

Looking at the angles in the two parts of the circle and the angle at the centre together we have,

Any chord which is not a diameter splits the circle into unequal parts.

The angle got by joining any point on the larger part to the ends of the chord is half the angle got by joining the centre of the circle to these ends.

The angle got by joining any point on the smaller part to the ends of the chord is

half the angle at the centre subtracted from 180  $^{\circ}$  .



Q) If the chord AB makes an angle 140° at the centre of the circle find ∠APB & ∠ AQB.

Ans)

$$\angle APB = \frac{\angle AOB}{2}$$
$$= \frac{140^{\circ}}{2}$$
$$= 70^{\circ}$$



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∠AQB = 180° - 
$$\frac{∠AOB}{2}$$
  
= 180° -  $\frac{140°}{2}$   
= 180° - 70°  
= 110°

<u>Putting the results obtained in terms of arcs and their central</u> <u>angles</u>



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## **Conclusion**

The angle made by any arc of a circle on the alternate arc is half the angle made at the centre



### <u>Note:</u>

Sum of the angles on an arc and its alternate arc

•= ∠P +∠ Q <mark>ج` + 180° –</mark>  $= 180^{\circ}$ 

Sum of the angles on an arc and its alternate arc is 180 °.

Pairs of angles of sum 180° are usually called supplementary angles.

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In the figure, AB is the diameter of the circle.
Arc APB and arc AQB are semicircles.
Central angle of a semicircle is 180°.
∠P is the angle made by the arc AQB at its alternate arc APB and
∠Q is the angle made by the arc APB at its alternate arc AQB

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180

 $\angle \mathbf{P} = \frac{180^{\circ}}{2} = 90^{\circ}$  $\angle \mathbf{Q} = \frac{180^{\circ}}{2} = 90^{\circ}$ 

Angles in semicircle are right or 90°

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