

A proof of Prop. 3.8(c)

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By definition of "interior", B and D are on the same side of \overleftrightarrow{AC} , which is the same as \overleftrightarrow{AE} . We must show that also B and E are on the same side of \overleftrightarrow{AD} . If they are not, then segment BE intersects either \overrightarrow{AD} or \overrightarrow{AF} at a point $G \in \overrightarrow{BE}$. Clearly $G \neq A$, since A, B, and C are not collinear. By Exercise 9, therefore, G and E are on the same side of \overleftrightarrow{AB} , and G and B are on the same side of \overleftrightarrow{AE} .

Case 1: $G \in \overrightarrow{AD}$. By Exercise 9 again, G and D are on the same side of \overleftrightarrow{AB} . So E and D are on the same side of that line by B-4. But D and C are on the same side, by the other half of the definition of interior of $\angle CAB$. So E and C are on the same side, which contradicts the construction of E.

Case 2: $G \in \overrightarrow{AF}$. By Exercise 9 once more, G and F are on the same side of \overleftrightarrow{AC} . In the proof of (b) we saw that F and B are on opposite sides of \overleftrightarrow{AC} . Therefore, B and G are on opposite sides of \overleftrightarrow{AC} . This contradicts our previous conclusion that B and G are on the same side of \overleftrightarrow{AE} .