

Chapter 10- Circles

Exercise 10.1

Question 1: Fill in the blanks.

- (i) The centre of a circle lies in ____ of the circle. (exterior/interior)
- (ii) A point, whose distance from the centre of a circle is more significant than its radius lies in ____ of the circle, (exterior/interior)
- (iii) The longest chord of a circle is a ____ of the process.
- (iv) An arc is a ____ when its ends are the ends of a diameter.
- (v) Segment of a circle is the region between an arc and ____ of the circle.
- (vi) A circle divides the plane, on which it lies, in ____ parts.

Answer: (i) interior

- (ii) exterior
- (iii) diameter
- (iv) semicircle
- (v) the chord
- (vi) three

Question 2: Write True or False. Give a reason for your answers.

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

Answer: (i) True [All the points on the circle are always equidistant from the centre]

(ii) False [A circle can have an infinite number of equal chords]

(iii) False [Each part will be less than a semicircle]

(iv) True [Diameter = 2 x Radius, $d=2r$]

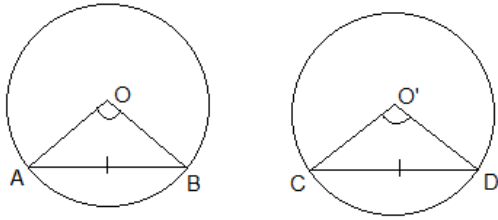
(v) False [The region between the chord and its corresponding arc is known as segment]

(vi) True [A circle is drawn on a plane]

Exercise 10.2

Question 1: Recall that two circles are congruent if they have the same radii. Prove that equal chords of congruent circles subtend equal angles at their centres.

Answer:



Given: Two congruent circles with centres O and O' and radii r, which have chords AB and CD respectively in such a way that $AB = CD$.

To Prove: $\angle AOB = \angle CO'D$

Proof: In $\triangle AOB$ and $\triangle CO'D$, we have

$AB = CD$ [Given]

$OA = O'C$ [Each equal to r]

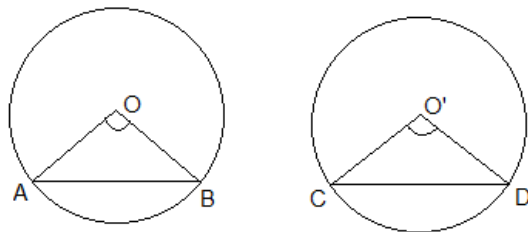
$OB = O'D$ [Each equal to r]

therefore, $\triangle AOB \cong \triangle CO'D$ [By SSS congruence criteria]

or, $\angle AOB = \angle CO'D$ [C.P.C.T.]

Question 2: Prove that, if chords of congruent circles subtend equal angles at their centres, then the chords are equal.

Answer:



Given: Two congruent circles with centres O & O' and radii r which have chords AB and CD respectively such that $\angle AOB = \angle CO'D$.

To Prove: $AB = CD$

Proof: In $\triangle AOB$ and $\triangle CO'D$, we have

$OA = O'C$ [Each equal to r]

$OB = O'D$ [Each equal to r]

$\angle AOB = \angle CO'D$ [Given]

Therefore, $\triangle AOB \cong \triangle CO'D$ [By SAS congruence]

Hence, $AB = CD$ [C.P.C.T.]

Exercise 10.3

Question 1: Draw different pairs of circles. How many points does each pair have in common? What is the maximum number of common issues?

Answer: Let us draw different pairs of circles, as shown below:

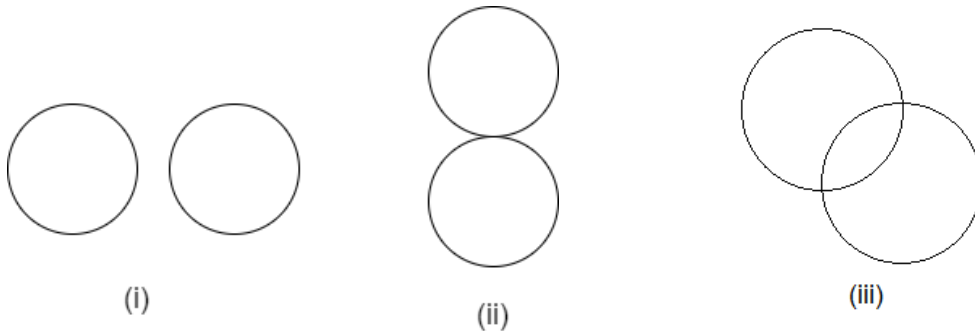


Figure	Max. no of common points
i	Nil
ii	One
iii	Two

Question 2: Suppose you are given a circle. Give the construction to find its centre.

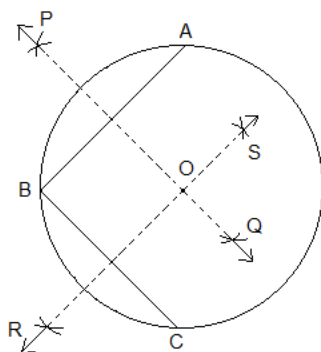
Answer: Step 1: Take any three points on the given circle. Let these points be A, B and C.

Step 2: Join AB and BC.

Step 3: Draw the perpendicular bisector, PQ of AB.

Step 4: Draw the perpendicular bisector, RS of BC such that it intersects PQ at O.

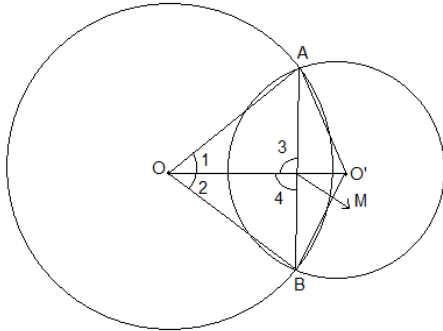
Thus, 'O' is the required centre of the given circle.



Question 3: If two circles intersect at two points, prove that their centres lie on the common chord's perpendicular bisector.

Answer: We have two circles with centres O and O', intersecting at A and B. Therefore, AB is the common chord of two circles, and OO' is the line segment joining their centres.

Let OO' and AB intersect each other at M.



To prove that OO' is the perpendicular bisector of AB, we need to join OA, OB, O'A and O'B. Now, in $\triangle OAO'$ and $\triangle OBO'$, we have

$OA = OB$ [Radii of the same circle]

$O'A = O'B$ [Radii of the same circle]

$OO' = OO'$ [Common]

Therefore, $\triangle OAO' \cong \triangle OBO'$ [By SSS congruence criteria]

or, $\angle 1 = \angle 2$, [C.P.C.T.]

Now, in $\triangle AOM$ and $\triangle BOM$, we have

$OA = OB$ [Radii of the same circle]

$OM = OM$ [Common]

$\angle 1 = \angle 2$ [Proved above]

Therefore, $\triangle AOM \cong \triangle BOM$ [By SAS congruence criteria]

or, $\angle 3 = \angle 4$ [C.P.C.T.]

But $\angle 3 + \angle 4 = 180^\circ$ [Linear pair]

Thus, $\angle 3 = \angle 4 = 90^\circ$

or $AM \perp OO'$.

Also, $AM = BM$ [C.P.C.T.]

Hence, M is the mid-point of AB.

Thus, OO' is the perpendicular bisector of AB.

Exercise 10.4

Question 1: Two circles of radii 5 cm and 3 cm intersect at two points, and the distance between their centres is 4 cm. Find the length of the common chord.

Answer: We have two intersecting circles with centres at O and O' (say) respectively. Let PQ be the common chord. Hence, in two intersecting circles, the line joining their centres is perpendicular to the common chord.

Therefore, $\angle OLP = \angle OLQ = 90^\circ$ and $PL = LQ$

Now, in the right $\triangle OLP$, we have

$$PL^2 + OL^2 = OP^2$$

$$\text{Or, } PL^2 + (4 - x)^2 = 5^2$$

$$\text{or, } PL^2 = 5^2 - (4 - x)^2$$

$$\text{or, } PL^2 = 25 - 16 - x^2 + 8x$$

$$\text{or, } PL^2 = 9 - x^2 + 8x \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

Again, in the right $\triangle O'LP$,

$$PL^2 = PO'^2 - LO'^2$$

$$= 3^2 - x^2 = 9 - x^2 \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

From (1) and (2), we have

$$9 - x^2 + 8x = 9 - x^2$$

$$\text{or, } 8x = 0$$

$$\text{or, } x = 0$$

Or, L and O' coincide.

Therefore, PQ is a diameter of the smaller circle.

$$\text{or, } PL = 3 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{But } PL = LQ$$

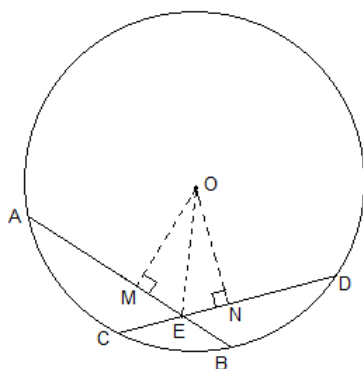
$$\text{Hence, } LQ = 3 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{Therefore, } PQ = PL + LQ = 3\text{cm} + 3\text{cm} = 6\text{cm}$$

Thus, the required length of the familiar chord = 6 cm.

Question 2: If two equal chords of a circle intersect within the process, prove that one chord's segments are equal to corresponding parts of the other chord.

Answer:



Given: A circle with centre O and equal chords AB and CD intersect at E.

To Prove: $AE = DE$ and $CE = BE$

Construction: Draw $OM \perp AB$ and $ON \perp CD$. We need to join OE.

Proof: Since $AB = CD$ [Given]

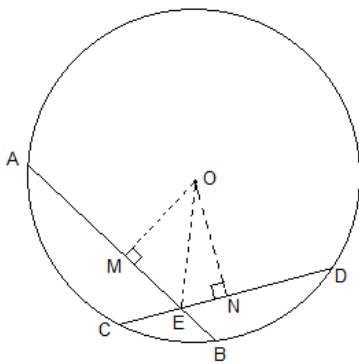
therefore, $OM = ON$ [Equal chords are equidistant from the centre]

Now, in $\triangle OME$ and $\triangle ONE$, we have
 $\angle OME = \angle ONE$ [Each equal to 90°]
 $OM = ON$ [Proved above]
 $OE = OE$ [Common hypotenuse]
Therefore, $\triangle OME \cong \triangle ONE$ [By RHS congruence criteria]
or, $ME = NE$ [C.P.C.T.]

Adding AM on both sides, we get
or, $AM + ME = AM + NE$
or, $AE = DN + NE = DE$
or, $AB = CD \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}AB = \frac{1}{2}DC$
Therefore, $AM = DN$
And, $AE = DE$ (1)
Now, $AB - AE = CD - DE$
or, $BE = CE$ (2)
From (1) and (2), we have
 $AE = DE$ and $CE = BE$

Question 3: If two equal chords of a circle intersect within the circle, prove that the line joining the intersection point to the centre makes equal angles with the chords.

Answer:



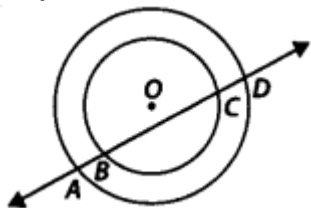
Given: A circle with centre O and equal chords AB and CD are intersecting at E .

To Prove: $\angle OEA = \angle OED$

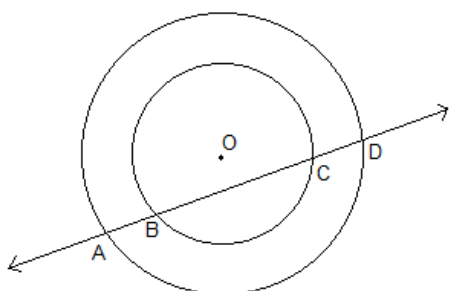
Construction: Draw $OM \perp AB$ and $ON \perp CD$. We need to join OE .

Proof: In $\triangle OME$ and $\triangle ONE$,
 $OM = ON$ [Equal chords are equidistant from the centre]
 $OE = OE$ [Common hypotenuse]
 $\angle OME = \angle ONE$ [Each equal to 90°]
Therefore, $\triangle OME \cong \triangle ONE$ [By RHS congruence criteria]
or, $\angle OEM = \angle OEN$ [C.P.C.T.]
or, $\angle OEA = \angle OED$

Question 4: If a line intersects two concentric circles (circles with the same centre) with centre O at A, B, C and D, prove that $AB = CD$ (see figure).



Answer:



Given: Two circles with the common centre O. A line l intersects the outer ring at A and D and the inner circle at B and C.

To Prove : $AB = CD$.

Construction: We need to draw $OM \perp l$.

Proof: For the outer circle,

$OM \perp l$ [By construction]

therefore, $AM = MD$ (1) [Perpendicular from the centre to the chord bisects the chord]

For the inner circle,

$OM \perp l$ [By construction]

Therefore, $BM = MC$ (2) [Perpendicular from the centre to the chord bisects the chord]

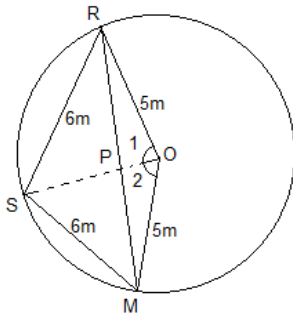
Subtracting (2) from (1), we have

$$AM - BM = MD - MC$$

Hence, $AB = CD$

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

Answer:



Let the three girls Reshma, Salma and Mandip be positioned at R, S and M respectively on the circle with centre O and radius 5 m such that $RS = SM = 6$ m, as given in the question.

Equal chords of a circle subtend equal angles at the centre.

therefore, $\angle 1 = \angle 2$

In $\triangle POR$ and $\triangle POM$, we have

$OR = OM$ [Radii of the same circle]

$\angle 1 = \angle 2$ [Proved above]

$OP = OP$ [Common]

Hence, $\triangle POR \cong \triangle POM$ [By SAS congruence criteria]

Therefore, $PR = PM$ and

$\angle OPR = \angle OPM$ [C.P.C.T.]

As, $\angle OPR + \angle OPM = 180^\circ$ [Linear pair]

Therefore, $\angle OPR = \angle OPM = 90^\circ$

or, $OP \perp RM$

Now, in $\triangle RSP$ and $\triangle MSP$, we have

$RS = MS$ [Each 6 cm]

$PR = PM$ [As proved above]

$SP = SP$ [Common]

Hence, $\triangle RSP \cong \triangle MSP$ [By SSS congruence criteria]

or, $\angle RPS = \angle MPS$ [C.P.C.T.]

But $\angle RPS + \angle MPS = 180^\circ$ [Linear pair]

Therefore, $\angle RPS = \angle MPS = 90^\circ$

SP passes through O .

Let $OP = x$ m

Hence, $SP = (5 - x)$ m

Now, in right $\triangle OPR$, we have

$$x^2 + RP^2 = 5^2$$

$$RP^2 = 5^2 - x^2 \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

In right $\triangle SPR$, we have

$$(5 - x)^2 + RP^2 = 6^2$$

$$\text{or, } RP^2 = 6^2 - (5 - x)^2 \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

From (1) and (2), we get

$$\text{or, } 5^2 - x^2 = 6^2 - (5 - x)^2$$

$$\text{or, } 25 - x^2 = 36 - [25 - 10x + x^2]$$

$$\text{or, } -10x + 14 = 0$$

or, $10x = 14$

or, $x = \frac{14}{10} = 1.4$

Now, $RP^2 = 5^2 - x^2$

or, $RP^2 = 25 - (1.4)^2$

or, $RP^2 = 25 - 1.96 = 23.04$

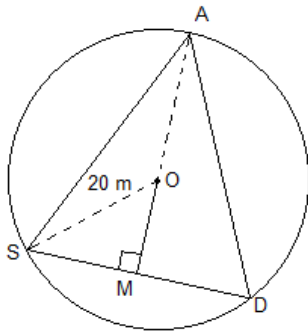
Hence, $RP = \sqrt{23.04} = 4.8$

Therefore, $RM = 2RP = 2 \times 4.8 = 9.6$

Thus, the distance between Reshma and Mandip is 9.6 m.

Question 6: A circular park of radius 20 m is situated in a colony. Three boys Ankur, Syed and David are sitting at equal distance on its boundary each having a toy telephone in his hands to talk to each other. Find the length of the string of each phone.

Answer:



Let Ankur, Syed and David are sitting at A, S and D respectively in the circular park with centre O such that $AS = SD = DA$

i. e., $\triangle ASD$ is an equilateral triangle.

Let the length of each side of the equilateral triangle be $2x$. Need to draw $AM \perp SD$.

Since $\triangle ASD$ is an equilateral triangle.

Therefore, AM passes through O.

or, $SM = \frac{1}{2} SD = \frac{1}{2} (2x)$

or, $SM = x$

Now, in right $\triangle ASM$, we have

$AM^2 + SM^2 = AS^2$ [Using Pythagoras theorem]

or, $AM^2 = AS^2 - SM^2 = (2x)^2 - x^2$

or, $4x^2 - x^2 = 3x^2$

or, $AM = \sqrt{3x} \text{ m}$

Now, $OM = AM - OA = (\sqrt{3x} - 20) \text{ m}$

Again, in the right $\triangle OSM$, we have

$OS^2 = SM^2 + OM^2$ [using Pythagoras theorem]

$20^2 = x^2 + (\sqrt{3x} - 20)^2$

or, $400 = x^2 + 3x^2 - 40\sqrt{3x} + 400$

or, $4x^2 = 40\sqrt{3x}$

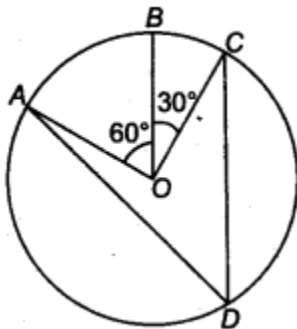
or, $x = 10\sqrt{3}$ m

Now, $SD = 2x = 2 \times 10\sqrt{3}$ m = $20\sqrt{3}$ m

Thus, the length of the string of each phone = $20\sqrt{3}$ m

Exercise 10.5

Question 1: In figure A, B and C are three points on a circle with centre O such that $\angle BOC = 30^\circ$ and $\angle AOB = 60^\circ$. If D is a point on the process other than the arc ABC, find $\angle ADC$.



Answer: We have a circle with centre O, such that $\angle AOB = 60^\circ$ and $\angle BOC = 30^\circ$

Therefore, $\angle AOB + \angle BOC = \angle AOC$

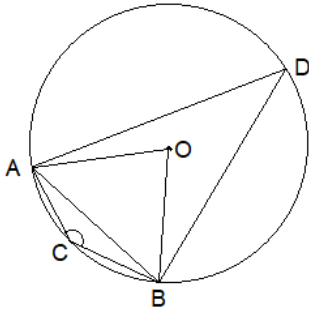
Thus, $\angle AOC = 60^\circ + 30^\circ = 90^\circ$

The angle subtended by an arc at the circle is half the angle subtended by it at the centre.

Therefore, $\angle ADC = \frac{1}{2} (\angle AOC) = \frac{1}{2}(90^\circ) = 45^\circ$

Question 2: A chord of a circle is equal to the radius of the process, find the angle subtended by the chord at a point on the minor arc and a point on the major arc.

Answer:



We have a circle having a chord AB equal to the radius of the process.

$\therefore AO = BO = AB$

$\Rightarrow \triangle AOB$ is an equilateral triangle.

Since each angle of an equilateral triangle is 60° .

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

Since the arc ACB makes reflex $\angle AOB = 360^\circ - 60^\circ = 300^\circ$ at the centre of the circle and $\angle ACB$ at a point on the minor arc of the circle.

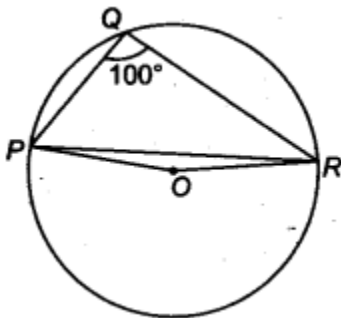
Therefore, $\angle ACB = \frac{1}{2} [\text{reflex } \angle AOB] = \frac{1}{2} [300^\circ] = 150^\circ$

Hence, the angle subtended by the chord on the minor arc = 150° .

Similarly, $\angle ADB = \frac{1}{2} [\angle AOB] = \frac{1}{2} \times 60^\circ = 30^\circ$

Hence, the angle subtended by the chord on the major arc = 30°

Question 3: In the figure, $\angle PQR = 100^\circ$, where P, Q and R are points on a circle with centre O. Find $\angle OPR$.



Answer: The angle subtended by an arc of a circle at its centre is twice the angle subtended by the same arc at a point on the circumference.

Therefore, reflex $\angle POR = 2\angle PQR$

But $\angle PQR = 100^\circ$

Thus, reflex $\angle POR = 2 \times 100^\circ = 200^\circ$

Since, $\angle POR + \text{reflex } \angle POR = 360^\circ$

or, $\angle POR = 360^\circ - 200^\circ$

or, $\angle POR = 160^\circ$

Since, $OP = OR$ [Radii of the same circle]

or, In $\triangle POR$, $\angle OPR = \angle ORP$ [Angles opposite to equal sides of a triangle are equal]

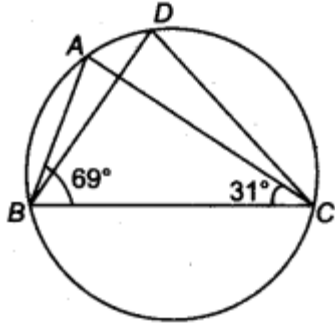
Also, $\angle OPR + \angle ORP + \angle POR = 180^\circ$ [Sum of the angles of a triangle is 180°]

or, $\angle OPR + \angle ORP + 160^\circ = 180^\circ$

or, $2\angle OPR = 180^\circ - 160^\circ = 20^\circ$ [$\angle OPR = \angle ORP$]

or, $\angle OPR = \frac{20^\circ}{2} = 10^\circ$

Question 4: In figure, $\angle ABC = 69^\circ$, $\angle ACB = 31^\circ$, find $\angle BDC$.



Answer: In $\triangle ABC$, $\angle ABC + \angle ACB + \angle BAC = 180^\circ$

or, $69^\circ + 31^\circ + \angle BAC = 180^\circ$

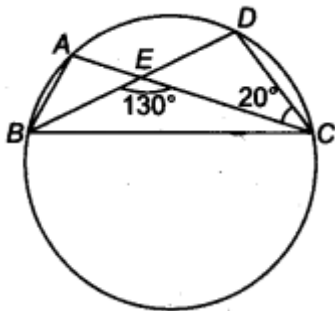
or, $\angle BAC = 180^\circ - 100^\circ = 80^\circ$

Since angles in the same segment are equal.

Therefore, $\angle BDC = \angle BAC$

or, $\angle BDC = 80^\circ$

Question 5: In the figure, A, B and C are four points on a circle. AC and BD intersect at a point E such that $\angle BEC = 130^\circ$ and $\angle ECD = 20^\circ$. Find $\angle BAC$.



Answer: $\angle BEC = \angle EDC + \angle ECD$ [Sum of interior opposite angles is equal to exterior angle]

or, $130^\circ = \angle EDC + 20^\circ$

or, $\angle EDC = 130^\circ - 20^\circ = 110^\circ$

or, $\angle BDC = 110^\circ$

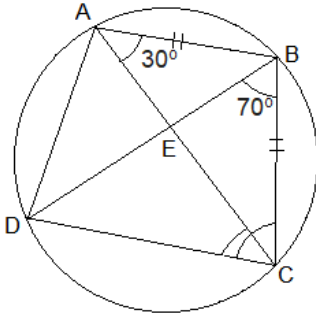
Since angles in the same segment are equal.

Hence, $\angle BAC = \angle BDC$

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

Question 6: ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral whose diagonals intersect at a point E. If $\angle DBC = 70^\circ$, $\angle BAC$ is 30° , find $\angle BCD$. Further, if $AB = BC$, find $\angle ECD$.

Answer:



Since angles in the same segment of a circle are equal. 70°

$$\therefore \angle BAC = \angle BDC$$

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

Also, $\angle DBC = 70^\circ$ [Given]

In $\triangle BCD$, we have

$$\angle BCD + \angle DBC + \angle CDB = 180^\circ \text{ [Sum of angles of a triangle is } 180^\circ \text{]}$$

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

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

Now, in $\triangle ABC$,

$AB = BC$ [Given]

$\therefore \angle BCA = \angle BAC$ [Angles opposite to equal sides of a triangle are equal]

$$\Rightarrow \angle BCA = 30^\circ \text{ [}\because \angle BAC = 30^\circ \text{]}$$

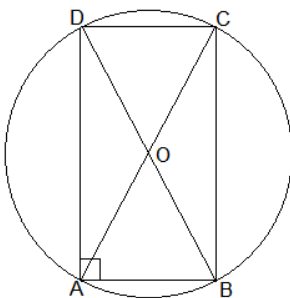
Now, $\angle BCA + \angle ECD = \angle BCD$

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

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

Question 7: If diagonals of a cyclic quadrilateral are diameters of the circle through the quadrilateral vertices, prove that it is a rectangle.

Answer:



Given that, AC and BD are diameters.

or, $AC = BD$ (1) [All diameters of a circle are equal]

Also, $\angle BAD = 90^\circ$ [Angle formed in a semicircle is 90°]

Similarly, $\angle ABC = 90^\circ$, $\angle BCD = 90^\circ$

and $\angle CDA = 90^\circ$

Now, in $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle BAD$, we have

$AC = BD$ [From (1)]

$\angle ABC = \angle BAD$ [Each equal to 90°]

$AB = BA$ [Common hypotenuse]

Therefore, $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle BAD$ [By RHS congruence criteria]

or, $BC = AD$ [C.P.C.T.]

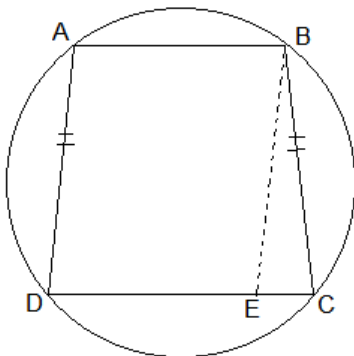
Similarly, $AB = DC$

Thus, the cyclic quadrilateral ABCD is such that its opposite sides are equal and each of its angles is a right angle.

Hence, ABCD is a rectangle.

Question 8: If the non – parallel sides of a trapezium are equal, prove that it is cyclic.

Answer:



We have a trapezium ABCD such that $AB \parallel CD$ and $AD = BC$.

Let us draw $BE \parallel AD$ such that ABED is a parallelogram.

Since, the opposite angles and opposite sides of a parallelogram are equal.

therefore, $\angle BAD = \angle BED$ (1)

and $AD = BE$ (2)

But $AD = BC$ [Given] (3)

Hence, From (2) and (3), we have $BE = BC$

or, $\angle BCE = \angle BEC$ (4) [Angles opposite to equal sides of a triangle are equal]

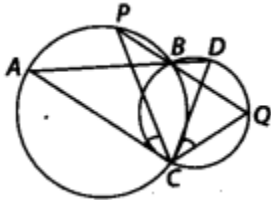
Now, $\angle BED + \angle BEC = 180^\circ$ [Linear pair]

or, $\angle BAD + \angle BCE = 180^\circ$ [Using (1) and (4)]

i.e., A pair of opposite angles of a quadrilateral ABCD is 180° .

Hence, ABCD is cyclic.
Therefore, the trapezium ABCD is cyclic.

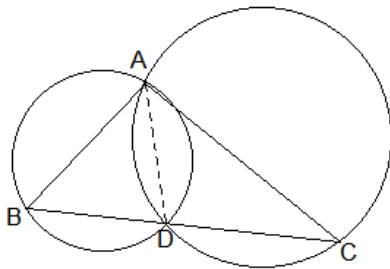
Question 9: Two circles intersect at two points B and C. Through B, two line segments ABD and PBQ are drawn to cross the processes at A, D and P, Q respectively (see figure). Prove that $\angle ACP = \angle QCD$.



Answer: Since angles in the same segment of a circle are equal.
Therefore, $\angle ACP = \angle ABP$ (1)
Similarly, $\angle QCD = \angle QBD$ (2)
Since $\angle ABP = \angle QBD$ (3) [Vertically opposite angles]
Therefore, from (1), (2) and (3), we have
 $\angle ACP = \angle QCD$

Question 10: If circles are drawn taking two sides of a triangle as diameters, prove that the point of intersection of these circles lie on the third side.

Answer:



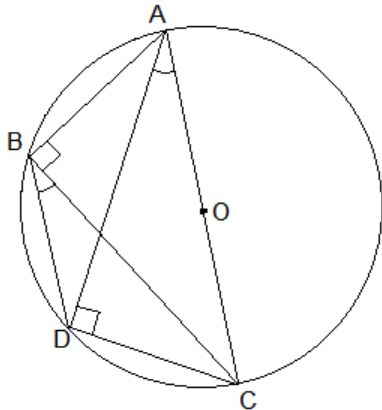
We have $\triangle ABC$, and two circles described with a diameter as AB and AC respectively. They intersect at a point D, other than A. Now, let us join A and D.

Since AB is a diameter.
Therefore, $\angle ADB$ is an angle formed in a semicircle.
or, $\angle ADB = 90^\circ$ (1)
Similarly, $\angle ADC = 90^\circ$ (2)
Adding (1) and (2), we have
 $\angle ADB + \angle ADC = 90^\circ + 90^\circ = 180^\circ$
i. e., B, D and C are collinear points.
Or, BC is a straight line.
Thus, D lies on BC.

Question 11: $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle ADC$ are two right-angled triangles with standard hypotenuse AC . Prove that $\angle CAD = \angle CBD$.

Answer: We have $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle ADC$ such that they have AC as their common hypotenuse and $\angle ADC = 90^\circ = \angle ABC$
Therefore, both the triangles are in a semi-circle.

CASE 1:



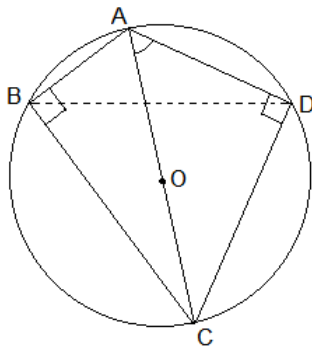
Suppose both the triangles are in the same semi-circle. Hence, A, B, C and D are concyclic.

Let us join BD , and DC is a chord.

Therefore, $\angle CAD$ and $\angle CBD$ are formed in the same segment.

or, $\angle CAD = \angle CBD$

CASE 2:



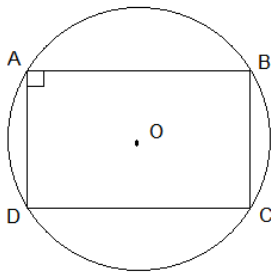
Suppose both the triangles are not in the same semi-circle. Hence, A, B, C and D are concyclic. Let us join BD , and DC is a chord.

Therefore, $\angle CAD$ and $\angle CBD$ are formed in the same segment.

or, $\angle CAD = \angle CBD$

Question 12: Prove that a cyclic parallelogram is a rectangle.

Answer: We have a cyclic parallelogram ABCD. Since ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral.



As we know, the sum of its opposite angles is 180° .

or, $\angle A + \angle C = 180^\circ$ (1)

But $\angle A = \angle C$ (2) [Opposite angles of a parallelogram are equal]

From (1) and (2), we have

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

Similarly, $\angle B = \angle D = 90^\circ$ and each angle of the parallelogram ABCD is 90° .

Thus, ABCD is a rectangle.

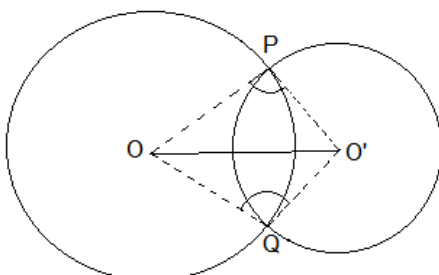
Exercise 10.6

Question 1: Prove that the line of centres of two intersecting circles subtends equal angles at the two intersection points.

Answer: Given: Two circles with centres O and O' respectively such that they intersect each other at P and Q.

To Prove: $\angle OPO' = \angle OQO'$.

Construction: Join OP, O'P, OQ, O'Q and OO'.



Proof: In $\triangle OPO'$ and $\triangle OQO'$, we have

$OP = OQ$ [Radii of the same circle]

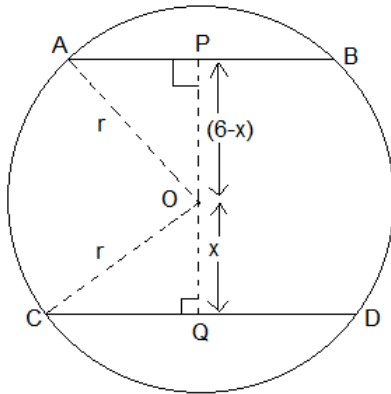
$OO' = OO'$ [Common]

$O'P = O'Q$ [Radii of the same circle]

Hence, Triangle $OPO' = \text{Triangle } OQO'$ [By SSS congruence criteria]
 or, $\angle OPO' = \angle OQO'$ [C.P.C.T.]

Question 2: Two chords AB and CD of lengths 5 cm and 11 cm, respectively of a circle are parallel to each other and are on opposite sides of its centre. If the distance between AB and CD is 6 cm, find the radius of the circle.

Answer:



We have a circle with centre O. $AB \parallel CD$ and the perpendicular distance between AB and CD is 6 cm and $AB = 5$ cm, $CD = 11$ cm. [Given]

Let r cm be the radius of the circle.

Let us draw $OP \perp AB$ and $OQ \perp CD$ such that $PQ = 6$ cm and join OA and OC.

Let $OQ = x$ cm

Hence, $OP = (6 - x)$ cm

Therefore, The perpendicular drawn from the centre of a circle to a chord bisects the chord.

$$\text{Therefore, } AP = \frac{1}{2}AB = \left(\frac{1}{2} \times 5\right) \text{ cm} = \frac{5}{2} \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{Similarly, } CQ = \frac{1}{2}CD = \left(\frac{1}{2} \times 11\right) \text{ cm} = \frac{11}{2} \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{In } \triangle CQO, \text{ we have } CO^2 = CQ^2 + OQ^2$$

$$\text{or, } r^2 = \left(\frac{11}{2}\right)^2 + x^2$$

$$\text{or, } r^2 = \frac{121}{4} + x^2 \dots (1)$$

$$\text{In } \triangle APO, \text{ we have } AO^2 = AP^2 + OP^2$$

$$\text{Or, } r^2 = \left(\frac{5}{2}\right)^2 + (6 - x)^2$$

$$\text{Or, } r^2 = \frac{25}{4} + 36 - 12x + x^2 \dots (2)$$

From (1) and (2) we have,

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

$$\text{Or, } -12x = \frac{121}{4} - \frac{25}{4} - 36$$

$$\text{Or, } 12x = 12 \quad , \text{ or, } x = 1$$

Substituting the value of x in (1) we get

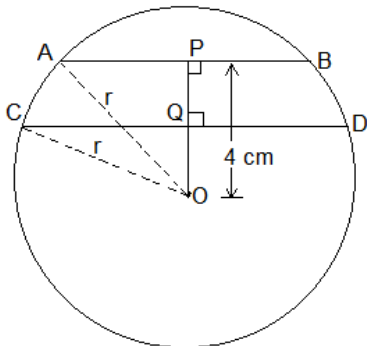
$$r^2 = \frac{121}{4} + 1 = \frac{125}{4}$$

$$\text{Or, } r = \frac{5\sqrt{5}}{2}$$

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

Question 3: The lengths of two parallel chords of a circle are 6 cm and 8 cm. If the smaller chord is at a distance 4 cm from the centre, what is the distance of the other chord from the centre?

Answer:



We have a circle with centre O. Parallel chords AB and CD are such that the smaller chord is 4 cm away from the centre. Let r cm be the radius of the circle and draw $OP \perp AB$ and join OA and OC. As $OP \perp AB$ Therefore, P is the mid-point of AB.

$$\text{or, } AP = \frac{1}{2}AB = \frac{1}{2}(6\text{cm}) = 3 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{Similarly, } CQ = \frac{1}{2}CD = \frac{1}{2}(8\text{cm}) = 4 \text{ cm}$$

Now in $\triangle OPA$, we have $OA^2 = OP^2 + AP^2$

$$\text{or, } r^2 = 4^2 + 3^2$$

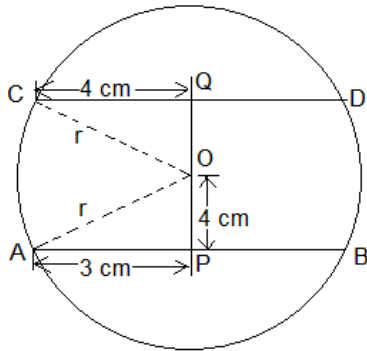
$$\text{or, } r^2 = 16 + 9 = 25$$

$$\text{or, } r = \sqrt{25} = 5$$

Again, in $\triangle CQO$, we have $OC^2 = OQ^2 + CQ^2$

$$\text{or, } r^2 = OQ^2 + 4^2$$

or, $OQ^2 = r^2 - 4^2$
 or, $OQ^2 = 5^2 - 4^2 = 25 - 16 = 9$ [$r = 5$]
 or, OQ
 or, $\sqrt{9} = 3$
 The distance of the other chord (CD) from the centre is 3 cm.



If we take the two parallel chords on either side of the centre, O, then,
 In $\triangle POA$, $OA^2 = OP^2 + PA^2$
 or, $r^2 = 4^2 + 3^2 = 5^2$
 or, $r = 5$
 In $\triangle QOC$, $OC^2 = CQ^2 + OQ^2$
 or, $OQ^2 = 5^2 - 4^2 = 9$
 or, $OQ = 3$

Question 4: Let the vertex of an angle ABC be located outside a circle and let the sides of the angle intersect equal chords AD and CE with the process. Prove that $\angle ABC$ is equal to half the difference of the angles subtended by the chords AC and DE at the centre.

Answer: Given: $\angle ABC$ is such that when we produce arms BA and BC, they make two equal chords AD and CE.

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

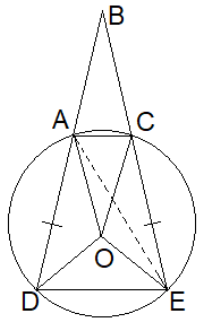
Construction: We need to join AE.

Proof: An exterior angle of a triangle is equal to the sum of interior opposite angles.

In $\triangle BAE$, we have,

$$\angle DAE = \angle ABC + \angle AEC \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

The chord DE subtends $\angle DOE$ at the centre and $\angle DAE$ in the remaining part of the circle.



Therefore, $\angle DAE = \frac{1}{2} \angle DOE$(2)

Similarly, $\angle AEC = \frac{1}{2} \angle AOC$ (3)

So, from (1) (2) and (3)

$$\frac{1}{2} \angle DOE = \angle ABC + \frac{1}{2} \angle AOC$$

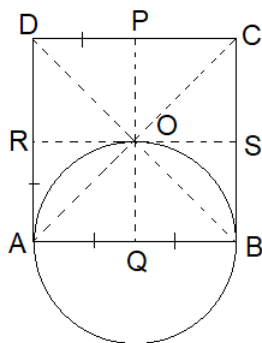
$$\text{or, } \angle ABC = \frac{1}{2} \angle DOE - \frac{1}{2} \angle AOC$$

or, $\angle ABC = \frac{1}{2} [(\text{Angle subtended by the chord DE at the centre}) - (\text{Angle subtended by the chord AC at the centre})]$

or, $\angle ABC = \frac{1}{2} [\text{Difference of the angles subtended by the chords DE and AC at the centre}]$

Question 5: Prove that the circle drawn with any side of a rhombus as diameter, passes through the point of intersection of its diagonals.

Answer:



We have a rhombus ABCD and its diagonals AC and BD intersect at O. We need to take AB as diameter, a circle is drawn. Let us draw $PQ \parallel DA$ and $RS \parallel AB$; both are passing through O. P, Q, R and S are the mid-points of DC, AB, AD and BC respectively,

As Q is the mid-point of AB.

$$\text{or, } AQ = QB \text{(1)}$$

Since $AD = BC$ [ABCD is a rhombus]

or, $\frac{1}{2} AD = \frac{1}{2} BC$

or, $RA = SB$

or, $RA = OQ$ (2) [PQ is drawn parallel to AD and $AD = BC$]

We have, $AB = AD$ [Sides of a rhombus are equal]

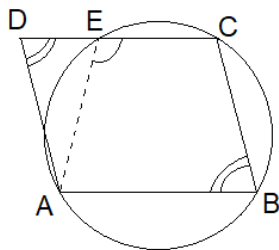
or, $\frac{1}{2} AB = \frac{1}{2} AD$

or, $AQ = AR$ (3)

From (1), (2) and (3), we have $AQ = QB = OQ$, i.e. A circle drawn with Q as the centre, will pass through A, B and O. Thus, the process passes through the of intersection 'O' of the diagonals of rhombus ABCD.

Question 6: ABCD is a parallelogram. The circle through A, B and C intersect CD (produced if necessary) at E. Prove that $AE = AD$.

Answer:



We have a circle passing through A, B and C is drawn such that it intersects CD at E.

ABCE is a cyclic quadrilateral.

Therefore, $\angle AEC + \angle B = 180^\circ$ (1) [Opposite angles of a cyclic quadrilateral are supplementary]

But, it is given that ABCD is a parallelogram.

Hence, $\angle D = \angle B$ (2) [Opposite angles of a parallelogram are equal]

From (1) and (2), we have

$\angle AEC + \angle D = 180^\circ$ (3)

But $\angle AEC + \angle AED = 180^\circ$ [Linear pair](4)

From (3) and (4), we have $\angle D = \angle AED$

i.e., The base angles of AADE are equal.

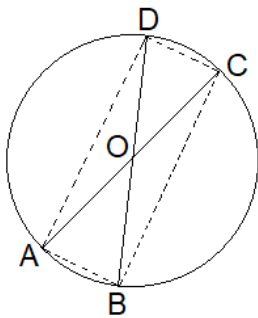
Hence, the opposite sides must be equal.

or, $AE = AD$

Question 7: AC and BD are chords of a circle which bisect each other. Prove that

- (i) AC and BD are diameters,**
- (ii) ABCD is a rectangle.**

Answer:



Given: A circle in which two chords AC and BD are such that they bisect each other. Let their point of intersection be O.

To Prove: (i) AC and BD are diameters.

(ii) ABCD is a rectangle.

Construction: Join AB, BC, CD and DA.

Proof: (i) In $\triangle AOB$ and $\triangle COD$, we have

$AO = CO$ [O is the mid-point of AC]

$BO = DO$ [O is the mid-point of BD]

$\angle AOB = \angle COD$ [Vertically opposite angles]

Therefore, Using the SAS criterion of congruence,

$\triangle AOB \cong \triangle COD$

or, $AB = CD$ [C.P.C.T.]

or, arc AB = arc CD(1)

Similarly, arc AD = arc BC(2)

Adding (1) and (2), we get

arc AB + arc AD = arc CD + arc BC

or, arc BAD = arc BCD

Or, BD divides the circle into two equal parts.

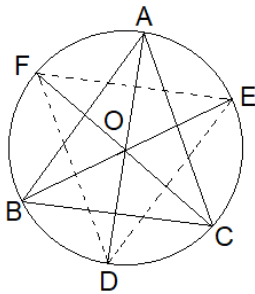
Hence, BD is a diameter.

Similarly, AC is a diameter.

- (i) We know that $\triangle AOB \cong \triangle COD$
 or, $\angle OAB = \angle OCD$ [C.P.C.T]
 or, $\angle CAB = \angle ACD$
 $AB \parallel DC$
 Similarly, $AD \parallel BC$
 Therefore, ABCD is a parallelogram.
 Since, opposite angles of a parallelogram are equal.
 Hence, $\angle DAB = \angle DCB$
 But $\angle DAB + \angle DCB = 180^\circ$ [Sum of the opposite angles of a cyclic quadrilateral is 180°]
 or, $\angle DAB = 90^\circ = \angle DCB$ Thus, ABCD is a rectangle.

Question 8: Bisectors of angles A, B and C of an $\triangle ABC$ intersect its circumcircle at D, E and F, respectively. Prove that the angles of the $\triangle DEF$ are $90^\circ - \frac{1}{2}A$, $90^\circ - \frac{1}{2}B$ and $90^\circ - \frac{1}{2}C$.

Answer:



Given: A triangle ABC inscribed in a circle, such that bisectors of $\angle A$, $\angle B$ and $\angle C$ intersect the circumcircle at D, E and F respectively.

Construction: Join DE, EF and FD.

Proof: Since angles in the same segment are equal.

Therefore, $\angle EDA = \angle FCA$ (1)

$\angle EDA = \angle EBA$ (2)

Adding (1) and (2), we have

$\angle FDA + \angle EDA = \angle FCA + \angle EBA$

or, $\angle FDE = \angle FCA + \angle EBA$

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

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

$$= \frac{1}{2} [180^\circ - \angle A]$$

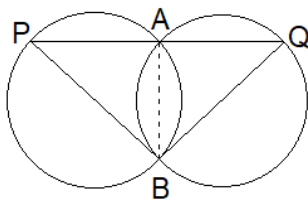
$$= \left(90^\circ - \frac{\angle A}{2}\right)$$

Similarly, $\angle FED = \left(90^\circ - \frac{\angle B}{2}\right)$ and $\angle EFD = \left(90^\circ - \frac{\angle C}{2}\right)$

Thus, the angles of $\triangle DEF$ are, $\left(90^\circ - \frac{\angle A}{2}\right)$, $\left(90^\circ - \frac{\angle B}{2}\right)$, $\left(90^\circ - \frac{\angle C}{2}\right)$

Question 9: Two congruent circles intersect each other at points A and B. Any line segment PAQ is drawn so that P, Q lie on the two circles. Prove that BP = BQ.

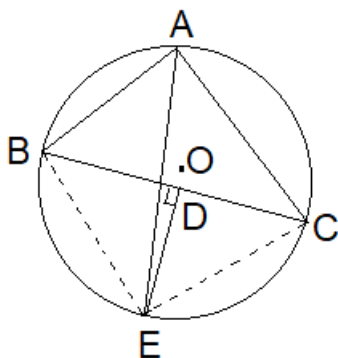
Answer: We have two congruent circles such that they intersect each other at A and B. A line segment passing through A meets the circles at P and Q. Let us draw the common chord AB for the convenience of the solution.



Since angles subtended by equal chords in the congruent circles are equal.
 or, $\angle APB = \angle AQB$
 Now, in $\triangle PBQ$, we have $\angle AQB = \angle APB$
 So, their opposite sides must be equal.
 or $BP = BQ$.

Question 10: In any $\triangle ABC$, if the angle bisector of $\angle A$ and perpendicular bisector of BC intersect, prove that they intersect on the circumcircle of the $\triangle ABC$.

Answer:



Here, we need to join BE and CE for the convenience of the solution.

Now, AE is the bisector of $\angle BAC$,

$$\angle BAE = \angle CAE$$

also, arc BE = arc EC

hence, we can conclude that chord BE = chord EC

Now, we need to consider $\triangle BDE$ and $\triangle CDE$,

$$DE = DE \text{ [common side]}$$

$$BD = CD \text{ [Given]}$$

$$BE = CE \text{ [Earlier proved]}$$

So, by SSS congruency, $\triangle BDE \cong \triangle CDE$.

$$\text{Thus, } \angle BDE = \angle CDE$$

Since, we know that, $\angle BDE + \angle CDE = 180^\circ$

$$\text{Or, } \angle BDE = \angle CDE = 90^\circ$$

Hence, $DE \perp BC$.