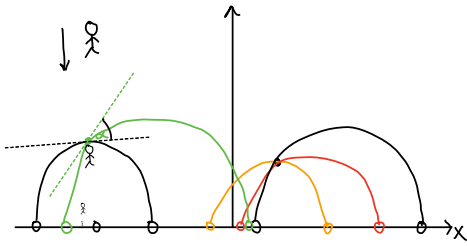


The Hyperbolic Plane (via the Poincaré half-plane model)



- The points are all the points in the Cartesian plane above the x-axis.
- The lines are semi-circles centred on the x-axis
- Angles between "lines" are the angles between (the tangent lines to) the semicircles

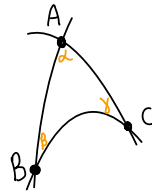
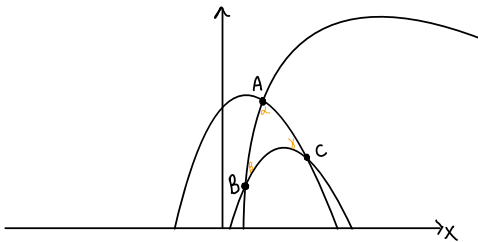
• Hyperbolic distance in this model

$$A(x_1, y_1)$$

$$B(x_2, y_2)$$

If $x_1 = x_2$, the distance from A to B is $|\ln(\frac{y_2}{y_1})|$.

If $x_1 \neq x_2$, and $(c, 0)$ is the centre of the "line" joining the points and has radius r , then the distance from A to B is $|\ln(\frac{(x_1 - c - r)y_2}{(x_2 - c - r)y_1})|$.



- In the elliptic plane the sum of the interior angles of a triangle is $\alpha + \beta + \gamma > \pi$.
- In the Euclidean plane $\alpha + \beta + \gamma = \pi$.
- In the hyperbolic plane $\alpha + \beta + \gamma < \pi$.

Hyperbolic cosine laws:

$$\cosh(a) = \cosh(b)\cosh(c) - \cos(\alpha)\sinh(b)\sinh(c)$$

$$\cosh(x) = \frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{2}$$

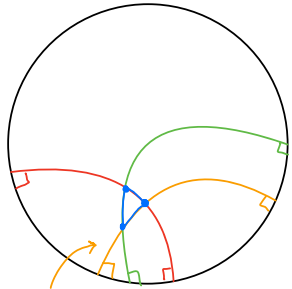
$$\sinh(x) = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{2}$$

$$\cos(\alpha) = \cosh(a)\sin(\beta)\sin(\gamma) - \cos(\beta)\cos(\gamma)$$

Sine Law:

$$\frac{\sin(\alpha)}{\sinh(a)} = \frac{\sin(\beta)}{\sinh(b)} = \frac{\sin(\gamma)}{\sinh(c)}$$

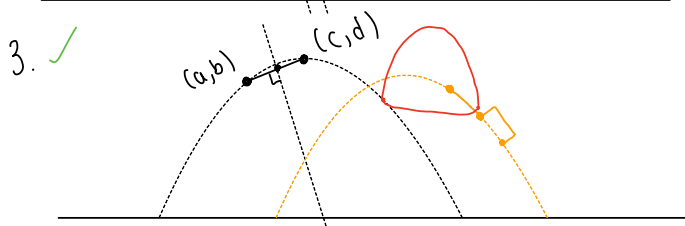
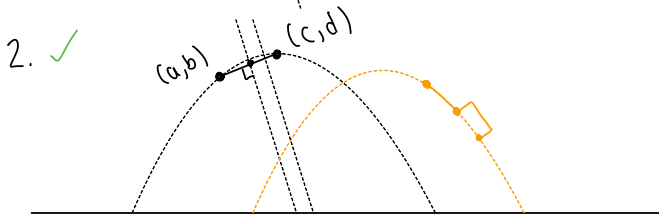
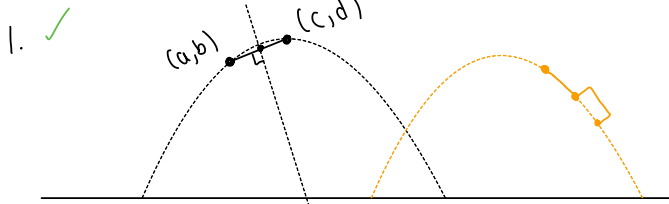
$$\text{Area of } \triangle ABC = \pi - (\alpha + \beta + \gamma)$$



line

Points: points inside a unit circle

Which of Euclid's Postulates hold in the half-plane model?



4. ✓

5. ✗

Post. S ✓

Post. A ✓