

Probability and random variables assignment

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1.1. Using ruler and compass only, construct a $\triangle ABC$ such that $BC = 5$ cm and $AB = 6.5$ cm and $\angle ABC = 120^\circ$

(i) Construct a circum-circle of $\triangle ABC$

(ii) Construct a cyclic quadrilateral $ABCD$, such that D is equidistant from AB and BC .

Solution: Steps of construction:

1. The point A is taken as origin and a line segment $AB = 6.5$ cm is drawn along positive x -axis.
2. Draw a line segment emerging from B at $\angle 120^\circ$ in anticlockwise direction from BA of length 5 cm.
3. Name the other endpoint of the line segment as C .
4. Join AC . This completes the $\triangle ABC$.
5. Now take the perpendicular bisector of any two sides, mark their point of intersection as E (centre of circumcircle).
6. Taking E as centre and $EA=EB=EC$ as radius draw a circle (circumcircle).
7. Take internal angle bisector of $\angle A$ and $\angle C$, let its point of intersection with the circumcircle be D .
8. Join AD and CD .

(i) 1.1.1

center of the circumcircle is the point of intersection of the perpendicular bisectors of AB and BC .

(ii) 1.1.2

the point D of the cyclic quadrilateral $ABCD$ is the point of intersection of the angle bisectors of $\angle A$ and $\angle C$ and the circumcircle.

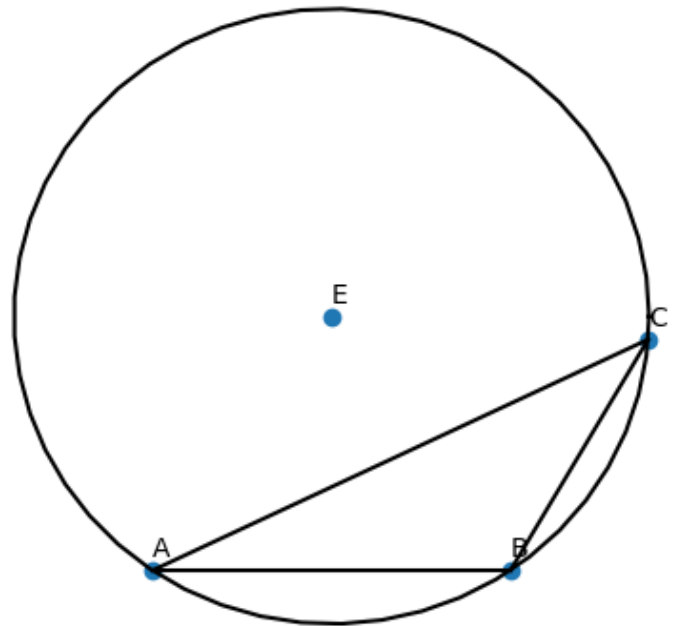


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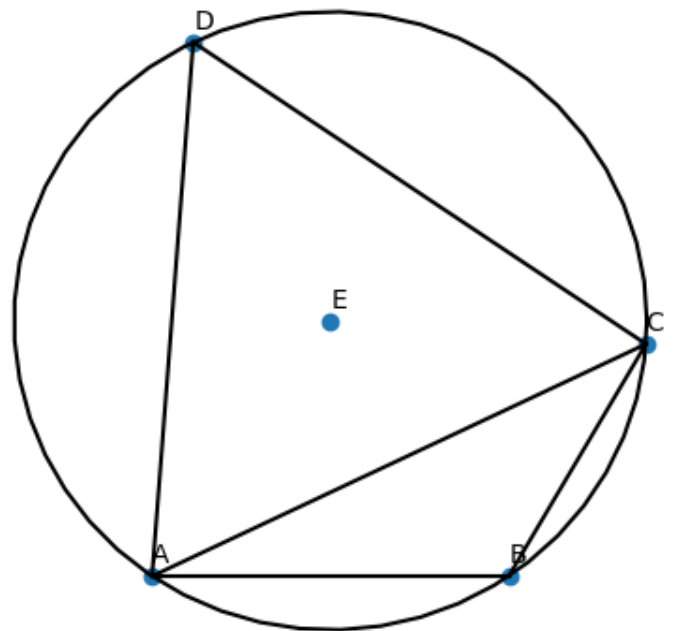


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