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GCSE 9 - 1 Questions

Circle Theorems - Proofs and Reasons

Calculator Allowed

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your name in the space provided.

Write your answers in the spaces provided in this question paper.

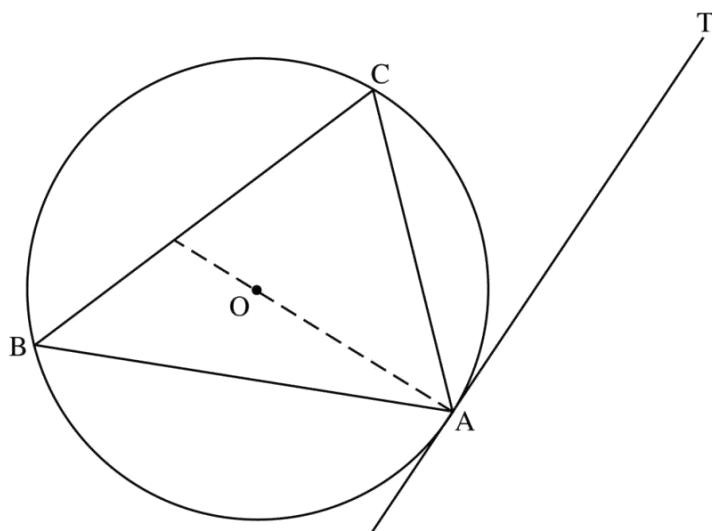
Answer ALL questions.

Any working should be clearly shown in the spaces provided since marks may be awarded for partially correct solutions.

You should have a ruler, compass and protractor where required.

Total Marks :

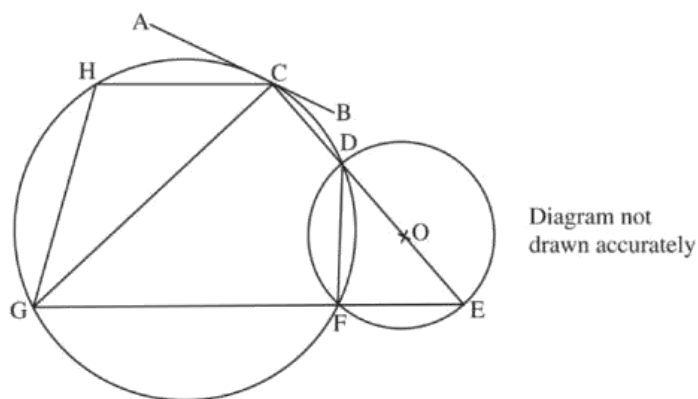
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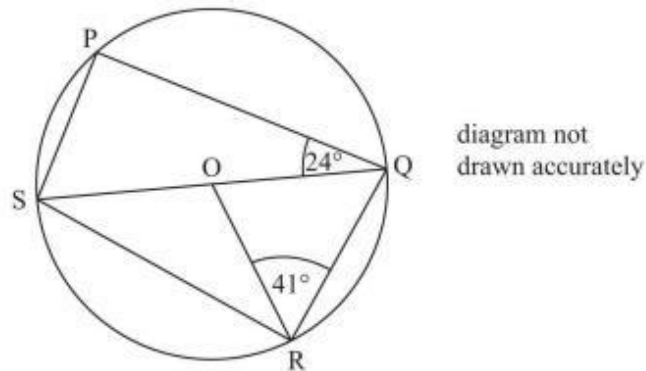
AT is a tangent to the circle, centre O.
Prove that the angles CAT and CBA are equal.

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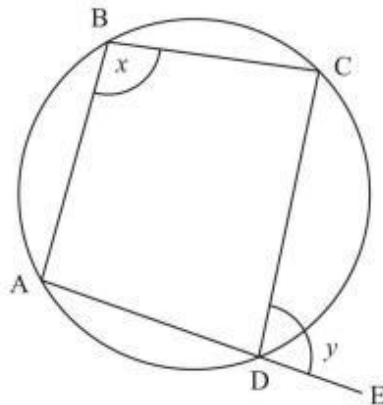


- 3) (a) In the diagram O is the centre of the circle.
 SOQ is a straight line.
 Angle ORQ = 41° and angle PQS = 24°



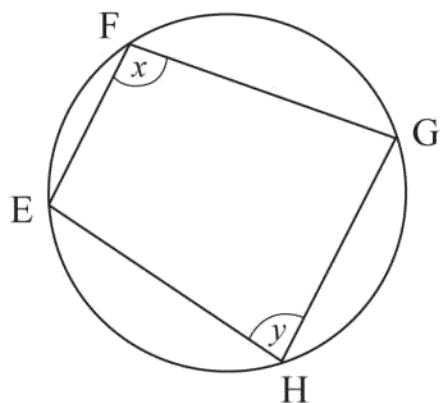
Find the size of the following angles:

- (i) $\text{OQR} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}^\circ$ [1]
 (ii) $\text{PSQ} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}^\circ$ [1]
 (iii) $\text{PSR} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}^\circ$ [1]
- (b) Prove that the exterior angle of the cyclic quadrilateral equals the interior opposite angle (i.e. $x = y$)



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Prove that opposite angles of a cyclic quadrilateral add up to 180°

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- 5) The points D , E and F lie on the circumference of another circle.
 GH is a tangent to the circle at F .

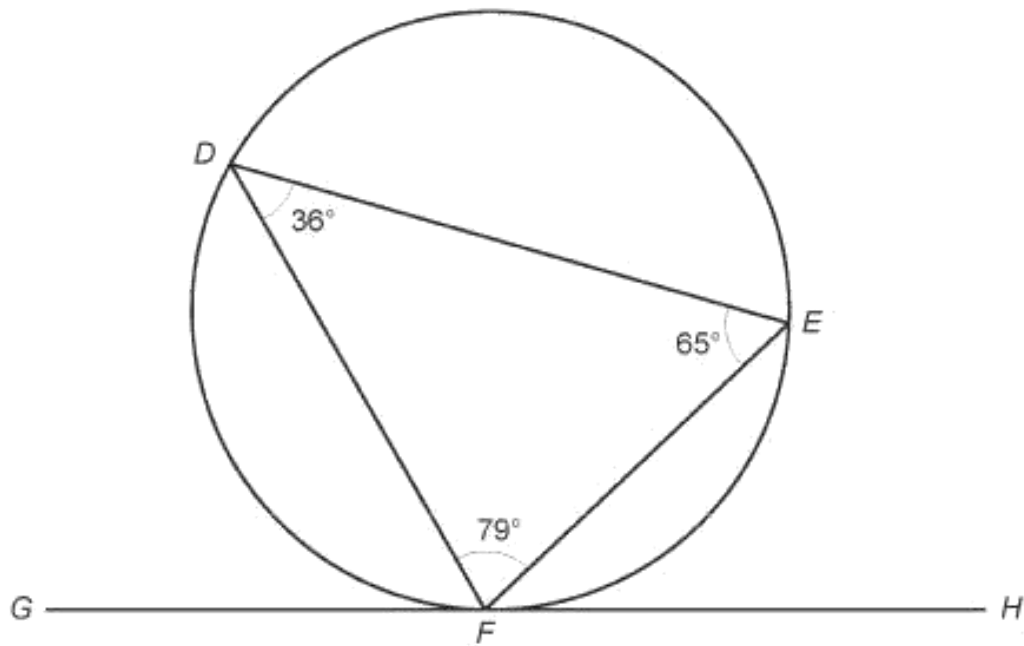


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Write down the size of $\angle EFH$, giving a reason for your answer.

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$$\angle EFH = \dots\dots\dots^\circ$$

Reason:

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- 6) Two circles of equal radius intersect as shown in the diagram below.

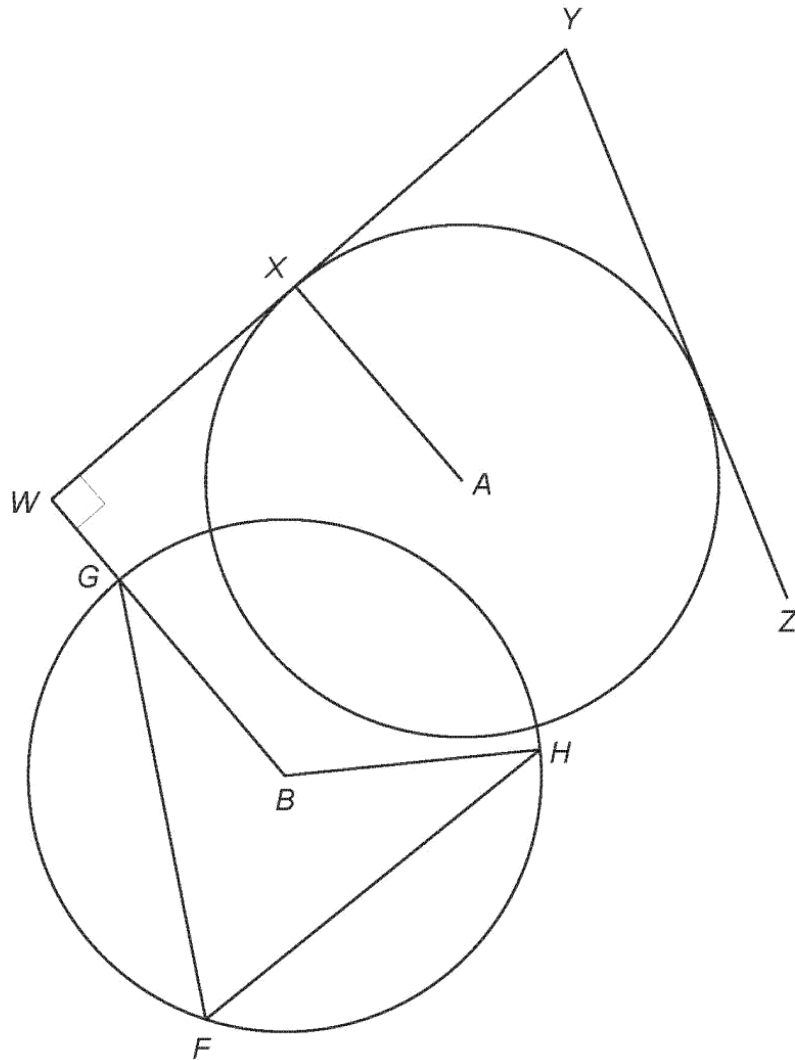


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The centres of the circles are A and B.

The straight lines WXY and YZ are tangents to the circle with centre A and $\hat{GFH} = 80^\circ$.

- (a) Indicate on one of the lines on the diagram on the previous page, where the point P lies, so that $YP = YX$. [1]

- (b) Explain why XA is parallel to WB . [2]

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- (c) Given that a straight line drawn between the centres of the two circles bisects \widehat{HBG} , calculate the size of \widehat{XAB} . You must give reasons for your answer. [4]

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- 7) The points A and B lie on the circumference of a circle with centre O .
The straight lines PAQ and RBQ are tangents to the circle.

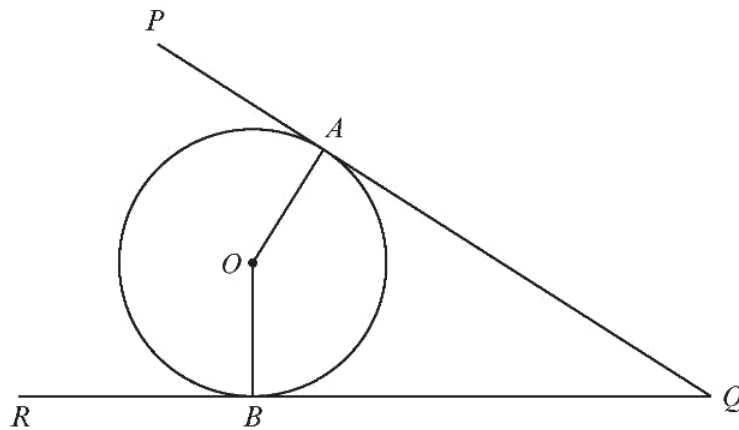


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You are given that $\widehat{AQB} = 2x$, where x is measured in degrees.

Write down the size of \widehat{AOQ} in terms of x .
Give reasons in your answer.

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- 8) The diagram shows a circle with centre O .
 The straight lines AC and CE are tangents to the circle at B and D respectively.
 $\angle BFD = 78^\circ$.

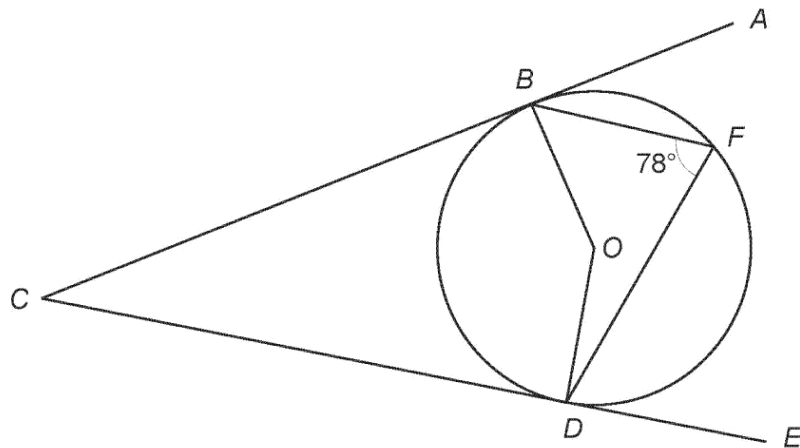


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Find the size of $\angle BCD$. You **must** give reasons in your solution.

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- 9) The points P , Q and R lie on the circumference of a circle, centre O .
 PQ is a diameter of the circle.
 The straight line ARB is a tangent to the circle.
 $\hat{QRB} = x$, where x is measured in degrees.

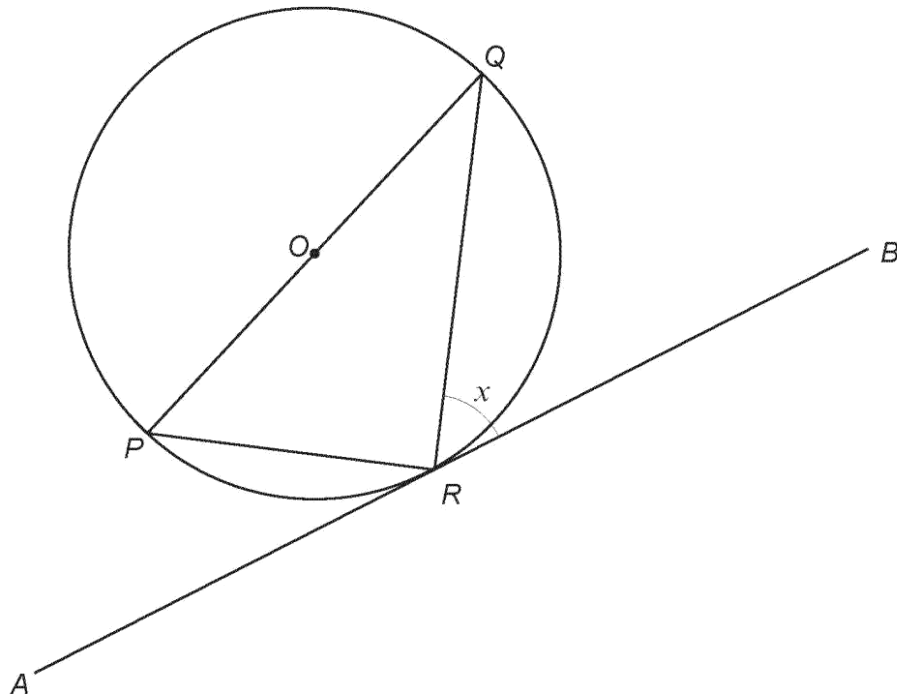


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Calculate the size of \hat{PQR} in terms of x .
 You must give a reason for each step of your solution.

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10) The points A , B , C and D lie on the circumference of a circle, centre O .

AE and CE are tangents to the circle.

$\angle CDA = 108^\circ$.

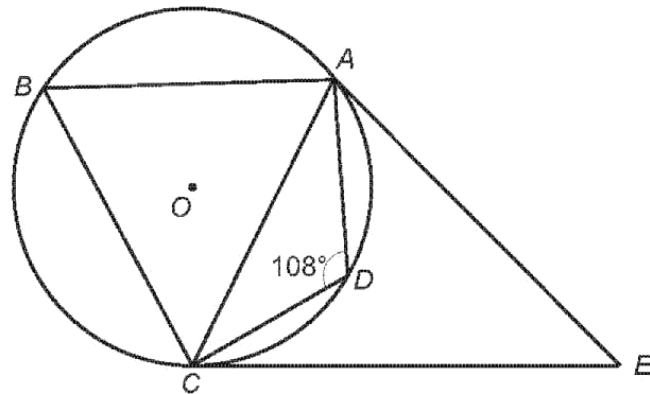


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Giving reasons for your answers, find

(a) the size of $\angle ABC$,

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(b) the size of $\angle CEA$.

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- 11) The three points A , B and C lie on the circumference of a circle centre O .
The tangent XAY touches the circle at A .

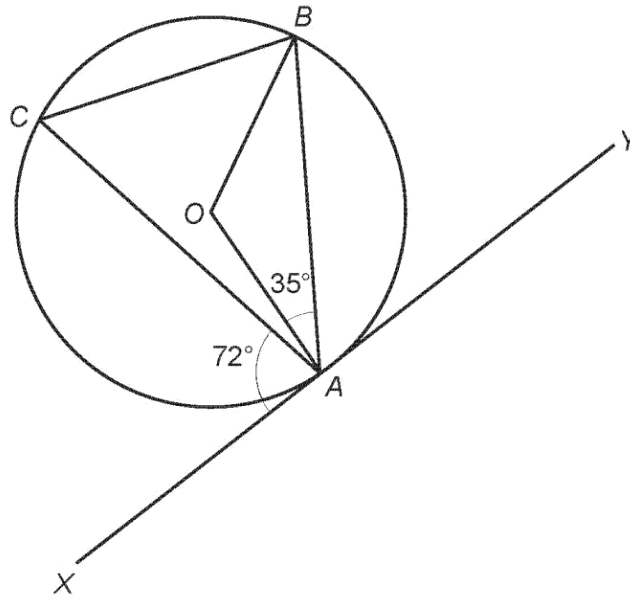


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Find each of the following angles.
Give reasons for your answers.

(a) \hat{CBO}

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(b) \hat{BCA}

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- 12) The points A , B , C and D lie on the circumference of the circle with centre O .
 $\widehat{BCD} = x$, where x is measured in degrees.

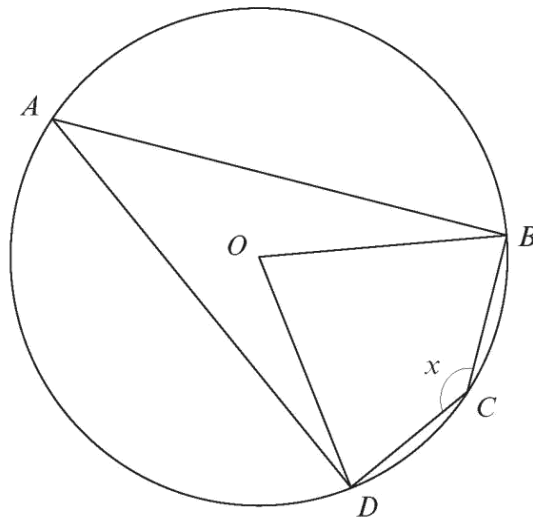


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Show, giving reasons in your answer, that the size of \widehat{DOB} in degrees is $360 - 2x$.

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- 13) The diagram shows a circle with centre O and a tangent PT that touches the circle at C .

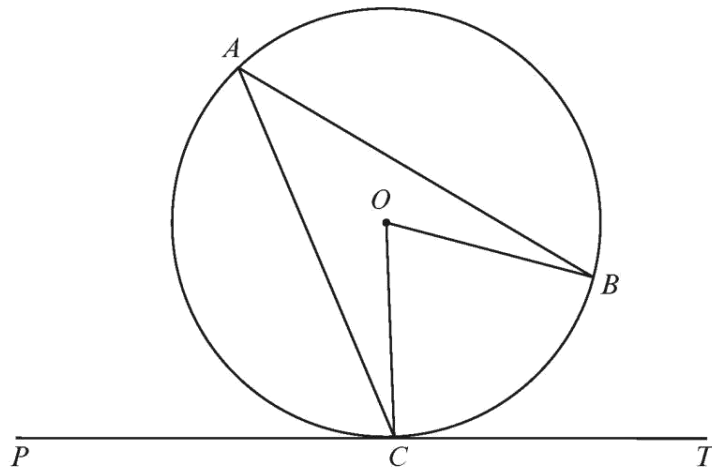


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The reflex angle at the centre of the circle is 280° .
Find the size of each of the following angles.
You must give a reason for each answer.

(a) \hat{BAC}

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(b) \hat{BCP}

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- 14) *In this question, you will be assessed on the quality of your organisation, communication and accuracy in writing.*

Points A , B , C and D lie on the circumference of a circle, centre O .

BD is a diameter of the circle.

The straight line $BC = 4.7$ cm and $\hat{BAC} = 28^\circ$.

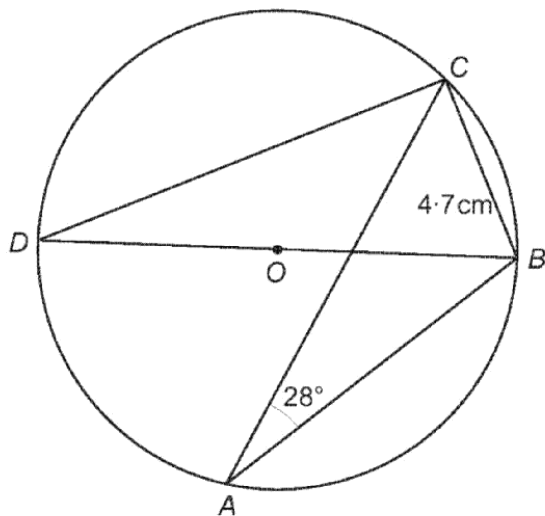


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Write down the size of \hat{BDC} .

Hence, calculate the length BD .

You must show all your working.

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