

1106 DIS 208 Week 2 (#1)

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Discussion Outline

- Upcoming Assessment
- Form Groups Activities
- Recitation Worksheet

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Upcoming Assessment

- Reading Quiz 4 (Tonight, 1/29)
- Homework 2 (Monday, 2/3) - partial solutions uploaded
- Reading Quiz 5 (Monday, 2/3) - not yet uploaded
- Prelim 1 (6 weeks away, 10/3)

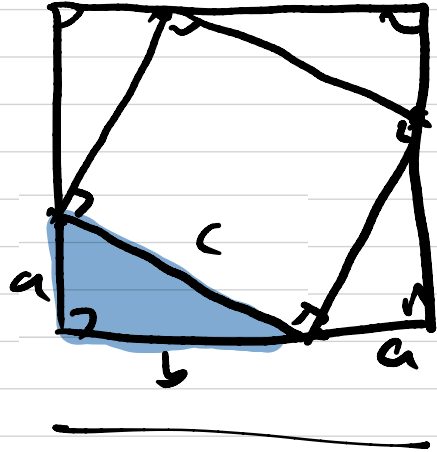
- Can always ask questions on Piazza
- Other resources: Stack Exchange.

Extra Exercise:

Prove Pythagoras' Thm.

Area of square method 1:

$$(a+b)^2$$



Area of square method 2:

4x area triangle + area of outer square

$$4 \cdot \frac{1}{2}ab + c^2 = 2ab + c^2$$

$$(a+b)^2 = 2ab + c^2$$

$$a^2 + 2ab + b^2 = c^2$$

BONUS CONTENT

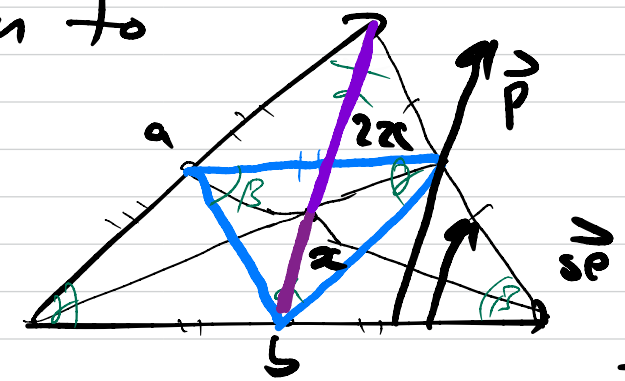
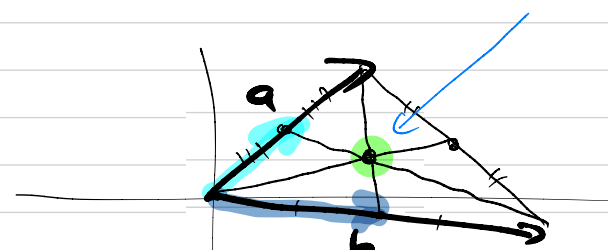
Extra Question:

In the given triangle, thinking of the sides as vectors, what is the formula for the vector going from the origin to the **centroid**?

(not on exam)

$$\vec{SP} = \frac{1}{3}(\vec{P})$$

$$= \frac{1}{3}\left(\vec{a} - \frac{1}{2}\vec{c}\right)$$



Sol: $\frac{1}{2}\vec{c} + \vec{SP} = \frac{1}{2}\vec{b} - \frac{1}{6}\vec{b} + \frac{1}{3}\vec{a}$. $\frac{1}{2}\vec{c} + \vec{P} = \vec{a}$ $\vec{P} = \vec{a} - \frac{1}{2}\vec{c}$

Last Time: Vectors, vector fields

- Today:
- Population models (one variable)
 - $X' = rX$ (p29-30, Modeling Life)
 - $X' = bX - cX^2$ (p30-31, M.L.)
 - a.k.a logistic eqn
 - a.k.a population model with crowding
 - Sigmoid functions
 - (Extra) Newton's Law of Cooling.

Room Diagram

