

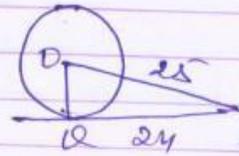
## CIRCLES

Q1. The length of tangent to a circle from P, which is 25 cm away from centre is 24 cm. What is the radius of circle?

Soln:

$$\begin{aligned} OQ &= \sqrt{OP^2 - RP^2} \\ &= \sqrt{25^2 - 24^2} \\ &= \sqrt{625 - 576} \\ &= \sqrt{49} \end{aligned}$$

$$OQ = 7 \text{ cm} \quad \text{Ans}$$



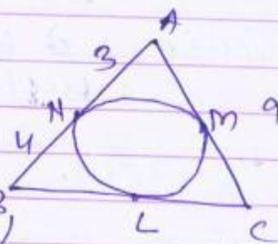
Q2. Find length of BC.

$$AN = 3, BM = 4, AL = 9$$

Soln:

$$BN = BL \quad (\text{Tangents from ext. point})$$

$$BL = 4 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$



Similarly  $AN = AM = 3$

$$\therefore \text{and } CM = AC - AM$$

$$CM = 9 - 3 = 6$$

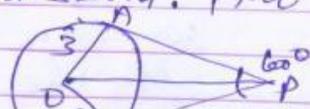
$$\text{again, } CL = CM = 6 \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

$$\therefore BC = BL + CL$$

$$= 4 + 6$$

$$BC = 10 \text{ cm} \quad \text{Ans}$$

Q3. If two tangents inclined at an angle of  $60^\circ$  are drawn to circle of radius 3 cm. Find length of tangents.



Sol<sup>n</sup>:  $\angle APO = 30^\circ$

$\therefore \triangle APO$

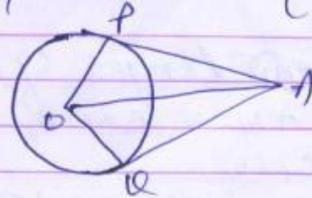
$\tan 30 = \frac{OA}{AP}$

$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{3}{AP}$

$\boxed{AP = 3\sqrt{3} \text{ cm}}$  Ans

Q4. Prove that the lengths of tangents from an external point are equal.

Given: a circle with centre O.



To prove:  $AP = AQ$

Pf: In  $\triangle OPA$  and  $\triangle OQA$

$OP = OQ$  (radii)

$\angle P = \angle Q = 90^\circ$

$OA = OA$  common

$\triangle OPA \cong \triangle OQA$  (RHS)

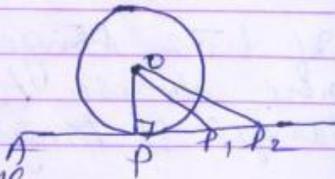
$\therefore \boxed{AP = AQ}$  (CPCT) Proved

Q5. Prove that tangent and radius are perpendicular at point of contact.

Pf:  $\therefore OP > OP$

$OP_2 > OP$

we can say OP is shortest distance



So, of  $\perp AB$

Prd.

Q6. If radii of two concentric circles are 4 cm and 5 cm, then find length of each chord of one circle which is tangent to the other circle.

Sol<sup>n</sup>:  $OA = 4, OB = 5$

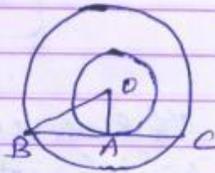
$$AB = \sqrt{OB^2 - OA^2}$$

$$AB = \sqrt{5^2 - 4^2}$$

$$AB = \sqrt{25 - 16}$$

$$AB = \sqrt{9}$$

$$\boxed{AB = 3 \text{ cm}} \text{ Ans.}$$



Q7. From point P, tangents PA and PB are drawn to a circle with centre O. If  $\angle APB = 50^\circ$  then find  $\angle AOB$ .

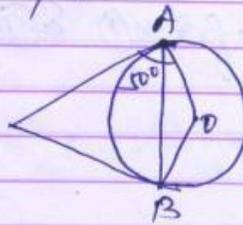
Sol<sup>n</sup>

$$\angle APB = 180 - 50 - 50$$

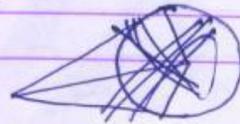
$$\angle APB = 180$$

$$\angle AOB = 180 - 50$$

$$\boxed{\angle AOB = 130^\circ}$$



Q8. If the angle between two tangents drawn from a point P to a circle of radius 'a' and centre O is  $90^\circ$ , find 'a'.



Soln

Let  $PO$  &  $OR$  be tangents

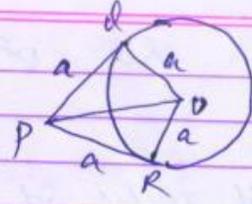
$\therefore \angle P = 90^\circ, \angle POR = 90^\circ$

Also,  $OP = OR = a$

$\therefore POOR$  is a square.

$$\Rightarrow OP = \sqrt{a^2 + a^2} = \sqrt{2a^2} = a\sqrt{2}$$

$$\boxed{OP = a\sqrt{2}} \text{ Ans.}$$



Q9. The incircle of an isosceles  $\triangle ABC$ , in which  $AB = AC$ , touches the sides  $BC$ , and  $AB$  at  $D, E$  and  $F$ . Prove  $BD = DC$

Given  $AB = AC$

To Prove  $BD = DC$

Pf  $\rightarrow \because AB = AC$

$$AF + BF = AE + CE \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

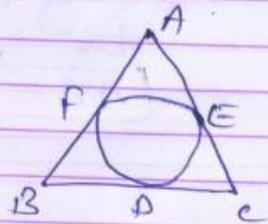
$BF = BD$  &  $CE = CD$  (Tangents from external point)

$$AF = AE$$

from (i) & (ii)

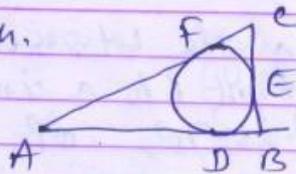
$$AE + BD = AE + CD$$

$$\boxed{BD = CD} \text{ proved}$$



Q10- In given fig. find  $AD, BE$  and  $CF$ .

$AB = 12 \text{ cm}$   
 $BC = 8 \text{ cm}$   
 $AC = 10 \text{ cm}$  } given.



$\therefore$  Tangents from ext. points are equal  
 Sol<sup>n</sup>:  $\therefore$   $AD = AF = x$

$$DB = BE = 12 - x$$

$$\text{and } CF = CE = 10 - x$$

$$\therefore BC = BE + EC$$

$$9 = 12 - x + 10 - x$$

$$9 - 22 = -2x$$

$$-14 = -2x$$

$$2x = 14$$

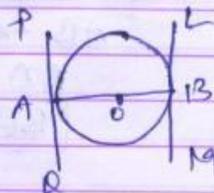
$$x = 7$$

$$AD = 7, BE = 12 - 7 = 5, CF = 10 - 7 = 3$$

$$\boxed{AD = 7\text{cm}, BE = 5\text{cm}, CF = 3\text{cm}} \text{ Ans.}$$

Q11. Prove that the tangents drawn at the ends of a diameter of a circle are parallel.

Pr<sup>o</sup>  $\rightarrow \therefore$  Tangents and radii are  $\perp$  to each other at point of contact.



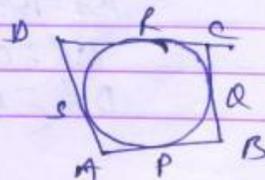
$$\therefore OA \perp PQ \text{ \& } OB \perp LM$$

$$\therefore \angle BAO = \angle ABL = 90^\circ \text{ (alternate angles)}$$

$$\text{So, } \boxed{PQ \parallel LM} \text{ Proved}$$

Q12. A quadrilateral ABCD is drawn to circumscribe a circle. Prove  $AB + CD = AD + BC$

Pr<sup>o</sup>  $\rightarrow \therefore$  Tangents from ext. point are equal



$\therefore AP = AS, BP = BQ, DR = DS, CR = CQ$   
 Adding all these we get

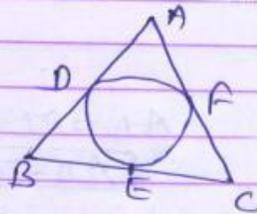
$$AP + BP + CR + DR = AS + DS + BQ + CQ$$

$$AB + CD = BC + DA$$

proved

Q13. In fig  $AB = AC$  prove  $BE = EC$

$\therefore$  Tangents from external point are equal.



$$\therefore AD = AF \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$BD = BE \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

$$CE = CF \quad \text{--- (iii)}$$

$$AB = AC$$

$$AB - AD = AC - AF$$

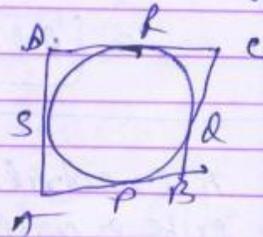
$$BD = CF$$

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$$\boxed{BE = CE} \quad \text{from (ii) proved}$$

Q14. Prove that the sqm circumscribing a circle is a rhombus.

$\therefore$  Tangents from ext. point are equal



$$AP = AS \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$BP = BR \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

$$CR = CQ \quad \text{--- (iii)}$$

$$DR = DS \quad \text{--- (iv)}$$

(i) + (ii) - (iii) + (iv) we have:

$$(AP+BP) + (CR+DR) = (AR+DS) + (BL+CL)$$

$$AB+CD = AD+BC$$

$$AB+AB = BC+BC \quad (\text{ABCD is a rhgm})$$

$$2AB = 2BC$$

$$AB = BC$$

Similarly  $AB = BC = CD = DA$

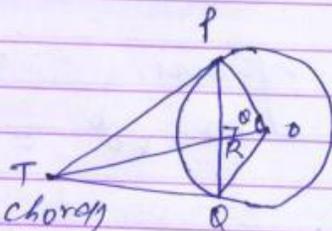
So ABCD is a rhombus. *Prove*

Q15. In fig. PQ is a chord of length 16cm, radius of circle 10cm. Find TP

Given:  $PQ = 16$ ,  $PO = 10$

Find:  $PR = RQ = 8\text{cm}$

$\perp$  from centre bisects chord



$$\therefore OR = \sqrt{OP^2 - PR^2} = \sqrt{10^2 - 8^2} = \sqrt{100 - 64} = \sqrt{36}$$

$$\boxed{OR = 6\text{cm}}$$

$$\text{In } \triangle POR, \tan \theta = \frac{PR}{OR} = \frac{8}{6} = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\text{In } \triangle OPT, \tan \theta = \frac{OP}{TP}$$

$$\frac{4}{3} = \frac{10}{TP}$$

$$TP = \frac{10 \times 3}{4} = 7.5\text{cm}$$

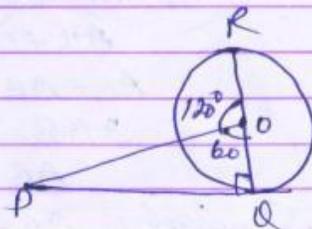
$$\boxed{TP = 7.5\text{cm}} \text{ Ans}$$

Q16. In fig.  $\angle POR = 120^\circ$ , diameter  $QR = 8$  cm  
find  $OP$  and  $PQ$ .

Sol<sup>n</sup>:  $OQ = OR = 4$  cm

$$\angle POQ = 180 - 120$$

$$\angle POQ = 60^\circ$$



Now in  $\triangle POQ$

$$\cos 60^\circ = \frac{OQ}{OP}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{OQ}{OP} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} = \frac{4}{OP}$$

again,  $\therefore OP = 8$  cm

$$\tan 60^\circ = \frac{PQ}{OQ} \Rightarrow \sqrt{3} = \frac{PQ}{4}$$

$$PQ = 4\sqrt{3} \text{ cm} \quad \text{Ans}$$

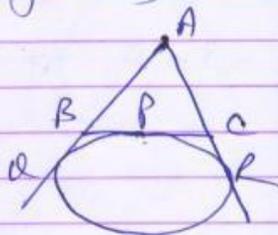
Q17. A circle is touching the side  $BC$  of  $\triangle ABC$  at  $P$  and touching  $AB$  &  $AC$  produced at  $Q$  and  $R$ . Prove that  $AQ = \frac{1}{2}$  (Perimeter of  $\triangle ABC$ )

Pr<sup>o</sup>  $\therefore$  Tangents from ext. point are equal.

$$\therefore BP = BQ \quad \text{(i)}$$

$$CP = CR \quad \text{(ii)}$$

$$AQ = AR \quad \text{(iii)}$$



From (iii)  $AD = AR$   
 $AB + BR = AC + CR$   
 $AB + BP = AC + CP$  (from (ii)) (iv)

Now Perimeter of  $\triangle ABC = AB + BC + CA$   
 $= AB + (BP + CP) + CA$   
 $= AB + BP + CP + CA$   
 $= (AB + BP) + (AC + CP)$   
 $= 2(AB + BP) \rightarrow \text{from (iv)}$   
 $= 2(AB + BR) \rightarrow \text{from (i)}$   
 $= 2AD$

$\therefore AD = \frac{1}{2} (\text{Perimeter of } \triangle ABC)$   
proved

Q10. Prove that the tangents drawn at ends of a ~~circle~~ chord make equal angles with the chord.

Ref: Tangents  
 $\angle PAB = \angle PBA$

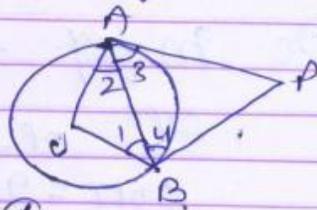
If  $\rightarrow$  In  $\triangle OAB$   
 $OA = OB \Rightarrow \angle 1 = \angle 2$  (i)

$\angle 1 + \angle 4 = \angle 2 + \angle 3$  (Both  $90^\circ$  as Radii  $\perp$  Tangents)

(ii)  $\angle 1 + \angle 4 - \angle 1 = \angle 2 + \angle 3 - \angle 2$

$\angle 4 = \angle 3$

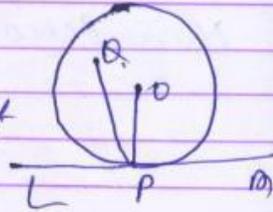
$\angle PAB = \angle PBA$  proved



Q19. Prove that the perpendicular at point of contact to tangent to a circle passes through the centre.

Pf  $\rightarrow$  cot  $PO \perp LM$

Now: tangent at a point to a circle is  $\perp$  to the radius.



$$\therefore OP \perp LM \Rightarrow \angle OPM = 90^\circ$$

$$\text{Also, } \angle QPM = 90^\circ$$

$$\angle OPM = \angle QPM$$

which is not possible as it is only

when Q coincides at O.

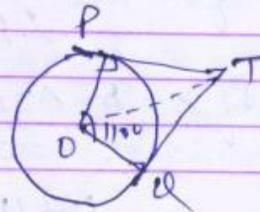
Hence the  $\perp$  at the point of contact to tangent to a circle passes through centre. Proved

Q20. In fig.  $\angle POQ = 110^\circ$  find  $\angle PTR$

Sol<sup>n</sup>:  $OP \perp PT, OQ \perp TR$

$$\angle OPT = 90^\circ \quad \angle OQT = 90^\circ$$

$$\angle POQ = 110^\circ$$



In Quad. OPTQ, we have

$$\angle POQ + \angle OPT + \angle PTR + \angle TQO = 360$$

$$110 + 90 + \angle PTR + 90 = 360$$

$$\angle PTR = 360 - 290$$

$$\boxed{\angle PTR = 70^\circ} \text{ Ans}$$