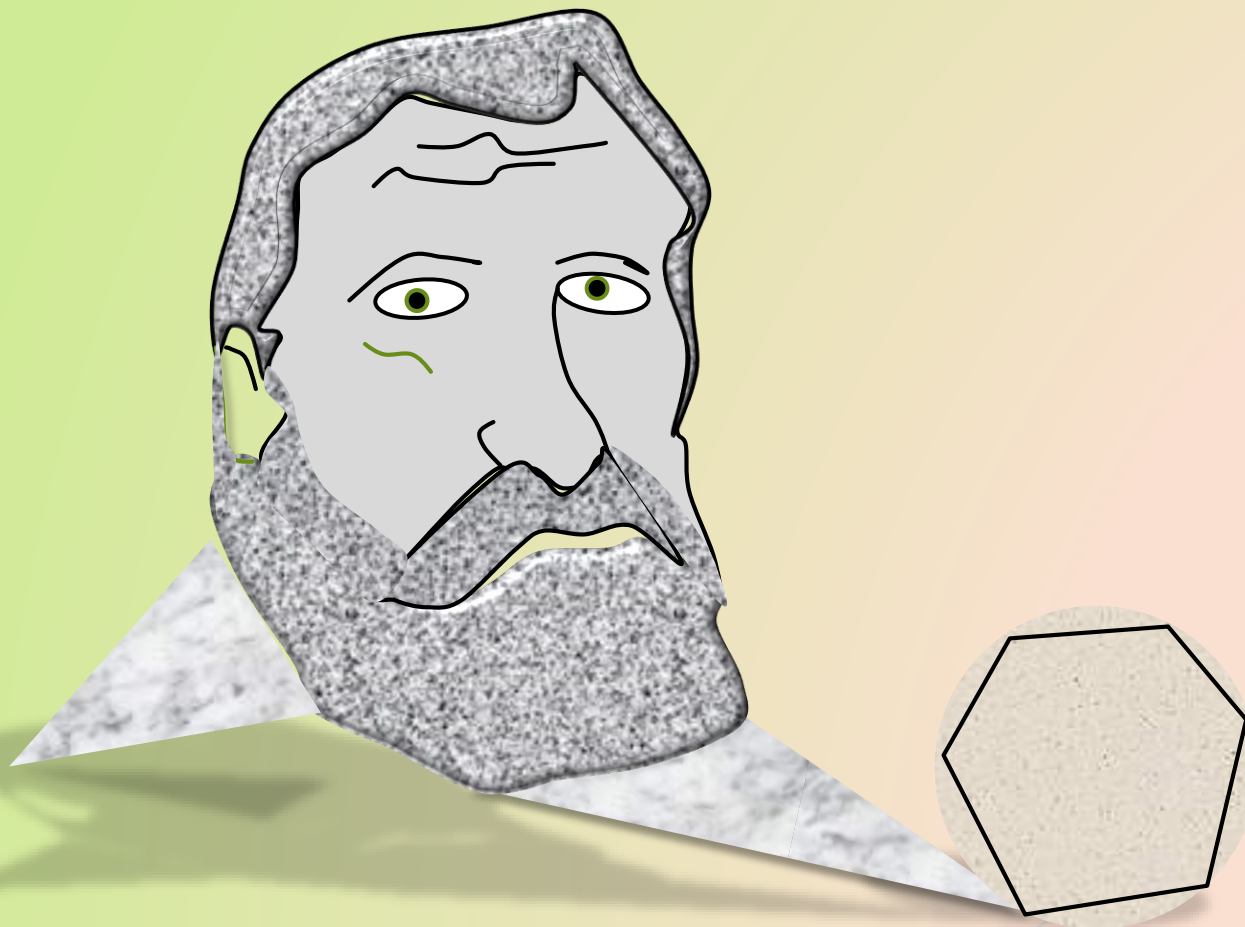


*LA FANTASTICA STORIA DEL PRODE ERONE
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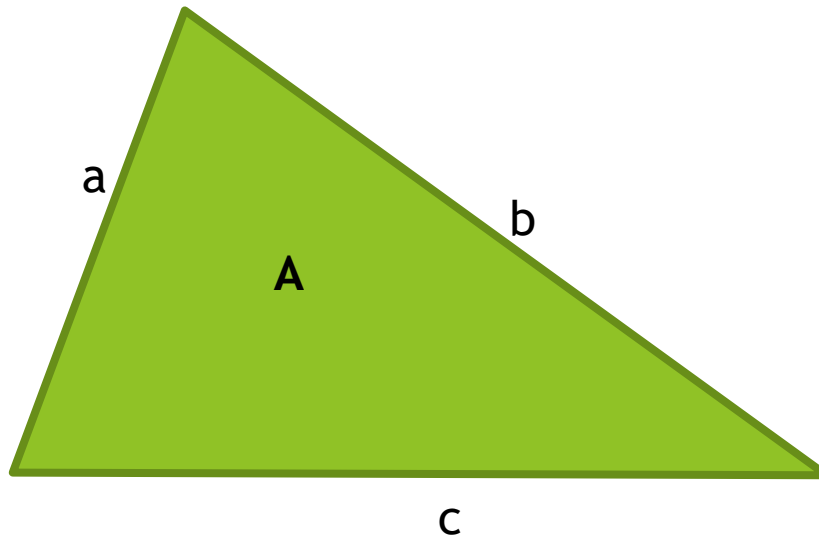
CI FACCIAMO DOMANDE

- ▶ *Cos'è la Formula di Erone per il triangolo?*
- ▶ *Ma Pitagora c'entra?*
- ▶ *E' possibile estendere la formula di Erone a quadrilateri?*
- ▶ *E a poligoni con più di 4 lati?*
- ▶ *Ma sono proprio i lati i veri protagonisti?*

PER CERCARE RISPOSTE

- ▶ **Precisare**
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LA FORMULA DI ERONE

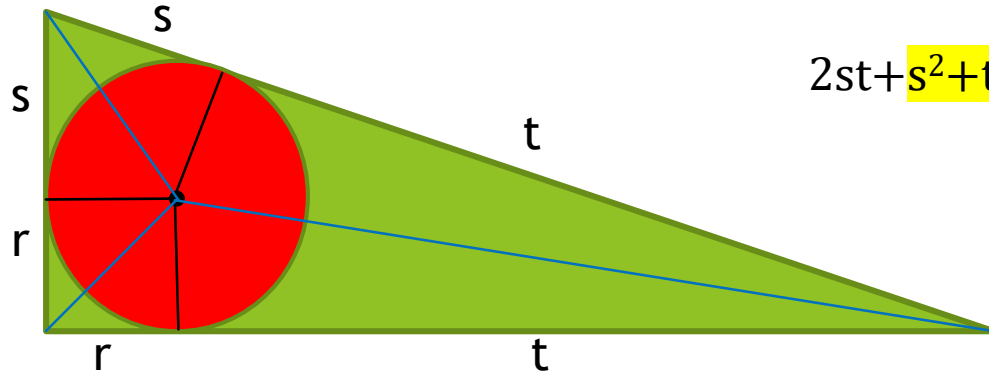


$$2p = a + b + c$$

$$A^2 = p(p - a)(p - b)(p - c)$$

IL LEMMA DI LAENG

► Partiamo da un triangolo rettangolo



$$(s+t)^2 = (s+r)^2 + (r+t)^2 \quad \text{Teorema di Pitagora}$$

$$2st + s^2 + t^2 = 2r(r+s+t) + s^2 + t^2$$

$$\bullet A = \frac{1}{2} [(r+s)r + (s+t)r + (r+t)r] = r(r+s+t)$$

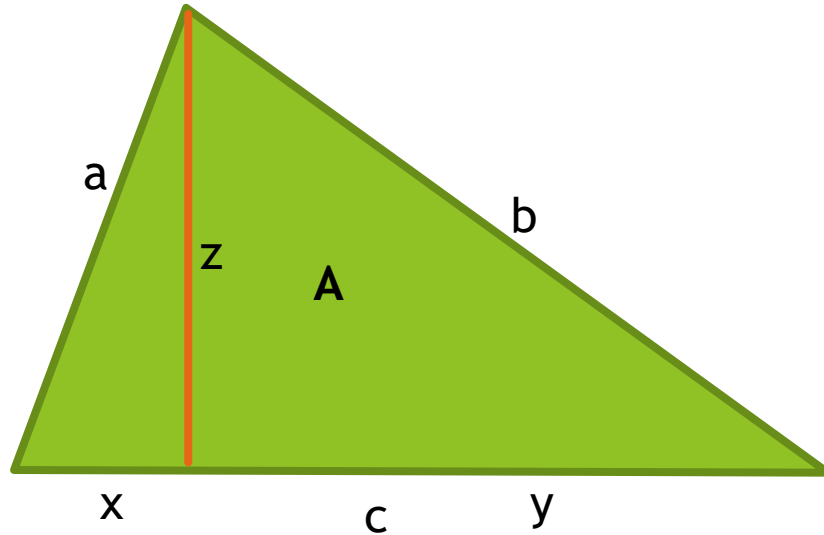
$$\bullet A = \frac{1}{2} [(r+s)(r+t)] \Rightarrow (r+s)(r+t) = 2r(r+s+t) \Rightarrow st = r(r+s+t) = A$$

$$\bullet A^2 = rst(r+s+t)$$

Formula di Erone per i triangoli rettangoli

IL DOPPIO PITAGORA

- Grazie al Teorema di Pitagora abbiamo



$$c^2 = (x + y)^2 = x^2 + y^2 + 2xy$$

$$(c^2 - x^2 - y^2)^2 = 4x^2y^2$$

$$x^2 = a^2 - z^2 \quad \text{Pitagora 1}$$

$$y^2 = b^2 - z^2 \quad \text{Pitagora 2}$$

$$(c^2 - a^2 - b^2 + 2z^2)^2 = 4(a^2 - z^2)(b^2 - z^2)$$

$$4z^2c^2 = 4a^2b^2 - (c^2 - a^2 - b^2)^2$$

$$16A^2 = (2ab - (c^2 - a^2 - b^2))(2ab + (c^2 - a^2 - b^2))$$

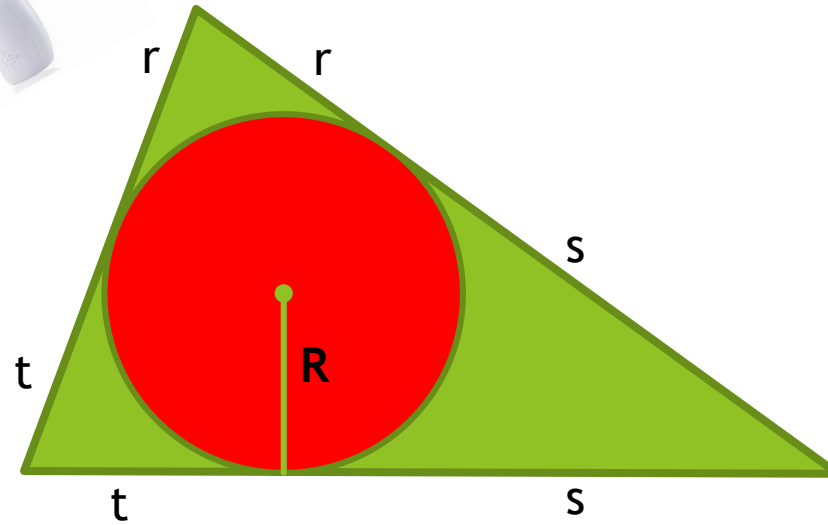
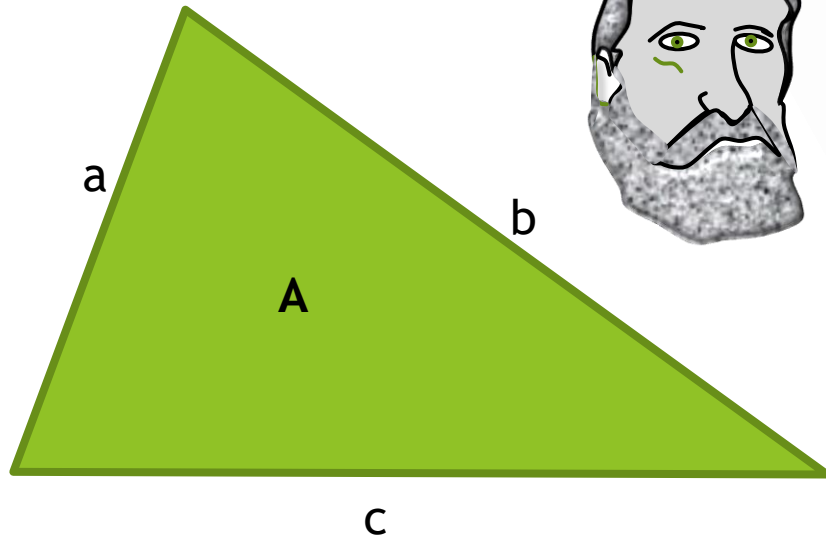
$$16A^2 = ((a + b)^2 - c^2)(c^2 - (a - b)^2)$$

$$16A^2 = (a + b + c)(a + b - c)(a + c - b)(c + b - a)$$

$$16A^2 = 16p(p - c)(p - b)(p - a)$$

Formula di Erone

ERONE RIVISITATO



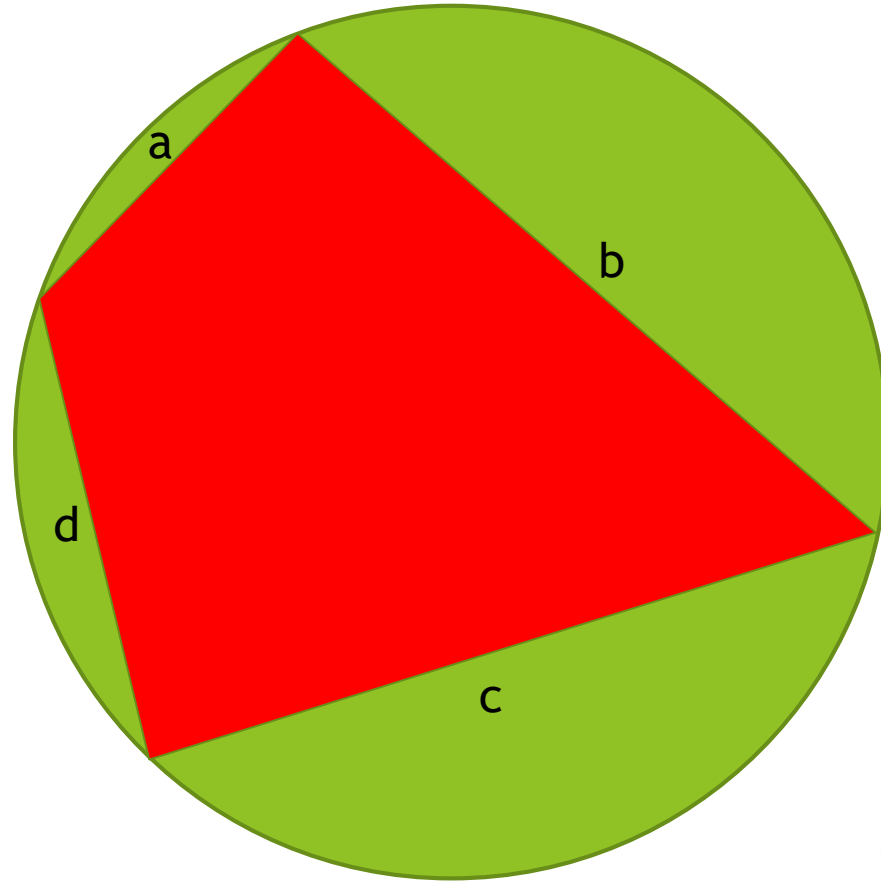
$$A^2 = p(p - c)(p - b)(p - a)$$

$$A^2 = (r + s + t)rst = prst$$

OSSERVAZIONE

$$A = pR \Rightarrow R = \frac{A}{p} = \sqrt{\frac{rst}{r+s+t}}$$

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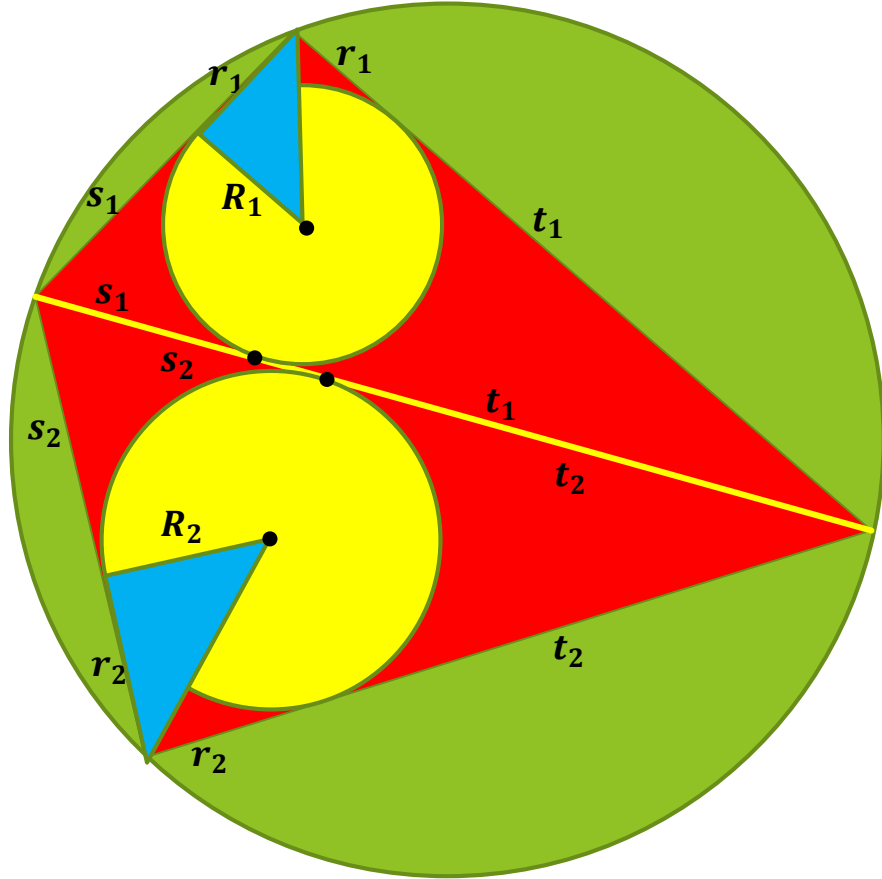


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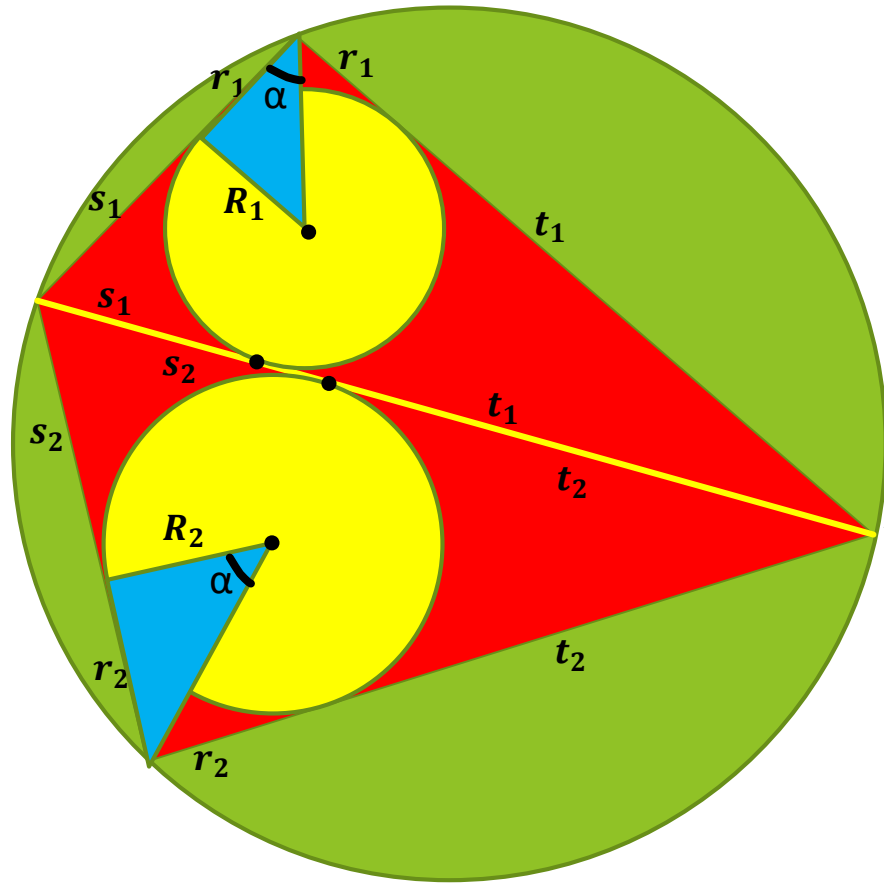
$$2p = a + b + c + d$$
$$= 2r_1 + 2r_2 + s_1 + t_1 + s_2 + t_2$$



$$p = r_1 + r_2 + s_1 + t_1 = p_1 + r_2$$

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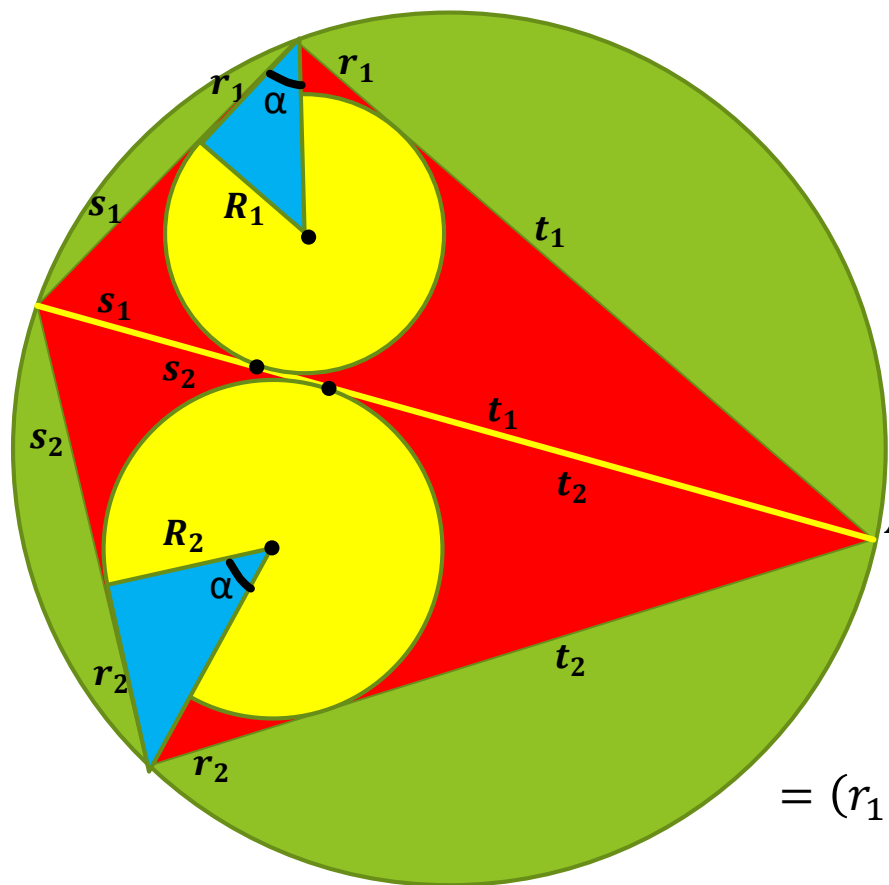
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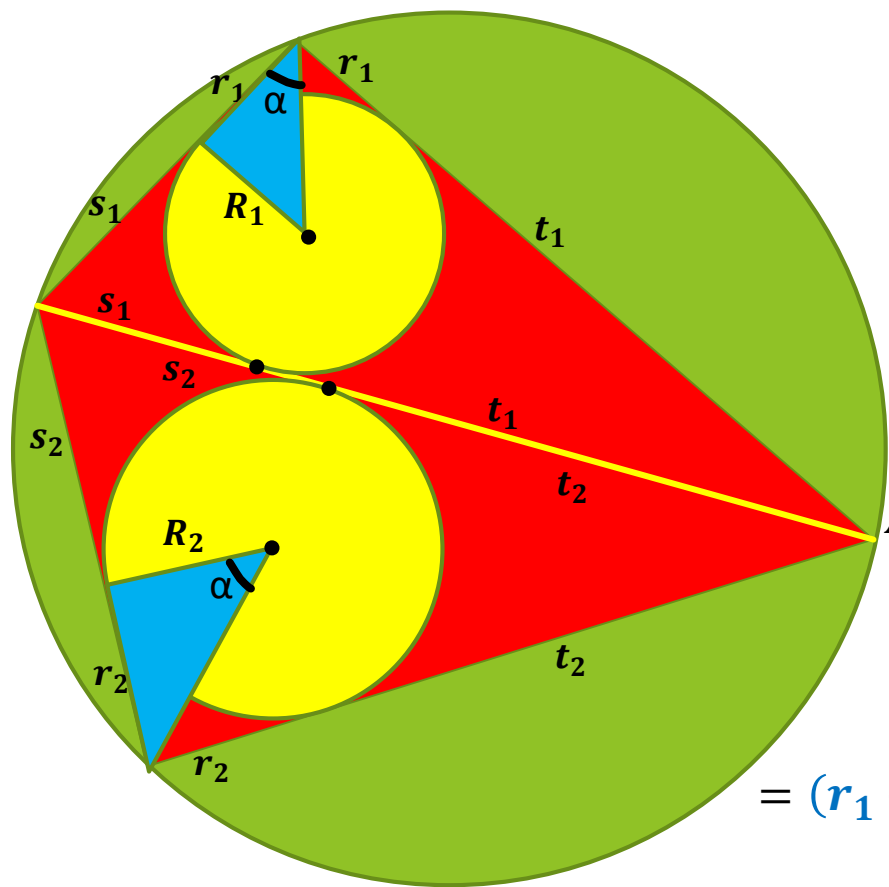
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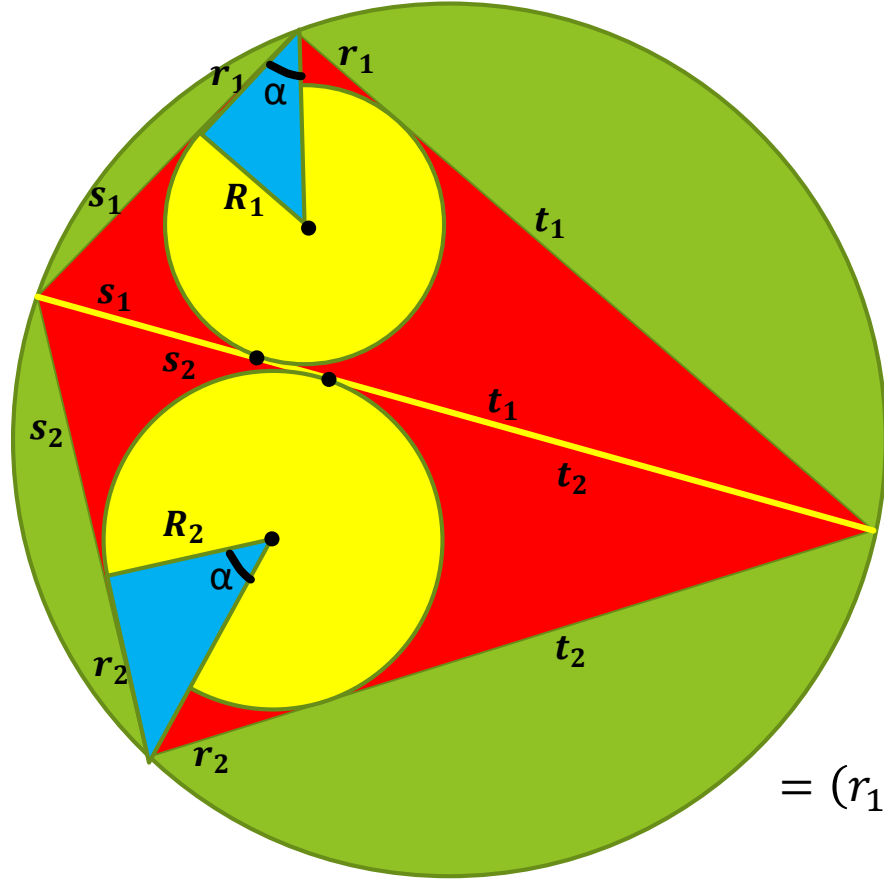
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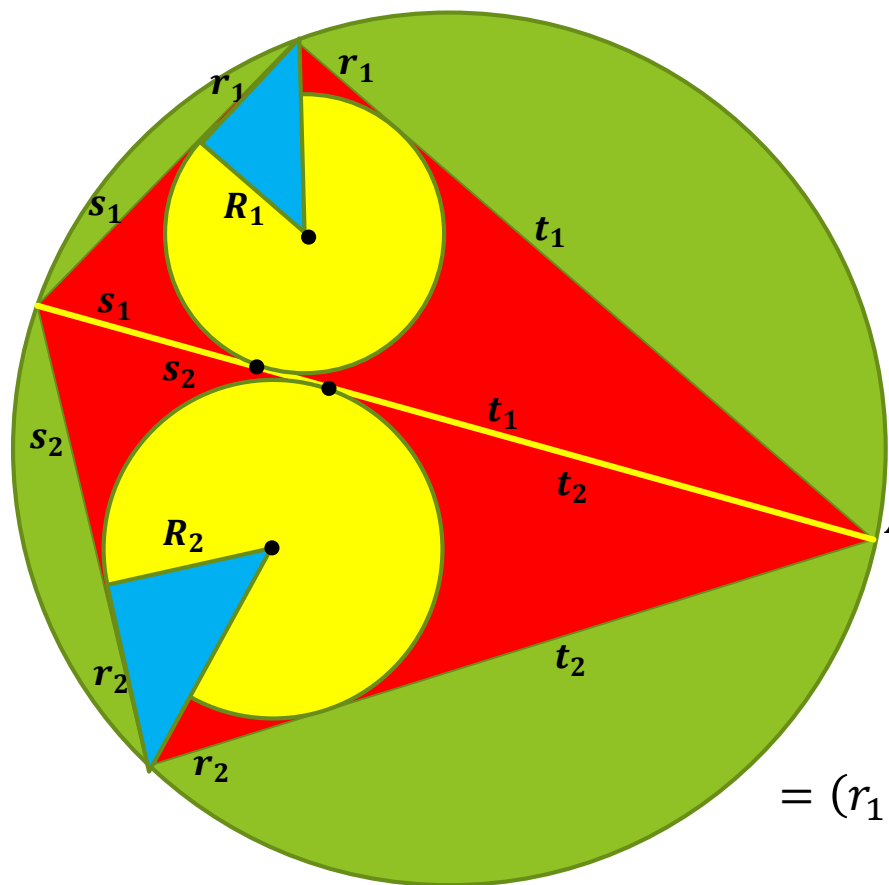
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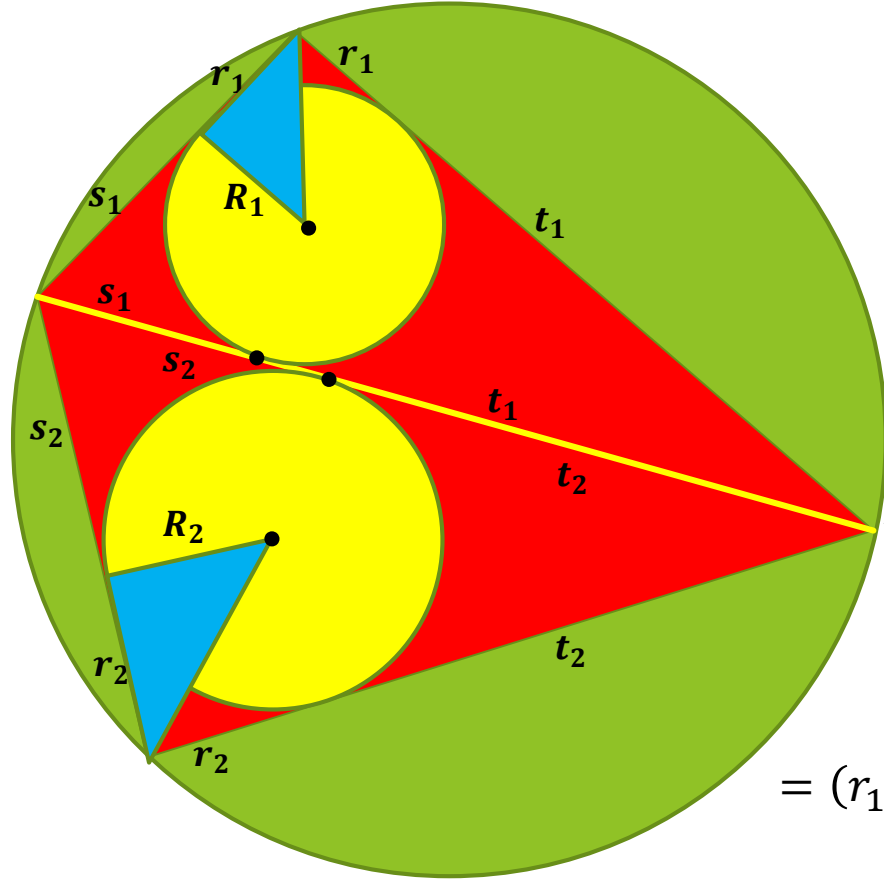
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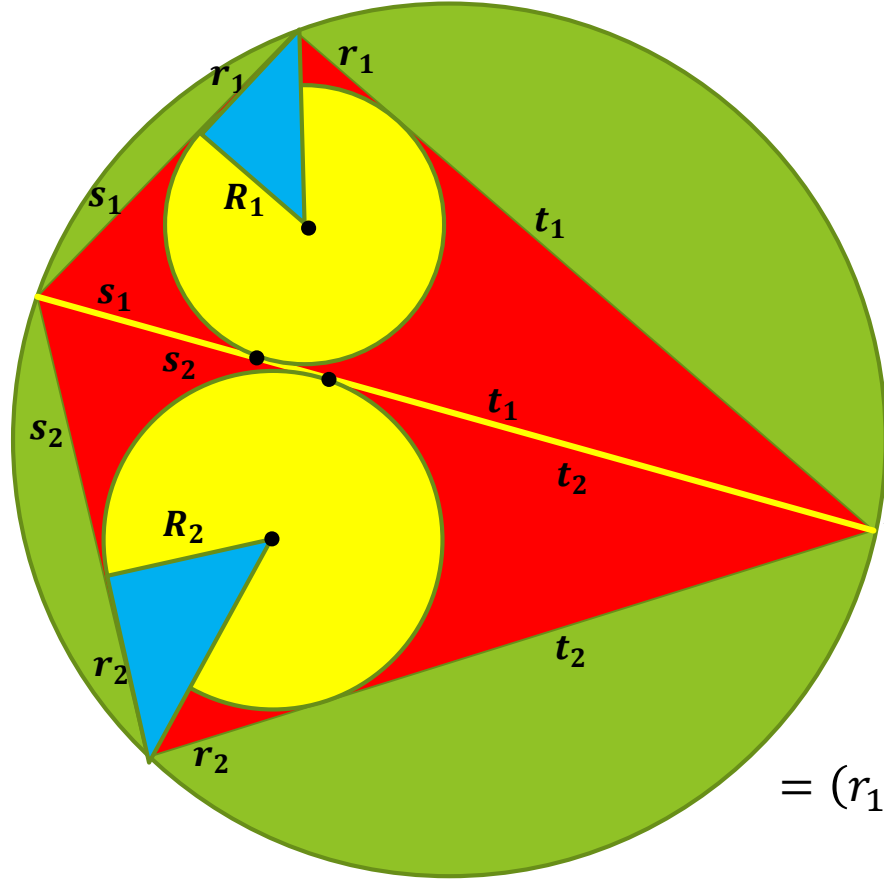
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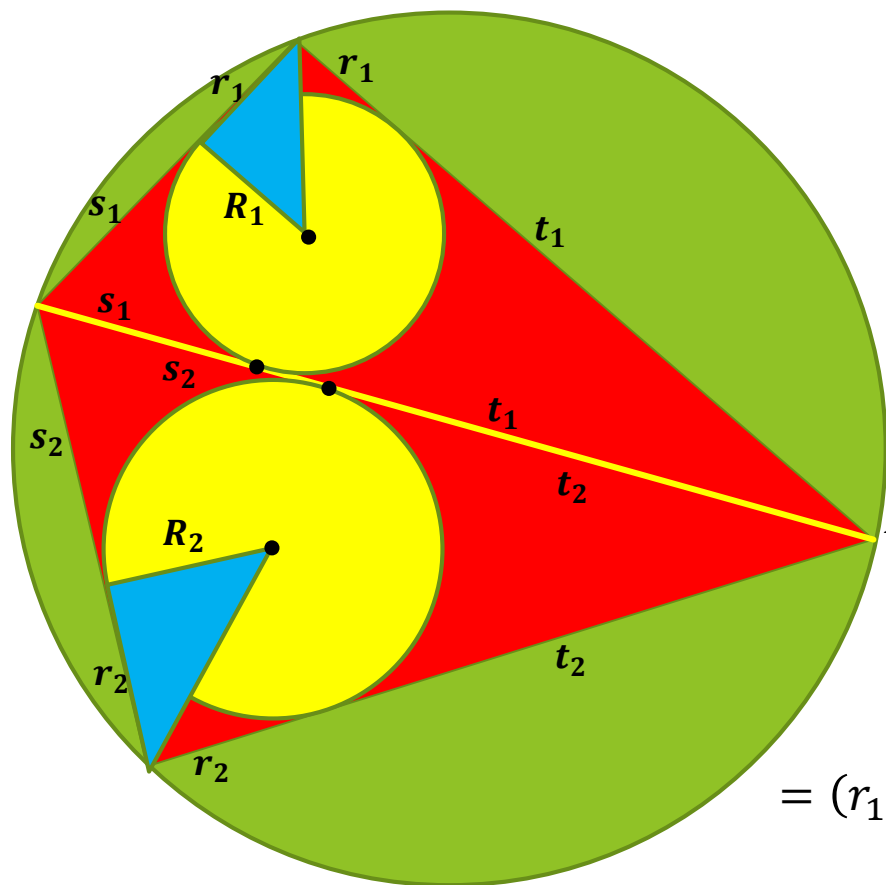
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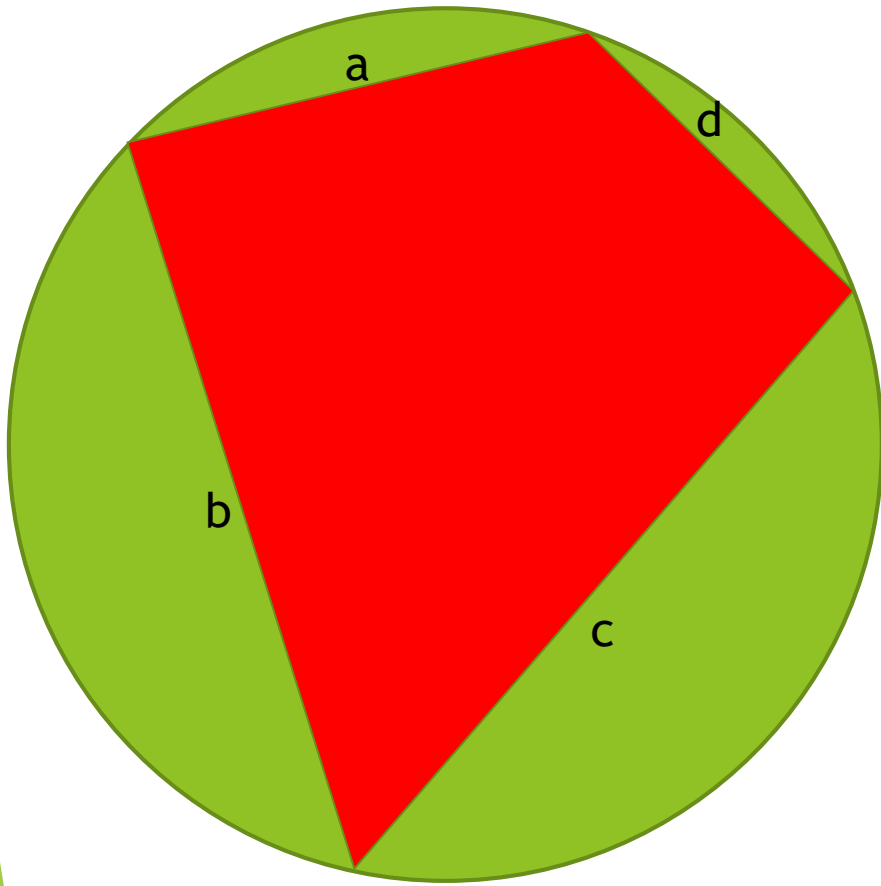
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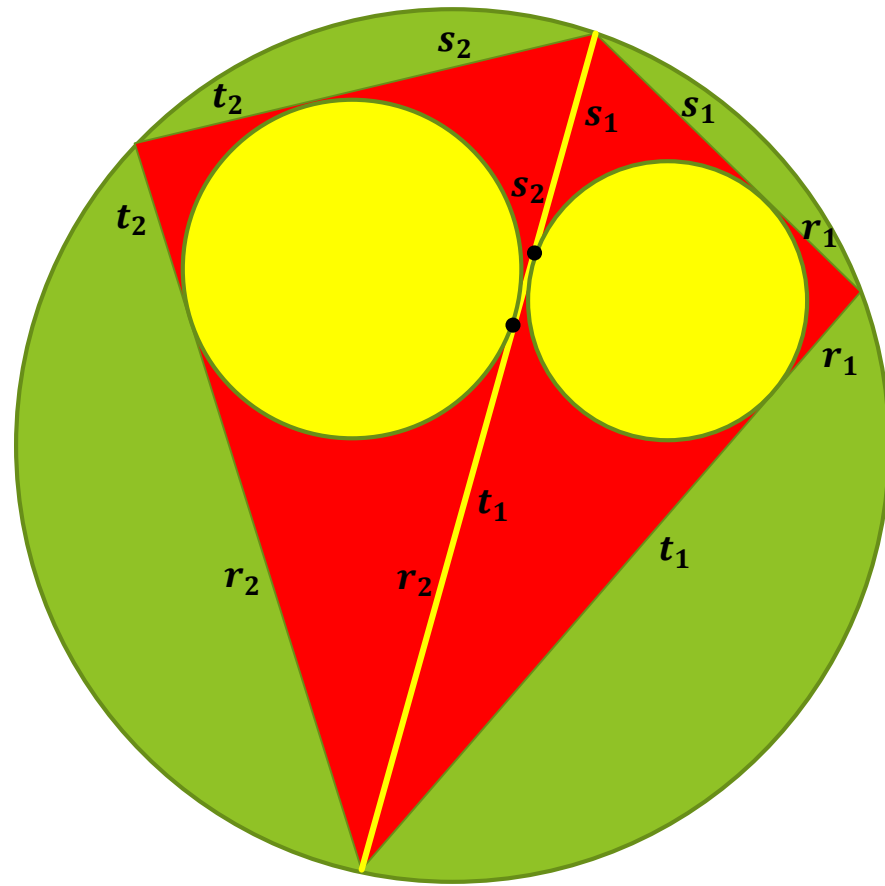
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BRAHMAGUPTA RIVISITATO



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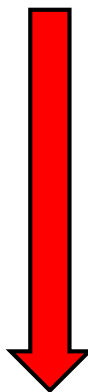


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POLIGONI CICLICI

- $A_j^2 = p_j r_j s_j t_j$ per ogni $j \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$

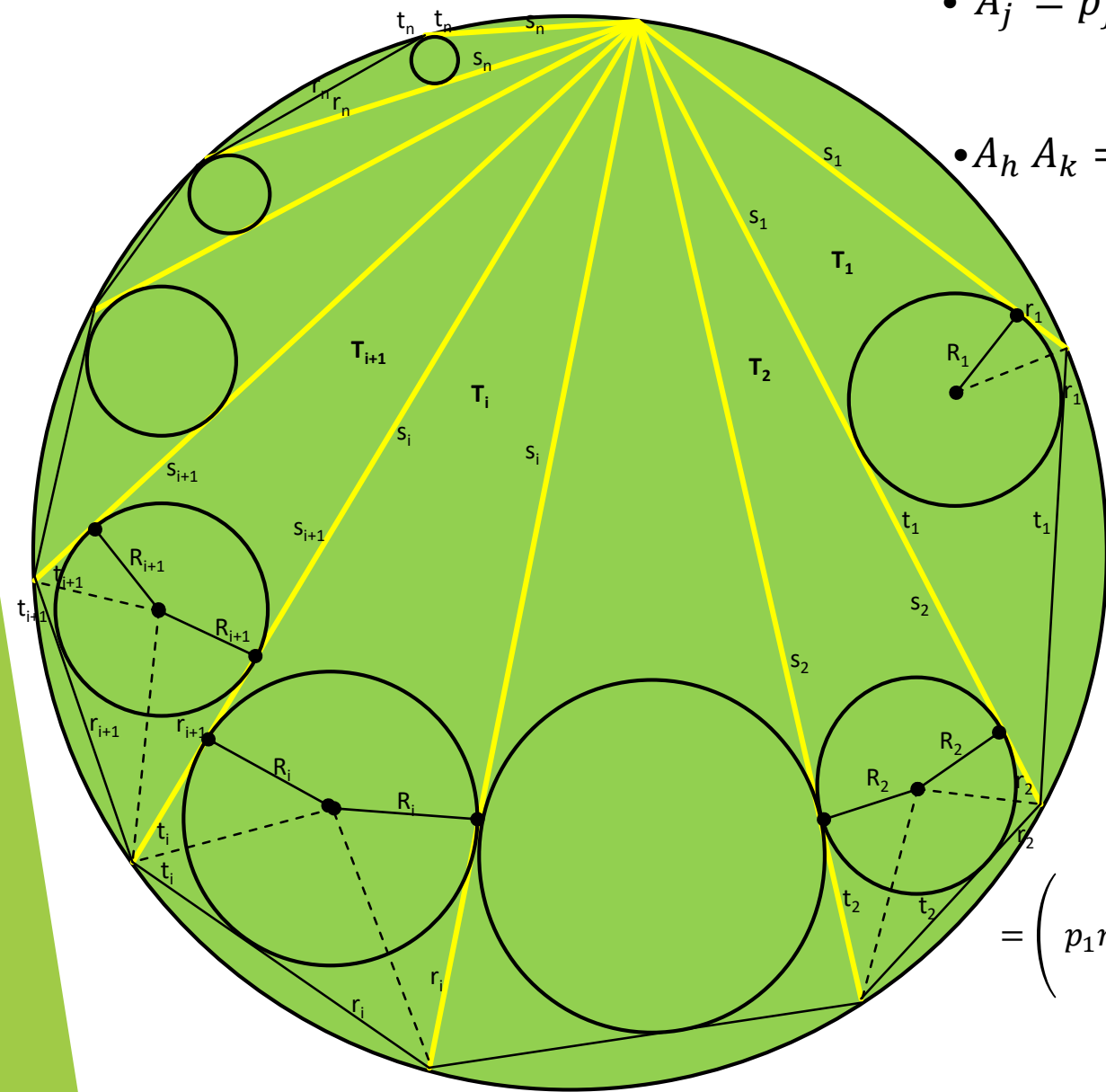
- $A_h A_k = s_h t_h s_k r_k \prod_{i=h+1}^{k-1} \frac{s_i}{p_i} = p_h r_h p_k t_k \prod_{i=h+1}^{k-1} \frac{p_i}{s_i}$



$$A(n)^2 = (A_1 + A_2 + \dots + A_n)^2 =$$

$$= \dots =$$

$$= \left(p_1 r_1 + \sum_{q=2}^n r_q s_q \prod_{m=2}^{q-1} \frac{s_m}{p_m} \right) \left(s_1 t_1 + \sum_{q=2}^n p_q t_q \prod_{m=2}^{q-1} \frac{p_m}{s_m} \right)$$



OSSERVAZIONI E COMMENTI

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La formula fornisce il quadrato dell'area di un qualsiasi poligono ciclico come funzione simmetrica rispetto agli scambi $r_j \leftrightarrow t_j$ ed $s_j \leftrightarrow p_j$ per ogni $j \in \{1, \dots, n\}$.

Tutte le variabili coinvolte si ricavano dalle sole partizioni dei lati del poligono

$$A(1)^2 = (p_1 r_1 + 0)(s_1 t_1 + 0) = p_1 r_1 s_1 t_1 \quad \text{Erone}$$



$$A(2)^2 = (p_1 r_1 + r_2 s_2)(s_1 t_1 + p_2 t_2) = (r_1 + r_2)(r_1 + s_2)(s_1 + t_2)(t_1 + t_2)$$



Brahmagupta

$$A(3)^2 = \left(p_1 r_1 + r_2 s_2 + \frac{r_3 s_3 s_2}{p_2} \right) \left(s_1 t_1 + p_2 t_2 + \frac{p_3 t_3 p_2}{s_2} \right)$$

$$A(4)^2 = \left(p_1 r_1 + r_2 s_2 + \frac{r_3 s_3 s_2}{p_2} + \frac{r_4 s_4 s_2 s_3}{p_2 p_3} \right) \left(s_1 t_1 + p_2 t_2 + \frac{p_3 t_3 p_2}{s_2} + \frac{p_4 t_4 p_3 p_3}{s_2 s_3} \right)$$



**GRAZIE PER
LA VOSTRA
ATTENZIONE**