

TB(3A) Ch. 4 Special Lines and Centres in a Triangle

Conventional Questions

1. [16-17 Mid-year Exam #3]

The perimeter of an isosceles triangle is 28 cm and the length of one side is 6 cm. Janice claims that two different types of triangles can be formed. Do you agree? Explain your answer briefly.

(3 marks)

2. [16-17 Mid-year Exam #13]

Figure 5 shows a right-angled isosceles triangle $\triangle ABC$ with $AB = BC = 10$ cm. I is the incentre of $\triangle ABC$.

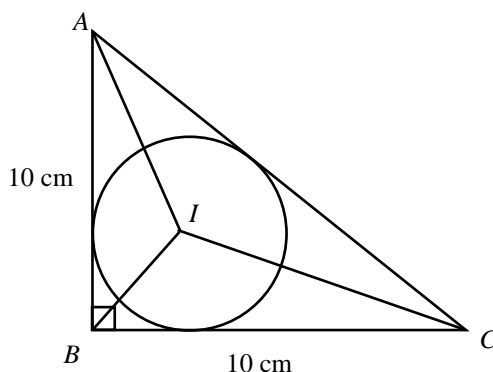


Figure 5

(a) Find $\angle ICB$.

(2 marks)

(b) Write down the orthocentre of $\triangle ABC$.

(1 mark)

(c) It is given that the radius of the inscribed circle is r cm, find the value of r .

(3 marks)

3. [16-17 Mid-year Exam #14]

In Figure 6, $ABCD$ is a quadrilateral where $DC > AD > AB > BC$. Joseph claims that the perimeter of $ABCD$ is less than the sum of lengths of its diagonals. Do you agree? Explain your answer briefly.

(2 marks)

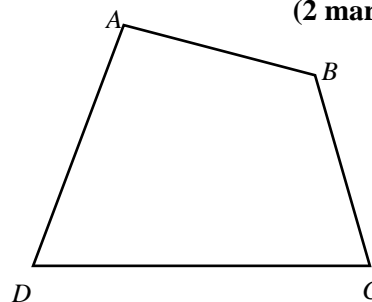
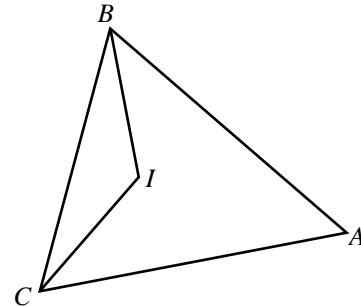


Figure 6

4. [16-17 Final Exam #18]

In **Figure 8**, I is the incentre of $\triangle ABC$, where $\angle BAC = a$, $\angle ABC = b$ and $\angle ACB = c$.

- (a) Express $\angle BIC$ in terms of b and c . (2 marks)
 (b) Hence, show that $\angle BIC$ is an obtuse angle. (2 marks)



5. [17-18 Mid-year Exam #6]

In **Figure 2**, $ABCD$ is a trapezium with $AB \parallel DC$. H is a point inside $ABCD$ such that AH and DH are angle bisectors of $\angle BAD$ and $\angle ADC$ respectively. Let $\angle BAH = x$, find $\angle AHD$.

(3 marks)

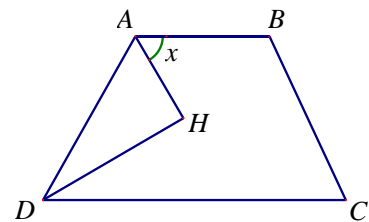


Figure 2

6. [17-18 Mid-year Exam #11]

In **Figure 6**, $ABCD$ is a parallelogram. B is the midpoint of AE . DE cuts BC at F . AF and BD cuts at G .

- (a) Prove that G is the centroid of $\triangle ADE$. (2 marks)
 (b) A student claims that the centroid of $\triangle BCD$ lies on DF .
 Do you agree? Explain your answer. (3 marks)

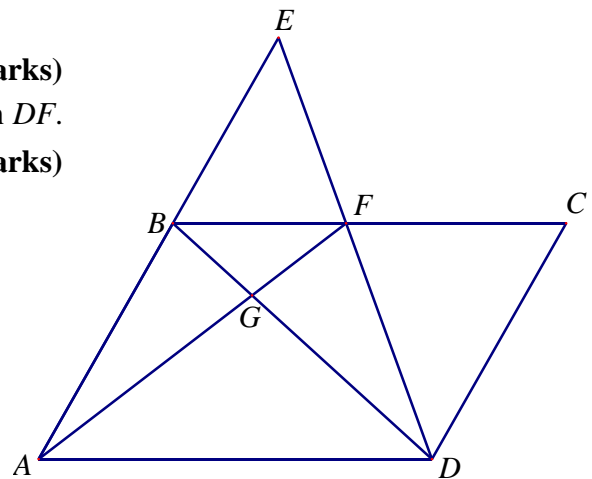


Figure 6

7. [18-19 Mid-year Exam #5]

In **Figure 2**, AC is an altitude of $\triangle ABD$ while AD is the angle bisector of $\angle BAE$. It is given that $\angle ADC = 2\angle CAD$ and $\angle E = 20^\circ$.

(a) Find $\angle B$. (3 marks)

(b) Determine whether $\triangle ABE$ is an isosceles triangle. (2 marks)

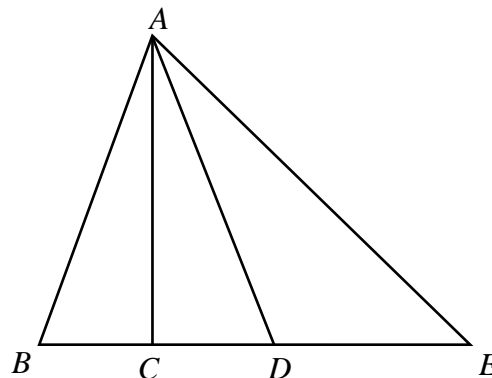
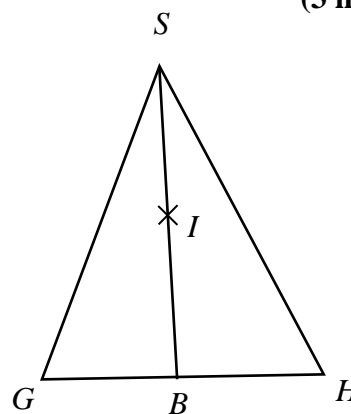


Figure 2

8. [18-19 Mid-year Exam #6]

In **Figure 3**, I is the incentre of $\triangle GHS$. If $SG = SH$ and $\angle G = 40^\circ$, find $\angle BSH$.

(3 marks)



9. [18-19 Mid-year Exam #12]

In **Figure 6**, BF is the angle bisector of $\angle ABC$. FE and FD are respectively.

(a) Prove that $FE = FD$.

(b) By considering the areas of $\triangle AFB$ and $\triangle CFB$, prove

that $\frac{AF}{FC} = \frac{AB}{BC}$. (2 marks)

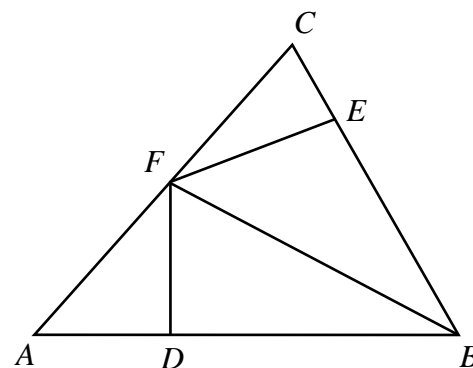


Figure 6

10. [19-20 Mid-year Exam, #11]

In $\triangle ABC$, D is a point on AC such that BD is the angle bisector of $\angle ABC$. BD is an altitude of $\triangle ABC$. A student claims that the centroid of $\triangle ABC$ lies on BD . Do you agree? Explain your answer.

(3 marks)

11. [19-20 Mid-year Exam, #13]

In **Figure 3**, $ABCD$ is a rectangle and $BEDF$ is a rhombus. BD meets EF at G . FB is the angle bisector of $\angle ABD$.

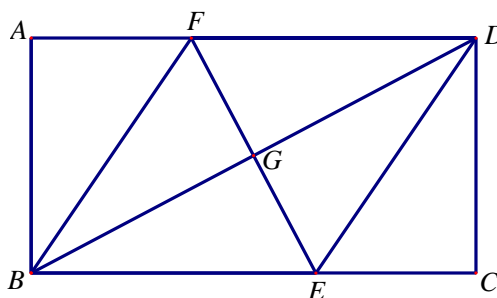


Figure 3

(a) Prove that $\triangle ABF \cong \triangle GBE$.

(3 marks)

(b) Prove that DE is the angle bisector of $\angle BDC$.

(3 marks)

(c) A student claims that $AF : FD = 1 : 2$. Do you agree? Explain your answer.

(2 marks)

12. [20-21 Mid-year Exam, #6]

In **Figure 1**, $BD = CD$, $\angle ADB = \angle ADC$ and $\angle ACD = \angle DBC$.

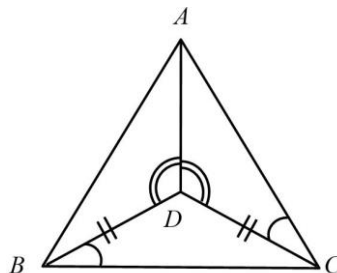


Figure 1

- (a) Prove that $\triangle ABD \cong \triangle ACD$. (2 marks)
- (b) Prove that D is an incentre of $\triangle ABC$. (2 marks)
- (c) If AD is produced to meet BC at E , prove that AE is the perpendicular bisector of BC . (2 marks)

~ End ~