of angles of a triangle)

$$\Rightarrow 80^\circ + 70^\circ + \angle ADB = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 150^\circ + \angle ADB = 180^\circ$$

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

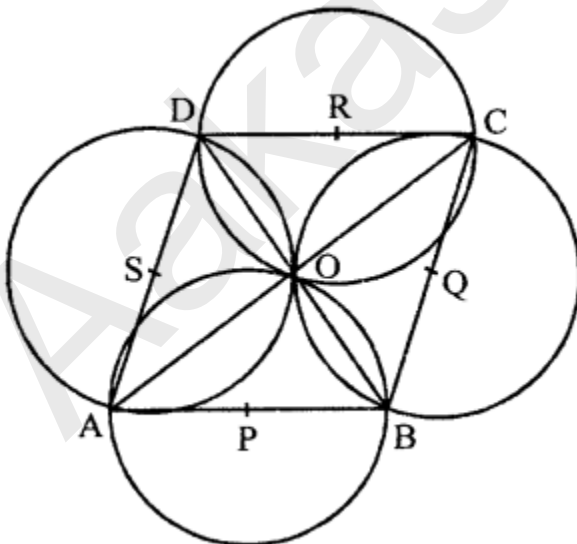
$$\therefore \angle ADB = 30^\circ$$

Question 19.

Prove that the circles described on the four sides of a rhombus as diameter, pass through the point of intersection of its diagonals.

Solution:

Given : ABCD is a rhombus. Four circles are drawn on the sides AB, BC, CD and DA respectively



To prove : The circles pass through the point of intersection of the diagonals of the rhombus ABCD

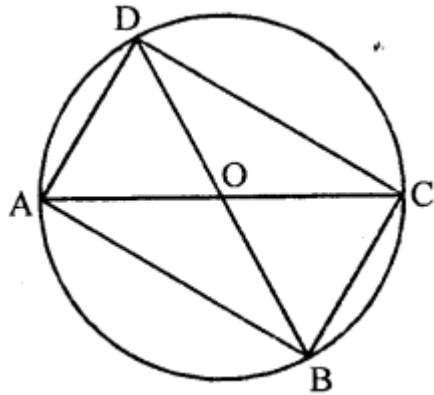
Proof: ABCD is a rhombus whose diagonals AC and BD intersect each other at O
 \therefore The diagonals of a rhombus bisect each other at right angles
 $\therefore \angle AOB = \angle BOC = \angle COD = \angle DOA = 90^\circ$
 Now when $\angle AOB = 90^\circ$
 and a circle described on AB as diameter will pass through O
 Similarly, the circles on BC, CD and DA as diameter, will also pass through O

Question 20.

If the two sides of a pair of opposite sides of a cyclic quadrilateral are equal, prove that its diagonals are equal.

Solution:

Given : In cyclic quadrilateral ABCD, $AB = CD$
 AC and BD are the diagonals



To prove : $AC = BD$

Proof: $\because AB = CD$

$\therefore \text{arc } AB = \text{arc } CD$

Adding arc BC to both sides, then $\text{arc } AB + \text{arc } BC = \text{arc } BC + \text{arc } CD$

$\Rightarrow \text{arc } AC = \text{arc } BD$

$\therefore AC = BD$

Hence diagonal of the cyclic quadrilateral are equal.

Question 21.

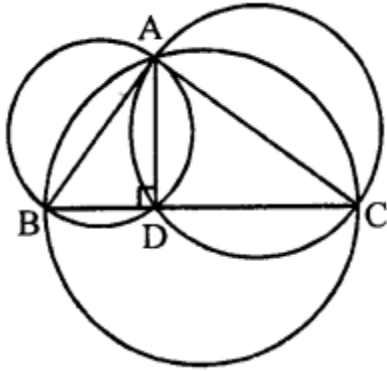
Circles are described on the sides of a triangle as diameters. Prove that the circles on any two sides intersect each other on the third side (or third side produced).

Solution:

Given : In $\triangle ABC$, circles are drawn on sides AB and AC

To prove : Circles drawn on AB and AC intersect at D which lies on BC, the third side

Construction : Draw $AD \perp BC$



Proof: $\because AD \perp BC$

$\therefore \angle ADB = \angle ADC = 90^\circ$

So, the circles drawn on sides AB and AC as diameter will pass through D

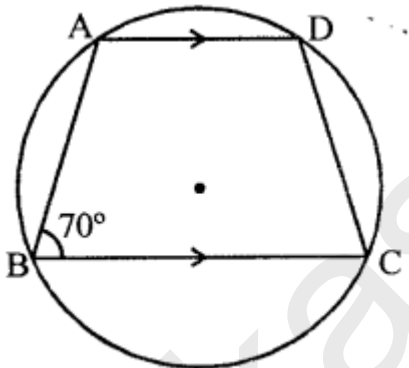
Hence circles drawn on two sides of a triangle pass through D, which lies on the third side.

Question 22.

ABCD is a cyclic trapezium with $AD \parallel BC$. If $\angle B = 70^\circ$, determine other three angles of the trapezium.

Solution:

In the figure, ABCD is a trapezium in which $AD \parallel BC$ and $\angle B = 70^\circ$



$\because AD \parallel BC$

$\therefore \angle A + \angle B = 180^\circ$ (Sum of cointerior angles)

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

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

$\therefore \angle A = 110^\circ$

But $\angle A + \angle C = 180^\circ$ and $\angle B + \angle D = 180^\circ$ (Sum of opposite angles of a cyclic quadrilateral)

$\therefore 110^\circ + \angle C = 180^\circ$

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

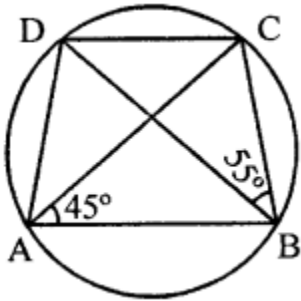
and $70^\circ + \angle D = 180^\circ$

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

$\therefore \angle A = 110^\circ, \angle C = 70^\circ$ and $\angle D = 110^\circ$

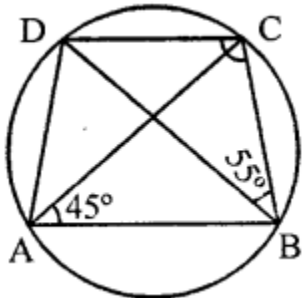
Question 23.

In the figure, ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral in which AC and BD are its diagonals. If $\angle DBC = 55^\circ$ and $\angle BAC = 45^\circ$, find $\angle BCD$.



Solution:

In the figure, ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral whose diagonals AC and BD are drawn $\angle DBC = 55^\circ$ and $\angle BAC = 45^\circ$



$\because \angle BAC$ and $\angle BDC$ are in the same segment

$\therefore \angle BAC = \angle BDC = 45^\circ$

Now in ABCD,

$\angle DBC + \angle BDC + \angle BCD = 180^\circ$ (Sum of angles of a triangle)

$\Rightarrow 55^\circ + 45^\circ + \angle BCD = 180^\circ$

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

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

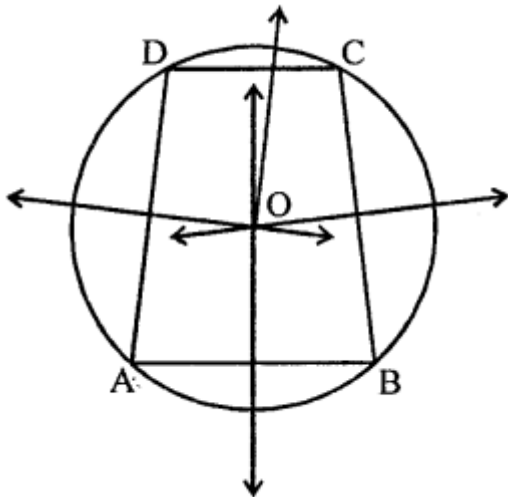
Hence $\angle BCD = 80^\circ$

Question 24.

Prove that the perpendicular bisectors of the sides of a cyclic quadrilateral are concurrent.

Solution:

Given : ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral



To prove : The perpendicular bisectors of the sides are concurrent

Proof : \because Each side of the cyclic quadrilateral is a chord of the circle and perpendicular of a chord passes through the centre of the circle

Hence the perpendicular bisectors of each side will pass through the centre O

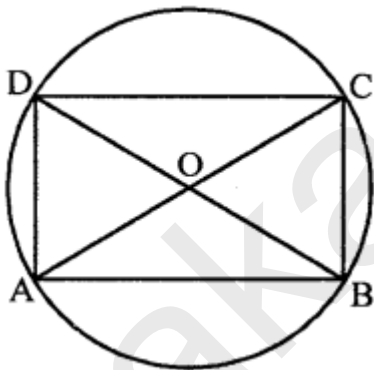
Hence the perpendicular bisectors of the sides of a cyclic quadrilateral are concurrent

Question 25.

Prove that the centre of the circle circumscribing the cyclic rectangle ABCD is the point of intersection of its diagonals.

Solution:

Given : ABCD is a cyclic rectangle and diagonals AC and BD intersect each other at O



To prove : O is the point of intersection is the centre of the circle.

Proof : Let O be the centre of the circle- circumscribing the rectangle ABCD

Since each angle of a rectangle is a right angle and AC is the chord of the circle

\therefore AC will be the diameter of the circle Similarly, we can prove that diagonal BD is also the diameter of the circle

\therefore The diameters of the circle pass through the centre

Hence the point of intersection of the diagonals of the rectangle is the centre of the circle.

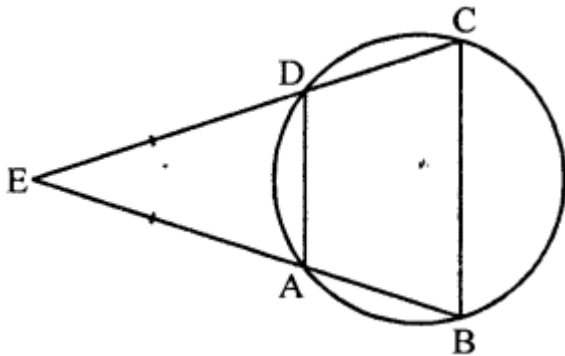
Question 26.

ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral in which BA and CD when produced meet in E and $EA = ED$. Prove that:

- (i) $AD \parallel BC$
- (ii) $EB = EC$.

Solution:

Given : ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral in which sides BA and CD are produced to meet at E and $EA = ED$



To prove :

- (i) $AD \parallel BC$
- (ii) $EB = EC$

Proof: $\because EA = ED$

\therefore In $\triangle EAD$

$\angle EAD = \angle EDA$ (Angles opposite to equal sides)

In a cyclic quadrilateral ABCD,

Ext. $\angle EAD = \angle C$

Similarly Ext. $\angle EDA = \angle B$

$\therefore \angle EAD = \angle EDA$

$\therefore \angle B = \angle C$

Now in $\triangle EBC$,

$\therefore \angle B = \angle C$

$\therefore EC = EB$ (Sides opposite to equal sides)

and $\angle EAD = \angle B$

But these are corresponding angles

$\therefore AD \parallel BC$

Question 27.

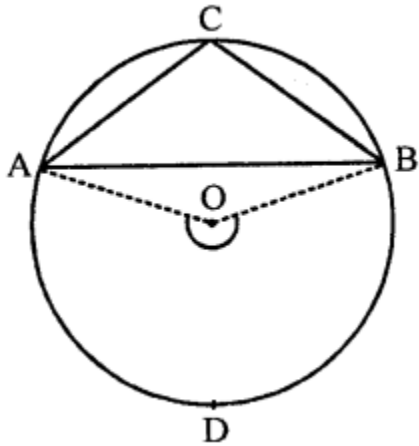
Prove that the angle in a segment shorter than a semicircle is greater than a right angle.

Solution:

Given : A segment ACB shorter than a semicircle and an angle $\angle ACB$ inscribed in it

To prove : $\angle ACB < 90^\circ$

Construction : Join OA and OB



Proof : Arc ADB subtends $\angle AOB$ at the centre and $\angle ACB$ at the remaining part of the circle $\therefore \angle ACB = \frac{1}{2} \angle AOB$ But $\angle AOB > 180^\circ$ (Reflex angle)

$$\therefore \angle ACB > \frac{1}{2} \times 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ACB > 90^\circ$$

Question 28.

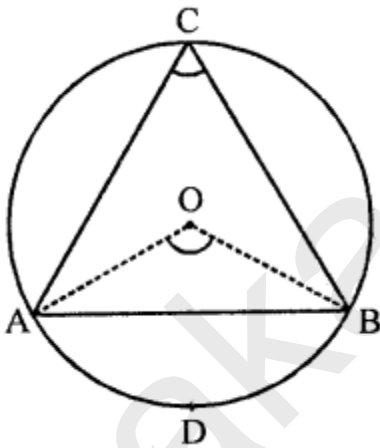
Prove that the angle in a segment greater than a semi-circle is less than a right angle

Solution:

Given : A segment ACB, greater than a semicircle with centre O and $\angle ACB$ is described in it

To prove : $\angle ACB < 90^\circ$

Construction : Join OA and OB



Proof : Arc ADB subtends $\angle AOB$ at the centre and $\angle ACB$ at the remaining part of the circle

$$\therefore \angle ACB = \frac{1}{2} \angle AOB$$

But $\angle AOB < 180^\circ$ (A straight angle)

$$\therefore \angle ACB < \frac{1}{2} \times 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ACB < 90^\circ$$

Hence $\angle ACB < 90^\circ$

Question 29.

Prove that the line segment joining the mid-point of the hypotenuse of a right triangle to its opposite vertex is half of the hypotenuse.

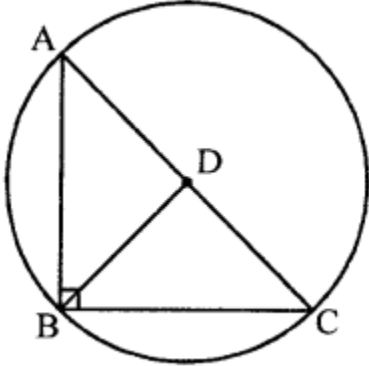
Solution:

Given : In a right angled $\triangle ABC$

$\angle B = 90^\circ$, D is the mid point of hypotenuse AC. DB is joined.

To prove : $BD = \frac{1}{2} AC$

Construction : Draw a circle with centre D and AC as diameter



Proof: $\because \angle ABC = 90^\circ$

\therefore The circle drawn on AC as diameter will pass through B

\therefore BD is the radius of the circle

But AC is the diameter of the circle and D is mid point of AC

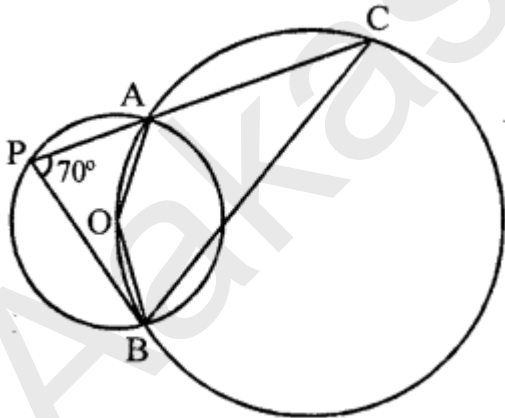
$\therefore AD = DC = BD$

$\therefore BD = \frac{1}{2} AC$

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Question 1.

In the figure, two circles intersect at A and B. The centre of the smaller circle is O and it lies on the circumference of the larger circle. If $\angle APB = 70^\circ$, find $\angle ACB$.



Solution:

Arc AB subtends $\angle AOB$ at the centre and $\angle APB$ at the remaining part of the circle

$\therefore \angle AOB = 2\angle APB = 2 \times 70^\circ = 140^\circ$

Now in cyclic quadrilateral AOBC,

$\angle AOB + \angle ACB = 180^\circ$ (Sum of the angles)

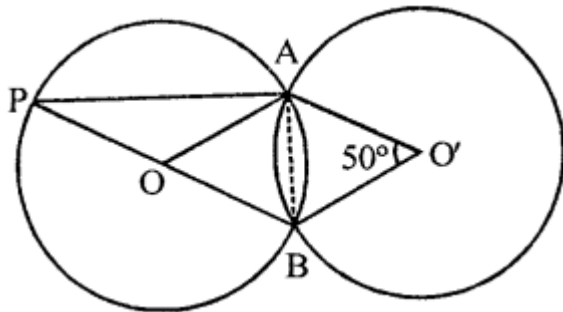
$\Rightarrow 140^\circ + \angle ACB = 180^\circ$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ACB = 180^\circ - 140^\circ = 40^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle ACB = 40^\circ$$

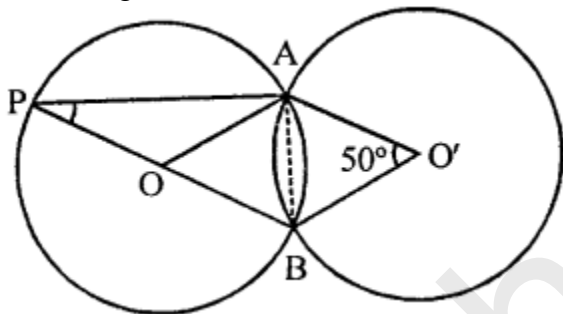
Question 2.

In the figure, two congruent circles with centre O and O' intersect at A and B. If $\angle AO'B = 50^\circ$, then find $\angle APB$.



Solution:

Two congruent circles with centres O and O' intersect at A and B



$$\angle AO'B = 50^\circ$$

$$\because OA = OB = O'A = O'B \text{ (Radii of the congruent circles)}$$

$$\therefore OA = OB = O'A = O'B$$

(Radii of the congruent circles)

\therefore OAO'B is a rhombus

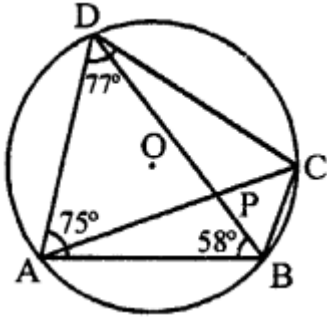
$$\therefore \angle AOB = \angle AO'B = 50^\circ$$

Now arc AB subtends $\angle AOB$ at the centre and $\angle APB$ at the remaining part of the circle

$$\therefore \angle APB = \frac{1}{2} \angle AOB = \frac{1}{2} \times 50^\circ = 25^\circ$$

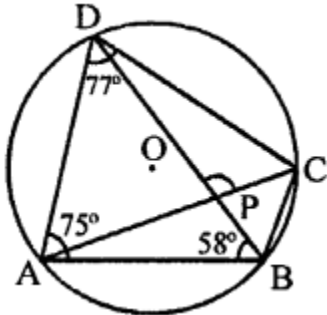
Question 3.

In the figure, ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral in which $\angle BAD = 75^\circ$, $\angle ABD = 58^\circ$ and $\angle ADC = \angle IT$, AC and BD intersect at P. Then, find $\angle DPC$.



Solution:

\therefore ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral,



$$\therefore \angle BAD + \angle BCD = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 75^\circ + \angle BCD = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BCD = 180^\circ - 75^\circ = 105^\circ \text{ and } \angle ADC + \angle ABC = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 77^\circ + \angle ABC = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ABC = 180^\circ - 77^\circ = 103^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle DBC = \angle ABC - \angle ABD = 103^\circ - 58^\circ = 45^\circ$$

\therefore Arc AD subtends $\angle ABD$ and $\angle ACD$ in the same segment of the circle 3

$$\therefore \angle ABD = \angle ACD = 58^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle ACB = \angle BCD - \angle ACD = 105^\circ - 58^\circ = 47^\circ$$

Now in $\triangle PBC$,

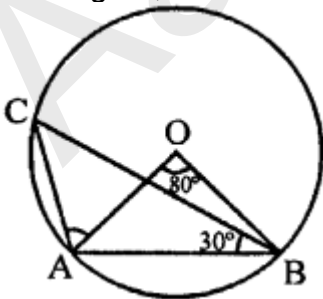
$$\text{Ext. } \angle DPC = \angle PBC + \angle PCB$$

$$= \angle DBC + \angle ACB = 45^\circ + 47^\circ = 92^\circ$$

$$\text{Hence } \angle DPC = 92^\circ$$

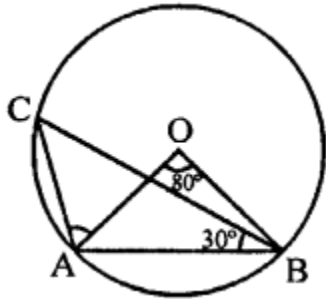
Question 4.

In the figure, if $\angle AOB = 80^\circ$ and $\angle ABC = 30^\circ$, then find $\angle CAO$.



Solution:

In the figure, $\angle AOB = 80^\circ$, $\angle ABC = 30^\circ$
 \therefore Arc AB subtends $\angle AOB$ at the centre and $\angle ACB$ at the remaining part of the circle



$$\therefore \angle ACB = \frac{1}{2} \angle AOB = \frac{1}{2} \times 80^\circ = 40^\circ$$

In $\triangle OAB$, $OA = OB$

$$\therefore \angle OAB = \angle OBA$$

But $\angle OAB + \angle OBA + \angle AOB = 180^\circ$

$$\therefore \angle OAB + \angle OBA + 80^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle OAB + \angle OAB = 180^\circ - 80^\circ = 100^\circ$$

$$\therefore 2\angle OAB = 100^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle OAB = \frac{100^\circ}{2} = 50^\circ$$

Similarly, in $\triangle ABC$,

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

$$\angle BAC + 40^\circ + 30^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BAC = 180^\circ - 30^\circ - 40^\circ$$

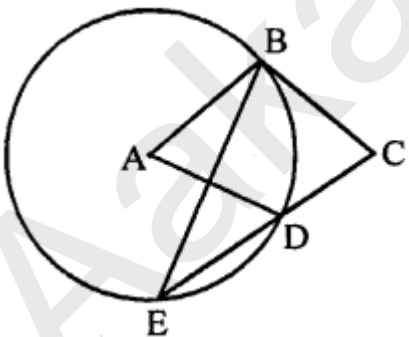
$$= 180^\circ - 70^\circ = 110^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle CAO = \angle BAC - \angle OAB$$

$$= 110^\circ - 50^\circ = 60^\circ$$

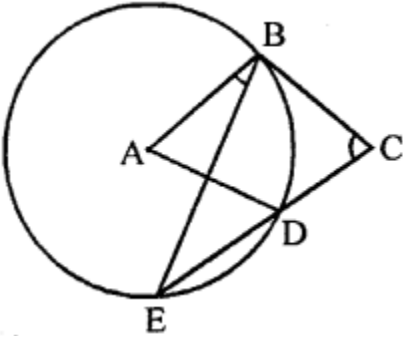
Question 5.

In the figure, A is the centre of the circle. ABCD is a parallelogram and CDE is a straight line. Find $\angle BCD : \angle ABE$.



Solution:

In the figure, ABCD is a parallelogram and CDE is a straight line



$\therefore ABCD$ is a $\parallel gm$

$\therefore \angle A = \angle C$

and $\angle C = \angle ADE$ (Corresponding angles)

$\Rightarrow \angle BCD = \angle ADE$

Similarly, $\angle ABE = \angle BED$ (Alternate angles)

\therefore arc BD subtends $\angle BAD$ at the centre and $\angle BED$ at the remaining part of the circle

$$\therefore \angle BED = \frac{1}{2} \angle A = \frac{1}{2} \angle C = \frac{1}{2} \angle ADE$$

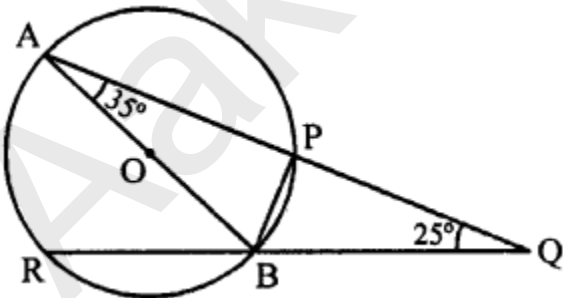
$$\text{Now } \frac{\angle BCD}{\angle ABE} = \frac{\angle BAD}{\angle BED} = \frac{\angle ADE}{\frac{1}{2} \angle ADE} = \frac{2}{1}$$

$$= \frac{2}{1}$$

$$\therefore \angle BCD : \angle ABE = 2 : 1$$

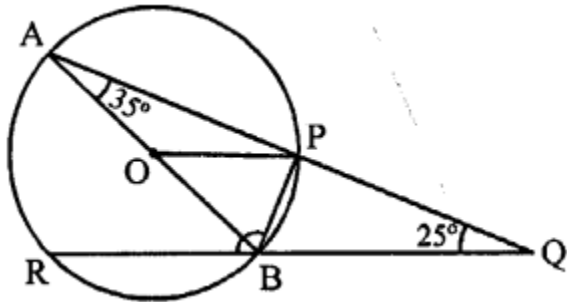
Question 6.

In the figure, AB is a diameter of the circle such that $\angle A = 35^\circ$ and $\angle Q = 25^\circ$, find $\angle PBR$.



Solution:

In the figure, AB is the diameter of the circle such that $\angle A = 35^\circ$ and $\angle Q = 25^\circ$, join OP .



Arc PB subtends $\angle POB$ at the centre and $\angle PAB$ at the remaining part of the circle

$$\therefore \angle POB = 2\angle PAB = 2 \times 35^\circ = 70^\circ$$

Now in $\triangle OPB$,

$OP = OB$ radii of the circle

$$\therefore \angle OPB = \angle OBP = 70^\circ (\because \angle OPB + \angle OBP = 140^\circ)$$

Now $\angle APB = 90^\circ$ (Angle in a semicircle)

$$\therefore \angle BPQ = 90^\circ$$

and in $\triangle PQB$,

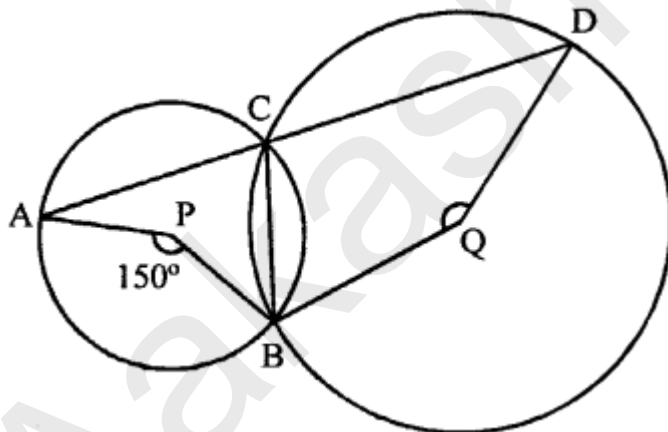
$$\text{Ext. } \angle PBR = \angle BPQ + \angle PQB$$

$$= 90^\circ + 25^\circ = 115^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle PBR = 115^\circ$$

Question 7.

In the figure, P and Q are centres of two circles intersecting at B and C. ACD is a straight line. Then, $\angle BQD =$



Solution:

In the figure, P and Q are the centres of two circles which intersect each other at C and B

ACD is a straight line $\angle APB = 150^\circ$

Arc AB subtends $\angle APB$ at the centre and $\angle ACB$ at the remaining part of the circle

$$\therefore \angle ACB = \frac{1}{2} \angle APB = \frac{1}{2} \times 150^\circ = 75^\circ$$

But $\angle ACB + \angle BCD = 180^\circ$ (Linear pair)

$$\Rightarrow 75^\circ + \angle BCD = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle BCD = 180^\circ - 75^\circ = 105^\circ$$

Now arc BD subtends reflex $\angle BQD$ at the centre and $\angle BCD$ at the remaining part of the circle

$$\text{Reflex } \angle BQD = 2\angle BCD = 2 \times 105^\circ = 210^\circ$$

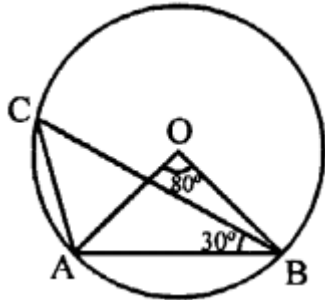
$$\text{But } \angle BQD + \text{reflex } \angle BQD = 360^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle BQD + 210^\circ = 360^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle BQD = 360^\circ - 210^\circ = 150^\circ$$

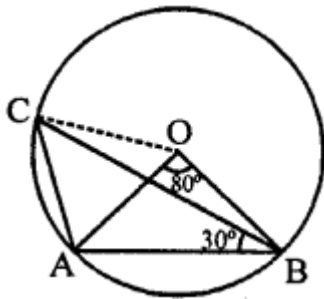
Question 8.

In the figure, if O is circumcentre of $\triangle ABC$ then find the value of $\angle OBC + \angle BAC$.



Solution:

In the figure, join OC



\because O is the circumcentre of $\triangle ABC$

$\therefore OA = OB = OC$

$\because \angle CAO = 60^\circ$ (Proved)

$\therefore \triangle OAC$ is an equilateral triangle

$\therefore \angle AOC = 60^\circ$

Now, $\angle BOC = \angle BOA + \angle AOC$

$$= 80^\circ + 60^\circ = 140^\circ$$

and in $\triangle OBC$, $OB = OC$

$\angle OCB = \angle OBC$

But $\angle OCB + \angle OBC = 180^\circ - \angle BOC$

$$= 180^\circ - 140^\circ = 40^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle OBC + \angle OBC = 40^\circ$$

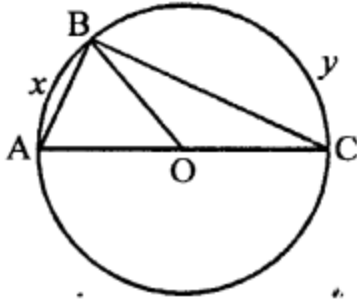
$$\therefore \angle OBC = 40 \div 2 = 20^\circ$$

$$\angle BAC = \angle OAB + \angle OAC = 50^\circ + 60^\circ = 110^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle OBC + \angle BAC = 20^\circ + 110^\circ = 130^\circ$$

Question 9.

In the AOC is a diameter of the circle and arc AXB = $\frac{1}{2}$ arc BYC. Find $\angle BOC$.



Solution:

In the figure, AOC is diameter arc $AxB = 12$ arc BYC 1

$$\angle AOB = 12 \angle BOC$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BOC = 2\angle AOB$$

$$\text{But } \angle AOB + \angle BOC = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle AOB + 2\angle AOB = 180^\circ$$

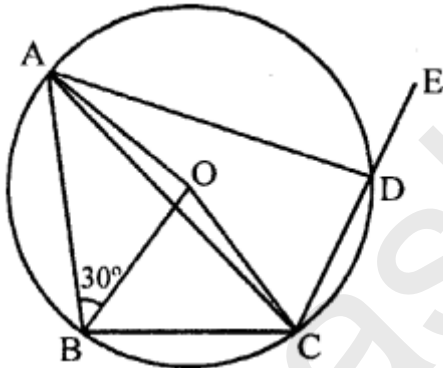
$$\Rightarrow 3 \angle AOB = 180^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle AOB = 180 \div 3 = 60^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle BOC = 2 \times 60^\circ = 120^\circ$$

Question 10.

In the figure, ABCD is a quadrilateral inscribed in a circle with centre O. CD produced to E such that $\angle AED = 95^\circ$ and $\angle OBA = 30^\circ$. Find $\angle OAC$.

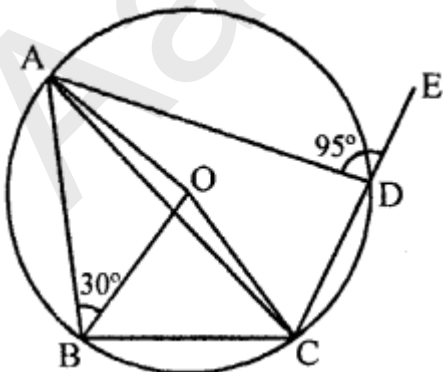


Solution:

In the figure, ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral

CD is produced to E such that $\angle ADE = 95^\circ$

O is the centre of the circle



$$\because \angle ADC + \angle ADE = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ADC + 95^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ADC = 180^\circ - 95^\circ = 85^\circ$$

Now arc ABC subtends $\angle AOC$ at the centre and $\angle ADC$ at the remaining part of the circle

$$\because \angle AOC = 2\angle ADC = 2 \times 85^\circ = 170^\circ$$

Now in $\triangle OAC$,

$$\angle OAC + \angle OCA + \angle AOC = 180^\circ \text{ (Sum of angles of a triangle)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle OAC = \angle OCA \text{ } (\because OA = OC \text{ radii of circle)}$$

$$\therefore \angle OAC + \angle OAC + 170^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$2\angle OAC = 180^\circ - 170^\circ = 10^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle OAC = 10 \div 2 = 5^\circ$$

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Question 1.

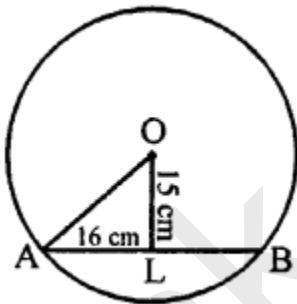
If the length of a chord of a circle is 16 cm and is at a distance of 15 cm from the centre of the circle, then the radius of the circle is

- (a) 15 cm
- (b) 16 cm
- (c) 17 cm
- (d) 34 cm

Solution:

Length of chord AB of circle = 16 cm

Distance from the centre OL = 15 cm



Let OA be the radius, then in right $\triangle OAL$,

$$OA^2 = OL^2 + AL^2$$

$$16$$

$$= (15)^2 + 162 = 15^2 + 8^2$$

$$= 225 + 64 = 289 = (17)^2$$

$$\therefore OA = 17 \text{ cm}$$

Hence radius of the circle = 17 cm (c)

Question 2.

The radius of a circle is 6 cm. The perpendicular distance from the centre of the circle to the chord which is 8 cm in length, is

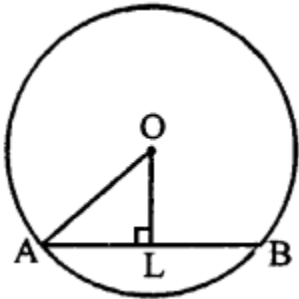
- (a) $\sqrt{5}$ cm (b) $2\sqrt{5}$ cm
 (c) $2\sqrt{7}$ cm (d) $\sqrt{7}$ cm

Solution:

Radius of the circle (r) = 6 cm

Perpendicular distance from centre = ?

Length of chord = 8 cm



Let AB be chord, OL is the distance

In right $\triangle OAL$

$$OA^2 = AL^2 + OL^2$$

$$(6)^2 = \frac{8}{2}^2 + OL^2 \quad \left\{ \because AL = \frac{1}{2} AB \right\}$$

$$36 = 16 + OL^2 \Rightarrow OL^2 = 36 - 16 = 20$$

$$\therefore OL = \sqrt{20} = \sqrt{4 \times 5} = 2\sqrt{5} \text{ cm} \quad (\text{b})$$

Question 3.

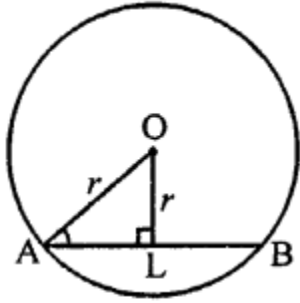
If O is the centre of a circle of radius r and AB is a chord of the circle at a distance $r/2$ from O, then $\angle BAO =$

- (a) 60°
 (b) 45°
 (c) 30°
 (d) 15°

Solution:

r is the radius of the circle with centre O

AB is the chord, at a distance of $r/2$ from the centre



Let θ be the angle $\angle OAB$

$$\sin \theta = \frac{OL}{OA} = \frac{r}{2r}$$

$$= \frac{r}{2 \times r} = \frac{1}{2} = \tan 30^\circ$$

$$\therefore \theta = 30^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle OAB = 30^\circ$$

$$\text{or } \angle BAO = 30^\circ$$

(c)

Question 4.

ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral such that $\angle ADB = 30^\circ$ and $\angle DCA = 80^\circ$, then $\angle DAB =$

(a) 70°

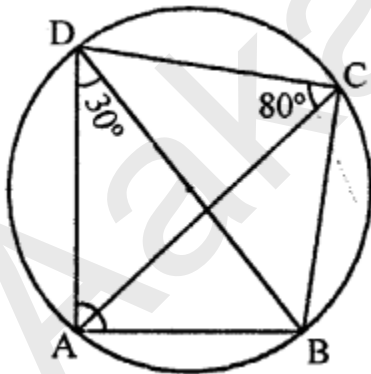
(b) 100°

(c) 125°

(d) 150°

Solution:

ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral $\angle DCA = 80^\circ$ and $\angle ADB = 30^\circ$



$\therefore \angle ADB = \angle ACB$ (Angles in the same segment)

$\therefore \angle ACB = 30^\circ$

$\therefore \angle BCD = 80^\circ + 30^\circ = 110^\circ$

\therefore ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral

$\therefore \angle BAD + \angle BCD = 180^\circ$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BAD + 110^\circ = 180^\circ$$

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

or $\angle DAB = 70^\circ$ (a)

Question 5.

A chord of length 14 cm is at a distance of 6 cm from the centre of a circle. The length of another chord at a distance of 2 cm from the centre of the circle is

- (a) 12 cm
- (b) 14 cm
- (c) 16 cm
- (d) 18 cm

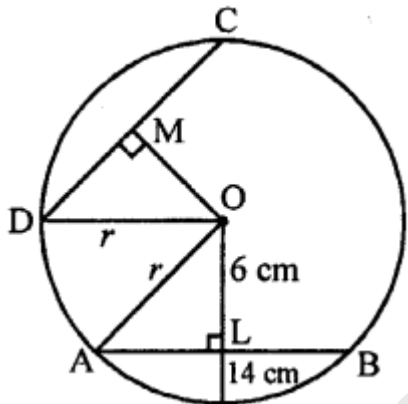
Solution:

In a circle AB chord = 14 cm

and distance from centre OL = 6 cm

Let r be the radius of the circle, then $OA^2 = AL^2 + OL^2$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 = (7)^2 + (6)^2 = 49 + 36 = 85$$



In the same circle length of another chord $CD = ?$

Distance from centre = 2 cm

$$\therefore r^2 = OM^2 + MD^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 85 = (2)^2 + DM^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 85 = 4 + DM^2$$

$$\Rightarrow DM^2 = 85 - 4 = 81 = (9)^2$$

$$\therefore DM = 9$$

$$\therefore CD = 2 \times DM = 2 \times 9 = 18 \text{ cm}$$

\therefore Length of another chord = 18 cm (d)

Question 6.

One chord of a circle is known to be 10 cm. The radius of this circle must be

- (a) 5 cm
- (b) greater than 5 cm
- (c) greater than or equal to 5 cm
- (d) less than 5 cm

Solution:

Length of chord of a circle = 10 cm

Length of radius of the circle greater than half of the chord
More than $102 = 5$ cm (b)

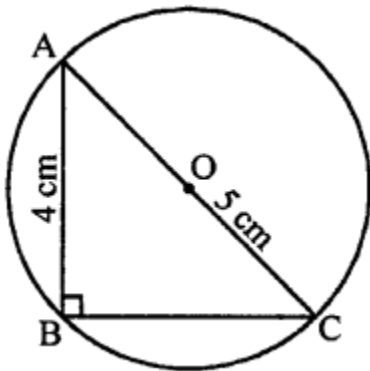
Question 7.

ABC is a triangle with B as right angle, AC = 5 cm and AB = 4 cm. A circle is drawn with O as centre and OC as radius. The length of the chord of this circle passing through C and B is

- (a) 3 cm
- (b) 4 cm
- (c) 5 cm
- (d) 6 cm

Solution:

In right $\triangle ABC$, $\angle B = 90^\circ$
AC = 5 cm, AB = 4 cm



$$\begin{aligned}\therefore BC^2 &= AC^2 - AB^2 \\ &= 5^2 - 4^2 = 25 - 16 \\ &= 9 = (3)^2 \\ \therefore BC &= 3 \text{ cm} \\ \therefore \text{Length of chord BC} &= 3 \text{ cm (a)}\end{aligned}$$

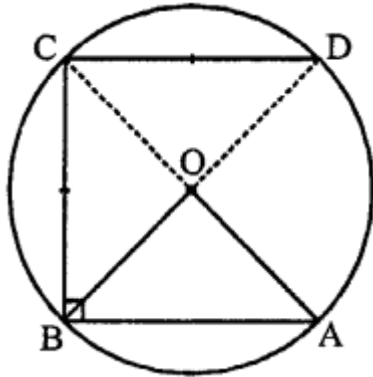
Question 8.

If AB, BC and CD are equal chords of a circle with O as centre, and AD diameter then $\angle AOB =$

- (a) 60°
- (b) 90°
- (c) 120°
- (d) none of these

Solution:

In a circle chords $AB = BC = CD$



O is the centre of the circle
 $\therefore \angle AOB =$ cannot be found (d)

Question 9.

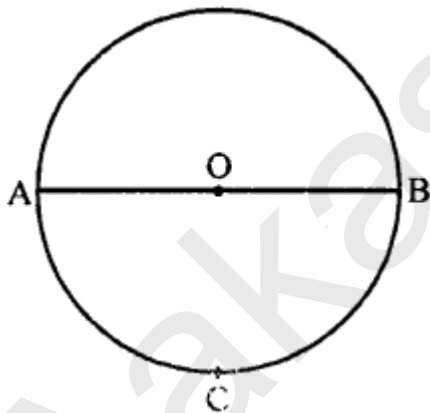
Let C be the mid-point of an arc AB of a circle such that $m \overset{\frown}{AB} = 183^\circ$. If the region bounded by the arc ACB and line segment AB is denoted by S, then the centre O of the circle lies

- (a) in the interior of S
- (b) in the exterior of S
- (c) on the segment AB
- (d) on AB and bisects AB

Solution:

$$\overset{\frown}{AB} = 183^\circ$$

\therefore AB is the diameter of the circle with centre O and C is the mid point of arc AB



Line segment AB = S

\therefore Centre will lie on AB (c)

Question 10.

In a circle, the major arc is 3 times the minor arc. The corresponding central angles and the degree measures of two arcs are

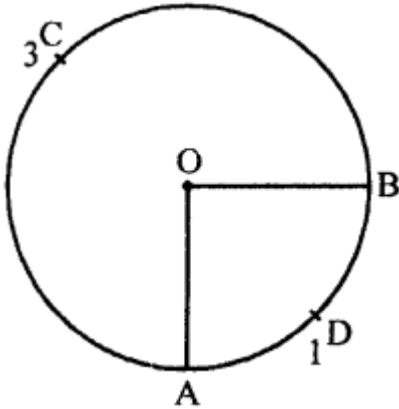
- (a) 90° and 270°
- (b) 90° and 90°
- (c) 270° and 90°
- (d) 60° and 210°

Solution:

In a circle, major arc is 3 times the minor arc i.e. $\text{arc ACB} = 3 \text{ arc ADB}$

$\therefore \text{Reflex } \angle AOB = 3\angle AOB$

But angle at O = 360°



and let $\angle AOB = x$

Then reflex $\angle AOB = 360^\circ - x$

$x + 3x = 360^\circ$

$\Rightarrow 4x = 360^\circ$

$\Rightarrow x = \frac{360^\circ}{4} = 90^\circ$

$\therefore 3x = 90^\circ \times 3 = 270^\circ$

Here angles are 270° and 90° (c)

Question 11.

If A and B are two points on a circle such that $m(\widehat{AB}) = 260^\circ$. A possible value for the angle subtended by arc BA at a point on the circle is

(a) 100°

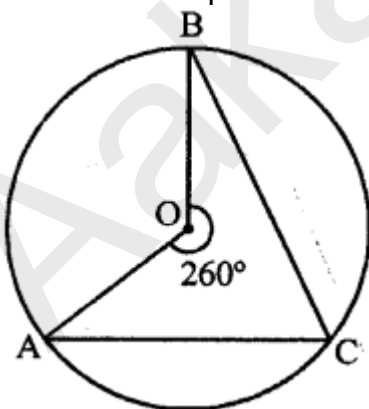
(b) 75°

(c) 50°

(d) 25°

Solution:

A and B are two points on the circle such that reflex $\angle AOB = 260^\circ$



$\therefore \angle AOB = 360^\circ - 260^\circ = 100^\circ$

C is a point on the circle

∴ By joining AC and BC,
 $\angle ACB = \frac{1}{2}\angle AOB = \frac{1}{2} \times 100^\circ = 50^\circ$ (c)

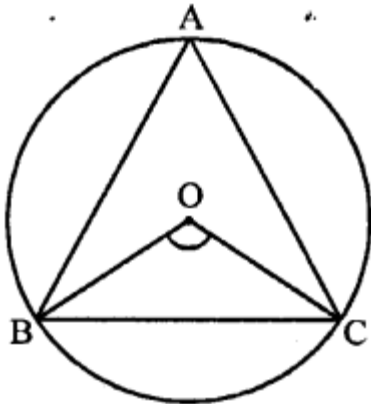
Question 12.

An equilateral triangle ABC is inscribed in a circle with centre O. The measures of $\angle BOC$ is

- (a) 30°
- (b) 60°
- (c) 90°
- (d) 120°

Solution:

$\triangle ABC$ is an equilateral triangle inscribed in a circle with centre O



∴ Measure of $\angle BOC = 2\angle BAC$
 $= 2 \times 60^\circ = 120^\circ$ (d)

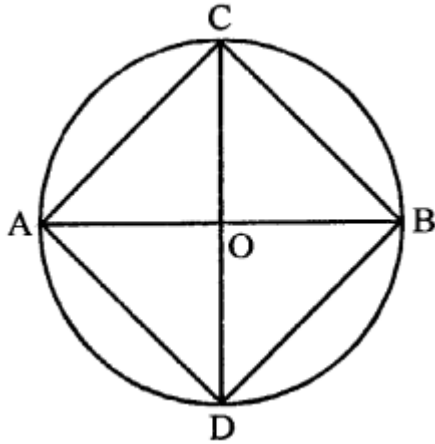
Question 13.

If two diameters of a circle intersect each other at right angles, then quadrilateral formed by joining their end points is a

- (a) rhombus
- (b) rectangle
- (c) parallelogram
- (d) square

Solution:

Two diameters of a circle AB and CD intersect each other at right angles



AD, DB, BC and CA are joined forming a quad. ABCD.

\therefore The diagonals are equal and bisect each other at right angles

\therefore ACBD is a square (d)

Question 14.

In ABC is an arc of a circle and $\angle ABC = 135^\circ$, then the ratio of arc $\overset{\frown}{AB}$ to the circumference is

(a) 1 : 4

(b) 3 : 4

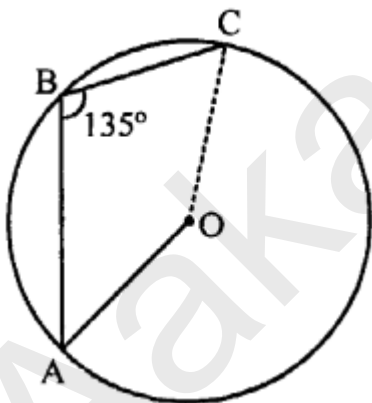
(c) 3 : 8

(d) 1 : 2

Solution:

Arc ABC of a circle and $\angle ABC = 135^\circ$

Join OA and OC



\therefore Angle subtended by arc ABC at the centre = $2 \times \angle ABC = 2 \times 135^\circ = 270^\circ$

Angle at the centre of the circle = 360°

\therefore Ratio with circumference = $270^\circ : 360^\circ = 3:4$ (b)

Question 15.

The chord of a circle is equal to its radius. The angle subtended by this chord at the minor arc of the circle is

(a) 60°

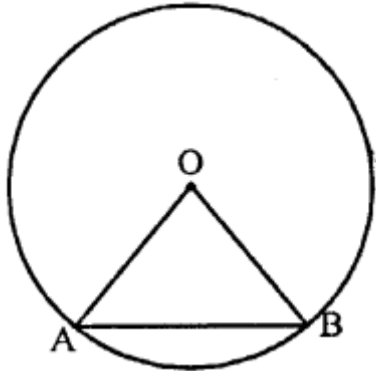
(b) 75°

(c) 120°

(d) 150°

Solution:

The chord of a circle = radius of the circle In the figure $OA = OB = AB$



$\therefore \angle AOB = 60^\circ$

(Each angle of an equilateral = 60°) (a)

Question 16.

PQRS is a cyclic quadrilateral such that PR is a diameter of the circle. If $\angle QPR = 67^\circ$ and $\angle SPR = 72^\circ$, then $\angle QRS =$

(a) 41°

(b) 23°

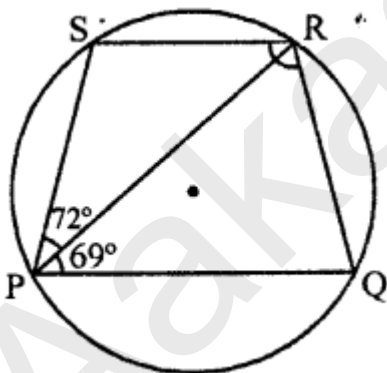
(c) 67°

(d) 18°

Solution:

PQRS is a cyclic quadrilateral with centre O and $\angle QPR = 67^\circ$

$\angle SPR = 72^\circ$



$\therefore \angle QPS = 67^\circ + 72^\circ = 139^\circ$

$\because \angle QPS + \angle QRS = 180^\circ$ (Sum of opposite angles of a cyclic quad.)

$\Rightarrow 139^\circ + \angle QRS = 180^\circ$

$\Rightarrow \angle QRS = 180^\circ - 139^\circ = 41^\circ$ (a)

Question 17.

If A, B, C are three points on a circle with centre O such that $\angle AOB = 90^\circ$ and $\angle BOC =$

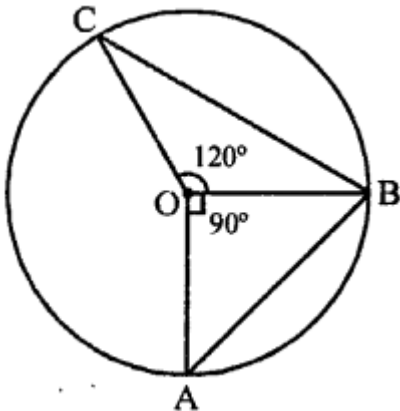
120° , then $\angle ABC =$

- (a) 60°
- (b) 75°
- (c) 90°
- (d) 135°

Solution:

A, B and C are three points on a circle with centre O

$\angle AOB = 90^\circ$ and $\angle BOC = 120^\circ$



$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \angle AOC &= 360^\circ - (120^\circ + 90^\circ) \\ &= 360^\circ - 210^\circ = 150^\circ\end{aligned}$$

But $\angle AOC$ is at the centre made by arc AC and $\angle ABC$ at the remaining part of the circle

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \angle ABC &= \frac{1}{2} \angle AOC \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times 150^\circ = 75^\circ \text{ (b)}\end{aligned}$$

Question 18.

The greatest chord of a circle is called its

- (a) radius
- (b) secant
- (c) diameter
- (d) none of these

Solution:

The greatest chord of a circle is called its diameter. (c)

Question 19.

Angle formed in minor segment of a circle is

- (a) acute
- (b) obtuse
- (c) right angle
- (d) none of these

Solution:

The angle formed in minor segment of a circle is obtuse angle. (b)

Question 20.

Number of circles that can be drawn through three non-collinear points is

- (a) 1

- (b) 0
- (c) 2
- (d) 3

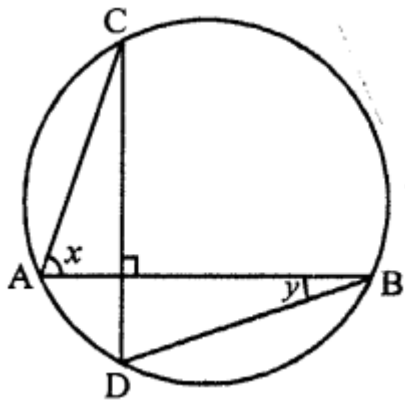
Solution:

The number of circles that can pass through three non-collinear points is only one. (a)

Question 21.

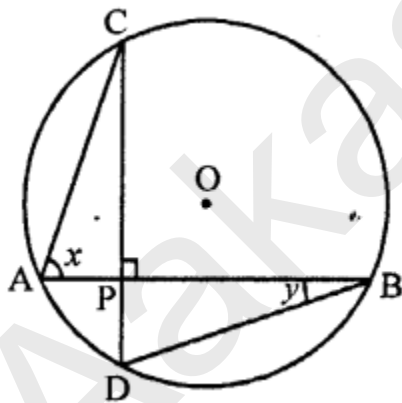
In the figure, if chords AB and CD of the circle intersect each other at right angles, then $x + y =$

- (a) 45°
- (b) 60°
- (c) 75°
- (d) 90°



Solution:

In the circle, AB and CD are two chords which intersect each other at P at right angle i.e. $\angle CPB = 90^\circ$



$\angle CAB$ and $\angle CDB$ are in the same segment

$$\therefore \angle CDB = \angle CAB = x$$

Now in $\triangle PDB$,

$$\text{Ext. } \angle CPB = \angle D + \angle DBP$$

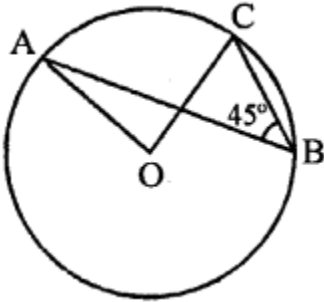
$$\Rightarrow 90^\circ = x + y (\because CD \perp AB)$$

$$\text{Hence } x + y = 90^\circ \text{ (d)}$$

Question 22.

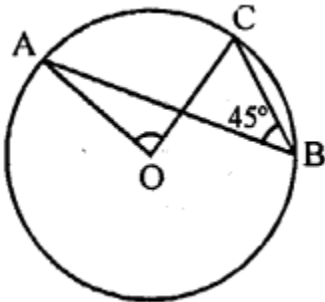
In the figure, if $\angle ABC = 45^\circ$, then $\angle AOC =$

- (a) 45°
- (b) 60°
- (c) 75°
- (d) 90°



Solution:

\because arc AC subtends $\angle AOC$ at the centre of the circle and $\angle ABC$ at the remaining part of the circle



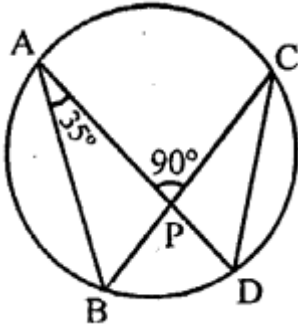
$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \angle AOC &= 2\angle ABC \\ &= 2 \times 45^\circ = 90^\circ \end{aligned}$$

Hence $\angle AOC = 90^\circ$ (d)

Question 23.

In the figure, chords AD and BC intersect each other at right angles at a point P. If $\angle DAB = 35^\circ$, then $\angle ADC =$

- (a) 35°
- (b) 45°
- (c) 55°
- (d) 65°



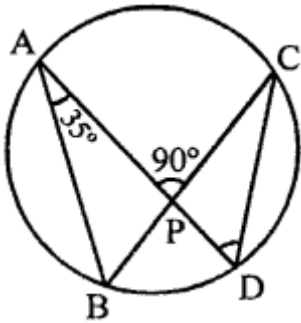
Solution:

Two chords AD and BC intersect each other at right angles at P, $\angle DAB = 35^\circ$

AB and CD are joined

In $\triangle ABP$,

Ext. $\angle APC = \angle B + \angle A$



$$\Rightarrow 90^\circ = \angle B + 35^\circ$$

$$\angle B = 90^\circ - 35^\circ = 55^\circ$$

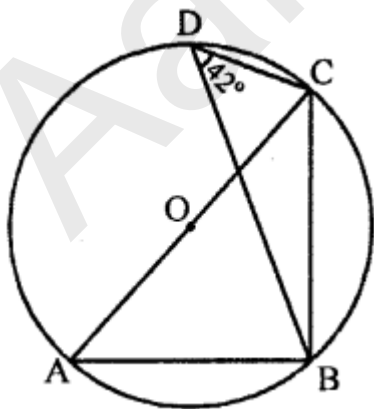
$\therefore \angle ABC$ and $\angle ADC$ are in the same segment

$$\therefore \angle ADC = \angle ABC = 55^\circ \text{ (c)}$$

Question 24.

In the figure, O is the centre of the circle and $\angle BDC = 42^\circ$. The measure of $\angle ACB$ is

- (a) 42°
- (b) 48°
- (c) 58°
- (d) 52°



Solution:

In the figure, O is the centre of the circle

$$\angle BDC = 42^\circ$$

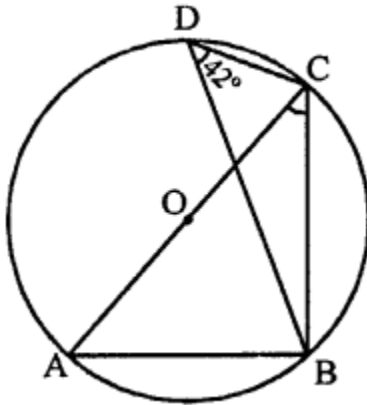
$$\angle ABC = 90^\circ \text{ (Angle in a semicircle)}$$

and $\angle BAC$ and $\angle BDC$ are in the same segment of the circle.

$$\therefore \angle BAC = \angle BDC = 42^\circ$$

Now in $\triangle ABC$,

$$\angle A + \angle ABC + \angle ACB = 180^\circ \text{ (Sum of angles of a triangle)}$$



$$\Rightarrow 42^\circ + 90^\circ + \angle ACB = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 132^\circ + \angle ACB = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ACB = 180^\circ - 132^\circ = 48^\circ \text{ (b)}$$

Question 25.

In a circle with centre O, AB and CD are two diameters perpendicular to each other. The length of chord AC is

(a) $2AB$

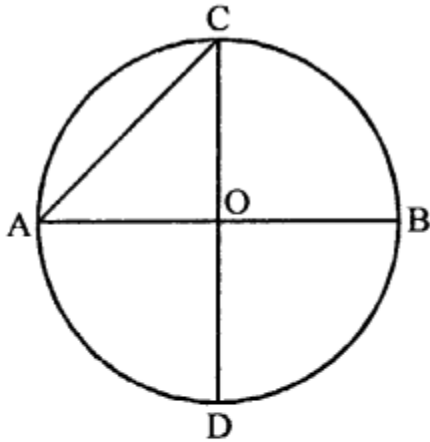
(b) $\sqrt{2}$

(c) $\frac{1}{2}AB$

(d) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}AB$

Solution:

AB and CD are two diameters of a circle with centre O



$$\begin{aligned}\text{Length of chord AC} &= \sqrt{OA^2 + OC^2} \\ &= \sqrt{r^2 + r^2} = \sqrt{2r^2} = \sqrt{2}r \\ &= \sqrt{2} \times \frac{1}{2}AB = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}AB \quad \text{(d)}\end{aligned}$$

Question 26.

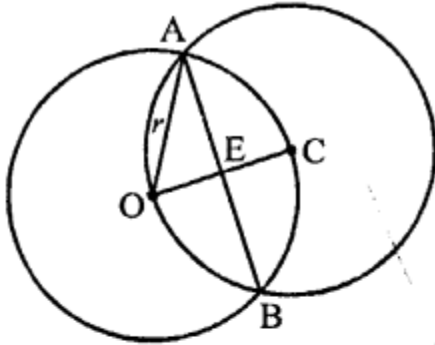
Two equal circles of radius r intersect such that each passes through the centre of the other. The length of the common chord of the circles is

- (a) \sqrt{r} (b) $\sqrt{2}rAB$
(c) $\sqrt{3}r$ (d) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}r$

Solution:

Two equal circles pass through the centre of the other and intersect each other at A and B

Let r be the radius of each circle



$$\therefore OA = r, OE = \frac{1}{2} OC = \frac{1}{2} r$$

$$\therefore EA^2 = OA^2 - OE^2$$

$$= (r)^2 - \left(\frac{1}{2}r\right)^2 = r^2 - \frac{1}{4}r^2$$

$$= \frac{3}{4}r^2 = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}r$$

$$\therefore EA = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}r$$

$$\text{and } AB = 2 \times EA = 2 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}r = \sqrt{3}r \quad (\text{c})$$

Question 27.

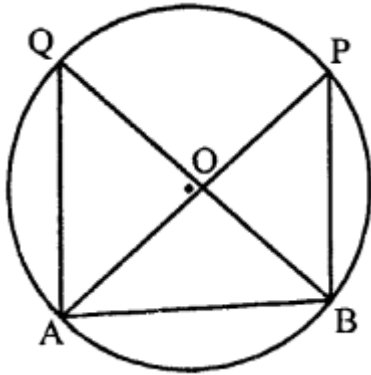
If AB is a chord of a circle, P and Q are the two points on the circle different from A and B , then

- (a) $\angle APB = \angle AQB$
- (b) $\angle APB + \angle AQB = 180^\circ$ or $\angle APB = \angle AQB$
- (c) $\angle APB + \angle AQB = 90^\circ$
- (d) $\angle APB + \angle AQB = 180^\circ$

Solution:

AB is chord of a circle,

P and Q are two points other than from points A and B



∴ $\angle APB$ and $\angle AQB$ are in the same segment of the circle
 ∴ $\angle APB = \angle AQB$ (a)

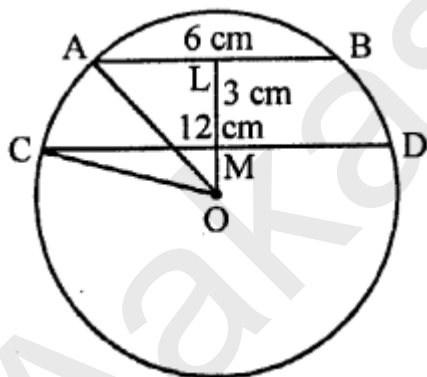
Question 28.

AB and CD are two parallel chords of a circle with centre O such that AB = 6 cm and CD = 12 cm. The chords are on the same side of the centre and the distance between them is 3 cm. The radius of the circle is

- (a) 6 cm (b) $5\sqrt{2}$ cm
 (c) 7 cm (d) $3\sqrt{5}$ cm

Solution:

AB and CD are two parallel chords of a circle with centre O
 Let r be the radius of the circle AB = 6 cm, CD = 12 cm
 and distance between them = 3 cm
 Join OC and OA, LM = 3 cm



Let $OM = x$, then $OL = x + 3$

Now in right $\triangle OCM$,

$$OC^2 = OM^2 + CM^2 = (x)^2 + \left(\frac{CD}{2}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 = x^2 + \left(\frac{12}{2}\right)^2 = x^2 + 36 \quad \dots(i)$$

On in right $\triangle OAL$,

$$OA^2 = OL^2 + AL^2$$

$$r^2 = (x + 3)^2 + \left(\frac{6}{2}\right)^2 = (x + 3)^2 + (3)^2$$

$$= (x + 3)^2 + 9 \quad \dots(ii)$$

From (i) and (ii),

$$(x + 3)^2 + 9 = x^2 + 36$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 6x + 9 + 9 = x^2 + 36$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x = 36 - 18 = 18 \Rightarrow x = \frac{18}{6} = 3$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore (\text{Radius})^2 &= r^2 = x^2 + 36 \\ &= (3)^2 + 36 = 9 + 36 = 45 \\ &= 9 \times 5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore r = \sqrt{9 \times 5} = 3\sqrt{5} \text{ cm} \quad (d)$$

Question 29.

In a circle of radius 17 cm, two parallel chords are drawn on opposite side of a diameter. This distance between the chords is 23 cm. If the length of one chord is 16 cm then the length of the other is

- (a) 34 cm
- (b) 15 cm
- (c) 23 cm
- (d) 30 cm

Solution:

Radius of a circle = 17 cm

The distance between two parallel chords = 23 cm

$AB \parallel CD$ and $LM = 23$ cm

Join OA and OC ,

$\therefore OA = OC = 17$ cm

Let $OL = x$, then $OM = (23 - x)$ cm

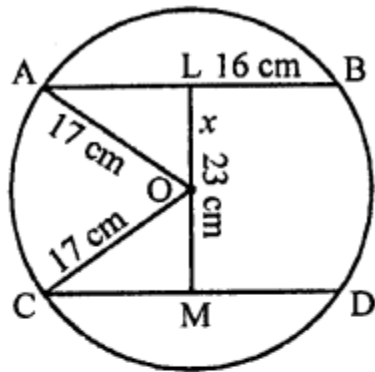
$AB = 16$ cm

Now in right $\triangle OAL$,

$$OA^2 = OL^2 + AL^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (17)^2 = x^2 + AL^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 289 = x^2 + AL^2$$



$$\Rightarrow x^2 = 289 - AL^2 = 289 - \left(\frac{16}{2}\right)^2$$

$$= 289 - 64 = 225 = (15)^2$$

$$\therefore x = 15 \text{ cm}$$

$$\therefore OM = 23 - x = 23 - 15 = 8 \text{ cm}$$

Now in right $\triangle OCM$

$$OC^2 = OM^2 + CM^2$$

$$(17)^2 = (8)^2 + CM^2 \Rightarrow 289 = 64 + CM^2$$

$$\Rightarrow CM^2 = 289 - 64 = 225 = (15)^2$$

$$\therefore CM = 15 \text{ cm}$$

$$CD = 2 \times CM = 2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ cm} \quad (\text{d})$$

Question 30.

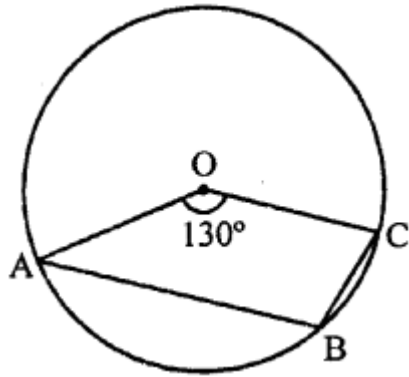
In the figure, O is the centre of the circle such that $\angle AOC = 130^\circ$, then $\angle ABC =$

(a) 130°

(b) 115°

(c) 65°

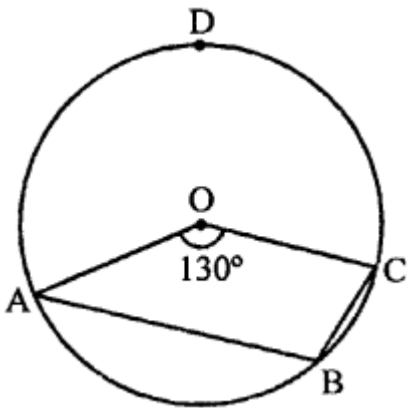
(d) 165°



Solution:

O is the centre of the circle and $\angle AOC = 130^\circ$

Reflex $\angle AOC = 360^\circ - 130^\circ = 230^\circ$



Now arc ADB subtends $\angle AOC$ at the centre and $\angle ABC$ at the remaining part of the circle

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \angle ABC &= \frac{1}{2} \text{reflex } \angle AOC \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times 230^\circ = 115^\circ \text{ (b)} \end{aligned}$$