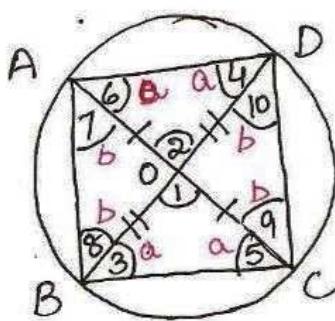


## Alternate Solution



Chords AC and BD of a circle bisect each other. Prove AC and BD are diameters and quadrilateral ABCD is a rectangle.

to prove AC and BD are diameters  
 $\square ABCD$  is a rectangle

proof In  $\triangle BOC$  and  $\triangle DOA$

$$OB = OD \quad (\text{given})$$

$$\angle 1 = \angle 2 \quad (\text{vert. opp. } \angle s)$$

$$OC = OA \quad (\text{given})$$

$\therefore \triangle BOC \cong \triangle DOA$  by SAS property

$$\angle 3 = \angle 4 \dots \textcircled{I} \quad (\text{cpct})$$

$$\angle 5 = \angle 6 \dots \textcircled{II}$$

$$\angle 3 = \angle 6 \dots \textcircled{III} \quad (\text{angles in same segment})$$

$$\angle 4 = \angle 5 \dots \textcircled{IV}$$

$$\angle 3 = \angle 4 = \angle 5 = \angle 6 \quad (\text{From } \textcircled{I}, \textcircled{II}, \textcircled{III}, \textcircled{IV})$$

$$\text{let } \angle 3 = \angle 4 = \angle 5 = \angle 6 = a^\circ$$

$$\text{Sem } \angle 7 = \angle 8 = \angle 9 = \angle 10$$

$$\text{let } \angle 7 = \angle 8 = \angle 9 = \angle 10 = b^\circ$$

$$\angle A = \angle C \quad (\text{each } a+b)$$

But  $\angle A + \angle C = 180^\circ$  (opp. angles of cyclic  $\square$ )

$$\therefore 2\angle A = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle A = 90^\circ$$

Sem  $\therefore BD$  is diameter of  $\odot$   
 Sem  $\therefore AC$  is diameter of  $\odot$

$$\angle A = \angle B = \angle C = \angle D \quad (\text{each } a+b)$$

$\therefore \square ABCD$  is a rectangle