Full - angle method

Example 81 If the two bisectors of the angle A of the triangle ABC are equal, and the circle having BC for diameter cuts the sides AB, AC in the points P, Q, show that $CP \equiv CQ$.

Figure 81

Point order: u, v, a, b, c, o, p, q.

Hypotheses: perp(a, u, a, v), cong(a, u, a, v), coll(u, v, b),

eqangle(c, a, u, u, a, b), coll(u, v, c), midpoint(o, b, c), coll(a, b, p),

coll(a, c, q), pbisector(o, b, q), pbisector(o, b, p).

Conclusion: pbisector(c, p, q).

The Machine Proof

$$-[qp,qc] - [qp,pc]$$

(Since q, p, c, b are cyclic; [qp, qc] = [pb, cb].)

$$=-[qp,pc]-[pb,cb]$$

(Since
$$pc \perp ab$$
; $[qp, pc] = [qp, ba] + 1$.)

$$=-[qp, ba] - [pb, cb] - 1$$

(Since a, c, q are collinear; q, p, c, b are cyclic; [qp, ba] = [qp, qc] + [ca, ba] = [pb, cb] + [ca, ba].)

$$= -2[pb, cb] - [ca, ba] - 1$$

(Since a, b, p are collinear; [pb, cb] = -[cb, ba].)

$$= 2[cb, ba] - [ca, ba] - 1$$

(Since b, c, u, v are collinear; [cb, ba] = -[ba, vu].)

$$= -[ca, ba] - 2[ba, vu] - 1$$

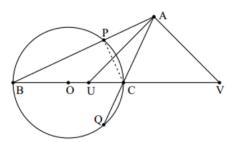
(Since
$$\angle[ac, ab] = \angle[ua, ab]$$
; $[ca, ba] = [ca, ua] + [ua, ba] = -2[ba, au]$.)

$$= 2[ba, au] - 2[ba, vu] - 1$$

(Since
$$ba \parallel ba$$
; $2[ba, au] - 2[ba, vu] = -2[au, vu]$.)

$$= -2[au, vu] - 1$$

(Since
$$au = av \ ua \perp av$$
; $[au, vu] =_1 423772$.)



Example 2 11: As shown in the figure, in $\triangle ABC$, AU and AV are the bisectors of the inner and outer angles of $\angle A$ respectively. A circle with BC as the diameter intersects AB and AC at P and Q respectively. If AU = AV, then CP = CQ.

$$\frac{\frac{P-C}{P-Q}}{\frac{Q-P}{C-A}} = \frac{\frac{B-A}{B-C}}{\frac{Q-P}{C-A}} \frac{\frac{P-C}{P-Q}}{\frac{B-C}{B-Q}} \frac{\frac{C-B}{V-A}}{\frac{V-A}{B-C}} \frac{\frac{A-U}{A-B}}{\frac{A-C}{A-U}} \frac{A-V}{A-U} \frac{A-C}{B-Q}$$