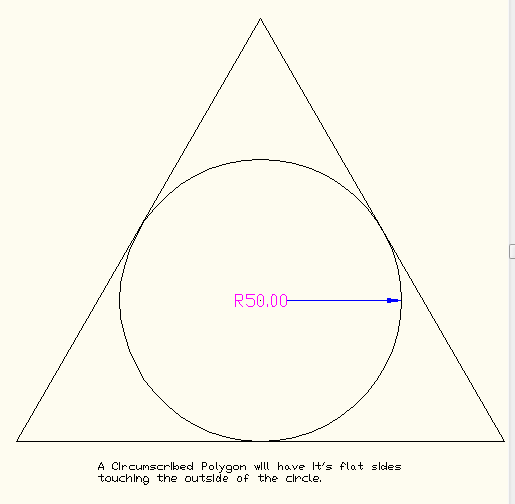
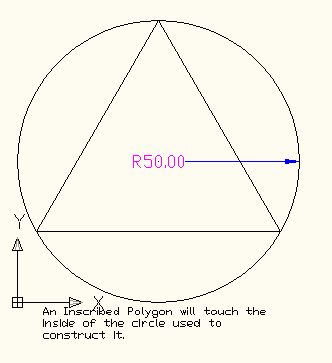
Auto CAD Tip: How to use the Polygon Tool.

A polygon is any 2-dimensional shape formed with straight lines. Triangles, quadrilaterals, pentagons, and hexagons are all examples of polygons. AutoCAD uses a series of steps using an imaginary circle to generate the correct size and shape of polygon you want.

Creating a polygon is a multiple step process:

1. Click on the Polygon tool  and enter the number of sides.
2. Next, specify the center of the polygon, usually by entering an Absolute coordinate.
3. The instruction in the COMMAND window will request that you choose either the **Inscribed** or **Circumscribed** options.

1. The final step is to input the **radius** of the polygon.