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PROPOSITIONES XVI. XVII.

§. 143.

Prior ut corollarium sistitur XIV^{ta}; posterior ut corollarium prioris. Utraque immediate demonstrari potest iisdem modis, quibus XIV^{ta}; cuius etiam sic enunciata ad parallelogramma rectangula applicatione ambæ comprehenduntur: Parallelogrammorum rectangulorum æqualium bases sunt altitudinibus reciproce proportionales; ac vicissim æqualia sunt parallelogramma rectangula, quorum bases sunt altitudinibus reciproce proportionales.

§. 144.

Cum quodvis parallelogrammum obliquangulum æquale sit rectangulo æqualeto super eadem basi (I, 35.); generatim etiam (V, 7. 11.) duo quæcunque parallelogramma æqualia habent bases altitudinibus reciproce proportionales; ac vicissim.

§. 145.

Pariter duo quælibet triangula æqualia habere bases altitudinibus reciproce proportionales; & vicissim: vel hinc per I, 41. V, 15. inferitur; vel similiter de rectangulis primum triangulis, tum de ceteris ope I, 37. ex XV^{ta} deducitur.

§. 146.

Proposita §. 144. sq. ex VI, 1. & ejus confectario §. 12. sic etiam inferuntur. Denotent $\left. \begin{matrix} B, A, P \\ B', A', P' \end{matrix} \right\}$ bases, altitudines & areas duorum parallelogrammorum triangulorumve; & Q aream parallelogrammi triangulive, sub angulo quocunque super basi B' cum altitudine A facti.

Ita $P : Q = B : B'$ (VI, 1.)

$P' : Q = A' : A$ (§. 12.).

A

Quare

Quare si 1°. $P = P'$, ideoque $P : Q = P' : Q$ (V, 7);
erit (V, 11.) $B : B' = A' : A$.

2°. Vicissim si $B : B' = A' : A$;
fit quoque (V, 11.) $P : Q = P' : Q$
& hinc (V, 9.) $P = P'$.

§. 147.

Quodsi priores XVI^{ta} & XVII^{ma} partes ad Corollaria, VIII^{va} in *Elementis* ac §. 93. seq. subjuncta applicantur; hæ emergunt propositiones.

Perpendiculo ab vertice anguli recti trianguli rectanguli in hypotenusam demisso:

1°. quadratum hujus perpendiculi æquatur rectangulo sub segmentis hypotenusæ ab ipso factis; $AD^2 = \text{rectg. } BD \times DC$ (Fig. 23.).

2°. Cujuslibet catheti quadratum æquale est rectangulo sub hypotenusa & sub ejus segmento, quod catheto huic adjacet; $AB^2 = \text{rectg. } CB \times BD$,
 $AC^2 = \text{rectg. } BC \times CD$.

3°. Rectangulum sub lateribus circa angulum rectum æquale est rectangulo sub hypotenusa et perpendiculo; $\text{rectg. } BA \times AC = BC \times AD$.

4°. Rectangulum sub alterutro latere circa angulum rectum et sub perpendiculo æquatur rectangulo sub altero latere circa angulum rectum & sub segmento hypotenusæ, quod priori adjacet catheto; $\text{rectg. } BA \times AD = AC \times BD$, $\text{rectg. } CA \times AD = AB \times CD$.

In circulo

5°. quadratum perpendiculi ab quocunque peripheriæ puncto ad aliquam ejus diametrum ducti æquatur rectangulo sub segmentis diametri ab perpendiculo factis.

6°. Cujuslibet chordæ per centrum non transeuntis quadratum æquale est rectangulo sub diametro per unum chordæ extremum ducta, & sub diametri hujus segmento chordæ contiguo, quod ab illa abscindit perpendiculum in eam ex altero chordæ extremo demissum.

Unde porro consequitur: perpendiculo in $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{hypotenusam trianguli} \\ \text{diametrum} \end{array} \right\}$
 $\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{rectanguli} \\ \text{circuli} \end{array} \right\}$ demisso ex $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{vertice anguli recti} \\ \text{puncto quocunque peripheriæ} \end{array} \right\}$, & in circulo ductis ab puncto hoc rectis ad extrema diametri;

7°. hy-

7°. $\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{hypotenusam} \\ \text{diametrum} \end{array} \right\}$ esse ad alterutrum ipsius segmentum, uti quadratum $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{hypotenusæ} \\ \text{diametri} \end{array} \right\}$ ad quadratum $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{catheti} \\ \text{chordæ} \end{array} \right\}$ huic segmento adjacentis; vel ut hujus $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{catheti} \\ \text{chordæ} \end{array} \right\}$ quadratum ad quadratum istius segmenti; vel ut quadratum $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{catheti} \\ \text{chordæ} \end{array} \right\}$ adjacentis alteri segmento ad quadratum perpendiculari. Nempe

$$\begin{aligned} BC : CD &= BC^a : BC \times CD \text{ (§. 11.)} = BC^a : CA^a \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{cathetorum} \\ \text{chordarum} \end{array} \right\} \text{ (n.º. 2. 6.)} \\ &= BC \times CD : CD^a = AC^a : CD^a \\ &= CB \times BD : CD \times DB = BA^a : AD^a \text{ (n.º. 1. 2. 5. 6.)} \end{aligned}$$

8°. Ipsa autem $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{hypotenusæ} \\ \text{diametri} \end{array} \right\}$ segmenta esse uti quadrata $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{cathetorum} \\ \text{chordarum} \end{array} \right\}$ adjacentium;

$$BD : DC = CB \times BD : BC \times CD \text{ (§. 11.)} = BA^a : AC^a \text{ (n.º. 2. 6.)}$$

9°. Eodemque, quo n.º. 8, modo ostenditur: ex eodem peripheriæ puncto ductis diametro & duabus pluribusve chordis, perpendicularisque ab alteris harum terminis in diametrum demissis; quadrata chordarum esse ut segmenta ipsis adjacentia diametri.

§. 148.

Propositionum §. præc. expositarum tres primæ, usus in demonstrandis X, 34. 35. 36. gratia, traduntur in *Lemmate primo ante X*, 34: & ope VI, 17. 16. stabiliuntur mediantibus analogiis, una ab Corollarii VI, 8. parte priori petita, ceteris ex ipsis Propositionibus VI, 8. 4. deductis (vid. §. 93.); tertia insuper demonstratur, rectangulis sub *BA* & *AC*, *BC* & *AD* descriptis, colligendo ex I, 34. utrumque duplum esse trianguli *ABC*.

Primæ & secundæ demonstratio eadem, quæ in *Lemm. I. ante X*, 34. repetitur in *Lemmate post XIII*, 13. ad efficiendam præcedentis septimæ (§. 147.) partem tertiam.

Ejusdem septimæ pars prima in demonstrationibus XIII, 14. 15. 16. tanquam nota simpliciter sumitur: pariterque bis in demonstratione XIII, 18; semel autem, bisve, cum adjuncta ratione, *ισογωνιον γαρ*

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εσι τω ΒΑΓ τριγωνον τω ΓΑΔ τριγωνω: in demonstratione XIII, 13. autem, pariter ac secunda pars in demonstratione XIII, 18. ex proportione $BC:CA=AC:CD$, vel $DC:CA=AC:CB$, rursus utrobique ab VI, 8. 4. deducta, infertur per VI, 20. Coroll. 2.

Quæ quidem, juncta iis, quæ notata fuere §. 93, nimis, quam ut auctori *Elementorum* tribui possint, ab methodo abludunt ipsi alias solenni, præmissas demonstrationum subsequentiis suis locis ad perpetuum deinceps usum stabiliendi; nominatim etiam theorematum generaliorum ad speciales casus applicationes frequenter deinceps adhibendas, quamvis obvias & faciles, seorsim enunciandi, ut immediate essent ad usus occurrentes paratæ (Conf. *Schol. in Lib. II. §. 12.*). Eademque cura Libris X. XIII. prospectum haud fuisse, hunc præsertim oscitantia ipsorum partim antèrius, partim vix modo præmissorum immemore, fuisse tractatum, tum reliqua in illis conspicua diligentia & ipsa doctrinarum arduitas existimare prohibent; tum eo minus probabile est, si, quod *Proclus Lib. II. p. 20.* (a) asserit, Euclides της συμπάσης σοικειώσεως τέλος προεξησατο την των καλυμενων Πλατωνικων χηματων συζασιν.

Vero potius simile est: ut hodiernum, ita & olim communibus, tiro-num præcipue etiam usibus parata fuisse *Elementorum* exemplaria variis modis respectibusque, compendii ac facilitatis gratia, forsan & arctioris systematis prætextu (b), truncata; sicque plura præsertim, quæ foliis X^{mo} ac XIII^{to} in præcedentibus Libris inservirent, his excidisse; ac multifariam, nec apte semper & uniformiter, illorum textui affutis Lemma-tibus (conf. §. 13.) insertisque auctariis ansam dedisse.

§. 149.

(a) Conf. Lib. I. p. 7; Lib. II. p. 19. 20. ad titulum in margine: Σκοπος της γεωμετρικης; & p. 21: ac KEPLERI *Harmonices Mundi Lib. I. Prooemium*, p. 3. sq.; cujus tamen assertum: "Euclidei operis ultimum finem, ad quem referentur omnes omnino propositiones omnium Librorum, esse quinque corpora regularia;" præter ibi adjectam, quibusdam adhuc exceptionibus obnoxium est.

(b) Cujusmodi de *Elementorum* constitutione præcepta apud *Proclum* leguntur Lib. II. p. 21.

§. 149.

Ob $AB^q = \text{rectg. } CB \times BD$
 $AC^q = \text{rectg. } BC \times CD$ (§. 147. n^o. 2.):
 est $AB^q + AC^q = \text{rectg. } CB \times BD + BC \times CD = BC^q$ (II, 2.);
 conformiter I, 47^{m^a}. Neque hanc, vel propositionem aliquam ab ea
 pendentem supponunt præmissæ, quibus demonstratio asserti §. 147. n^o. 2.
 nititur.

§. 150.

Propositio XVII. explicat identitatem constructionis problematum
 II, 14. VI, 13. Aequipollere nimirum docet problemata: Invenire latus
 quadrati rectangulo sub datis rectis A, B æqualis; & datis rectis A, B
 mediam proportionalem invenire.

§. 151.

Uti casus particularis Propositionis III, 35. quem sistant assertum
 §. 147. n^o. 5. ac solutio problematis II, 14. (vid. *Schol. in Lib. II. §. 76.*)
 in Libro II. & III. ope II, 5. I, 47. demonstratus, heic per III, 31.
 VI, 8. 17. adstruitur; ita univèrsim Propositio III, 35. ex III, 21.
 VI, 4. 16. potest inferri.

In circulo enim ductis duabus quibuscunque rectis AC, BD (*Fig. 53.*)
 intra eum se secantibus; junctisque earum alterutris extremis AD, BC :
 præter triangulorum ADE, BCE angulos ad verticem E oppositos (I, 15.)
 æquales sunt eorum anguli DAE & CBE, D & C (III, 21.); ideoque
 $AE:ED = BE:EC$ (VI, 4.); et hinc rectg. $AE \times EC = BE \times ED$ (VI, 16.).

Duæ igitur ejusmodi rectæ in circulo se mutuo secant in partes reci-
 proce proportionales; & rectangulum sub segmentis unius æquale est
 rectangulo sub segmentis alterius.

§. 152.

Similiter Propositionem III, 36. ipsiusque conversam III, 37. ex
 III, 32. ejusque conversa & VI, 4. 6. 17. nectere licet.

Ab puncto enim D extra circulum (*Fig. 54.*) ductis recta eum in B
 contingente DB , & quacunque ipsum secante DCA ; ac junctis AB, BC
 rectis: præter communem angulum D triangulorum DAB, DBC , æqua-
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les sunt eorum anguli A, DBC (III, 32.), ideoque etiam DBA, DCB (I, 32. *Coroll.*); proinde $AD:DB = BD:DC$ (VI, 4.); & hinc rectg. $AD \times DC = DB^2$ (VI, 17.).

Ab puncto igitur extra circulum ductis recta eum tangente, & altera ipsum secante: tangens media proportionalis est inter secantem rectam ejusque partem exteriorem; & tangents quadratum æquatur rectangulo sub tota secante ipsiusque parte exteriori.

Vicissim si rectg. $AD \times DC = DB^2$, ideoque $AD:DB = BD:DC$ (VI, 17.): triangulorum DAB, DBC , latera circa angulum communem D proportionalia habentium, anguli A, DBC , quibus homologa latera DB, DC subtenduntur, æquales sunt (VI, 6.): quare DB recta circulum in B contingit (III, 32. *Conv.*).

§. 153.

Priore casu §. 152. in triangulis æquiangulis DAB, DBC etiam sunt

$$\left. \begin{aligned} AD:DB &= AB:BC = AB^2 : AB \times BC \\ BD:DC &= AB:BC = AB \times BC : BC^2 \end{aligned} \right\} (\S. 52. 11.)$$

Itaque $AD:DC = AB^2 : BC^2$ (V, 22.):

h. e. ab puncto extra circulum ductis recta eum tangente, & altera ipsum secante, ductisque in circulo rectis jungentibus punctum contactus prioris & puncta sectionum alterius; tota secans recta est ad partem ipsius exteriorem; uti quadratum rectæ ab puncto contactus ad extremum secantis totius ductæ, ad quadratum rectæ jungentis punctum contactus atque alterum sectionis punctum.

Vicissim si $AD:DC = AB^2 : BC^2$:

cum, ducta rectæ AB parallela CG , etiam sit

$$AD:DC = AB:CG = AB^2 : AB \times CG \quad (\S. 61. 11.)$$

ideoque (V, 11.) $AB^2:BC^2 = AB^2:AB \times CG$

$$(V, 9.) \quad BC^2 = AB \times CG$$

$$(VI, 17.) \quad AB:BC = BC:CG$$

ac sit angulus $ABC = BCG$ (I, 29.);

est angulus $A = DBC$ (VI, 6.), & hinc DB circulum in B contingit (III, 32. *Conv.*)

§. 154.

S. 154.

Proposita §. 152. sq. sic etiam enunciantur. Circa triangulum non-æquicrurum descripto circulo, & per verticem trianguli ducta recta circum tangente; hæc basi productæ sic occurrit: ut rectangulum sub rectis puncto huic occurfus extremisque basis interjacentibus æquale sit quadrato rectæ ab eodem occurfus puncto ad verticem trianguli ductæ; rectæ vero inter punctum illud occurfus ac terminos basis in ipsa abscissæ eandem habeant rationem, quam crurum trianguli, quibus adjacent, quadrata.

Nempe si triangulo ACB , cujus crus $AB > BC$, circulus circumscribitur; & hunc in B contingens agitur recta BD : ob angulum $DBC = A$ (III, 32.) $< ACB$ (I, 18.), ideoque angulos $DBC + DCB < ACB + DCB$ h. e. (I, 13.) < 2 rectis: ad partes angulorum DBC , DCB concurrunt rectæ AC , BD (Lib. I, Ax. 11.). Actum

$$\text{rect. } AD \times DC = DB^2 \text{ (§. 152. n.º. 1.)}$$

$$AD : DC = AB^2 : BC^2 \text{ (§. 153. n.º. 1.)}$$

Vicissim 1º. si trianguli non-æquicruri ACB basis AC ad partes cruris minoris BC sic producitur, ut rectangulum sub adjuncta CD & sub composita DA ex basi AC & adjuncta CD æquale sit quadrato rectæ DB ab termino D continuationis basis ad trianguli verticem B ductæ: recta hæc circum triangulo circumscriptum in B contingit (§. 152. n.º. 2.); & segmenta basis AD , DC , terminis ipsius A , C , ac puncto D intercepta, sunt uti quadrata crurum trianguli AB , BC , ipsis adjacentium (§. 153. n.º. 1.).

Atque 2º. si trianguli non-æquicruri ACB basis AC ad partes cruris minoris sic in D usque producitur, ut segmenta ejus AD , DC , puncto hoc D terminisque A , C basis intercepta, sint ut crurum trianguli AB , BC ipsis adjacentium quadrata: recta ab puncto D ad verticem B trianguli ducta circum triangulo circumscriptum in B contingit (§. 153. n.º. 2.); & rectæ DB quadratum æquale est rectangulo sub segmentis AD , DC basis, puncto D ac terminis ejus A , C interceptis (§. 152. n.º. 1.).

Posterior conversa est Lemma 2. Libri II. Locorum planorum Apollonii. (Apollonius Ebene Oerter. S. 211.)

§. 155.

Pariter immediate per III, 21. vel 22. & VI, 4. 16. demonstratur, quod a CLAVIO (p. 310.) BAERMANNO (p. 86.), Propositioni III, 36. subjungitur Corollarium: Si a puncto D extra circulum ducantur duæ quæcunque rectæ DA , DF , eum secantes (Fig. 55.); rectangula $AD \times DC$, $FD \times DE$ sub totis & partibus earum exterioribus æqualia esse.

Junctis enim AE , FC rectis: ob angulos EAD , CFD æquales (III, 21.), ac D communem in triangulis DAE , DFC , sunt $AD:DE = FD:DC$ (VI, 4.); proinde rectg. $AD \times DC = FD \times DE$ (VI, 16.).

Vel junctis AF , CE rectis: ob angulos $\begin{cases} FAC \\ FAD \end{cases} + FEC = 2$ rectis (III, 22.) $= DEC + FEC$ (I, 13.), atque $\begin{cases} AFE \\ AFD \end{cases} + ACE = 2$ rectis (III, 22.) $= DCE + ACE$ (I, 13.), sunt anguli $FAD = DEC$, $AFD = DCE$, & angulus D communis in triangulis DAF , DEC ; quare $AD:DF = ED:DC$ (VI, 4.), & rectg. $AD \times DC = FD \times DE$ (VI, 16.).

Ab puncto igitur extra circulum ductis duabus rectis eum secantibus; totæ secantes sunt partibus suis exterioribus reciproce proportionales; & rectangula sub totis ac partibus ipsarum exterioribus æqualia sunt.

§. 156.

Porro analysi ac demonstratio Problematis IV, 10. propositionibus III, 36. sq. ibi nixæ, adhibitis VI, 3. 6. 17, subsidio circuli triangulo ADC circumscribendi haud indigent.

Posito enim, ADB (Fig. 56.) esse triangulum æquicrurum, cujus singuli ad basin BD anguli sint dupli ejus, qui ad verticem A ; & bifariam diviso alterutro ad basin angulo ADB per rectam DC , unde (I, 6.) $AC = CD$ ob angulum $A = ADC$, & $CD = DB$ ob angulum $BCD = A + ADC$ (I, 32.) $= 2A = B$, itaque $AC = BD$: oportet, sit

$$BC:CA = BD:DA \text{ (VI, 3.)} = CA:AB \text{ (V, 7. 11.)}$$

& hinc $CA^2 = \text{rectg. } AB \times BC$ (VI, 17.)

Tum recta AB ita in C secta, ut sit $CA^2 = \text{rectg. } AB \times BC$ (II, 11.); & constructo triangulo ABD , cujus crus $AD = AB$, & basis $BD = AC$ (I, 22.): est

BC :

$BC : CA = CA : AB$ (VI, 17.) = $BD : DA$ (V, 7. II.);
 angulum igitur ADB bifariam secat recta DC (VI, 3.):
 pariterque ob $BD \perp CA = \text{rectg } AB \times BC$ est $CB : BD = DB : BA$ (VI, 17.);
 unde, ob angulum B communem, est angulus $BDC = A$ (VI, 6.):
 proinde angulus $ADB = 2A$.

§. 157.

Eodem in triangulo æquicuro ADB est

$$\text{rectg. } AD \times DB = BA \times AC \text{ (co. str.)} = AC \times CB + AC^2 \text{ (II, 3.)} = AC \times CB + DC^2 \text{ (demonstr.)}$$

quod universim verum esse, quodcumque sit triangulum ABD (Fig. 57.),
 & quicumque ejus angulus D secetur bifariam, sic ostenditur.

Recta DC , bifariam angulum ADB secans, continuetur, donec circulo, qui triangulo ABD circumscribitur, rursus in E occurrat; & jungetur alterutra recta AE , BE .

Posteriore ducta, est angulus $A = E$ (III, 21.). Quare, cum etiam fit angulus $ADC = BDE$ (hyp.), est $AD : DC = ED : DB$ (VI, 4.); & hinc

$$\text{rectg. } AD \times DB = ED \times DC \text{ (VI, 16.)} = DC \times CE + DC^2 \text{ (II, 3.)} = AC \times CB + DC^2 \text{ (III, 35. vel §. 151.)}$$

Cujuslibet igitur trianguli ABD angulo quocumque D bifariam secto per rectam DC ; rectangulum sub ejus lateribus AD , DB , angulum D comprehendentibus, æquale est rectangulo sub segmentis AC , CB tertii lateris, ab recta DC factis, una cum hujus rectæ DC quadrato. ROY, SIMSON Lib. VI. Prop. B. (p. 219. Matthias p. 101.).

§. 158.

Universim pariter (quod de trianguli rectanguli lateribus circa angulum rectum §. 147. n°. 3. tradi per III, 31. Convers. vel III, 33. n°. 2. consequitur) rectangulum sub duobus quibuscunque lateribus cujuslibet trianguli æquale est rectangulo sub diametro circuli triangulo circumscripti & sub perpendicularo ex vertice anguli, quem latera ista comprehendunt, in latus tertium demisso.

1°. Si ipsum alterutrum latus AB tertio BC est perpendicularare (Fig. 58.): alterum AC diameter est circuli triangulo circumscripti (III, 31. Conv. vel III, 33. n°. 2.); & propositio ad hanc identicam redit: $\text{rectg. } BA \times AC = CA \times AB$.

B

2°. Si

2°. Si uterque ad basin seu tertium latus BC angulus est acutus, quicumque sit angulus BAC duobus lateribus BA , AC comprehensus (Fig. 59.); vel si alteruter ad basin angulus ABC est obtusus (Fig. 60.); per verticem A ducta diametro AGE , & juncta BE recta, perpendicularo AD in basin BC demisso; ob angulos ABE , ADC rectos (III, 31. & *constr.*), atque $E=C$ (III, 21.), in triangulis ABE , ADC est

$$BA:AE = DA:AC \text{ (VI, 4.)}$$

proinde rectg. $BA \times AC = EA \times AD$ (VI, 16.)

ROB. SIMSON Lib. VI. Prop. C. (p. 220. *Matthias* p. 101. sq.).

§. 159.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Hinc rectg. } BC \times AD : BA \times AC &= BC \times AD : EA \times AD \text{ (§. 158. \& V, 7.)} \\ &= BC : AE \text{ (§. 11.)} \end{aligned}$$

ubi rectg. $BC \times AD$ duplum est areæ trianguli (I, 41.).

Quare duplum areæ cujusvis trianguli est ad rectangulum sub duobus ipsius lateribus, uti tertium latus ad diametrum circuli triangulo circumscripti.

§. 160.

Conversas precedentium, præter jam (§. 152. sqq.) expositas, notemus adhuc sequentes.

Si quadratum perpendiculari AD (Fig. 23.), quod in trianguli ABC latus BC angulis ipsius acutis interjacens ex vertice opposito A demittitur, æquale est rectangulo sub segmentis BD , DC lateris BC , ab perpendicularo AD factis; seu (VI, 17.) si perpendicularum AD medium proportionale est inter segmenta BD , DC lateris BC : trianguli ad verticem A angulus est rectus.

Quippe ob $BD:DA = AD:DC$, & angulos ad D rectos, est angulus $BAD = C$ (VI, 6.); angulus igitur $BAC = C + CAD =$ recto (I, 32. *Coroll.*)

§. 161.

PAPPUS (*Collect. Math.* Lib. VII. Prop. 203. fol. 277.) propositioni huic adjungit: Si quadratum perpendiculari AD minus fuerit rectangulo sub segmentis BD , DC lateris BC , angulus BAC erit obtusus (Fig. 61.); si majus, acutus (Fig. 62.)

Semicirculo enim super diametro BC descripto, qui perpendicularum DA

DA in puncto *E* secet; ac rectis *BE*, *CE* junctis: ob $ED^a = \text{rectg. } BD \times DC$ (§. 147. n^o. 5.), priori casu erit $AD < ED$, & hinc angulus $BAC > BEC$ (I, 21.); posteriori $AD > ED$, atque angulus $BAC < BEC$ (I, 21.). Rectus autem est angulus *BAC* (III, 31.).

§. 162.

Propositorum §. 160. sq. casus specialis, quo segmenta *BD*, *DC* æqualia sunt, comprehenditur etiam iis, quæ in *Schol. in Lib. II. §. 220.* traduntur.

§. 163.

Cum §. 160. ostensum sit: rectum esse angulum *BAC* (Fig. 23.), quem ab extremis *B*, *C* rectæ *BC* ad extremum *A* perpendiculi *AD* ductæ *BA*, *CA* comprehendunt, si $\text{rectg. } BD \times DC = AD^a$, seu si $BD : DA = AD : DC$; per conversam III, 31^{ma} consequitur: circuli super diametro *BC* descripti peripheriam transire per verticem *A* rectæ *DA* diametro *BC* inter extrema ipsius normalis, quæ media proportionalis est inter segmenta diametri *BC* puncto *D* facta, seu cujus quadratum rectangulo sub segmentis illis est æquale.

§. 164.

CLAVIUS (p. 308. sq. 312.) per impossibilitatem contrarii has demonstrat propositorum §. 151. 155. conversas:

1^o. "Si duæ rectæ ita se fecerint, ut rectangulum sub unius segmentis comprehensum æquale sit ei, quod sub segmentis alterius comprehenditur, rectangulo: describi poterit per quatuor illarum puncta extrema circulus; h. e. circulus, per quælibet tria puncta earum extrema descriptus (IV, 5.), per quartum quoque punctum transibit."

2^o. "Si a puncto aliquo binæ linæ rectæ finitæ egrediantur, quæ ita fecerint in binas partes, ut rectangula sub totis & segmentis prope punctum comprehensa sint æqualia: describi poterit per extrema puncta aliorum segmentorum circulus; h. e. circulus, per tria puncta extrema aliorum segmentorum descriptus, per quartum etiam punctum extremum transibit."

Eadem vero directe per conversas propositionum III, 21. 22. (quas & CLAVIUS p. 278. 279. sq. his subjunxit) sic adstruuntur:

B 2

1^o. Sit

1°. Sit (Fig. 53.) rectg. $AE \times EC = BE \times ED$, seu (VI, 16.) $AE:ED = BE:EC$; cum & æquales sint anguli ad verticem E triangulorum ADE , BCE (I, 15.); est angulus $D = C$ (VI, 6.); itaque punctum D ad peripheriam circuli triangulo ABC circumscripti (III, 21. *Conv.*).

2°. Sit (Fig. 55.) rectg. $AD \times DC = FD \times DE$, seu (VI, 16.) $\{AD:DE = FD:DC\}$; cum hæc latera proportionalia communem comprehendant angulum D triangulorum $\begin{matrix} \{DEA, DCF\} \\ \{DAF, DEC\} \end{matrix}$; est angulus $DAE = DFC$ (VI, 6.), itaque punctum A ad peripheriam circuli triangulo CEF circumscripti (III, 21. *Conv.*); vel sunt anguli $DFA = DCE$, $DAF = DEC$ (VI, 6.); proinde anguli $\begin{matrix} \{DFA + ACE = DCE + ACE\} \\ \{DAF + FEC = DEC + FEC\} \end{matrix} = 2 \text{ Rect.}$ (I, 13.); circulus igitur potest quadrilatero $CAFE$ circumscribi (III, 22. *Conv.*).

§. 165.

Univerſe autem vera non est hæc Propositionis III, 35, seu §. 151; conversa: Si (Fig. 53.) ad idem punctum E rectæ AC in circulo ductæ, ad oppositas ejus partes, duæ rectæ EB , ED ad peripheriam sic aguntur, ut rectangulum sub ipsis æquale sit rectangulo sub segmentis AE , EC rectæ AC ; posteriores duæ rectæ BE , ED jacent in directum.

Sint enim (Fig. 63. 64.) AC , BH duæ rectæ in circulo, se intra eum secantes in E puncto, quarum neutra per centrum G circuli transeat; & recta GE producta arcum CH , in quem incidit, sic in puncto F secet, ut arcus FH minor sit reliquo arcu FC . Tum, si ab hoc reliquo arcu abscinditur $FD = FH$, & recta ED ducitur: fit $ED = EH$ (III, 27. 7.); itaque rectg. $BE \times ED = BE \times EH = AE \times EC$ (§. 151.); nec in directum jacent BE , ED .

§. 166.

Subjungamus Problemata nonnulla, usum præcedentium declarantia.

PROBLEMA I. Quadratum describere, quod sit quadrati dati multipulum assignatum; vel pars assignata; vel quod ad quadratum datum habeat rationem inæqualitatis eo, qui §. 108. explicatur, modo datam.

Lateris AB quadrati dati $ABCD$ sumatur multipulum assignatum AE (Fig. 65.); vel (VI, 9.) pars assignata AE (Fig. 66.): vel latus AB in ratione

ratione data $M : N$ quadrati propositi $ABCD$ ad quadratum describendum continuetur (§. 101.) ad punctum E usque (Fig. 67.); aut secetur (§. 99.) in puncto E (Fig. 68.); sic ut sit $M : N = BA : AE$: ac finiatur parallelogrammum rectangulum $A E F D$ sub EA & AD .

Erit hoc rectangulum $A E F D$ in Fig. 65. multipulum assignatum, in Fig. 66. pars assignata quadrati $ABCD$ (Schol. in Lib. II. §. 3.); in Fig. 67. 68. autem rectangulum $A E F D$ ad quadratum $ABCD$ habebit rationem $EA : AB$ (VI, 1.) datæ $N : M$ eandem (constr.).

Quadratum igitur describendum rectangulo $A E F D$ æquari; proinde (VI, 17.) latus ipsius medium proportionale esse debet inter EA & AD seu AB .

Semicirculo itaque super diametro AE descripto in Fig. 65. 67. cui producta BC in G occurrit; in Fig. 66. 68. autem super diametro AB descripto semicirculo, qui rectam EF in G secat; tum juncta AG recta: hæc erit latus quadrati, quod fieri jubetur (§. 126.).

§. 167.

PROBLEMA II. Datam rectam in inæqualia sic dividere, ut rectangulum sub segmentis æquale sit quadrato differentię segmentorum.

Sit AE recta data (Fig. 65.); factaque sit divisio imperata in puncto L ; h. e. sic, ut sit rectg. $AL \times LE = (AL - LE)^2$.

Erit $3 AL \times LE = AL^2 + LE^2$ (II, 7. & Schol. in Lib. II. §. 88.)

$$\int AL \times LE \int = (AL + LE)^2 \text{ (II, 4.)} = AE^2$$

$$(AL - LE)^2 = \frac{1}{5} AE^2.$$

Datur itaque (§. 166.) differentia segmentorum AL , LE . Quare, cum & summa ipsorum AE detur, dantur ipsa segmenta (Schol. in Lib. II. §. 30. 51.).

Nempe $AB = \frac{1}{5} AE$ abscissa ab data AE , & semicirculo super hac descripto, eidemque ducta in B normali BG ad occursum usque semicirculi in G (§. 166.); tum ab AE abscissa $AK = AG$; & residua KE bifariam in L secta (Schol. in Lib. II. §. 51.): factum erit, quod jubetur.

Sic enim $4 \text{ Rectg. } AL \times LE + AK^2 = AE^2$ (II, 8. vel Schol. in Lib. II. §. 99.)

$$= 5 AG^2 \text{ (constr. & §. 166.)}$$

$$= 5 AK^2 \text{ (constr.)}$$

Unde

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Unde} \quad & 4\text{Rectg. } AL \times LE = 4AK^q \\ & \text{Rectg. } AL \times LE = AK^q \\ & = (AL - LE)^q, \text{ ob } LK = LE \text{ (constr.)} \end{aligned}$$

§. 168.

PROBLEMA III. Datis summa AB laterum duorum inæqualium quadratorum (Fig. 69. 70.), & latere HI quadrati æqualis differentiæ ipsorum quadratorum; invenire eorum latera: seu propositam rectam AB in inæqualia sic secare, ut quadratorum ab segmentis ejus factorum differentia sit quadrato rectæ datæ HI æqualis: seu construere triangulum rectangulum, cujus unus cathetus sit datæ rectæ HI ; summa autem hypotenusæ alteriusque catheti, datæ AB æqualis: seu describere parallelogrammum rectangulum, cujus unum latus datæ HI , summa autem diagonalis alteriusque lateris priori contigui datæ AB æquetur. (*)

Facta sit rectæ AB divisio imperata in puncto D , ita ut $AD > DB$.

Cum sit AD^q , ac tanto majus $AD^q - DB^q < AB^q$; ut possit esse $AD^q - DB^q = HI^q$, oportet, sit $HI^q < AB^q$, $HI < AB$.

Cum (Fig. 69.) bifariam in C secta AB , sit $AD^q - DB^q = 4AC \times CD$ (Schol. in Lib. II. §. 101.);

feri debet $4AC \times CD = HI^q = 4KI^q$, bifariam in K secta HI

proinde rectg. $AC \times CD = KI^q$

$$AC : KI = KI : CD \text{ (VI, 17.)}$$

Quod

(*) In Scholiis in Lib. II. Element. §. 136. 149. 179. 19. soluta fuerunt Problemata: Datis { summa } AB laterum duorum quadratorum, & latere HI quadrati æqualis summæ ipsorum quadratorum; invenire eorum latera: seu propositam rectam AB ita { secare } , ut { quadratorum ab segmentis ejus factorum summa æqualis sit } quadrato rectæ datæ HI : seu construere triangulum rectangulum, cujus hypotenusa sit datæ rectæ HI , { summa } autem cathetorum datæ AB æqualis: seu describere parallelogrammum rectangulum, cujus diagonalis datæ HI , ac { differentia } laterum contiguorum datæ AB æquentur. Quæ problemata algebraice soluta existant in *Lhuiliers Anleitung zur Elementar-Algebra*. I Th. §. 80. 81. 86. 88.

Quod juxta §. 125. fit: rectæ AB in C constituendo perpendicularem $CE = KI$; & AE rectæ in E ducendo normalem ED : quæ, ob $HI \triangleleft AB$ (*determ.*), proinde $KI \triangleleft AC$, $KI^2 \triangleleft AC^2$ seu rectg. $AC \times CB$, ideoque (§. 161. sq.) angulum AEB obtusum, AEC vero acutum (I, 17.), intra angulum CEB cadet; rectam igitur CB in puncto D inter ejus extrema C , B sito fecabit.

§. 169.

Vel cum duorum inæqualium quadratorum differentia sit rectangulo sub summa & differentia laterum ipsorum æqualis (*Schol. in Lib. II. §. 21. 26. 45.*); h. e. (*Fig. 70.*) $AD^2 - DB^2 = \text{rectg. } BA \times AG$, $DG = DB$ abscissa ab AD : rectangulum hoc $BA \times AG$ datæ HI quadrato æquari; differentia igitur AG laterum quadratorum tertia proportionalis esse debet datæ laterum summæ AB et rectæ HI (VI, 17.). Quæ differentia proinde, ob $HI \triangleleft AB$ (*determ.*), juxta §. 124. n^o. 1. invenitur: in semicirculo super data AB descripto aptando rectam $AF = HI$; & ex F demittendo perpendicularum FG in diametrum AB . Ab summa autem AB sic abscissa differentia AG , habentur latera ipsa AD , DB , bifariam in D secando residuam GB (*Schol. in Lib. II. §. 51.*).

Constructionem hanc tradunt MARINUS GHETALDUS (*De resolutione et compositione mathematica Libri quinque. Romæ 1630. Lib. I. Probl. IV. p. 22. seq.*); JACOBUS DE BILLY (*Diophantus geometra. Paris. 1660. Lib. I. Prop. XXVIII. p. 55. sq.*).

§. 170.

PROBLEMA IV. Datis differentia AB laterum duorum inæqualium quadratorum (*Fig. 71. 72.*), & latere HI quadrati æqualis differentiæ ipsorum quadratorum; invenire eorum latera: seu propositæ rectæ AB aliam in directum sic adjicere, ut quadratum compositæ ex data & adjecta excedat quadratum adjectæ spatio æquali quadrato rectæ datæ HI : seu triangulum rectangulum construere, cujus unus cathetus sit datæ rectæ HI ; excessus autem hypotenusæ super alterum cathetum, datæ AB æqualis: &c.

Facta sit continuatio imperata rectæ datæ AB ad D usque.

Cum sit $AD^2 - DB^2 = AB^2 + 2AB \times BD$ (II, 4.) $\triangleright AB^2$: ut possit esse

esse $AD^2 - DB^2 = HI^2$; oportet, sit $HI^2 > AB^2$, $HI > AB$. Idem inde etiam consequitur; quod in omni triangulo non æquicruro differentia crurum minor est basi seu tertio latere (I, 20. *Coroll.*).

Cum (*Fig. 71.*) bifariam in C secta AB , sit $AD^2 - DB^2 = 4AC \times CD$ (*Schol. in Lib. II. §. 100.*);

fieri debet $4AC \times CD = HI^2 = 4KI^2$, bifariam in K secta KI

itaque $\text{rectg. } AC \times CD = KI^2$

$$AC : KI = KI : CD \text{ (VI, 35.)}$$

Quod juxta § 125 fit: rectæ AB in C erigendo perpendicularem $CE = KI$; & AE rectæ in E ducendo normalem ED : quæ, ob $HI > AB$ (*determ.*), ideoque $KI > AC$, $KI^2 > AC^2$ seu $\text{rectg. } AC \times CB$, proinde angulum AEB acutum (§. 161. sq.), extra angulum AEB cadet; ob angulum vero A trianguli ACE ad C rectanguli acutum (I, 17.), ideoque angulos $A + AED < 2\text{Rect.}$, productæ ad has partes AB in D occurret (*Lib. I. Ax. 11.*).

§. 171.

Vel cum duorum inæqualium quadratorum differentia sit rectangulo sub summa & differentia laterum ipsorum æqualis (*Schol. in Lib. II. §. 21. 26. 45.*): rectangulum hoc datæ HI æquari; proinde summa laterum quadratorum tertia proportionalis esse debet datæ laterum differentiæ AB & rectæ HI (VI, 17.). Quæ summa proinde, ob $HI > AB$ (*determ.*), juxta §. 124. n°. 2. invenitur: super AB (*Fig. 72.*), tanquam catheto, triangulum constituendo rectangulum ABF , cujus hypotenusa AF sit datæ HI æqualis; & huic AF in F ducendo perpendicularem FG , quæ desideratam AG ab producta AB abscindit (VI, 8. *Coroll.*). Quo facto, cum BG sit excessus summæ laterum inventæ AG super datam ipsorum differentiam AB , bifariam in D secando BG obtinentur ipsa latera AD & DG seu DB (*Schol. in Lib. II. §. 51.*).

Solutionem hanc indicat BILLY Lib. I. Prop. XXXI. p. 59. sq.

§. 172.

PROBLEMA V. Datis (*Fig. 73.*) latere AB quadrati æqualis summæ duorum inæqualium quadratorum, & latere I quadrati æqualis differentiæ eorum; invenire ipsorum latera: seu construere triangulum rectangulum, cujus hypotenusa datæ rectæ AB ; & differentia quadratorum cathetorum quadrato rectæ datæ I sit æqualis: &c.

Cum

Cum differentia duarum magnitudinum inæqualium aggregato earum sit minor; liquet, esse debere $I^a < AB^a$, $I < AB$.

Positis P , Q lateribus duorum quadratorum; $P > Q$:

ut sint $P^a + Q^a = AB^a$

$$P^a - Q^a = I^a;$$

esse debent $2P^a = AB^a + I^a$; $P^a = \frac{AB^a + I^a}{2}$ (*)

$$2Q^a = AB^a - I^a; Q^a = \frac{AB^a - I^a}{2}$$

Itaque iectarum P , Q constructio ad inveniendam ope I, 47. (conf. *Schol. in Lib. II. §. 66. 70*) quadratorum, quæ summæ ac differentiæ datorum AB^a , I^a æquentur, latera; tum vero ad exhibenda juxta §. 166, quæ horum dimidia sint, quadratorum latera reducitur.

§. 173.

Concinnior descriptio ex altero Problematis enunciato consequitur.

Vertex nimirum C trianguli rectanguli ABC super hypotenusa data AB construendi debet esse ad peripheriam semicirculi super diametro AB descripti (III, 31. *Conv.* vel III, 33. n^o. 2.).

Perpendiculo CD ex vertice C in hypotenusam AB demisso, est $AC^a - CB^a = AD^a - DB^a$ (I, 47. *Coroll.* vel *Schol. in Lib. II. §. 226.*) Fieri igitur debet $AD^a - DB^a = I^a$; ideoque inventio puncti D , & perpendiculi

(*) Operosiore analysi PAPPUS in Prop. 228. *Lib. VII. Collect. math.* (fol. 297), seu in *Lemm. VIII. ad Lib. VII. & VIII. Conic. Apolloniæ* (*Apolloniæ Conicorum Libri tres posteriores — Opera Edm. Halleji — Oxon. 1710.* p. 95.) hoc sic deducit; & data summa quadratorum ex AB & BC , (*Fig. 74*) una cum differentia eorundem, utramque ex ipsis AB & BC datam esse infert: Posita BD ipsi BC æquali, datum erit rectangulum CAD , quod nempe per II, 6. differentia est quadratorum ex AB , BC . Dato autem rectangulo CAD , ejus duplum quoque datur. Pariterque datur summa quadratorum ex CA & AD , quippe dupla summæ quadratorum ex AB & BC (II, 10.). Proinde per II, 4. datum est quadratum ex CA & AD simul sumtis; adeoque & summa ipsarum CA , AD data est. Hujus vero dimidia est BA : quare BA data est; ac proinde BC quoque datur.

culi DC quod alter est locus verticis C , reducitur ad *Probl. III.* (§. 168. sq.): datam rectam AB in inæqualia in puncto D ita secare, ut sit $AD^a - DB^a =$ quadrato rectæ datæ I . Quod juxta §. 169. efficitur: in semicirculo super AB descripto rectam $AF = I$ aptando; & perpendiculari FG ex F in AB demisso, rectam BG bifariam in D secando. Tum perpendicularium DC , hypotenusæ AB in puncto D constitutum, verticem C trianguli construendi designat in peripheria semicirculi super AB descripti.

§. 174.

Bifariam in E secta AB , quoque est $AC^a - CB^a = 2AB \times ED$ (*Schol. in Lib. II.* §. 224. sqq.). Quare etiam, si in semicirculo super EB descripto recta $EL = \frac{1}{2}I$ aptatur, ac per L diametro EB normalis ducitur DLC , hujus cum peripheria semicirculi super AB descripti intersectio verticem C trianguli construendi determinat. Sic quippe fit $AC^a - CB^a = 4BE \times ED = 4EL^2$ (§. 147. n^o. 6.) = I^2 . Conf. APOLLONII *Loca plana. Lib. II. Prop. I.*

§. 175.

PROBLEMA VI. Datis (*Fig. 75.*) latere AB quadrati æqualis summx duorum quadratorum, & latere I quadrati æqualis rectangulo sub ipsorum lateribus; invenire hæc latera: seu construere triangulum rectangulum, cujus hypotenusæ datæ rectæ AB ; & rectangulum sub cathetis, seu (*I, 41.*) dupla area trianguli, quadrato datæ rectæ I æquentur: seu describere parallelogrammum rectangulum, cujus diagonalis datæ AB , & area quadrato rectæ datæ I sint æquales. (*)

Cum

(*) Problemata: construere parallelogrammum rectangulum, cujus $\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{differentia} \\ \text{summa} \end{array} \right\}$ laterum contiguum sit datæ rectæ AB , area autem quadrato rectæ datæ I æqualis; seu rectam datam AB ita $\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{continuare} \\ \text{secare} \end{array} \right\}$, ut rectangulum sub $\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{adjecta, \& sub composita ex data \& adjecta} \\ \text{segmentis ipsius} \end{array} \right\}$ æquale sit quadrato rectæ datæ I ; geometricæ solvuntur in *Scholiis in Lib. II.* §. 66. 74. sq; algebraice, pariter ac Problemata VI. VII, in *Lhuiliers Anleitung zur Elementar-Algebra.* §. 78. 79. 85. 87. 83. 107. 108.

Cum summa quadratorum duarum æqualium rectarum dupla sit parallelogrammi rectanguli sub ipsis; summa autem quadratorum duarum inæqualium rectarum sit duplo rectangulo sub ipsis major (*Schol. in Lib. II. §. 84.*): ut fieri possit, quod jubetur; oportet non sit $AB^a < 2I^a$, seu non sit $I^a > \frac{1}{2}AB^a$.

Simul liquet: si sit $AB^a = 2I^a$, seu $I^a = \frac{1}{2}AB^a$; æqualia fore latera desiderata: utrumque igitur æquale lateri quadrati, quod sit ipsius AB^a dimidium; proinde = datæ I .

Quodsi $AB^a > 2I^a$: positis P, Q lateribus duorum tunc inæqualium quadratorum, $P > Q$;

$$\text{ob } P^a + Q^a = AB^a$$

$$2PQ = 2I^a$$

$$\text{erunt } (P + Q)^a = AB^a + 2I^a \text{ (II, 4.)}$$

$$(P - Q)^a = AB^a - 2I^a \text{ (II, 7. } \textit{Schol. in Lib. II. §. 86.)}$$

Quare cum quadrati $2I^a$ latus detur per I , 47. vel §. 166; rectarum $P + Q, P - Q$ constructio ad inveniendam ope I , 47. quadratorum, quæ summæ ac differentiæ datorum $AB^a, 2I^a$ æquentur, latera reducit. Tum vero, inventis summa ac differentiæ rectarum P, Q ; ipsæ P, Q innotescunt juxta §. 30. vel 51. *Schol. in Lib. II.*

Sic ab data AB abscissa $AC =$ datæ I , ipsique in C ducto perpendicularo $CE = AC = I$; sit (I, 47.) $AE^a = 2AC^a = 2I^a$: & ob $AB^a > 2I^a$ (*supp.*) $> AE^a$, erit $AB > AE$.

Jam $AD = AE$ abscissa ex AB ; & huic in A, D constitutis normalibus AF, DH , quas circulus centro A , intervallo AB , descriptus in punctis F, H fecat; tum junctis DF, AH rectis: sunt (I, 47.) $DF^a = AF^a + AD^a = AB^a + 2I^a$, $DH^a = AH^a - AD^a = AB^a - 2I^a$.

Quare $DF = P + Q, DH = P - Q$. Ab DF igitur abscissa $DK = DH$, & residua FK bifariam in G secta: sunt $DG = P, GF = Q$ (*Schol. in Lib. II. §. 51.*).

§. 176.

Constructio trianguli rectanguli ABC , cujus hypotenusa datæ AB , rectangulum sub cathetis AC, CB quadrato datæ I æquetur (*Fig. 76. 77.*): ob rectg. $AB \times CD = AC \times CB$ (§. 147. n^o. 3.) = I^a (CD ex C demissa normali in AB), proinde $AB : I = I : CD$ (VI, 17.), perpendicularum igitur

tur CD datum (VI, 11.); reducitur ad *Problema*: Describere triangulum ad verticem rectangulum, cujus basis atque altitudo dantur; quod æque ac alterum generalius: Describere triangulum, cujus basis, altitudo, & angulus ad verticem quicumque dantur, ope *Problematum* I, 31. III, 33. construitur.

Trianguli nempe rectanguli, super data basi seu hypotenusâ AB , & cum altitudine data, (cui æquale perpendicularum ubicunque super AB , ex. gr. BE in B , constituitur) describendi vertex C erit ad occursum peripheriæ semicirculi super AB descripti ac rectæ EH per E ipsi AB parallele; quæ utique sibi mutuo occurrunt, dummodo altitudo data BE non sit $\triangleright \frac{1}{2}AB$: nimirum se invicem tangunt in puncto C bisectionis semicirculi (Fig. 76.), quando $BE =$ hujus semidiametro $\frac{1}{2}AB$ (III, 27. I, 13. 29. 33. 34. III, 16.); quando autem $BE < \frac{1}{2}AB$ (Fig. 77.), se mutuo secant in duobus punctis C, c (Schol. in Lib. II. §. 75.), quibus ac terminis basis AB interjacent arcus semicirculi æquales BC, Ac (I, 29. III, 26.).

Priore igitur casu (Fig. 76.) unum triangulum æquicrurum ABC ; altero (Fig. 77.) duo triangula scalena ABC, ABc *Problemati* satisfaciunt; hæc vero situ tantum; non longitudine laterum diversa (III, 29.).

§. 177.

Atqui sub determinatione *Problemati* VI. (§. 175.) I^a non $\triangleright \frac{1}{2}AB^a$, si rectis AB , I fit perpendicularum BE tertium proportionale, juxta §. 119. sq. ab producta AB ac normali ipsi in B ducta abscindendo $BF = BG = I$, & rectam FE ipsi AG parallelam agendo; ob $AB \times BE = I^a$ (VI, 17) $\equiv \frac{1}{2}AB^a$, fit $BE \equiv \frac{1}{2}AB$. Unde juxta §. 176. absolvitur solutio *Problemati*.

Priore casu, quo $I^a = \frac{1}{2}AB^a$ (Fig. 76.), ab perpendicularo, datam hypotenusam AB bifariam in D secante, $DC = DA = DB$ abscindere; vel super data AB triangulum æquicrurum ABC , cujus crura singula sint $= I$, describere sufficit. Ita enim, si posterius fit, immediate est $AC \times CB = \left\{ \begin{matrix} AC^a \\ CB^a \end{matrix} \right\} = I^a$; atque, ob $AB^a = 2I^a$ (supp.) $= AC^a + CB^a$, angulus ACB fit rectus (I, 48.). Si prius: est $CD^a = AD \times DB$, ideoque angulus ACB rectus (§. 16c. 162.); & $AC \times CB = AC^a$ (I, 4.) $= AD^a + DC^a$ (I, 47.) $= 2AD^a = \frac{1}{2}AB^a$ (constr. & Schol. in Lib. II. §. 13.) $= I^a$.

§. 178.

§. 178.

Eo, qui §. 176. sq. traditur, modo ROB. SIMSON in Prop. 88. *Datorum Euclidis*, correctus & auctius ab ipso Glasguae 1762. editorum, parallelogrammum rectangulum describere docet, cujus area & summa quadratorum laterum dantur. Conf. in versione eorundem Germanica (Stuttgart, 1780.) Problema 23. p. 235. sq.

§. 179.

PROBLEMA VII. Datis (Fig. 78.) latere AB quadrati æqualis differentia duorum inæqualium quadratorum, & latere I quadrati æqualis rectangulo sub ipsorum lateribus; invenire hæc latera: seu construere triangulum rectangulum, cujus unus cathetus datae rectæ AB , & rectangulum sub hypotenusa alteroque catheto factum quadrato rectæ datae I æquetur: seu describere parallelogrammum rectangulum, cujus unum latus datae rectæ AB ; rectangulum vero sub diagonali & sub altero latere sit quadrato datae I æquale.

Ad latus datum AB factum sit triangulum ABC in B rectangulum, sic ut sit rectg. $AC \times CB = I^2$.

Hypotenuse ejus AC in C normalis ducatur CD , productæ AB in D occurrens. Erit rectg. $AB \times CD = AC \times CB$ (§. 147. n°. 4.) = I^2 ; unde $AB : I = I : CD$ (VI, 17.); ideoque CD datur (VI, 11.)

Sed $CD^2 = \text{rectg. } AD \times DB$ (§. 147. n°. 2.). Quare hoc rectangulum est quadrato rectæ datae æquale. Proinde, cum & laterum ipsius AD , DB differentia AB detur; datur AD (Schol. in Lib. II. §. 66.).

Ob angulum autem ACD rectum (constr.) est punctum C ad peripheriam semicirculi super diametro AD descripti (III, 31. Corv.), idemque (supp.) est ad perpendicularum datae AB in B erectum. Proinde datur hoc punctum C .

Compositio ex analysi præcedente hæc consequitur.

Primum datis AB , I invenitur tertia proportionalis BH juxta §. 125: ab perpendicularo, rectæ AB in B constituto, $BF = I$ abscindendo; & rectæ AF in F ducendo normalem FH , quæ productæ AB in H occurrit.

Tum juxta §. 66. Schol. in Lib. II. datae AB in directum adjicitur BD sic, ut fiat rectg. $AD \times DB = BH^2$: rectam AB bifariam in E secan-

cando; ab perpendiculari FB abscindendo $BG = BH$; & ab producta AB abscindendo $ED = EG$.

Quo facto semicirculus describitur super diametro AD ; & ad punctum C , ubi ejus peripheria perpendicularum BF secat, ducitur AC recta.

Sic enim, juncta CD recta, est $CD^2 = AD \times DB$ (§. 147. n^o. 6.)
Sed ob AB bifariam in E sectam est rectg. $AD \times DB = ED^2 - EB^2$ (11, 6.)

$$= EG^2 - EB^2 \text{ (constr.)}$$

$$= BG^2 \text{ (I, 47.)}$$

$$= BH^2 \text{ (constr.)}$$

Quare $CD^2 = BH^2$; $CD = BH$; rectg. $AB \times CD = AB \times BH$

$$= BF^2 \text{ (§. 147. n^o. 1.)}$$

Ideo que & rectg. $AG \times CB = AB \times CD$ (§. 147. n^o. 4.) est $= BF^2 = I^2$ (constr.)

§. 180.

Quodsi rectæ §. 179. inventæ AC , CB sub angulo recto junguntur; ab producta DC abscindendo $CK = CB$: obtinetur $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{triangulum} \\ \text{parallelogrammum} \end{array} \right\}$
rectangulum $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} ACK \\ ACKL \end{array} \right\}$; cujus area $= \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{1}{2} I^2 \\ I^2 \end{array} \right\}$, & differentia quadratorum
 $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{cathetorum} \\ \text{laterum contiguorum} \end{array} \right\} = AB^2$.

Parallelogrammi, cujus area & differentia quadratorum laterum dantur, sub quocunque angulo dato describendi latera invenire EUCLIDES in *Dator*. 87. elegante analysi, immediate huic problematis enunciato adaptata, docet; quæ vero ad parallelogrammum rectangulum applicata paulo est præcedente (§. 179.) prolixior, ac præter alias VI, 22^{dam} *Elem.* supponit.

§. 181.

PROBLEMA VIII. Construere triangulum rectangulum; cujus dantur summa hypotenusæ & unius catheti, ac summa alterius catheti & perpendiculari ab vertice anguli recti in hypotenusam demissi.

Sit (Fig. 79.) ABC triangulum ad C rectangulum describendum; in quo nempe $AB + BC =$ datæ rectæ G , & $AC +$ perpendicularum $CD =$ datæ H .

Cum

Cum (§. 93. n^o. 1.) sit $BA : AC = BC : CD$
 ideoque etiam (V, 12.) $AB+BC : AC+CD = BA : AC$
 proinde $AB+BC > AC+CD$, ob $BA > AC$:

ut fieri possit, quod jubetur, debet esse $G > H$.
 Continuenter AB , AC , donec sint $BF = BC$, $CE = CD$; itaque
 $AF = AB+BC$, $AE = AC+CD$.

Erunt (*demonstr.*) $FA : AE = BA : AC$:
 hinc EF , CB sunt parallelæ (§. 22.); angulus $E = ACB$ (I, 29.) est
 rectus; & datur triangulum AEF , cujus hypotenusæ $AF = G$, cathetus
 $AE = H$ dantur.

Porro ob $CB = BF$ (*constr.*) est angulus $BFC = BCF$ (I, 5.);
 & ob parallelas BC , FE (*dem.*) $BCF = CFE$ (I, 29.);
 quare $BFC = CFE$.

Positione igitur datur recta FC datum angulum AFE bifariam secans
 (I, 9.); & per intersectionem ipsius cum positione data AE datur pun-
 ctum C ; per quod ducta rectæ EF parallela CB finit triangulum ABC .

In semicirculo itaque super recta $AF =$ datæ G descripto aptabitur
 AE recta = datæ H : tum, juncta FE recta, bifariam secabitur angulus
 AFE per rectam FC ; & per punctum C , ubi hæc rectæ AE occurrit,
 agetur CB ipsi EF parallela. Erit ABC triangulum desideratum.

Quippe ob angulum $BCF = CFE$ (I, 29.) = CFB (*constr.*) est
 $CB = BF$ (I, 6.); igitur $AB+BC = AF = G$.

Angulus $ACB = E$ (I, 29.) = recto (III, 31.).

Ex C in AB demisso perpendicularo CD , est

$$BA : AC = BC : CD \text{ (§. 93. n}^{\circ} \text{. 1.)} \\ = AB+BC : AC+CD \text{ (V, 12.);}$$

pariterque, ob parallelas CB , EF est

$$BA : AC = FA : AE \text{ (§. 22.):}$$

igitur $AB+BC : AC+CD = FA : AE$ (V, 11.):

atque, ob $AB+BC = FA$ (*dem.*), etiam $AC+CD = AE$ (V, 14.) = H .

§. 182.

Similiter, ex AB , AC abscissis BC , CD ; & loco 12^{ma} quinti *Elem.*
 adhibita 19^{na}; solvitur *Problema*: quo differentię hypotenusæ AB & ca-
 theti BC , atque alterius catheti AC & perpendiculari CD , dantur.

Quodsi

Quodsi autem, alterutra summa §. 181. data, alterius summæ loco differentia datur:

$$\text{ob } BA : AC = BA \times AD : CA \times AD \text{ (VI, 1.)}$$

$$= AC^a : CA \times AB - \frac{CA \times DB}{BC \times CD} \text{ (§. 147. n.º. 2. 4.)}$$

$$\& CA \times AB - BC \times CD = (AC \pm CD)(AB \mp BC) \text{ (II, 1.)}$$

$$\text{quoniam } AC \times CB = AB \times CD \text{ (§. 147. n.º. 3.);}$$

politis $AC \pm CD = H$, $AB \mp BC = G$, fieri debet

$$BA : AC = AC^a : G \times H$$

$$2G \times AB : G \times AC = 2AC^a : G \times H \text{ (VI, 1. V, 4.)}$$

$$2G \times AB : 2AC^a = G \times AC : G \times H \text{ (V, 16.)}$$

$$= AC : H \text{ (VI, 1.):}$$

$$\& \text{, ob } (AB \mp BC)^a + AC^a = AB^a \mp 2AB \times BC + \begin{cases} BC^a + AC^a \text{ (II, 7. 4.)} \\ AB^a \text{ (I, 47.)} \end{cases}$$

$$= 2(AB^a \mp AB \times BC)$$

$$= 2(AB \mp BC)AB \text{ (II, 1.)}$$

$$\text{feu } G^a + AC^a = 2G \times AB,$$

oportet, fiat

$$G^a + AC^a : 2AC^a = AC : H;$$

quod limites geometriæ elementaris transcendit.

§. 183.

PROBLEMA IX. (*) Construere triangulum rectangulum, cujus summa cathetorum datæ rectæ H , & perpendicularum ab vertice anguli recti in hypotenusam demissum datæ I æquantur (Fig. 80.)

Cum in triangulo ABC (Fig. 76.) ad C rectangulo & æquicruro sit $AC + CB = 2AC$; ideoque $(AC + CB)^a = 4AC^a = 4(AD^a + CD^a) = 8CD^a$, ob $CD = AD$ (IV, 6.): in non-æquicruro autem (Fig. 77.) sit

$$AC^a + CB^a = AD^a + DB^a + 2CD^a \text{ (I, 47.)}$$

$$= 2(LB^a + LD^a + CD^a) \text{ bifariam in } L \text{ divisa } AB \text{ (II, 9.)}$$

$$\triangleright 2(LB^a + CD^a)$$

$$\triangleright 4CD^a, \text{ ob } LB = LC \triangleright CD$$

& $2AC$

(*) Problemata IX. X. XI. XII. XIII. algebraice, cum deductis inde constructionibus geometricis, soluta exstant in NEWTONI *Arithmetica universalis*; Cap. III. inscripto: *Quomodo quæstiones geometricæ ad æquationem redigantur*; Probl. 6. 7. 5. 4. 3.

$$\& 2AC \times CB = 2AB \times CD \text{ (§. 147. n}^\circ \text{. 3.)}$$

$$= 4LB \times CD$$

$$> 4CD^2;$$

ideoque (II, 4.) $(AC+CB)^2 > 8CD^2$:

ut, quod jubetur, fieri possit; oportet, non sit $H^2 < 8I^2$.

Sit (Fig. 80.) ABC triangulum desideratum; cujus catheti $AC+CB=H$, perpendicularum $CD=I$.

$$\text{Ob } AB^2 = AC^2 + CB^2 \text{ (I, 47.)}$$

$$\& \left. \begin{array}{l} 2AB \times CD \\ 2AB \times I \end{array} \right\} = 2AC \times CB \text{ (§. 147. n}^\circ \text{. 3.)}$$

$$\text{erit } AB^2 + 2AB \times I = (AC+CB)^2 \text{ (II, 4.)} = H^2.$$

Ab producta BA abscindatur $AE=EF=I$; itaque $AF=2I$.

$$\text{Erit } AB^2 + BA \times AF = H^2.$$

$$\text{feu (II, 3.) } FB \times BA = H^2.$$

Unde, ob datam H , datamque $FA=2I$ differentiam laterum FB , BA rectanguli $FB \times BA$, innotescit hypotenusa AB trianguli ABC ; ipsumque triangulum, ob datum etiam perpendicularum $CD=I$.

Nempe juxta §. 65. *Schol. in Lib. II. rectæ* $AF=2I$, bifariam in F sectæ, normalis in A constituetur $AG=H$; & ab producta FA abscindetur $EB=EG$: tum ab perpendicularo AG abscissa $AK=I$, per K parallela agetur rectæ AB ad occursum usque semicirculi super diametro AB descripti; & ad hunc rectæ ab punctis A, B ducentur (§. 176.).

Reipsa autem semicirculum super diametro AB descriptum tangit vel fecat recta ipsi AB per K parallela: cum, ob $8I^2 \equiv H^2$ (*determ.*), h. e. $8AK^2 \equiv AG^2$ (*constr.*), ideoque $9AK^2 \equiv AG^2 + AE^2$ feu (I, 47.) EG^2 , $3AK^2 \equiv EG$ feu EB , $2AK \equiv AB$, sit $AK \equiv \frac{1}{2}AB$.

§. 184.

Eodem redeunt Problematis hujus constructiones: quam GHETALDUS (I. c. *Lib. III. Probl. IV. p. 110. sqq.*) ex analysi partim geometrica, partim algebraica; & concinnior paulo, quam WOLFIUS (*Elementa Mathematicæ universæ. Tom. I. Halæ 1730. p. 397. sq.*) ex analysi prolixiore mere algebraica, sed determinatione omiſſa, deducunt. GHETALDUS determinationem, geometricè seorsim demonstratam, sic enunciat: "Tripla perpendicularis trianguli rectanguli, ab angulo recto in basim cadens,

D

NON

non est major quam recta, cujus quadratum æquale est quadratis aggregati crurum & perpendicularis."

§. 185.

Simili, qua §. 183, ratione, loco 4^{ta} secundi *Elem.* applicando 7^{am}, solvitur *Problema* determinationi haud obnoxium: quo, præter perpendiculum ex vertice anguli recti in hypotenusam demissum, differentia cathetorum trianguli rectanguli datur.

Tum quippe, datis quibuscunque $H =$ differentiæ cathetorum, $I =$ perpendiculo, ob $\frac{AB^q - 2AB \times I}{AB(AB - 2I)} = H^q$ (*Schol. in Lib. II. §. 86.*), datur rectangulum sub AB & $AB - 2I$, cujus differentia laterum $= 2I$: constructione igitur juxta §. 66. *Schol. in Lib. II. facta*, prodit $AB > 2I$, $I < \frac{1}{2}AB$.

Problema hoc suo etiam more solvit GHETALDUS l. c. *Lib. III. Probl. III. p. 109. fq.*

§. 186.

PROBLEMA X. Construere triangulum rectangulum; cujus summa cathetorum datæ rectæ H ; & summa hypotenusæ ac perpendiculi, in eam ab anguli recti vertice demissi, datæ G sit æqualis. (*Fig. 81.*)

Ob $BA : AC = BC : CD$ in triangulo ABC ad C rectangulo (§. 93. n^o. 1.); & BA maximam, CD minimam quatuor rectarum (I, 19. *Coroll.*); ideoque $BA + CD > AC + CB$ (V, 25.): debet esse $G > H$.

Porro ob $AC^q + CB^q = AB^q$ (I, 47.)

$$2AC \times CB = 2AB \times CD \text{ (§. 147. n}^\circ \text{. 3.)}$$

ideoque

$$(AC + CB)^q = AB^q + 2AB \times CD \text{ (II, 4.)}$$

$$8(AC + CB)^q = 8(AB^q + 2AB \times CD)$$

fed

$$(AC + CB)^q \equiv 8CD^q \text{ (§. 183.)}$$

proinde

$$9(AC + CB)^q \equiv 8(AB + CD)^q \text{ (II, 4.):}$$

debet esse

$$9H^q \equiv 8G^q; \text{ seu oportet, non sit } 8G^q > 9H^q.$$

Sit ABC triangulum quæsitum: cujus catheti $AC + CB = H$; hypotenusæ AB + perpendiculum $CD = G$.

$$\text{Ob } AB^q + 2AB \times CD + CD^q = (AB + CD)^q \text{ (II, 4.)} = G^q$$

&

$$AB^q + 2AB \times CD = (AC + CB)^q \text{ (demonstr.)} = H^q$$

manet

$$CD^q = G^q - H^q$$

Datur

Datur itaque perpendicularum CD ; eoque ab G ablato, hypotenusa AB ; proinde triangulum ABC (§. 176.).

Nimirum in semicirculo, super recta $BE = G$ descripto, aptata recta $B\mathcal{F} = H$ (IV, 1.); ob $\mathcal{E}\mathcal{F}^2 = EB^2 - BF^2$ (III, 31. I, 47.), erit $EF =$ perpendicularo; & ab EB abscissa $EA = EF$, residua AB erit hypotenusa trianguli describendi. Huic igitur in puncto A ducta normali $AK = AE = EF$; rectæ ipsi AB per K parallelæ occurfus cum semicirculo super AB descripto verticem C trianguli designabit (§. 176.): cum (determ.) sit $8C^2 = H^2$, h. e. (constr.) $\left. \begin{array}{l} 8EB^2 \\ 8(BF^2 + EF^2) \end{array} \right\} = 9BF^2$; ideoque $8EF^2 = BF^2$, $9EF^2 = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} BF^2 + EF^2 \\ EB^2 \end{array} \right\}$, $\frac{3EF^2}{3EA^2} = EB$, $\frac{2EA}{2AK} = AB$, $AK = \frac{1}{2}AB$.

Constructionem Problematis hujus valde operosam absque analysi tradit THOM. SIMSON (*Treatise of Algebra*. London 1745. p. 400. sq.): ejusdem solutionem algebraicam & compositionem inde deductam, similes Newtonianis, exposuerat p. 244. sq.

§. 187.

Quodsi dantur $AB - CD = G$, $AC - CD = H$;
ob $CD < CB$, ideoque $AB - CD > AB - CB$
& $AB > AC$ $\quad \quad \quad > AC - CB$;
pariter oportet, sit $G > H$.

Ceterum, 7^{ma} secundi *Elem.* adhibita loco 4^{te}, rursus prodit $CD^2 = G^2 - H^2$.
Unde, in semicirculo super $EB = G$ descripto aptata $BF = H$, sit $EF = CD$; atque ipsi BE in directum adjecta EF , invenitur AB ; ac triangulum construitur juxta §. 176: cum, ob $EF < EB$, sit $2EF < BE + EF$,
 $EF < \frac{BE + EF}{2}$.

§. 188.

Datis autem vel $AB + CD = G$, $AC - CB = H$;
vel $AB - CD = G$, $AC + CB = H$;
ob $\left. \begin{array}{l} (AC \mp CB)^2 \\ H^2 \end{array} \right\} = AB^2 \mp 2AB \times CD$ (II, 4. 7. I, 47. & §. 147. n^o. 3.)
seu $\quad \quad \quad \quad \quad = AB(AB \mp 2CD)$ (II, 1.)
atque $AB \mp 2CD = AB - 2G + \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 2G \\ 2AB \mp 2CD \end{array} \right\} \mp 2CD$
 $= 3AB - 2G = 3\left(AB - \frac{2}{3}G\right)$;
D 2 fieri

$$\text{fieri debet } \begin{cases} 3AB(AB - \frac{2}{3}G) = H^q \\ AB(AB - \frac{2}{3}G) = \frac{1}{3}H^q. \end{cases}$$

Juxta §. 166. igitur invento latere quadrati $= \frac{1}{3}H^q$; tum juxta §. 66. *Schol. in Lib. II.* inventis lateribus rectanguli $= \frac{1}{3}H^q$, cujus differentia laterum $= \frac{2}{3}G$: majus latus hujus rectanguli erit hypotenusa AB trianguli describendi; altitudo autem $CD = \frac{G-AB}{AB-G}$. Priore autem casu, ob $AB > \frac{2}{3}G$, fit $CD = G-AB < \frac{1}{3}G < \frac{1}{2}AB$.

Pariterque posteriori, quo $H^q = (AC+CB)^q \sqrt[3]{8CD^q} \sqrt[3]{8(AB-G)^q}$

proinde	$\begin{cases} 3AB(AB - \frac{2}{3}G) \\ 4AB^q - 2G \times AB + G^q \end{cases} + (AB-G)^q$	VII $9(AB-G)^q$
h. e.	$\begin{cases} 2AB-G \\ 2AB-G \\ 2AB-G \end{cases}$	VII $9(AB-G)^q$
feu	$\begin{cases} 2AB-G \\ 2G \\ G \end{cases}$	VII $3(AB-G)$
est	$\begin{cases} 2G \\ G \end{cases}$	VII AB
	G	VII $\frac{1}{2}AB$
ideoque	$CD = AB - G$	VII $\frac{1}{2}AB$

§. 189.

PROBLEMA XI. Construere triangulum rectangulum: cujus hypotenusa sit recta data AB ; summa autem cathetorum ac perpendiculari ex vertice anguli recti in hypotenusam demissi sit data rectæ H æqualis (Fig. 82.).

Cum in triangulo ABC ad C rectangulo (Fig. 76. 77.) fit (I, 20.) $AC+CB$, tantoque magis $AC+CB+CD > AB$: primum debet esse data $H > AB$.

Porro in triangulo rectangulo æquicruo ABC (Fig. 76.) sunt

$$\begin{aligned} 2(AC+CB) &= 4AC \\ &= 2CD = AB \end{aligned}$$

ideoque

$$\begin{aligned} 2(AC+CB+CD) &= 4AC+AB \\ 2(AC+CB+C) - AB &= 4AC \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (2(AC+CB+CD) - AB)^q &= 16AC^q \quad (\text{Schol. in Lib. II. §. 6.}) \\ &= 8(AC^q+CB^q) = 8AB^q \quad (\text{I, 47.}) \end{aligned}$$

In triangulo autem rectangulo non-æquicruo ABC (Fig. 77.), ob $2CD < AB$ (III, 3. 15.),

est

$$\begin{aligned} \text{est } 2(AC+CB+CD) \cdot AB &< 2(AC+CB); \\ \text{igitur } (2(AC+CB+CD) \cdot AB)^2 &< 4(AC+CB)^2; \\ \& \quad 4(AC+CB)^2 &= 4(AC^2+CB^2) + 8AC \times CB \text{ (II, 4.)} \\ &= 4AB^2 + 8AB \times CD \text{ (I, 47. \& \S. 147. n.º. 3.)} \\ &< 8AB^2, \text{ ob } 2CD < AB, \text{ ideoque } 8AB \times CD < 4AB^2. \end{aligned}$$

Quare tanto magis $(2(AC+CB+CD) \cdot AB)^2 < 8AB^2$.

Oportet igitur, ex altera parte non sit

$$\begin{aligned} (2H-AB)^2 &> 8AB^2 \\ \text{feu } (H-\frac{1}{2}AB)^2 &> 2AB^2 \end{aligned}$$

h. e. $H-\frac{1}{2}AB$ major non sit diagonali quadrati, cujus latus est AB .

Sit jam (Fig. 82.) ABC triangulum super data hypotenusâ AB construendum, in quo $AC+CB+CD=H$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Ob } BA:AC &= BC:CD \text{ (\S. 93. n.º. 1.)} \\ &= AB+BC:AC+CD \text{ (V, 12.)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} BA:BA+AC \} &= AB+BC:AB+BC+CA+CD \text{ (V, 18. 15.)} \\ 2BA:2(BA+AC) \} \\ \text{est } 2(BA+AC)(AB+BC) &= 2BA(AB+BC+CA+CD) \text{ (VI, 16.)} \\ &= EB \times BF \end{aligned}$$

in directum ipsi BA adjunctis $AE=AB$, $AF=BC+CA+CD=H$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sed } 2(BA+AC)(AB+BC) &= (BA+AC)(2AB+2BC) \\ &= (BA+AC)(BA+AC+2BC+(BA-AC)) \\ &= (BA+AC)^2 + 2BC(BA+AC) + \begin{cases} (BA+AC)(BA-AC) \\ BA^2-AC^2 \text{ (II, 5. Coroll.)} \\ BC^2 \text{ (I, 47.)} \end{cases} \\ &= (BA+AC+CB)^2 \text{ (II, 4.)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{igitur } (BA+AC+CB)^2 &= EB \times BF \\ EB:BA+AC+CB &= BA+AC=CB:BF \text{ (VI, 17.)} \end{aligned}$$

Quare, cum dentur $EB=2AB$, $BF=BA+\frac{AF}{H}$ (constr.), datur trianguli perimeter $BA+AC+CB$ (VI, 13.): qua ab $BF=BA+AC+CB+CD$ ablata, manet trianguli altitudo CD ; & trianguli descriptio reducitur ad § 176.

Datæ scilicet hypotenusæ BA in directum adjunctis $AE=AB$, $AF=H$; tum juxta §. 126. super BF descripto semicirculo, cui in G occurrit normalis rectæ BF in E ducta EG ; & facta $BL=BG$: ab perpendiculari EG abscindetur $EK=FL$; ac (§. 176.) per K agatur rectæ BF parallela, semicirculo super AB descripto in C occurrens:

cum

cum ob	$(2H - AB)^2$	}	II	$8AB^2$ (<i>determ</i>)
h. e. (<i>constr.</i>)	$(2FA - AB)^2$			
feu (II, 7.)	$4FA^2 - 4FA \times AB + AB^2$			
fit	$4FA^2 + 4FA \times AB + AB^2$		II	$8(FA \times AB + AB^2)$
			II	$8FB \times BA$ (II, 3.)
h. e. (II, 4.)	$(2FA + AB)^2$		II	$4FB \times BE$ (<i>constr.</i>)
			II	$4BG^2$ (§. 147. n ^o . 6.)
ideoque	$2FA + AB$		II	$2BG$
	$2FA + 2AB$		II	$2BL$
	$2FB$	}	II	$2BL + AB$
	$2FL$		II	AB
	FL	}	II	$\frac{1}{2}AB$.
	FK			

Reipsa sic (ductis AC , CB ac perpendicularo CD), ob BE bifariam in A sectam (*constr.*), eique in directum adjectam EL ,

est $EL^2 + BL^2 = 2AL^2 + 2AB^2$ (II, 0.)

Sed $BL^2 = BG^2 = EB \times BF$ (§. 147. n^o. 6.) = $2AB \times BF = 2BA \times AF + 2AB^2$ (II, 3.)

Quare $EL^2 + 2BA \times AF + 2AB^2 = 2AL^2 + 2AB^2$

$$EL^2 + \left. \begin{array}{l} 2BA \times AF \\ 2BA \times AL + 2BA \times LF \end{array} \right\} = 2AL^2$$

Atqui $EL^2 + 2BA \times AL = EL^2 + EA \times AL = AL^2 + AE^2$ (II, 7.) = $AL^2 + AB^2$

& $2BA \times LF = 2AB \times EK = 2AB \times CD$ (*constr.*, I, 34.)

Igitur $AL^2 + AB^2 + 2AB \times CD = 2AL^2$

$$AB^2 + 2AB \times CD = AL^2.$$

Denique $AC^2 + CB^2 = AB^2$ (III, 31. I, 47.)

$$2AC \times CB = 2AB \times CD$$
 (§. 147. n^o. 3.)

Proinde (II, 4.) $(AC + CB)^2 = AB^2 + 2AB \times CD = AL^2$

$$AC + CB = AL$$

& ob $CD = FK = LF$

$$AC + CB + CD = AF = H$$
 (*constr.*),

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Proportio $EB : BA + AC + CB = BA + AC + CB : \left\{ \begin{array}{l} BF \\ BA + AC + CB + CD \end{array} \right.$

feu $2AB : \text{Perimet. triang.} = \text{Perimet.} : \text{Perimet.} + CD$.

qua solutio præcedens nititur, sic etiam demonstratur.

Triangulo ad C rectangulo ABC (*Fig.* 83.) inscribatur circulus (IV, 4.): cujus centrum sit S ; & qui trianguli latera BA , AC , CB contingat in punctis M , N , O . Erunt

Erunt $AM=AN$, $BM=BO$, $CN=CO$, ang. $NCS=SCO$ (IV, 4. *Dem. et Coroll.*): igitur anguli NCS , SCO femirecti; pariterque (I, 32.) anguli CSN , CSO , obrectos N , O (III, 18.); proinde $\frac{CN}{CO} = \frac{SN}{SO}$ (I, 6.).

Hinc $BA+AC+CB$ } = $2AB+2SN$
 seu perimenter trianguli } duplo aggregato hypotenusæ et radii circuli triangulo inscripti.

Atqui, ob $SM=SN=SO$, triangulum $ABC=BAS+ACS+CBS$ æquale est triangulo, cujus basis perimetro $BA+AC+CB$, altitudo rectæ SN æquatur (I, 37. *Coroll.*). Aequalia igitur sunt triangula, unum sub basi AB & altitudine CD , alterum sub basi $BA+AC+CB$ & altitudine SN :

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ideoque } AB : \left\{ \begin{array}{l} BA+AC+CB \\ \text{Perimet.} \end{array} \right\} &= SN : CD \quad (\S. 145.) \\ &= 2AB : \text{Perimet.} = 2SN : CD \quad (\text{V, 4.}) \\ &= \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 2AB+2SN \\ \text{Perimet.} \end{array} \right\} : \text{Perimet.} + CD \quad (\text{V, 12.}) \end{aligned}$$

§. 191.

Paulo prolixior eâ, quæ §. 189. traditur, est constructio, quam ROB. SIMSON in *Appendice Operum reliquorum* (Glasgux 1776. p. 5. sqq.) analysi sequente eruit.

Ob $BA^2 = AC^2 + CB^2$ (I, 47.)
 & $2BA \times CD = 2AC \times CB$ (§. 147. n°. 3.)
 est $BA^2 + 2BA \times CD = (AC + CB)^2$ (II, 4.)
 $BA^2 + 2(BA+AC+CB+CD)CD = (AC+CB)^2 + 2(AC+CB+CD)CD$
 $= (AC+CB+CD)^2 + CD^2$

seu $BA^2 + 2BF \times CD = AF^2 + CD^2$, facta $AF = AC + CB + \frac{1}{2}CD$

Unde $2BF \times CD - CD^2$ } = $AF^2 - BA^2$
 $(2BF - CD)CD$ }

= $BF \times FE$ (II, 5. *Coroll.*), facta $AE = AB$.

Quare, cum dentur BF , FE ; CD erit latus minus rectanguli = $BF \times FE = FG^2$ (§. 147. n°. 6), cujus summa laterum = $2BF$; seu erit segmentum minus rectæ = $2BF$ in inæqualia sic divisæ, ut rectangulum sub segmentis æquale sit rectangulo sub datis BF , FE , seu quadrato datæ FG (*Schol. in Lib. II. §. 74. sq.*).

§. 192.

PROBLEMA XII. Construere triangulum rectangulum: cujus perimenter datæ rectæ P ; & perpendiculum, ab vertice anguli recti in hypotenusam demissum, datæ I æquentur. (*Fig. 82.*)

Ob

Ob $BA \cong 2CD$ in triangulo ABC ad C rectangulo (Fig. 76. 77.)
& $AC+CB > 2CD$ (I, 19. Coroll.)
ideoque $BA+AC+CB > 4CD$: debet esse $P > 4I$.

Præterea, cum in triangulo rectangulo æquicruro ABC (Fig. 76.) sit
 $BA+AC+CB-2CD = AC+CB = 2AC$, ob $BA=2CD$,
ideoque $(BA+AC+CB-2CD)^2 = 4AC^2 = 8CD^2$;
in non-æquicruro autem ABC (Fig. 77.) sit
 $BA+AC+CB-2CD > AC+CB$, ob $BA > 2CD$,
& hinc $(BA+AC+CB-2CD)^2 > (AC+CB)^2$ ac tanto magis (§. 183.) $> 8CD^2$:
oportet, non sit $(P-2I)^2 < 8I^2$, seu $(P-\frac{1}{2}I)^2 < 2I^2$; h. e. $P-\frac{1}{2}I$ minor
esse non debet diagonali quadrati, cujus latus $= I$.

Sit (Fig. 82.) ABC triangulum desideratum: cujus perimet. $= P$;
perpendicularum CD ab vertice anguli recti C in hypotenusam AB demif-
sum $= I$.

Ob Perim. + CD : Perimet. $=$ Perimet.: $2AB$ (§. 189 sq.),
datur (VI, 11.) $2AB$, & (I, 10.) ipsa hypotenusam AB : ac Problema re-
ducitur ad §. 176.

Rectæ nimirum $BL=P$ in directum adjicietur $LF=I$; rectis
 $BF=P+I$, $BL=P$, tertia proportionalis BE invenietur juxta §. 124.
n°. 1. (in semicirculo super BF descripto aptando rectam $BG=BL$, &
ex G in ipsam BF demittendo normalem GE); inventa BE bifariam in A
secabitur; ab perpendicularo EG abscindetur $EK=LF=I$; ac (§. 176.) per K
agetur rectæ BF parallela, semicirculo super AB descripto in C occurrens:
cum, ob $8I^2 \cong (P-2I)^2$ (determ.)

h. e. $8LF^2 \cong \frac{(BL-2LF)^2}{(BL^2-4BL \times LF+4LF^2)}$ (constr.)
(Schol. in Lib. II. §. 86. 2. 6.),
fit $4(BL \times LF+LF^2) \cong BL^2$ seu BG^2

$$4BF \times FL \cong FB \times BE \text{ (II, 3. \& \S. 147. n°. 6.)}$$

$$4FL \cong BE; 2FL \cong AB; \frac{FL}{EK} \cong \frac{1}{2} AB.$$

Atque ita fieri $AC+CB=AL$, proinde $BA+AC+CB=BL=P$;
eodem modo, quo ad calcem §. 189, demonstratur.

§. 193.

PROBLEMA XIII. Construere triangulum rectangulum; cujus pe-
rimeter sit data rectæ P ; & area quadrato datae I æqualis. (Fig. 84.)

Ob perpendicularum CD ex vertice anguli recti C in hypotenusam
 AB

AB demissum $\overline{AI} = \frac{1}{2}AB$ (Fig. 76. 77.); ideoque rectg. $AB \times CD = \overline{AI} = \frac{1}{2}AB^2$, & aream trianguli $ABC = \overline{AI} = \frac{1}{4}AB^2$ (I, 41.): debet esse $I = \frac{1}{4}AB^2$, $I < \frac{1}{2}AB$, $4I = 2AB$.

Sed $2AB < BA + AC + CB$, ob $AB < AC + CB$ (I, 20.). Oportet itaque, sit $4I < P$; $I < \frac{1}{4}P$.

Porro debet esse $4I + 2SN = \overline{AI} = 2AB + 2SN$ (Fig. 83.) seu P (§. 190.) ideoque $4P \times I + 2P \times SN = \overline{AI} = P^2$

Sed $2P \times SN = 4 \times \text{area trianguli } ABC$ (§. 190.) $= 4I^2$.

Necesse igitur est, sit $4P \times I + 4I^2 = \overline{AI} = P^2$

$$\text{seu } \left. \begin{array}{l} P^2 + 4P \times I + 4I^2 \\ (P + 2I)^2 \end{array} \right\} = \overline{AI} = 2P^2$$

$\overline{AI} = \text{Diagon. quadrati lateris } P$.

Sit (Fig. 84.) ABC triangulum ad C rectangulum construendum: cujus perimetre $BA + AC + CB = P$; area $\frac{1}{2}AB \times CD = I^2$.

Ob $2AB : \text{Perim.} = \text{Perim.} : \text{Perim.} + CD$ (§. 189. sq.)

ideoque $2AB \times \text{Perim.} + \left\{ \frac{2AB \times CD}{4I^2} \right\} = \text{Perim.}^2$ (VI, 17.):

erit, facto rectangulo $Q \times \text{Perim.} = 4I^2$, h. e. (VI, 17.) $\text{Perim.} : 2I = 2I : Q$,

$$2AB \times \text{Perim.} + Q \times \text{Perim.} = \text{Perim.}^2$$

$$\frac{2AB}{2AB} + \frac{Q}{Q} = \frac{\text{Perim.}}{Q}; \quad 2AB = \text{Perim.} - Q.$$

Quare, ob datas perimetrum & (VI, 11.) rectam Q , datur hypotenusa AB .

Qua inventa, ob $\frac{1}{2}AB \times CD = I^2$, ideoque (VI, 17.) $\frac{1}{2}AB : I = I : CD$, datur etiam (VI, 11.) altitudo CD : & trianguli constructio reducitur ad §. 176.

Præmissis consequenter ab recta $BL = P$ abscindetur tertia proportionalis LE datis BL ac $2I$, juxta §. 124. n^o. 1. in semicirculo super BL descripto rectam $LF = 2I$ (utpote minorem quam BL , ob $4I < P$ per *determ.*) aptando, atque ex F ipsi BL demittendo normalem FE : tum bifariam in A secta residua AE , erit AB hypotenusa trianguli describendi.

Qua rursus in G bisecta, ab perpendicularo ei in G constituto abscindetur tertia proportionalis GK datis BG & I , juxta §. 23. 119 sq. ab GA dictoque perpendicularo abscindendo $GM = GN = I$, & per M agendo rectæ BN parallelam MK .

E

Ob

Ob	$(P+2I)^q$	II	$2P^q$ (<i>determ.</i>)
h. e.	$(BL+LF)^q$	II	$2BL^q$ (<i>constr.</i>)
feu (II, 4.)	$BL^q+2BL\times LF+LF^q$	II	$2BL^q$ (<i>constr.</i>)
	$2BL\times LF+\left\{\begin{matrix} LF^q \\ BL\times LE \end{matrix}\right\}$	II	BL^q (§. 147. n°. 6.);
igitur	$2LF+LE$	II	BL
	$2LF$	II	BE
	LF feu $2I$	II	AB :
ideoque	$2GM$	II	AB :
	GM	II	$\frac{1}{2}AB$ feu $\left\{\begin{matrix} BG \\ GA \end{matrix}\right\}$
erunt	GN	II	$\frac{1}{2}AB$ (V, 14.), ob $BG:GM:GN=GK$.
pariterque	GK	II	$\frac{1}{2}AB$ (V, 14.), ob $BG:GM:GN=GK$.

Semicirculo igitur super AB descripto occurrit recta per K ipsi AB parallela (§. 176.): ad quod occursum punctum C ductæ AC , BC rectæ finiunt triangulum ABC quæsitum.

Ob BE enim bifariam in A sectam, ipsique in directum adjectam EL , est $BL\times LE+AB^q=AL^q$ (II, 6.)

Sed $BL\times LE=LF^q$ (§. 147. n°. 6.) $=4GM^q$, ob $LF=2I=2GM$ (*constr.*)

$$=4BG\times GK$$
 (VI, 17.), ob $BG:GM=\left\{\begin{matrix} GN \\ GM \end{matrix}\right\}:GK$ (*constr.* & §. 23.)

$$=2AB\times CD$$
 (*constr.* & I, 34.)

$$=2AC\times CB$$
 (§. 147. n°. 3.)

& $AB^q=AC^q+CB^q$ (III, 31. I, 47.)

$$\text{Quare } 2AC\times CB+AC^q+CB^q \} = AL^q$$

$$\text{feu (II, 4.) } (AC+CB)^q \} = AL^q$$

$$AC+CB = AL$$

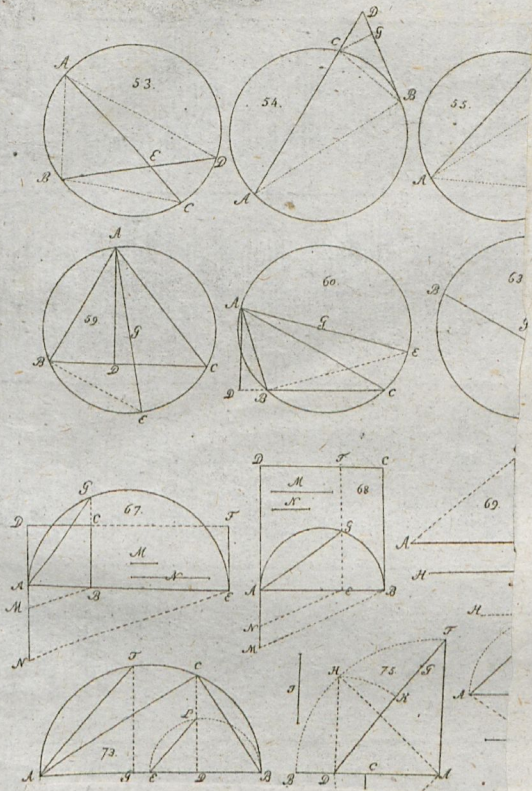
$$\& BA+AC+CB = BL = P$$
 (*constr.*)

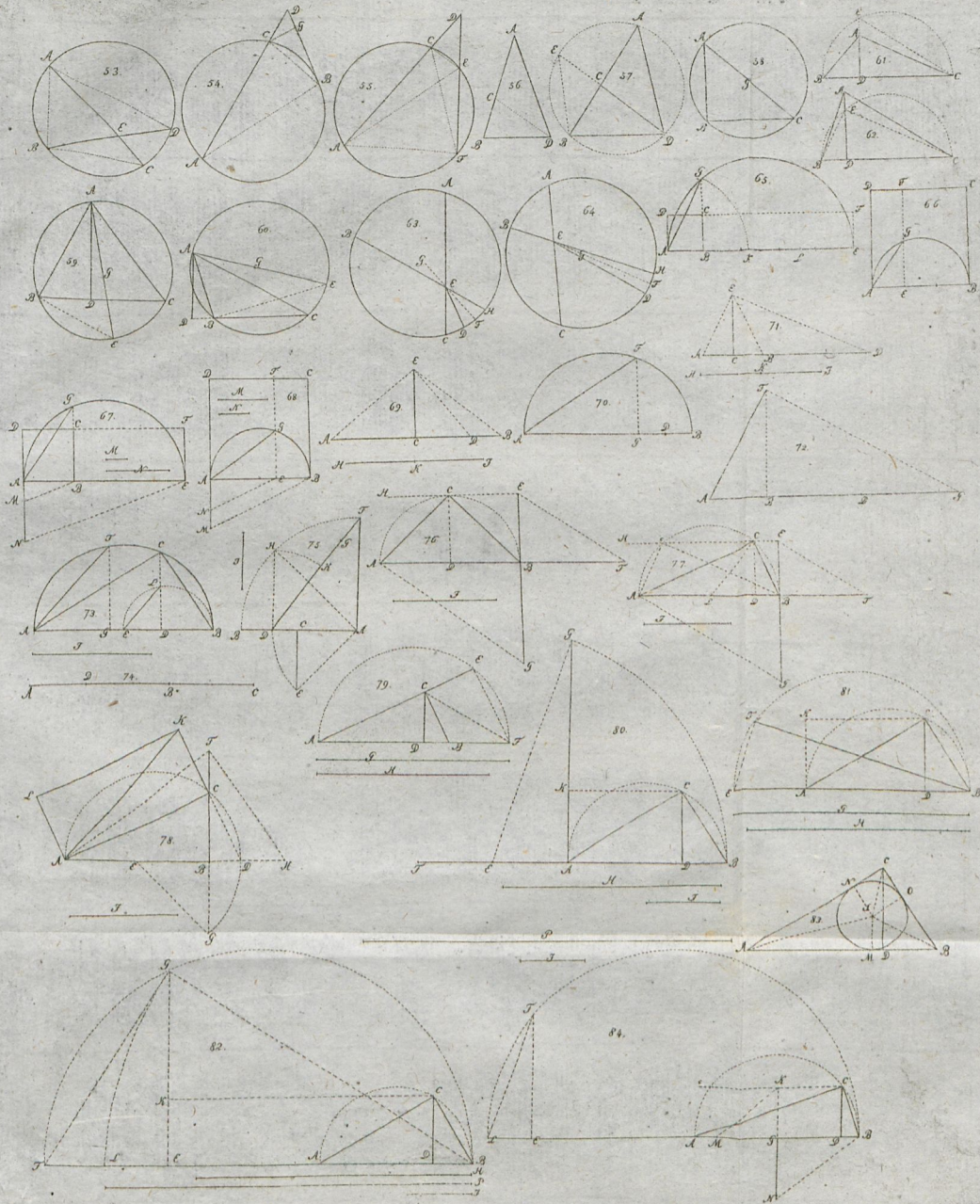
$$\text{Atque ob } \left. \begin{matrix} BG\times GK \\ h. e. \frac{1}{2}AB\times CD \end{matrix} \right\} = GM^q$$
 (*demonstr.*) $=I^q$ (*constr.*);

trianguli ABC area est $=I^q$.

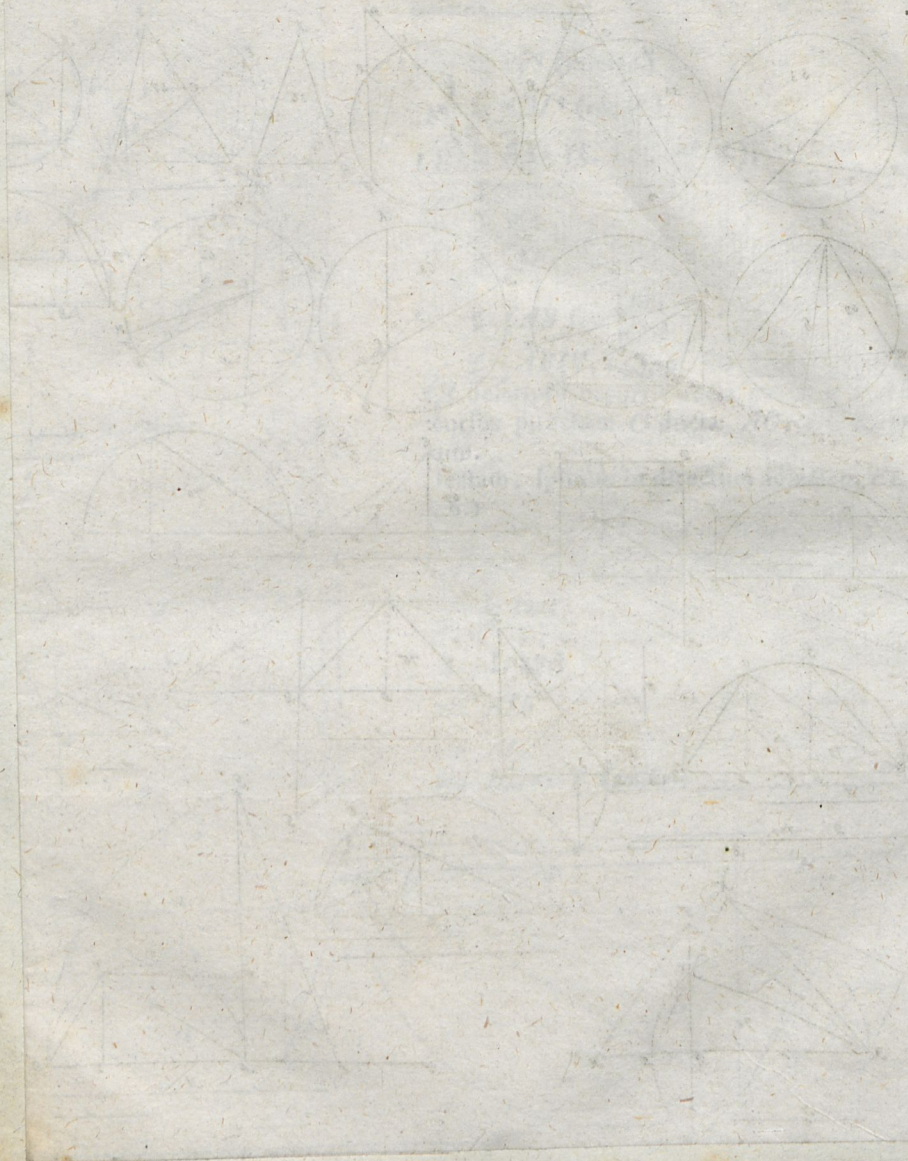
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Ex analysi præcedente etiam consequitur Problematis XIII. compositio, ommissis superfluis, satis concinna, quam THOM. SIMPSON (I. c. p. 326. fq.), demonstratione solum munitam, exhibet.









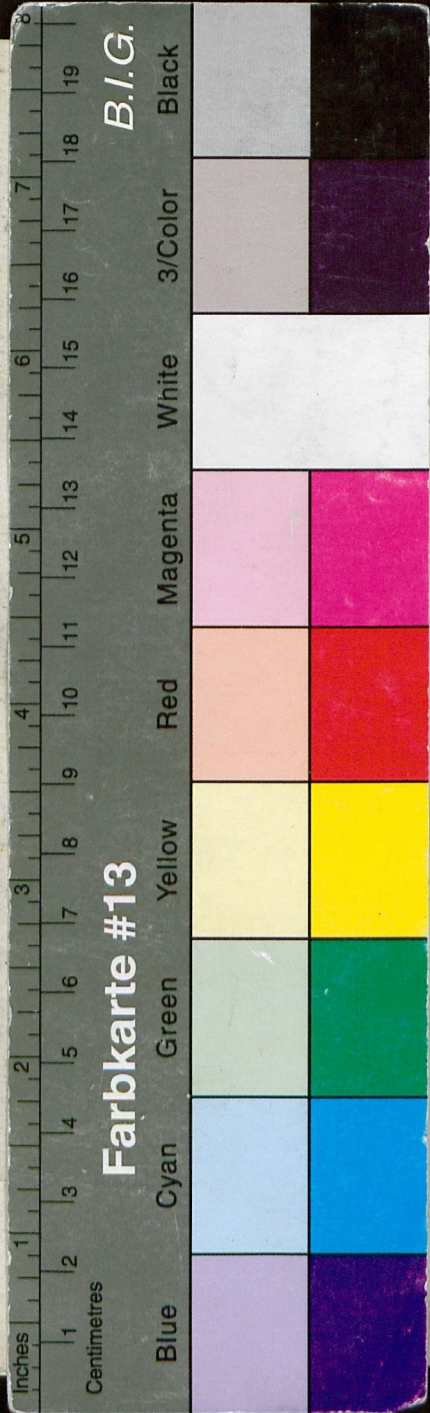
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