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Assignment 1

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Abstract—This a simple document that explains how to find results using congruency of triangles.

Download all latex-tikz codes from

https://github.com/saranshbali/EE5609/tree/master/ Assignment1/Latex

1 Problem

ABCD is a quadrilateral in which AD = BC and $\angle DAB = \angle CAB$. Prove that

a)
$$\triangle ABD \cong \triangle BAC$$
 (1.0.1)

$$b) \quad BD = AC \tag{1.0.2}$$

$$c) \quad \angle ABD = \angle BAC \tag{1.0.3}$$

2 Solution

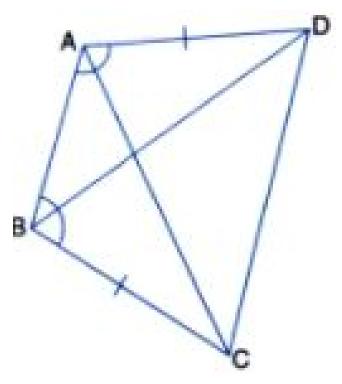


Fig. 1

ABCD is a quadrilateral, where AD=BC and $\angle DAB = \angle CBA$.

In $\triangle ABD$ and $\triangle BAC$,

$$AD = BC$$
 [Given] (2.0.1)

$$\angle DAB = \angle CBA$$
 [Given] (2.0.2)

$$AB = BA$$
 [Common Side] (2.0.3)

Hence, by SAS Congruence rule, $\triangle ABD \cong \triangle BAC$ proving (a).

Now, since $\triangle ABD \cong \triangle BAC$, thus by CPCT (Corresponding Parts of Congruent Triangle)

$$BD = AC (2.0.4)$$

$$\angle ABD = \angle BAC \tag{2.0.5}$$

proving (b) and (c).