

# VCSMS PRIME

Session 9: Geometry 2

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## Ad hoc

- (16QIII1) In the right triangle  $ABC$ , where  $\angle B = 90^\circ$ ,  $BC : AB = 1 : 2$ , construct the median  $BD$  and let point  $E$  be on  $BD$  such that  $CE \perp BD$ . Determine  $BE : ED$ .
- (14NA9) A circle with diameter 2 is tangent to both diagonals of a square with side length of 2. The circle intersects the square at points  $P$  and  $Q$ . Find the length of segment  $PQ$ .
- (9N5) Segments  $AC$  and  $BD$  intersect at point  $P$  such that  $PA = PD$  and  $PB = PC$ . Let  $E$  be the foot of the perpendicular from  $P$  to the line  $CD$ . Prove that the line  $PE$  and the perpendicular bisectors of  $PA$  and  $PB$  are concurrent.
- (10N2) On a cyclic quadrilateral  $ABCD$ , there is a point  $P$  on side  $AD$  such that the triangle  $CDP$  and the quadrilateral  $ABCP$  have equal perimeters and equal areas. Prove that two sides of  $ABCD$  have equal lengths.
- (8N3) Let  $P$  be a point outside a circle, and let the two tangent lines through  $P$  touch the circle at  $A$  and  $B$ . Let  $C$  be a point on the minor arc  $AB$ , and let ray  $PC$  intersect the circle again at another point  $D$ . Let  $L$  be the line that passes through  $B$  parallel to  $PA$ , and let  $L$  intersect rays  $AC$  and  $AD$  at points  $E$  and  $F$ , respectively. Prove that  $B$  is the midpoint of  $EF$ .

## Triangles

- (15AI5) Triangle  $ABC$  has a right angle at  $B$ , with  $AB = 3$  and  $BC = 4$ . If  $D$  and  $E$  are points on  $AC$  and  $BC$ , respectively, such that  $CD = DE = \frac{5}{3}$ , find the perimeter of quadrilateral  $ABED$ .
- (16AI11) Circle  $O$  is inscribed in the right triangle  $ACE$  with  $\angle ACE = 90^\circ$ , touching sides  $AC$ ,  $CE$  and  $AE$  at points  $B$ ,  $D$  and  $F$ , respectively. The length of  $AB$  is twice the length of  $BC$ . Find the length of  $CE$  if the perimeter of  $ACE$  is 36 units.
- (8AII2) Let  $ABC$  be an acute-angled triangle. Let  $D$  and  $E$  be points on  $BC$  and  $AC$  such that  $AD \perp BC$  and  $BE \perp AC$ . Let  $P$  be the point where ray  $AD$  meets the semicircle constructed outwardly on  $BC$ , and  $Q$  be the point where ray  $BE$  meets the semicircle constructed outwardly on  $AC$ . Prove that  $PC = QC$ .
- (9AII3) The bisector of  $\angle BAC$  intersects the circumcircle of triangle  $ABC$  again at  $D$ . Let  $AD$  and  $BC$  intersect at  $E$ , and  $F$  be the midpoint of  $BC$ . If  $AB^2 + AC^2 = 2AD^2$ , show that  $EF = DF$ .
- (11N2) In triangle  $ABC$ , let  $X$  and  $Y$  be the midpoints of  $AB$  and  $AC$ , respectively. On segment  $BC$ , there is a point  $D$ , different from its midpoint, such that  $\angle XDY = \angle BAC$ . Prove that  $AD$  is perpendicular to  $BC$ .

## Coordinate geometry

- (16QII3) Let  $S$  be the set of all points  $A$  on the circle  $x^2 + (y - 2)^2 = 1$  so that the tangent line at  $A$  has a non-negative  $y$ -intercept; then  $S$  is the union of one or more circular arcs. Find the total length of  $S$ .
- (15AI7) Find the area of the triangle having vertices  $A(10, -9)$ ,  $B(19, 3)$ , and  $C(25, -21)$ .
- (16AII3) Point  $P$  on side  $BC$  of triangle  $ABC$  satisfies  $BP : PC = 2 : 1$ . Prove that the line  $AP$  bisects the median of triangle  $ABC$  drawn from vertex  $C$ .