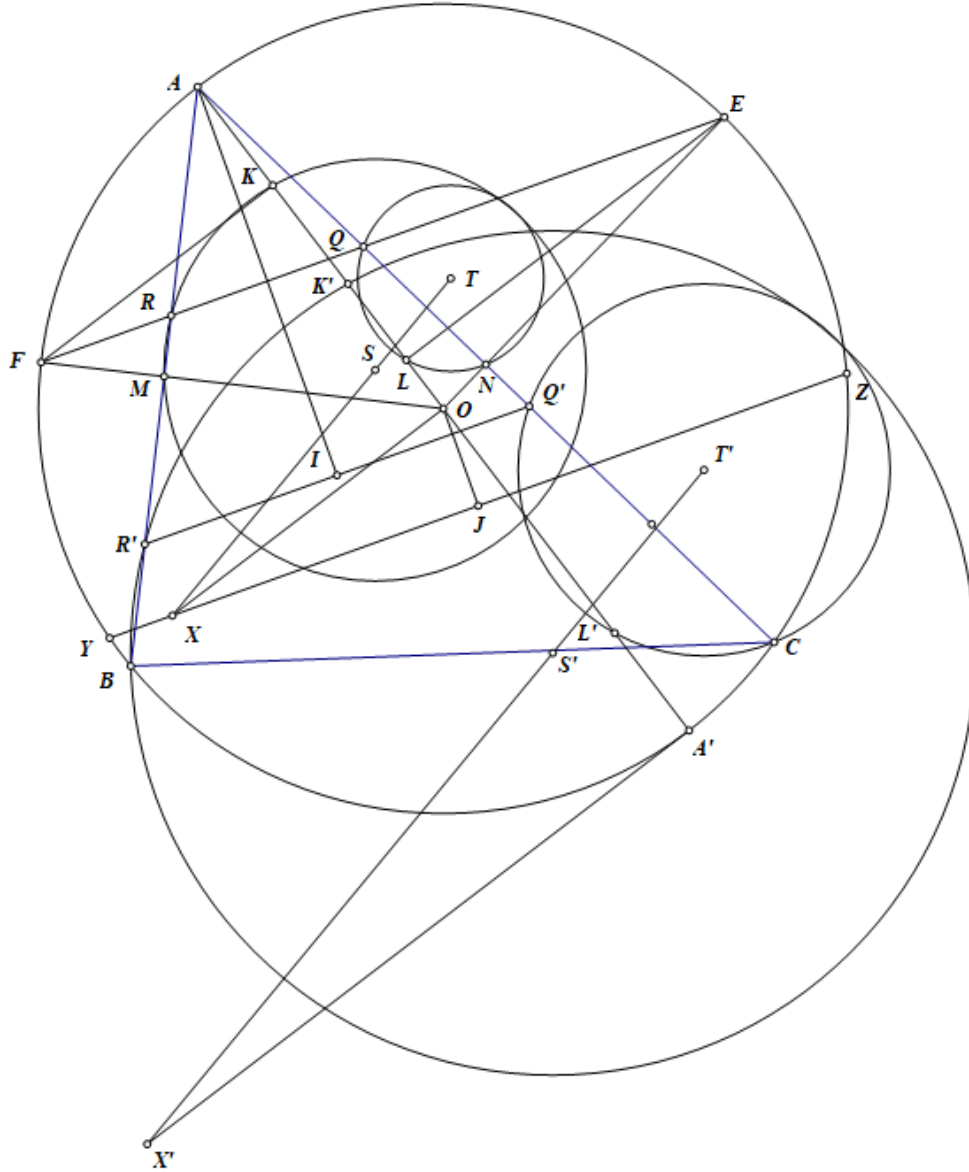


# Problem 6

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Let  $I$  be the incenter of  $ABC$ ,  $H, J$  be the projection of  $A, O$  on  $EF, YZ$  respectively.  
 It is well known that  $EF$  is the perpendicular bisector of  $AI$  therefore  $AI = 2AH$ .  
 Then  $H$  is the orthocenter of triangle  $AYZ$  if and only if  
 $\overrightarrow{AH} = 2.\overrightarrow{OJ}$ .  
 since  $AH \parallel OJ$  it is equivalent to  $AI = 4OJ = 4.OX.\sin\angle OXJ = 4.OX.\sin\angle OAI$

therefore we will prove  $OX = \frac{AI}{4 \cdot \sin \angle OAI}$ .

From  $I$  construct a line perpendicular to  $AI$  cut  $AB, AC$  at  $R', Q'$  respectively, construct diameter  $AA'$  of  $(O)$ , homothety at center  $A$  with scaling factor 2 sends  $M \rightarrow B, N \rightarrow C, R \rightarrow R', Q \rightarrow Q', K \rightarrow K', L \rightarrow L', S \rightarrow S', T \rightarrow T', O \rightarrow A', X \rightarrow X'$  we get  $S', T'$  is the center of  $(BR'K'), (CQ'L')$  and  $X'$  is the intersection of  $S'T'$  and the line from  $A$  perpendicular to  $AA'$ .

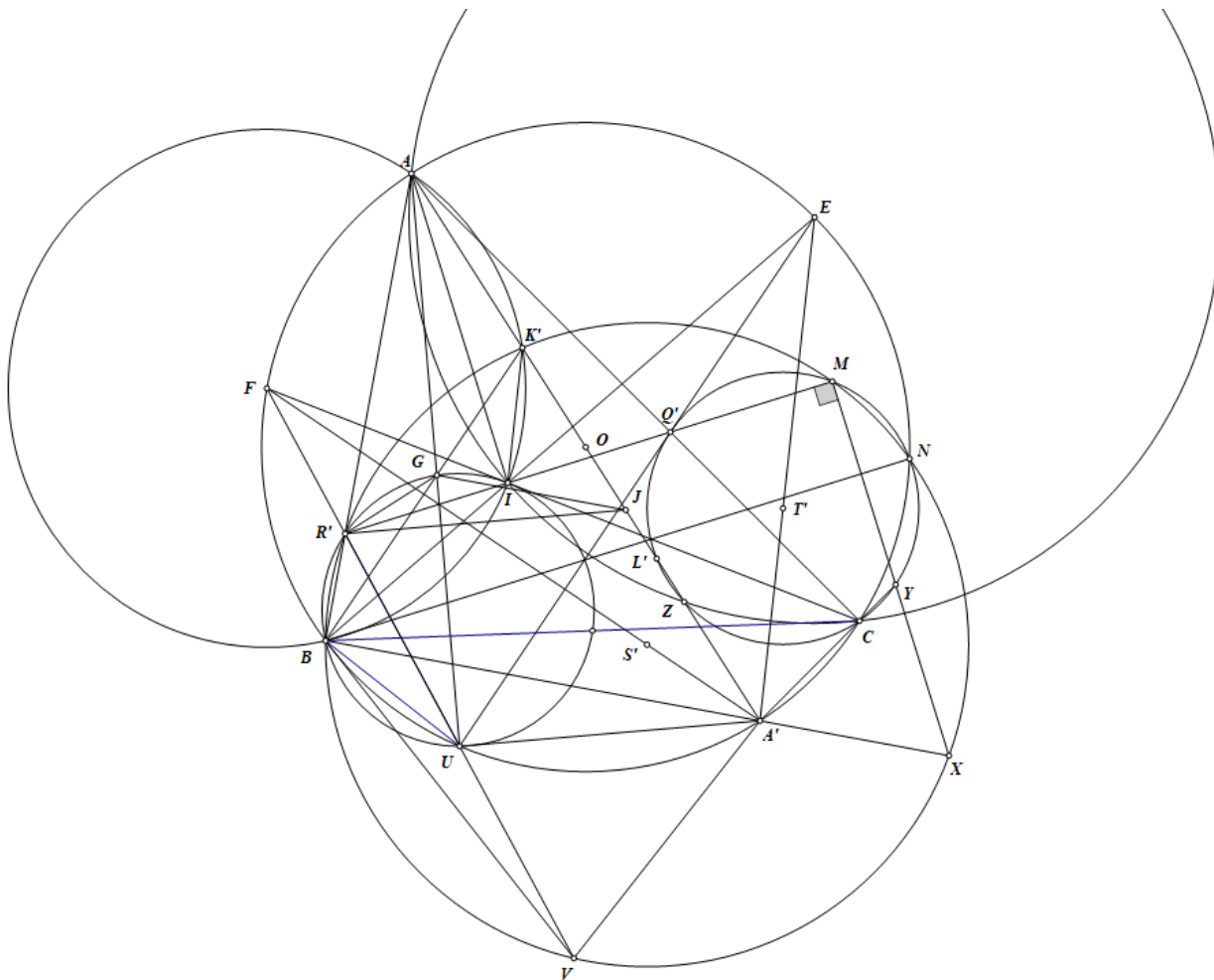
Since  $AKMF$  is a cyclic quadrilateral,  $OA = OF$  therefore  $OK = OM$  and  $OL = ON$  similarly.

Therefore  $K'$  lies on  $AA'$  and  $A'K' = A'B, A'L' = A'C$

and so  $\angle AK'B = 90^\circ + \angle AA'B/2 = \angle AIB$  and  $AK'IB$  is a cyclic quadrilateral and similarly  $AL'IC$ .

Since  $A'X' = 2OX$  we will prove  $A'X' = \frac{AI}{2 \sin \angle OAI}$ .

**Claim:**  $(BR'K'), (CQ'L'), (O)$  have a common point  $N$  and let  $(A - mix)$  tangents to  $(O)$  at  $U$  then  $A'U = A'N(1)$ . Let the second intersection of  $(BR'K')$  and  $(CQ'L')$  be  $M$  then  $M$  lies on  $R'Q'(2)$



It is well known that  $\overline{F, R', U}, \overline{E, Q', U}$  and  $BR'IU$  is a cyclic quadrilateral,  $\angle ABK' = \angle ABI - \angle K'BI = \angle ABI - \angle OAI = \angle ACI = \angle AUF = \angle AUR'$  therefore let  $G$  be the intersection of  $BK'$  and  $AU$  then  $B, G, R', I, U$  lie on the same circle. Let  $(A', A'U)$  cut  $FU$  at  $V$ , perpendicular bisector of  $IG$  cut  $AO$  at  $J$ . By simple angle chasing we get  $\triangle JGK' \sim \triangle A'UV$ ,  $JG \perp AN$ ,  $R'G \perp AJ$

therefore  $G$  is the orthocenter of  $\triangle AR'J$

therefore by angle chasing  $\triangle R'GJ \sim \triangle BUA'$

combine with  $\triangle JGK' \sim \triangle A'UV$

we get  $\triangle R'GK' \sim \triangle BUV$

therefore  $\angle R'K'G = \angle BVU$  and  $V$  lies on  $(BR'K')$ .

Redefine  $N$  as the intersection of  $(BR'K')$  and  $(O)$

we get  $\angle A'UN = \angle A'AN = 90^\circ - \angle R'BN = 90^\circ - \angle UVN$

combine with  $A'U = A'V$  we get  $A'$  is the center of  $(UVN)$  therefore  $A'U = A'N$ .

Let  $N'$  as the intersection of  $(CQ'L')$  and  $(O)$  similarly we get  $A'U = A'N'$  therefore  $N' \equiv N$  and so (1) is true.

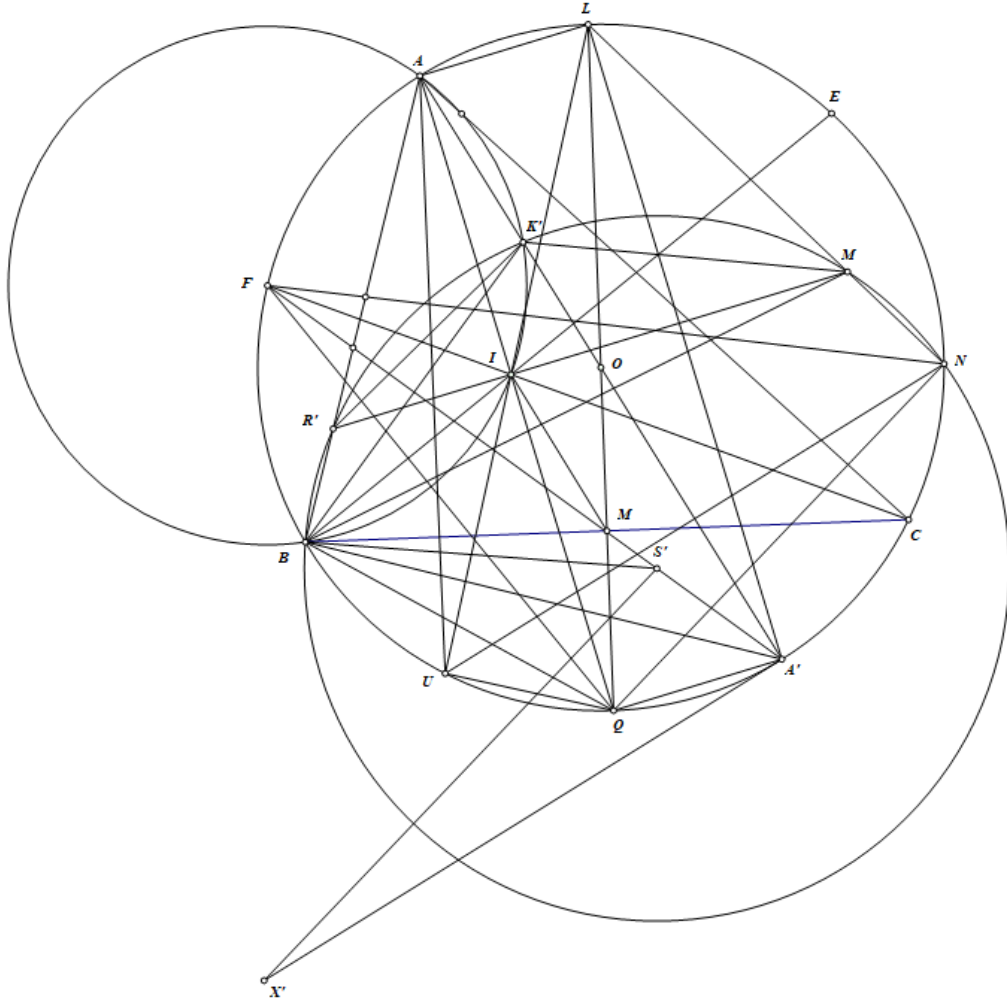
Let  $X, Y$  be the intersection of  $A'B, A'C$  with  $(BR'K'), (CQ'L')$  respectively.

By simple angle chasing we get  $\triangle NA'X \sim \triangle NAR', \triangle NA'Y \sim \triangle NAQ'$

therefore  $\frac{AR'}{A'X} = \frac{NA}{NA'} = \frac{AQ'}{A'Y}$  and so  $A'X = A'Y$ .

Therefore  $\angle A'XY = 90^\circ - \angle BAC/2 = 90^\circ - \angle(R'Q', A'B)$  and so  $XY \perp R'Q'$ . Therefore let  $XY$  intersect  $R'Q'$  at  $M'$  then  $M'$  lies on  $(BR'K')$  and  $(CQ'L')$  and so  $M' \equiv M$  which imply that (2) is true.

Back to the main problem, we will prove  $A'X' = \frac{AI}{2 \cdot \sin \angle OAI} (*)$ .



Let  $Q$  be the midpoint of arc  $BC$  not containing  $A$  of  $(O)$ ,  $UI$  cut  $(O)$  at  $L$  we get  $L$  is the mid point of arc  $BAC$  of  $(O)$  therefore  $LQ$  is the diameter of  $(O)$ .

We have  $S'X'$  is the perpendicular bisector of  $MN$ ,  $\angle MNQ = \angle MNB + \angle BNQ = \angle AKM + \angle BAQ = 90^\circ$  therefore  $X'S' \parallel QN$ . Also since  $A'N = A'U$ ,  $UN \perp AA'$

therefore  $UN \parallel A'X'$  and so  $\angle A'X'S' = \angle QNU = \angle IAU = \angle QIM$ ,  $\angle X'A'S' = \angle FAO = 90^\circ - \angle ACB/2 = \angle BIQ$

therefore  $\angle A'S'X' = 180^\circ - \angle A'X'S' - \angle X'A'S' = 180^\circ - \angle QIM - \angle BIQ = 180^\circ - \angle BIM$ .

We have  $\angle BS'A' = 180^\circ - \angle BS'K'/2 = \angle BR'K'$ ,  $\angle BA'S' = \angle FCB = \angle R'BK'$  which is equivalent to

$$\triangle BS'A' \sim \triangle K'R'B \implies \frac{A'S'}{A'B} = \frac{BR'}{BK'}.$$

By simple angle chasing, we get  $\triangle BIR' \sim \triangle BCI$ ,  $\triangle BK'A' \sim \triangle BIQ \implies BI^2 = BR' \cdot BC$ ,  $\frac{BK'}{BA'} = \frac{BI}{BQ}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} (*) &\iff \frac{A'X'}{A'S'} \cdot \frac{A'S'}{A'B} \cdot A'B = \frac{AI}{2 \cdot A'Q/A'A} = \frac{AI \cdot A'A}{2 \cdot A'Q} \\ &\iff \frac{AI \cdot A'A}{2 \cdot A'Q} = \frac{\sin \angle A'S'X'}{\sin \angle A'X'S'} \cdot \frac{BR'}{BK'} \cdot A'B = \frac{\sin \angle BIM}{\sin \angle IAU} \cdot \frac{BR'}{BK'} \cdot A'B \\ &= \frac{\sin \angle BIM}{\sin \angle IMB} \cdot \frac{\sin \angle IMB}{\sin \angle IAU} \cdot \frac{BA'}{BK'} \cdot BR' \\ &= \frac{BM}{BI} \cdot \frac{\sin \angle AQU}{\sin \angle QAU} \cdot \frac{BQ}{BI} \cdot BR' \\ &= \frac{BM}{BI} \cdot \frac{UA}{UQ} \cdot \frac{BQ}{BI} \cdot BR' = \frac{BM}{BI^2} \cdot \frac{UA}{UQ} \cdot QI \cdot BR' = \frac{BM}{BR' \cdot BC} \cdot \frac{UA}{UQ} \cdot QI \cdot BR' = \frac{UA \cdot QI}{2UQ} \\ &\iff 1 = \frac{AI}{AU} \cdot \frac{QU}{QI} \cdot \frac{AA'}{A'Q} = \frac{LI}{LQ} \cdot \frac{LA}{LI} \cdot \frac{AA'}{A'Q} \cdot (\text{which is true since } AL = QA', AA' = LQ) \end{aligned}$$

therefore  $(*)$  is true and so the problem is proved.