Lesson 4

Class: VI

• *Quadrilateral:* A figure made up of four line segments is called a quadrilateral.

A quadrilateral has four sides and four angles. A quadrilateral is always named in a cyclic manner.



• *Circle:* A *circle* is the set of all those points in a plane whose distance from a fixed point remains constant.

# OR

A *circle* is the path of a moving point at the same distance from a fixed point.

<u>Centre</u>: The fixed point is called the *centre* of the circle. 'O' is the centre of the circle in the adjacent figure. <u>Radius:</u> The constant distance is known as the *radius* of the circle. OA and OB are the radii of the circle. All the radii of a circle are equal.

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Diameter: A line segment passing through the centre of the circle and having its and points on the circle is called a *diameter*.

PQ is a diameter of the circle having its centre at O. Also OP and OQ are two radii of the circle.

 $\therefore$  OP = OQ  $\Rightarrow$  O is the midpoint of PQ. Thus, the centre of a circle divides the diameter into two equal parts. Hence, Diameter =  $2 \times \text{radius}$ . The centre of the circle is the mid-point of every diameter of the circle. Thus, diameters of a circle are concurrent and the common point is the centre of the circle.

*Chord of a circle:* A line segment with its end points lying on a circle is called a chord of the circle. By this definition, the diameter of a circle is also its chord. It will be the longest chord of a circle. In the adjacent figure, XY and CD are two chords of the circle with centre O. Is chord XY the diameter of the circle also?

Arc of a circle: A continuous piece of a circle is called an *arc* of the circle. OR we can also say, an ARC is a portion of a circle. Let A and B be two points of the circle with centre O and radius r, such that the line segment AB is not a diameter of the circle. The points A and B divide the circle into two parts one smaller than the other part. Each part is an arc of the circle. The *minor arc* is shown by AXB and the *major arc* by AYB.









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<u>**Circular Region**</u>: the part of the plane of the circle that consists of the circle and its interior is called the circular region.

Sector of a circle: A region in the interior of a circle enclosed by an arc on one side and a pair of radii on the other two sides is called a *sector*. In the figure, the OAB is the *minor sector* and ACB is the *major sector*.

<u>Segment of a circle</u>: A region in the interior of a circle enclosed by an arc and a chord is called a segment of a circle. In the figure, XY divides the circular region in two parts – *Minor Segment* and *Major Segment*.





**<u>Circumference</u>**: The distance around the circle is called the *circumference* of the circle. In other words, the length of the boundary of the interior of a circle is its *circumference*. OR The perimeter of a circle is its *circumference*.

**Semi-circle:** The end points of a diameter of a circle divide the circle into two equal parts. Each part is called a *semi-circle*. i.e. A semi-circle is *half of a circle*.

### *Example 1:* Define the following terms:

(a) circle (b) radius (c) centre (d) diameter (e) chord

*Answer 1*: (a) <u>Circle</u>: A *circle* is the path of a moving point at the same distance from a fixed point.

(b)**<u>Radius</u>**: The constant distance is known as the *radius* of the circle. Allth radii of a circle are equal.

(c) <u>Centre</u>: The fixed point of a circle is called the *centre* of the circle.

(d) **<u>Diameter</u>**: A line segment passing through the centre of the circle and having its and points on the circle is called a *diameter*. Diameter is twice the radius.

(e) <u>**Chord</u>**: A line segment with its end points lying on a circle is called a *chord* of the circle. A diameter is the longest chord of a circle.</u>

*Example 2*: Draw a quadrilateral PQRS. Write two pairs of (i) adjacent angles (ii) adjacent sides. (iii) Also name its two diagonals.

Answer 2: Two pairs of

- (i) adjacent sides are: (PS, PQ) and (SR, RQ)
- (ii) adjacent angles are  $(\angle P, \angle Q), (\angle R, S)$
- (iii) Two diagonals are: PR and QS



# <u>Assignment:</u>

- 1) Complete exercises 4.5 and 4.6 of textbook.
- 2) Complete the worksheet given along with this module.

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### WORKSHEET 3

- 1) Draw a circle with centre O and mark the following using colours:
  - (a) Diameter AB (b) Radius OP (c) chord CD
  - (d) segment RS (e) minor arc APB (f) major arc
  - (g) point Q in the exterior of the circle (h) point Z in the interior of the circle
- 2) Is the given figure quadrilateral ABCD? If not, write the correct name of the quadrilateral. Also write the sides and angles of the quadrilateral.



- 3) How many circles can be drawn to pass through two given points?
- 4) How many circles can be drawn to pass through three given points?

#### 5) Fill in the blanks.

- a) The diameter of a circle is \_\_\_\_\_\_ times its radius.
- b) The diameter of a circle is the \_\_\_\_\_ chord of a circle.
- c) A radius of a circle is a line segment with one end at \_\_\_\_\_ and the other end at \_\_\_\_\_
- d) Every point on a circle is \_\_\_\_\_ from its centre.
- e) A chord of a circle is a line segment with its end points on the \_\_\_\_\_
- f) The diameter of a circle passes through \_\_\_\_\_
- g) The total number of diameters of a circle are \_\_\_\_\_
- h) All radii of a circle are \_\_\_\_\_