1. Here is a diagram of a circle centre O and triangles ABC and XYZ



(i) Complete:

Straight lines that meet the circumference of the circle

- 1 time are tangents e.g. and and
- 2 times are chords e.g.andand
- (ii) Draw 3 diameters one through X, one through Y and one through Z

2. Here is a diagram of points a circle centre O and some points.

The lines drawn from the point P to the points C, D and E are called PC, PD and PE

(i) Use a ruler to draw straight lines PA, PB, PF and PG.



Straight lines from the point P that meet the circumference of the circle:

- 0 times e.g. P... and P... have no special name,
- 1 time e.g. P... and P... have the name tangent,
- 2 times e.g. PC, PD and PE don't have a special name, **except** for the line segment (part of the line) inside the circle.

The chord which goes through the centre of the circle has the name diameter.

3. Here is a diagram of two right angled triangles ABC and CDE and a circle centre O.



Complete:

Straight lines that meet the circumference once are tangents e.g. and Straight lines between two points on the circumference are chords e.g., and The chord is a diameter because it goes through the centre of the circle, O

P

- 4. Here is a diagram of a circle centre O and 7 lines from point P
- (i) Use ${\bf chord},\,{\bf diameter}$ and ${\bf tangent}$ to complete this key



(ii) Use **chord**, **diameter** and **tangent** to complete this table

Name	Description
	A line segment (part of a line) which meets the circumference 2 times
	A line which meets the circumference 1 time
	A chord that goes through the centre of the circle

Answers

1. (i) tangent: A(Z)B and B(X)C and C(Y)A; chords: XY, YZ and ZX



- 3. tangents: A(E)B and AC chords: C(O)D, DE and EC diameter: C(O)D
- 4. (i)

<u>Tangent</u>
Chord
<u>— Diameter</u>
———— Other lines and line segments



(ii)

Name	Description
Chord	A line segment (part of a line) which meets the circumference 2 times
Tangent	A line which meets the circumference 1 time
Diameter	A chord that goes through the centre of the circle