

Ans)  $ABCD$  is a square in which  $AC$  &  $BD$  are diagonals.

To prove  $AC = BD$  &  $AC$  bisects  $BD$  at right angle  $AC \perp BD$ ,  $AO = OC$  &  $BO = OD$

$$AB = AB \text{ (Common)}$$

$$BC = AD \text{ [Side of a square]}$$

$$\angle ABC = \angle BAD \text{ [Angles of a square]}$$

$$\triangle ABC \cong \triangle BAD \text{ (SAS)}$$

$$AC = BD \text{ (C.P.C.T)}$$

Now in  $\triangle AOB$  &  $\triangle COA$

$$\angle AOB = \angle COA \text{ (V.O.A)}$$

$$AB = CA \text{ (Side)}$$

$$\angle OAB = \angle OCA \text{ (Alternate angles)}$$

$$\triangle AOB \cong \triangle COA \text{ (ASA)}$$

$$\angle AO = \angle OC$$

Similarly by taking  $\triangle AOM$  &  $\triangle BOC$  we can show that  $OB = OA$

In  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $\angle BAC + \angle BCA = 90^\circ$  [ $\because \angle B = 90^\circ$ ]

$$\Rightarrow 2\angle BAC = 90^\circ \quad (\angle BAC = \angle BCA)$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BAC = \frac{90}{2} = 45^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BCA = 45^\circ \text{ or } \angle BCO = 45^\circ$$

Similarly  $\angle CBO = 45^\circ$

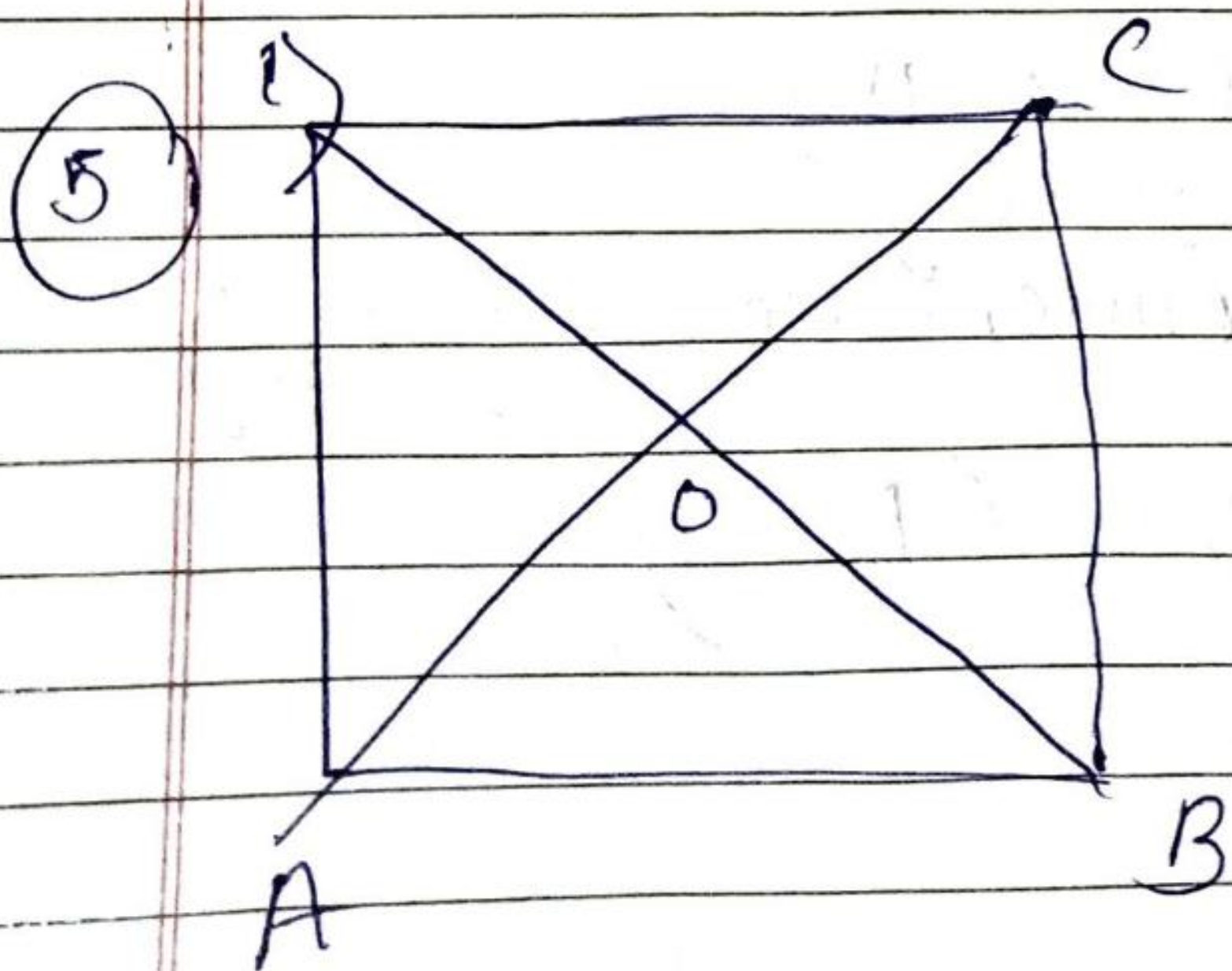
In  $\triangle BCO$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BCO + \angle CBO + \angle BOC = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 90^\circ + \angle BOC = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BOC = 90^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow BO \perp OC \Rightarrow BO \perp AC$$



Since ABC is a quadrilateral whose diagonals intersect each other, so it is a parallelogram.

$AB = BC = CD = DA$  [Sides of a rhombus]  
 In  $\triangle ABC$  &  $\triangle BAD$ , we have

$AB = AB$  (Common)

$BC = AD$  (Sides of a rhombus)

$AC = BD$  (Diagonals)

$\triangle ABC \cong \triangle BAD$  [S.S.S.]

$\angle ABC = \angle BAD$  [C.P.C.T.]

But,  $\angle ABC + \angle BAD = 180^\circ$   
 $\angle ABC = \angle BAD = 90^\circ$

$\angle A = \angle B = \angle C = \angle D = 90^\circ$

Opposite angles

$\therefore ABCD$  is a rhombus & square (proved)