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NAME OF THE DEPARTMENT : MATHEMATICS

SUBJECT : STATICS

TOPIC : PROBLEMS BASED ON LAMI'S THEOREM

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STATICS

S is circumcentre of ΔABC . If force of magnitudes P, Q, R acting along SA, SB, SC are in equilibrium. Show that P, Q, R are in the ratio.

$$1) \frac{P}{\sin 2A} = \frac{Q}{\sin 2B} = \frac{R}{\sin 2C}$$

$$2) \frac{P}{a^2 (b^2 + c^2 - a^2)} = \frac{Q}{b^2 (c^2 + a^2 - b^2)} = \frac{R}{c^2 (a^2 + b^2 - c^2)}$$

$$3) \frac{P}{\Delta BSC} = \frac{Q}{\Delta CSA} = \frac{R}{\Delta ASB}$$

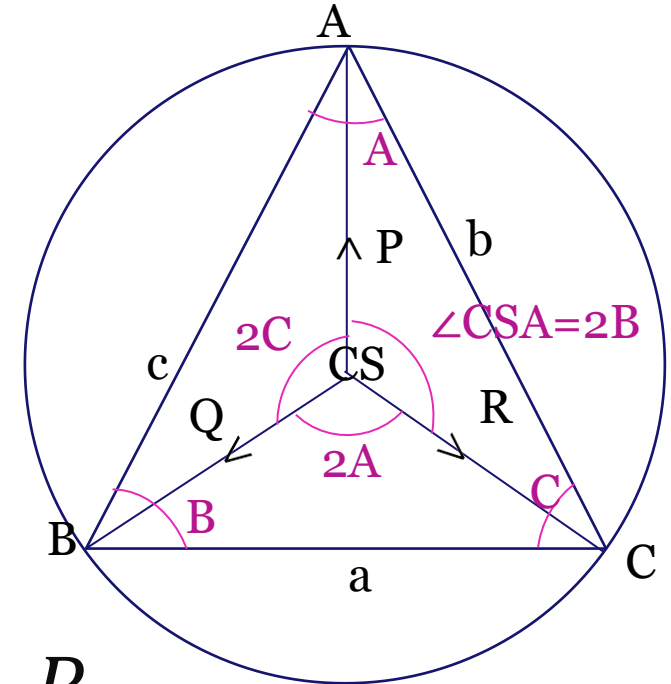
SOLUTION:

GIVEN:

The forces P, Q, R acting at O
and are in equilibrium

LAMI'S THEOREM:

$$\frac{P}{\sin \angle BSC} = \frac{Q}{\sin \angle CSA} = \frac{R}{\sin \angle ASB} \longrightarrow *$$



i) S is circumference of ΔABC

A is a point on circumference of circumcircle.

$\therefore \angle BAC = A; \angle BSC = 2A; \angle CSA = 2B; \angle ASC = 2C.$

$$\boxed{*} \longrightarrow \frac{P}{\sin 2A} = \frac{Q}{\sin 2B} = \frac{R}{\sin 2C} \longrightarrow \boxed{i}$$

ii) $\boxed{i} \longrightarrow \frac{P}{2\sin A \cos A} = \frac{Q}{2\sin B \cos B} = \frac{R}{2\sin C \cos C}$

W.K.T,

Sine formula:

$$\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C}$$

$$\sin A : \sin B : \sin C = a : b : c$$

Cosine formula:

$$\cos A = \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc}$$

$$\cos B = \frac{c^2 + a^2 - b^2}{2ac}$$

$$\cos C = \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab}$$

$$\frac{P}{a \binom{a}{a} \left(\frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc} \right)} = \frac{Q}{b \binom{b}{b} \left(\frac{c^2 + a^2 - b^2}{2ac} \right)} = \frac{R}{c \binom{c}{c} \left(\frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab} \right)}$$

$$\frac{P}{a^2 \frac{(b^2 + c^2 - a^2)}{2abc}} = \frac{Q}{b^2 \frac{(c^2 + a^2 - b^2)}{2abc}} = \frac{R}{c^2 \frac{(a^2 + b^2 - c^2)}{2abc}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{P}{a^2(b^2+c^2-a^2)} = \frac{Q}{b^2(c^2+a^2-b^2)} = \frac{R}{c^2(a^2+b^2-c^2)} \rightarrow \boxed{\text{ii}}$$

$$\text{iii) } \boxed{\text{i}} \rightarrow \frac{P}{\sin 2A} = \frac{Q}{\sin 2B} = \frac{R}{\sin 2C}$$

if S is circumference of ABC. Then

Radius $R=SA=SB=SC$

Area, $\Delta BSC = (1/2) SB \cdot SC \sin 2A$

$$\Delta BSC = (1/2) R \cdot R \sin 2A$$

$$\sin 2A = \frac{2 \Delta BSC}{R^2}$$

$$III^{ly} \quad \sin 2B = \frac{2 \Delta CSA}{R^2}; \quad \sin 2c = \frac{2 \Delta ASB}{R^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \boxed{\text{i}} &\longrightarrow \frac{P}{\frac{2}{R_2} \Delta BSC} = \frac{\underline{Q}}{\frac{2}{R_2} \Delta CSA} = \frac{R}{R_2 \Delta ASB} \\
 &\Rightarrow \frac{P}{\Delta BSC} = \frac{Q}{\Delta CSA} = \frac{R}{\Delta ASB} \longrightarrow \boxed{\text{iii}}
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence
proved.



THANK YOU
