## Construction 20: Book III, Proposition 30

gosubTo bisect a given circumference. $\square$
III.30:2. Let ADB be the given circumference;
III.30:4 Let AB be joined

and bisected at C; ([I.10])

GOSUB I.10.
We will use C\#5B (Vesica Pisces).

Swing AB around A.

Swing BA around B.


Connect the two crossings, locating the point C .

RETURN to III. 30 at line 4.
(Wait! Do not cleanup.)

III.30:5. from the point $C$ let CD be drawn at right angles to the straight line $\mathrm{AB},([\mathrm{I} .11])$

This requires the Vesica Pisces, which we have just done. The line drawn in step 4 is the desired line, so we use it to locate D.


Cleanup. We are done.



