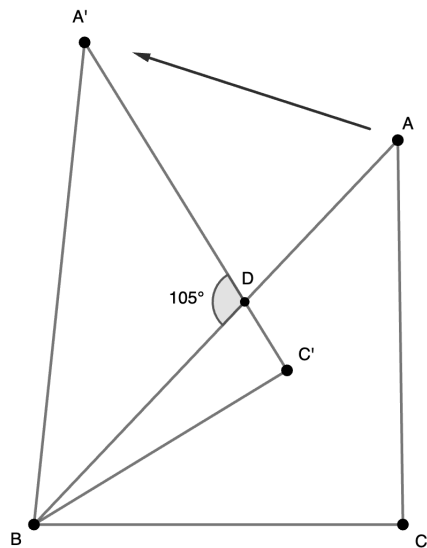


Triangle  $ABC$  is rotated  $23^\circ$  counterclockwise around  $B$ , giving the transformed triangle  $A'BC'$ . The intersection of  $AB$  and  $A'C'$  is shown by  $D$ , and  $\angle A'DB$  is  $105^\circ$ . Find the measure of  $\angle A$ .<sup>1</sup>




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## Solution

*Answer* :  $52^\circ$

Proof: We know that  $\angle ABA' = 23^\circ$ , so  $\angle \mathbf{A} = \angle \mathbf{A}' = 180^\circ - 105^\circ - 23^\circ = 52^\circ$ .