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Background for these notes is: Chris van Tienhoven: Encyclopedia of Quadri-Figures http://www.chrisvantienhoven.nl/

## **Construction of Morley's 4L-axes II**

Morley describes in his paper "Extensions of Clifford's Chain-Theorem" for a 4-line 64 axes, but Morley doesn't mention a construction. In his paper "64 axes of the QL" Bernard Keizer gives an interpretation and a construction of these axes, see QFG-message 1032. Further constructions are described in QFG-message 1056 and 1068. Here is a new – very simple – construction, orientated at orthogonal intersections of the axes.



## The orthogonal intersections

Consider a 4-line and two perspective triangle components ABC and AB'C' wrt a common vertex A (see figure: J incenter of ABC, J' incenter of AB'C):

... Let  $J_i$  and  $J_i'$  corresponding in-/ex-centers of *ABC* and *AB* 'C'. ... An angle bisector at *A* contains two in-/ex-centers  $J_i$  of *ABC* and two in-/ex-centers  $J_i'$  of *AB*'C'.

... The intersections of the angle bisectors of  $\langle AJ_iB \rangle$  and  $\langle AJ_j'B' \rangle$  give 4 intersections of orthogonal Morley-axes with the same directions.

... For the two possibilities of i = j there are 8 intersections of orthogonal Morley-axes with the same directions, analog for  $i \neq j$  wrt the other possible orthogonal directions.

... Wrt one angle bisector at A we get 16 intersections, taking the other angle bisector at A, we get further 16 orthogonal intersections.

... The intersecting orthogonal axes in these 32 points are all 64 Morley-axes.

## The orthogonal directions

Each direction of a line has a mean direction wrt the 4 lines of a quadrilateral. This mean direction is one of the four possible directions of Morley-axes. We consider the orthogonal mean directions of the angle bisectors at *A* as primary directions and the other two as alternative directions.

The directions of the orthogonal axes in the intersections of the angle bisectors of  $\langle AJ_iB \rangle$  and  $\langle AJ_j'B' \rangle$  depend on whether i = j or  $i \neq j$  and whether  $J_i$  and  $J_j'$  lie on an inner or outer angle bisector at A.

Ji and Jj´	i = j	$i \neq j$
on inner angle	primary	alternative
bisector at A	directions	directions
on outer angle	alternative	primary
bisector at A	directions	directions

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