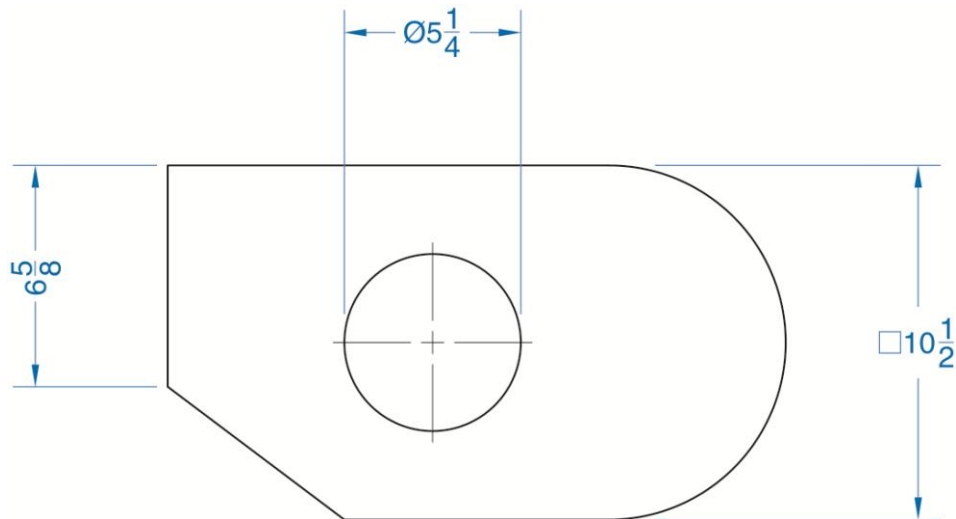


## Exercise 17-3

1. Continue from Exercise 17-2 or start AutoCAD.
2. Start a new drawing from scratch or use a decimal-unit template of your choice. Save the drawing as EX17-3.
3. Set up appropriate layers, including a layer for dimensions.
4. Draw an object similar to the object in Figure 17-3.
5. Create an appropriate dimension style and add dimensions similar to those in Figure 17-3, but make the following changes.
  - Use the **Mtext** option of the **DIM** command to change the  $10 \frac{1}{2}$  dimension as shown below.
  - Use the **Text** option of the **DIM** command to change the  $5 \frac{1}{4}$  dimension as shown below.
  - Use the **text aNgle** option of the **DIM** command to change the  $6 \frac{5}{8}$  dimension text to a  $90^\circ$  angle.



6. Resave and close the file.
7. Keep AutoCAD open for the next exercise, or exit AutoCAD if necessary.