

Problems On Geometry Of Circle

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Abstract—This document proves a circle theorem with the help of different figures and tables written in python and latex .

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svn co https://github.com/yogi13995/
yogesh_training/tree/master/Geometry/circle/
codes
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and latex-tikz codes from

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yogesh_training/tree/master/Geometry/circle/
figures
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1 PROBLEM

If a line segment joining two points subtends equal angles at two other points lying on the same side of the line containing the line segment, the four points lie on a circle.

2 CONSTRUCTION

- 2.1. We have two equal angles made by a line segment which makes two triangles ABC and BCD. Both the triangles have one angle and a side equal. We will draw a triangle with sides a, b and c and calculate the angle $\angle \theta$ and then after that with this angle and base a we will draw one more triangle.
- 2.2. Values of all three sides of the triangle are as given in the table .

Parameter	Value
a	5
b	6
c	4
d	4

TABLE 2.2: To construct circumcircle

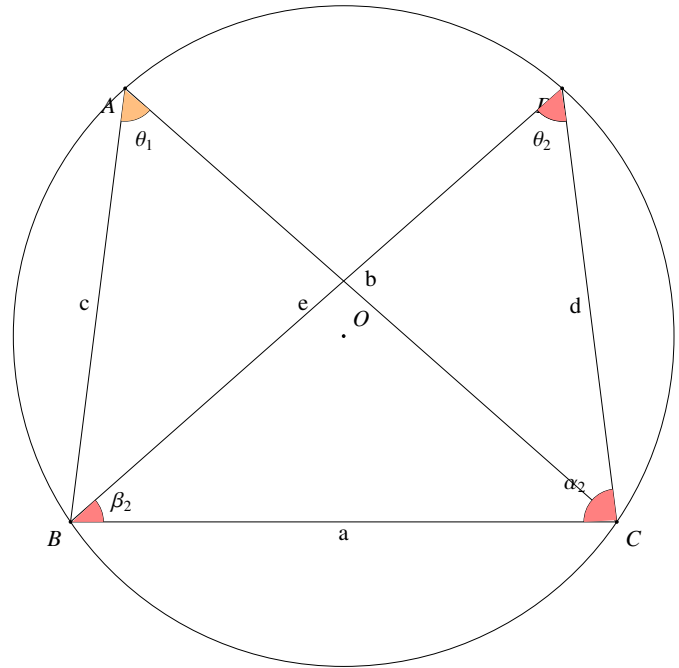


Fig. 2.2: circumcircle generated by latex

- 2.3. Finding out the coordinates of the various points in Fig. 2.2

$$x_1 = \frac{(a^2 + c^2 - b^2)}{2 * a} \quad (2.0.1)$$

$$y_1 = \sqrt{c^2 - x_1^2} \quad (2.0.2)$$

$$(A) = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.5 \\ 3.9686 \end{pmatrix} \quad (2.0.3)$$

$$(B) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad (2.0.4)$$

$$(C) = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad (2.0.5)$$

- 2.4. Finding out the angle BAC

$$\cos \theta_1 = \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2dc} \quad (2.0.6)$$

$$\angle A = 55.94 \quad (2.0.7)$$

2.5. Drawing triangle DBC having angle BDC and side a and d using sine rule of the triangle

$$\frac{\sin \theta_2}{a} = \frac{\sin \beta_2}{d} \quad (2.0.8)$$

$$\angle \beta_2 = 41.40 \quad (2.0.9)$$

$$\angle \alpha = 180 - 55.77 - 41.40 = 82.83 \quad (2.0.10)$$

$$\frac{\sin \theta_2}{a} = \frac{\sin \alpha_2}{e} \quad (2.0.11)$$

$$e = 6 \quad (2.0.12)$$

$$x_2 = \frac{(a^2 + d^2 - e^2)}{2 * a} \quad (2.0.13)$$

$$y_2 = \sqrt{d^2 - x_2^2} \quad (2.0.14)$$

$$(\mathbf{A}) = \begin{pmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4.5 \\ 3.9686 \end{pmatrix} \quad (2.0.15)$$

The values are listed in Table. 2.5

Derived Values.	
D	$\begin{pmatrix} 4.5 \\ 3.9686 \end{pmatrix}$

TABLE 2.5: circumecentre of the triangle

2.6. Drawing Fig. 2.6.

The following Python code generates Fig. 2.6

codes/c_circle.py

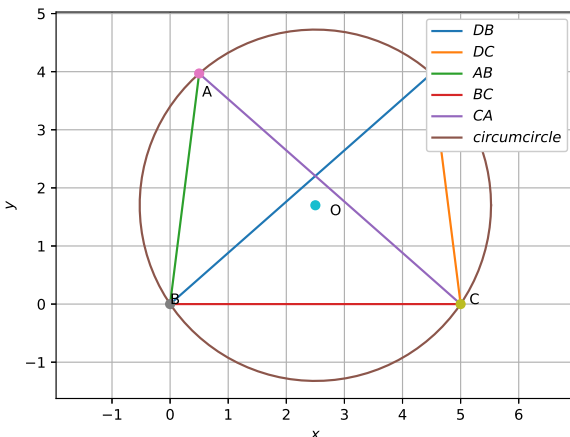


Fig. 2.6: circumecircle generated using python

and the equivalent latex-tikz code generating Fig.2.1 is

figs/C_circle.tex

The above latex code can be compiled as a standalone document as

figs/C_circle_slone.tex

3 SOLUTION

3.1. To prove that all four points lie on the circumference of the circle first of all we will draw a circumcircle for a triangle ABC.

3.2. Finding the circumcentre → let assume that circumcentre of the triangle ABC is **O**

$$\|\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{O}\| = \|\mathbf{B} - \mathbf{O}\| = \|\mathbf{C} - \mathbf{O}\| \quad (3.0.1)$$

$$\|\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{O}\|^2 - \|\mathbf{B} - \mathbf{O}\|^2 = 0 \quad (3.0.2)$$

Which can be simplified as

$$(\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B})^T \mathbf{O} = \frac{(\|\mathbf{A}\|^2 - \|\mathbf{B}\|^2)}{2} \quad (3.0.3)$$

Similarly,

$$(\mathbf{B} - \mathbf{C})^T \mathbf{O} = \frac{(\|\mathbf{B}\|^2 - \|\mathbf{C}\|^2)}{2} \quad (3.0.4)$$

can be combined to form the matrix equation

$$\mathbf{N}^T = \mathbf{c} \quad (3.0.5)$$

$$\mathbf{O} = \mathbf{N}^{-T} \mathbf{c} \quad (3.0.6)$$

$$\mathbf{O} = \begin{pmatrix} 2.5 \\ 1.7 \end{pmatrix} \quad (3.0.7)$$

Where

$$\mathbf{N} = (\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B} \quad \mathbf{B} - \mathbf{C}) \quad (3.0.8)$$

$$\mathbf{c} = \frac{1}{2} (\|\mathbf{A}\|^2 - \|\mathbf{B}\|^2 \quad \|\mathbf{B}\|^2 - \|\mathbf{C}\|^2) \quad (3.0.9)$$

3.3. Finding **R** of circumcircle area of triangle of ABC →

$$\frac{1}{2} ab \sin C = \frac{abc}{4R} \quad (3.0.10)$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{R} = \frac{abc}{4s(\sqrt{(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)})} \quad (3.0.11)$$

$$\mathbf{R} = 3.023 \quad (3.0.12)$$

- 3.4. For point D to be on the circumference of the circumscribed circle it should satisfy the circle equation

$$\|\mathbf{D} - \mathbf{O}\| = \|\mathbf{R}\| \quad (3.0.13)$$

$$\left\| \begin{pmatrix} 4.5 - 2.5 \\ 3.9686 - 1.7 \end{pmatrix} \right\| = 3.023 \quad (3.0.14)$$

$$\left\| \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2.26 \end{pmatrix} \right\| = 3.023 \quad (3.0.15)$$

- 3.5. thus the point D satisfies the circle equation of the circumscribed circle of triangle ABC and we can say that all four points lie on the circle.