Inscribed angles pop quiz

Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ)

- 1. In a circle, an inscribed angle is always equal to:
 - A) Half the measure of the central angle
 - B) Double the measure of the central angle
 - C) The same as the central angle
 - D) A quarter of the central angle

Answer: A

- 2. If an inscribed angle intercepts a semicircle, what is the measure of the inscribed angle?
 - $A) 45^{\circ}$
 - B) 60°
 - C) 90°
 - D) 180°

Answer: C

- 3. If the measure of an inscribed angle is 30°, what is the measure of the intercepted arc?
 - A) 30°
 - B) 60°
 - C) 90°
 - D) 120°

Answer: B

- 4. Two inscribed angles intercept the same arc in a circle. If one angle is 40°, what is the measure of the other angle?
 - A) 20°
 - B) 40°
 - C) 80°
 - D) 100°

Answer: B

- 5. In a circle, one inscribed angle measures 45° and intercepts an arc of 90°. What is the measure of a different inscribed angle intercepting the same arc?
 - $A) 30^{\circ}$
 - B) 45°
 - C) 60°
 - D) 90°

Answer: B

Free Response Questions

6. If the central angle in a circle is 120°, what is the measure of the inscribed angle intercepting the same arc?

Answer:

The inscribed angle measures 60°.

7. An inscribed angle intercepts an arc of 140°. What is the measure of the inscribed angle?

Answer:

The inscribed angle measures 70°.

8. Find the measure of an inscribed angle that intercepts a 180° arc. Explain your reasoning.

Answer:

The inscribed angle is half of the intercepted arc. Since it intercepts a semicircle, the inscribed angle measures 90°.

9. In a circle, angle ABC is an inscribed angle that intercepts an arc of 80°. What is the measure of angle ABC?

Answer:

The measure of angle ABC is 40°.

10. Two inscribed angles intercept the same arc of 100°. If one of the inscribed angles measures 50°, find the measure of the other inscribed angle and explain why.

Answer:

Both inscribed angles intercept the same arc, so they are equal.

The other inscribed angle also measures 50°.

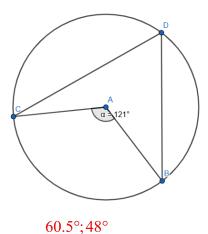
11. An inscribed angle in a circle intercepts an arc that measures 120°. What is the measure of the inscribed angle?

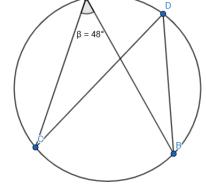
Answer:

The inscribed angle is half of the intercepted arc.

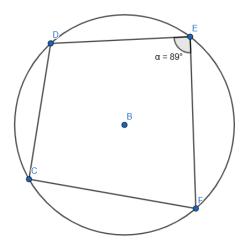
The inscribed angle measures 60°.

12. Find $\angle CDB$ of each graph.





13. Find $\angle DCF$ of each graph.



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