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CIRCLE

Examples

1. Find the centre and radius of the circle $2x^2 + 2y^2 = 3x - 5y + 7$

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2. Prove that the radii of the circles $x^2 + y^2 = 1$, $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y = 6$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 12y = 9$ are in AP.

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3. Find the equation of the circle whose centre is the point of intersection of the lines $2x - 3y + 4 = 0$ and $3x + 4y - 5 = 0$ and passes through the origin.

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4. Find the equation of the circle concentric with the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 6y - 5 = 0$ and passing through the point $(-2,7)$,

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5. A circle has radius 3 units and its centre lies on the line $y=x-1$. Find the equation of the circle if it passes through $(7,3)$.

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6. Find the area of equilateral triangle inscribed in a circle

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$$



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7. Find the parametric form of the equation of the circle

$$x^2 + y^2 + px + py = 0.$$



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8. If the parametric of form of a circle is given by

(a) $x = -4 + 5 \cos \theta$ and $y = -3 + 5 \sin \theta$

(b) $x = a \cos \alpha + b \sin \alpha$ and $y = a \sin \alpha - b \cos \alpha$ find its cartesian form.



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9. The equation of the locus of the mid-points of chords of the circle $4x^2 + 4y^2 - 12x + 4y + 1 = 0$ that subtend an angle $\frac{2\pi}{3}$ at its centre, is



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10. Find the equation of the circle the end points of whose diameters are the centres of the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 16x - 14y = 1$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 10y = 2$



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11. The sides of a square are $x = 2$, $x = 3$, $y = 1$ and $y = 2$. Find the equation of the circle drawn on the diagonals of the square as its diameter.



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12. The abscissa of the two points A and B are the roots of the equation $x^2 + 2ax - b^2 = 0$ and their ordinates are the roots of the equation $x^2 + 2px - q^2 = 0$. Find the equation of the circle with AB as diameter. Also, find its radius.



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13. find the equation circle which is passes through the points (4, 1), (6, 5) and centre lies on $4x + y = 16$ is



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14. Find the equation of the circle passing through the three non-collinear points (1, 1), (2, -1) and (3, 2).



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15. Show that the points $A(1, 0)$, $B(2, -7)$, $C(8, 1)$ and $D(9, -6)$ all lie on the same circle. Find the equation of this circle, its centre and radius.



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16. Find the equation of the circle whose diameter is the joining the points $(-4,3)$ and $(12,-1)$. Find also intercept made by it on Y-axis.



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17. Find the equation of the a circle which touches y-axis at a distance of 4 units from the origin and cuts an intercept of 6 units along the positive direction of x-axis.



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18. Find the equation of the circle which passes through the origin and cuts off intercepts a and b respectively from x and $y - axes$.

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19. Find the equation of the circle which touches the coordinate axes and whose centre lies on the line $x - 2y = 3$.

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20. A circle of radius 2 lies in the first quadrant and touches both the axes of coordinates. Find the equation of the circle with centre at $(6,5)$ and touching the above circle externally.

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21. A circle of radius 5 units touches the coordinate axes in the first quadrant. If the circle makes one complete roll on x - axis along the positive direction of x - axis, find its equation in new position.



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22. Discuss the position of the points $(1,2)$ and $(6,0)$ with respect to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 2y - 11 = 0$



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23. The circle $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 10y + \lambda = 0$ does not touch or intersect the coordinate axes and the point $(1,4)$ is inside the circle. Find the range of values of λ .



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24. Find the shortest and largest distance from the point (2,-7) to the circle

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25. Find the points on the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 4y - 20 = 0$ which are farthest and nearest to point (-5,6).

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26. Find the points of intersection of the line $2x+3y=18$ and the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 25$.

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27. Find the length of the intercept on the straight line $4x-3y-10=0$ by the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 4y - 20 = 0$.

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28. Find the coordinates of the middle point of the chord which the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 2y - 3 = 0$ cuts-off the line $x-y+2=0$.

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29. For what value of λ will the line $y = 2x + \lambda$ be tangent to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 5$?

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30. Prove that the tangents to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ at $(3,4)$ and $(4,-3)$ are perpendicular to each other.

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31. Find the equation of tangent to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2ax = 0$ at the point $[a(1 + \cos \alpha), a \sin \alpha]$

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32. Show that the circles $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 6y + 8 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 10x - 6y + 14 = 0$ touch at (3,-1).

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33. The angle between a pair of tangents from a point P to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ is $\frac{\pi}{3}$. Find the equation of the locus of the point P.

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34. The angle between a pair of tangents from a point P to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 8y + 9 = 0$ is $\frac{\pi}{3}$. Find the equation of the locus of the point P.



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35. Find the equations of the tangents to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 9$, which

(i) are parallel to the line $3x+4y-5=0$

(ii) are perpendicular to the line $2x+3y+7=0$

(iii) make an angle of 60° with the X-axis



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36. Prove that the line $lx+my+n=0$ touches the circle

$$(x - a)^2 + (y - b)^2 = r^2 \text{ if } (al + bm + n)^2 = r^2(l^2 + m^2)$$



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37. Show that the line $3x-4y=1$ touches the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 4y + 1 = 0$. Find the coordinates of the point of contact.

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38. If $lx+my=1$ touches the circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$, prove that the point (l,m) lies on the circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^{-2}$

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39. Show that the line $(x - 2)\cos \theta + (y - 2)\sin \theta = 1$ touches a circle for all values of θ . Find the circle.

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40. Find the equation of the normal to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x = 0$ parallel to the line $x + 2y = 3$.

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41. Find the equation of the normal to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 5x + 2y - 48 = 0$ at the point (5,6).

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42. Find the equations of the tangents to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 16$ drawn from the point (1,4).

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43. The angle between a pair of tangents from a point P to the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y + 9 \sin 2\alpha + 13 \cos^2 \alpha = 0$ is 2α . Find the equation of the locus of the point P.

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44. Find the length of the tangents drawn from the point (3,-4) to the circle

$$2x^2 + 2y^2 - 7x - 9y - 13 = 0.$$



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45. If the length of the tangent drawn from (f, g) to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 6$ be twice the length of the tangent drawn from the same point to the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 3(x + y) = 0$ then show that $g^2 + f^2 + 4g + 4f + 2 = 0$.



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46. Find the area of the triangle formed by the tangents from the point (4, 3) to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ and the line joining their points of contact.



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47. Show that the length of the tangent from any point on the circle :

$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ to the circle

$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c_1 = 0$ is $\sqrt{c_1 - c}$.



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48. Find the power of point (2,4) with respect to the circle

$x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 4y - 8 = 0$



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49. Show that the locus of the point, the powers of which with respect to two given circles are equal, is a straight line.



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50. If the pair of tangents are drawn from the point (4,5) to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 2y - 11 = 0$, then

(i) Find the length of chord of contact.

(ii) Find the area of the triangle formed by a pair of tangents and their chord of contact.

(iii) Find the angle between the pair of tangents.

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51. Tangents PQ, PR are drawn to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 36$ from the point p(-8,2) touching the circle at Q,R respectively. Find the equation of the circumcircle of ΔPQR .

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52. Find the condition that the chord of contact of tangents from the point (α, β) to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ should subtend a right angle at the centre. Hence find the locus of (α, β) .



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53. If the chord of contact of the tangents drawn from a point on the circle $x^2 + y^2 + y^2 = a^2$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = b^2$ touches the circle $x^2 + y^2 = c^2$, then prove that a, b and c are in GP.



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54. Find the equation of the chord of $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 10y - 9 = 0$ which is bisected at $(-2, 4)$



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55. Find the middle point of the chord intercepted on line $lx + my + n = 0$ by circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$.



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56. Through a fixed point (h,k) , secants are drawn to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$. Show that the locus of the midpoints of the secants by the circle is $x^2 + y^2 = hx + ky$.



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57. Find the locus of the midpoint of the chords of the circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ which subtend a right angle at the point $(c, 0)$.



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58. Find the equation of the chord of the circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ passing through the point $(2, 3)$ farthest from the center.



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59. Find the equations of the tangents from the point $A(3,2)$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 6y + 8 = 0$.



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60. The angle between the tangents drawn from a point on the director circle $x^2 + y^2 = 50$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 25$, is



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61. The equation of the diameter of the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ which corresponds to the chord $ax + by + d = 0$ is $\lambda x - ay + \mu g + k = 0$ then $\lambda + \mu$ is



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62. Two circles $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 4y = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 8y - 4 = 0$ (A) touch each other externally (B) intersect each other (C) touch each other internally (D) none of these



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63. Prove that the circles

$x^2 + y^2 + 2ax + c^2 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + 2by + c^2 = 0$ touch each other,

if $\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} = \frac{1}{c^2}$.



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64. Find the equations to the common tangents of the circles

$x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y + 9 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + 6x - 2y + 1 = 0$



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65. The common tangents to the circles

$x^2 + y^2 + 2x = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 6x = 0$ form a triangle which is



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66. Find the number of common tangents to the circles $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 2y + 8 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y - 15 = 0$.

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67. Find the lengths of external and internal common tangents and also find the angle between external common tangents and internal common tangents of the circles

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68. The length of the common chord of the circles $(x - a)^2 + (y - b)^2 = c^2$ and $(x - b)^2 + (y - a)^2 = c^2$, is

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69. Find the equation of the circle passing through (1,1) and the points of intersection of the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 13x - 3y = 0$ and $2x^2 + 2y^2 + 4x - 7y - 25 = 0$



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70. Find the equation of the circle passing through the point of intersection of the circles $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 2y + 4 = 0$, $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 4y - 6 = 0$ and with its centre on the line $y = x$.



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71. Find the equation of the circle passing through the points of intersection of the circles $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y - 4 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 10x - 12y + 40 = 0$ and whose radius is 4.



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72. Find the equation of the circle through points of intersection of the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y + 4 = 0$ and the line $x + 2y = 4$ which touches the line $x + 2y = 0$.

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73. Find the equation of the circle whose diameter is the common chord of the circles

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 3y + 1 = 0 \text{ and } x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 3y + 2 = 0$$

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74. If two curves whose equations are $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ and $a'x^2 + 2h'xy + b'y^2 + 2g'x + 2f'y + c = 0$ intersect in four concyclic point., then

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75. Find the angle between the circles

$$S: x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 6y + 11 = 0 \text{ and } S': x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 8y + 13 = 0$$

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76. Show that the circles

$$x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 4y + 4 = 0 \text{ and } x^2 + y^2 + x + 4y + 1 = 0 \quad \text{cut}$$

orthogonally.

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77. Find the equation of the circle which cuts the circle

$$x^2 + y^2 + 5x + 7y - 4 = 0 \text{ orthogonally, has its centre on the line } x=2$$

and passes through the point (4,-1).

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78. Find the equations of the two circles which intersect the circles

$$x^2 + y^2 - 6y + 1 = 0 \text{ and } x^2 + y^2 - 4y + 1 = 0$$

orthogonally and touch the line $3x+4y+5=0$.



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79. Two circles which pass through the points $A(0, a), B(0, -a)$ and

touch the line $y = mx + c$ will cut orthogonally if



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80. Equation of the circle cutting orthogonal these circles

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 3y - 7 = 0, x^2 + y^2 + 5x - 5y + 9 = 0 \quad \text{and}$$

$$x^2 + y^2 + 7x - 9y + 29 = 0 \text{ is:}$$



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81. If two circles $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + 2g'x + 2f'y = 0$ touch each other then $f'g = fg'$.



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82. A and B are two fixed points and P moves so that $PA = nPB$. Show that locus of P is a circle and for different values of n all the circles have a common radical axis.



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83. Show that the difference of the squares of the tangents to two coplanar circles from any point P in the plane of the circles varies as the perpendicular from P on their radical axis. Also, prove that the locus of a point such that the difference of the squares of the tangents from it to two given circles is constant is a line parallel to their radical axis.



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84. Find the radical centre of circles

$$x^2 + y^2 + 3x + 2y + 1 = 0, x^2 + y^2 - x + 6y + 5 = 0 \text{ and } x^2 + y^2 + 5x$$

. Also find the equation of the circle cutting them orthogonally.

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85. Find the radical centre of three circles described on the three sides $4x - 7y + 10 = 0, x + y - 5 = 0$ and $7 + 4y - 15 = 0$ of a triangle as diameters.

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86. If the quadrilateral formed by the lines

$$ax + by + c = 0, a'x + b'y + c = 0, ax + by + c' = 0, a'x + b'y + c' = 0$$

has perpendicular diagonals, then $b^2 + c^2 = b'^2 + c'^2$

$$c^2 + a^2 = c'^2 + a'^2 \quad a^2 + b^2 = a'^2 + b'^2 \quad \text{(d) none of these}$$

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87. Find the equation of the system of circles co-axial with the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 2y + 1 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 6y - 6 = 0$. Also, find the equation of that particular circle whose center lies on the radical axis.



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88. Prove that the tangents from any point of a fixed circle of co-axial system to two other fixed circles of the system are in a constant ratio.



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89. If A, B, C, be the centres of three co-axial circles and t_1, t_2, t_3 be the lengths of the tangents of them any point, prove that

$$\overline{BC} \cdot t_1^2 + \overline{CA} \cdot t_2^2 + \overline{AB} \cdot t_3^2 = 0$$



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90. Find the coordinates of the limiting points of the system of circles determined by the two circles

$$x^2 + y^2 + 5x + y + 4 = 0 \text{ and } x^2 + y^2 + 10x - 4y - 1 = 0$$



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91. If the origin be one limiting point of system of co-axial circles of which

$$x^2 + y^2 + 3x + 4y + 25 = 0 \text{ is a member, find the other limiting point.}$$



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92. The lines joining the origin to the point of intersection of

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + c = 0 \text{ and } x^2 + y^2 + 2fy - c = 0 \text{ are at right angles}$$

if



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93. Find the radical axis of co-axial system of circles whose limiting points are $(-1,2)$ and $(2,3)$.

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94. Find the equation of the circle which passes through the origin and belongs to the co-axial of circles whose limiting points are $(1,2)$ and $(4,3)$.

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95. The equation of the image of the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 16x - 24y + 183 = 0$ by the line mirror $4x + 7y + 13 = 0$ is :

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96. If two distinct chords, drawn from the point (p, q) on the circle $x^2 + y^2 = px + qy$ (where $pq \neq q$) are bisected by the x-axis, then

A. $|p| = |q|$

B. $p^2 = 8q^2$

C. $p^2 < 8q^2$

D. $p^2 > 8q^2$

Answer: D



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97. The values of λ for which the circle

$x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 5 + \lambda(x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 7) = 0$ dwindles into a point are

A. $1 \pm \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}$

B. $2 \pm \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$

C. $2 \pm \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{3}$

D. $1 \pm \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{3}$

Answer: C

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98. If $f(x+y)=f(x).f(y)$ for all x and y , $f(1)=2$ and $\alpha_n = f(n)$, $n \in N$, then the equation of the circle having (α_1, α_2) and (α_3, α_4) as the ends of its one diameter is

A. $(x - 2)(x - 8) + (y - 4)(x - 16) = 0$

B. $(x - 4)(x - 8) + (y - 2)(x - 16) = 0$

C. $(x - 2)(x - 16) + (y - 4)(y - 8) = 0$

D. $(x - 6)(x - 8) + (y - 5)(y - 6) = 0$

Answer: A

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99. Two circles of radii a and b touching each other externally, are inscribed in the area bounded by $y = \sqrt{1 - x^2}$ and the x -axis. If $b = \frac{1}{2}$, then a is equal to

A. $\frac{1}{4}$

B. $\frac{1}{8}$

C. $\frac{1}{2}$

D. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

Answer: A



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100. There are two circles whose equations are $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 6y + n^2 = 0, n \in \mathbb{Z}$. If the two circles have exactly two common tangents, then the number of possible values of n is

A. 2

B. 7

C. 8

D. 9

Answer: D



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101. Suppose $f(x,y)=0$ is the equation of a circle such that $f(x,1)=0$ has equal roots (each equal to 2) and $f(1,x)=0$ also has equal roots (each equal to zero). The equation of circle is

A. $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 3 = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 + 4y + 3 = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 3 = 0$

D. $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 3 = 0$

Answer: $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 3 = 0$



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102. A variable circle C has the equation $x^2 + y^2 - 2(t^2 - 3t + 1)x - 2(t^2 + 2t)y + t = 0$, where t is a parameter. The locus of the centre of the circle is

- A. $\left(\frac{1}{10}, -\frac{1}{10}\right)$
- B. $\left(\frac{1}{10}, \frac{1}{10}\right)$
- C. $\left(-\frac{1}{10}, \frac{1}{10}\right)$
- D. $\left(-\frac{1}{10}, -\frac{1}{10}\right)$

Answer: Hence, required ordered pair is $\left(-\frac{1}{10}, \frac{1}{10}\right)$



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103. If the radii of the circles $(x - 1)^2 + (y - 2)^2 + (y - 2)^2 = 1$ and $(-7)^2 + (y - 10)^2 = 4$ are increasing uniformly w.r.t. time as 0.3 units/s and 0.4 unit/s, respectively, then at what value of t will they touch each other?

A. 45s

B. 90s

C. 11s

D. 135s

Answer: $\Rightarrow t=10$ or $t=90$ " " [$\because t > 0$]



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104. 18) A light ray gets reflected from the $x=-2$. If the reflected ray touches the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ and point of incident is $(-2,-4)$, then equation of incident ray is A) $4y + 3x + 22 = 0$ B) $3y + 4x + 20 = 0$ C) $4y + 2x + 20 = 0$ D) $y+x+6=0$

A. $4y + 3x + 22 = 0$

B. $3y + 4x + 20 = 0$

C. $4y + 2x + 20 = 0$

D. $y + x + 6 = 0$

Answer: $4y+3x+22=0$



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105. If a circle having centre at (α, β) radius r completely lies with in two lines $x+y=2$ and $x+y=-2$, then, $\min. (|\alpha + \beta + 2|, |\alpha + \beta - 2|)$ is

A. greater than $\sqrt{2}r$

B. less than $\sqrt{2}r$

C. greater than $2r$

D. less than $2r$

Answer: or $\min. \{|\alpha + \beta + 2|, |\alpha + \beta - 2|\} > \sqrt{2}r$



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106. If point $P(x, y)$ is called a lattice point if $x, y \in I$. Then the total number of lattice points in the interior of the circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2, a \neq 0$

can not be:

A. 202

B. 203

C. 204

D. 205

Answer: \therefore Number of such points must be of the form $4n+1$, where $n=0,1,2,\dots$



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107. Let x and y be real variables satisfying $x^2 + y^2 + 8x - 10y - 40 = 0$.

Let $a = \max \left\{ \sqrt{(x+2)^2 + (y-3)^2} \right\}$ and

$b = \min \left\{ \sqrt{(x+2)^2 + (y-3)^2} \right\}$. Then $a + b = 18$ (b) $a + b = \sqrt{2}$

$a - b = 4\sqrt{2}$ (d) $ab = 73$

A. $a+b=18$

B. $a - b = 4\sqrt{2}$

C. $a + b = 4\sqrt{2}$

D. $a \cdot b = 73$

Answer: $\therefore a + b = 18, a - b = 4\sqrt{2}, ab = 73$



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108. The equation of tangents drawn from the origin to the circle

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2rx - 2hy + h^2 = 0$$

A. $x=0$

B. $y=0$

C. $(h^2 - r^2)x - 2rhy = 0$

D. $(h^2 - r^2)x + 2rhy = 0$

Answer: $(h^2 - r^2)x - 2rhy = 0$



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109. Point M moves on the circle $(x - 4)^2 + (y - 8)^2 = 20$. Then it breaks away from it and moving along a tangent to the circle, cuts the x-axis at the point (-2,0). The co-ordinates of a point on the circle at which the moving point broke away is

A. $\left(\frac{42}{5}, \frac{36}{5}\right)$

B. $\left(-\frac{2}{5}, \frac{44}{5}\right)$

C. (6,4)

D. (2,4)

Answer: Therefore, the points are (6,4) and $\left(-\frac{2}{5}, \frac{44}{5}\right)$



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110. The equation of four circles are $(x \pm a)^2 + (y \pm a)^2 = a^2$. The radius of a circle touching all the four circles is (a) $(\sqrt{2} + 2)a$ (b) $2\sqrt{2}a$ (c) $(\sqrt{2} + 1)a$ (d) $(2 + \sqrt{2})a$

A. $(\sqrt{2} - 1)a$

B. $2\sqrt{2}a$

C. $(\sqrt{2} + 1)a$

D. $(2 + \sqrt{2})a$

Answer: $= a\sqrt{2} + a = a(\sqrt{2} + 1)$

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111. Consider the relation $4l^2 - 5m^2 + 6l + 1 = 0$, where $l, m \in R$.

The line $lx+my+1=0$ touches a fixed circle whose equation is

A. $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 5 = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 6 = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 4 = 0$

D. $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 4 = 0$

Answer: $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 4 = 0$

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112. Consider the relation $4l^2 - 5m^2 + 6l + 1 = 0$, where $l, m \in R$

The number of tangents which can be drawn from the point $(2,-3)$ to the above fixed circle are

A. $\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{2}\right)$

B. $\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{4}{3}\right)$

C. $\left(-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\right)$

D. $\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{2}\right)$

Answer: \therefore Fixed point is $\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{-5}{2}\right)$

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113. Consider the relation $4l^2 - 5m^2 + 6l + 1 = 0$, where $l, m \in R$

The number of tangents which can be drawn from the point $(2,-3)$ to the

above fixed circle are

- A. 0
- B. 1
- C. 2
- D. 1 or 2

Answer: Therefore, point (2,-3) lies outside the circle from which two tangents can draw.



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114. If α – chord of a circle be that chord which subtends an angle α at the centre of the circle.

If $x+y=1$ is α -chord of $x^2 + y^2 = 1$, then α is equal to

- A. $\frac{\pi}{6}$
- B. $\frac{\pi}{4}$
- C. $\frac{\pi}{2}$

D. $\frac{3\pi}{4}$

Answer: $\alpha = \frac{\pi}{2}$



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115. Let α chord of a circle be that chord of the circle which subtends an angle α at the center.

If the slope of a $\pi/3$ chord of $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ is 1, then its equation is

A. $x - y + \sqrt{6} = 0$

B. $x - y + \sqrt{3} = 0$

C. $x - y - \sqrt{3} = 0$

D. $x - y - 2\sqrt{3} = 0$

Answer: $x - y \pm \sqrt{6} = 0$



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116. Let α chord of a circle be that chord of the circle which subtends an angle α at the center.

The distance of $2\pi/3$ chord of $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 4y + 1 = 0$ from the center is

A. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

B. 1

C. $\sqrt{2}$

D. 2

Answer: $OM = 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = 1$

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117. A circle with center in the first quadrant is tangent to $y=x+10, y=x-6$ and the Y-axis. Let (p, q) be the centre of the circle. If the value of $(p + q) = a + b\sqrt{a}$ when $a, b \in \mathbb{Q}$, then the value of $|a-b|$ is

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118. If the circle $x^2 + y^2 + (3 + \sin \beta)x + 2 \cos \alpha y = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + 2 \cos \alpha x + 2cy = 0$ touch each other, then the maximum value of c is

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119. C_1 is a circle of radius 2 touching X-axis and Y-axis. C_2 is another circle of radius greater than 2 and touching the axes as well as the circle C_1

Statement I Radius of Circle $C_2 = \sqrt{2}(\sqrt{2} + 1)(\sqrt{2} + 2)$

Statement II Centres of both circles always lie on the line $y=x$.

- A. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is a correct explanation for Statement I
- B. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is not a correct explanation for Statement I
- C. Statement I is true, Statement II is false

D. Statement I is false, Statement II is true

Answer: \therefore Statements I is true and Statements II is always not true
(where circles in II of IV quadrants)

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120. From the point $P(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{6})$, tangents PA and PB are drawn to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$. Statement 1 : The area of quadrilateral $OAPB$ (O being the origin) is 4. Statement 2 : The area of square is a^2 , where a is the length of side.

A. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is a correct

explanation for Statement I

B. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is not a correct

explanation for Statement I

C. Statement I is true, Statement II is false

D. Statement I is false, Statement II is true

Answer: \therefore Both statements are true and statement II is correct explanation of statement. I



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121. Find the equation of the circle having the lines $x^2 + 2xy + 3x + 6y = 0$ as its normal and having size just sufficient to contain the circle $x(x - 4) + y(y - 3) = 0$



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122. Let a circle be given by $2x(x - 1) + y(2y - b) = 0$, ($a \neq 0$, $b \neq 0$).

Find the condition on a and b if two chords each bisected by the x-axis, can be drawn to the circle from $\left(a, \frac{b}{2}\right)$



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123. Let C_1 and C_2 be two circles with C_2 lying inside C_1 circle C lying inside C_1 touches C_1 internally and externally. Identify the locus of the centre of C



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124. A circle of constant radius a passes through the origin O and cuts the axes of coordinates at points P and Q . Then the equation of the locus of the foot of perpendicular from O to PQ is

$$(x^2 + y^2) \left(\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2} \right) = 4a^2 \qquad (x^2 + y^2)^2 \left(\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2} \right) = a^2$$

$$(x^2 + y^2)^2 \left(\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2} \right) = 4a^2 \qquad (x^2 + y^2) \left(\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2} \right) = a^2$$



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125. The circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 4y + 4 = 0$ is inscribed in a triangle which has two of its sides along the coordinate axes. The locus of the circumcenter of the triangle is $x + y - xy + k(x^2 + y^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} = 0$. Find k .



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126. P is variable point on the line $y = 4$. tangents are drawn to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ from the points touch it at A and B. The parallelogram PAQB be completed.If locus of Q is $(y + a)(x^2 + y^2) = by^2$, the value of $a + b$ is:

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127. Show that the circumcircle of the triangle formed by the lines $ax+by+c=0, bx+cy+a=0$ and $cx+ay+b=0$ passes through the origin if $(b^2 + c^2)(c^2 + a^2)(a^2 + b^2) = abc(b + c)(c + a)(a + b)$.

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128. If four points P, Q, R, S in the plane be taken and the square of the length of the tangents from P to the circle on QR as diameter be denoted

by $\{P, QR\}$, show that

$$\{P, RS\} - \{P, QS\} + \{Q, PR\} - \{Q, RS\} = 0$$

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129. Let T_1, T_2 and be two tangents drawn from $(-2, 0)$ onto the circle $C: x^2 + y^2 = 1$. Determine the circles touching C and having T_1, T_2 as their pair of tangents. Further, find the equations of all possible common tangents to these circles when taken two at a time

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130. Find the equation of the circle of minimum radius which contains the three cricles

$$x^2 - y^2 - 4y - 5 = 0$$

$$x^2 + y^2 + 12x + 4y + 31 = 0 \text{ and}$$

$$x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 12y + 36 = 0$$

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131. Find the point P on the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y + 9 = 0$ such that
(i) $\angle POX$ is minimum (ii) OP is maximum, where O is the origin and OX is the x-axis.

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132. The circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 8y + 16 = 0$ rolls up the tangent to it at $(2 + \sqrt{3}, 3)$ by 2 units, assuming the x-axis as horizontal, find the equation of the circle in the new position.

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133. Find the intervals of the values of a for which the line $y + x = 0$ bisects two chords drawn from the point $\left(\frac{1 + \sqrt{2}a}{2}, \frac{1 - \sqrt{2}a}{2}\right)$ to the circle $2x^2 + 2y^2 - (1 + \sqrt{2}a)x - (1 - \sqrt{2}a)y = 0$

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134. A ball moving around the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y - 20 = 0$ in anti-clockwise direction leaves it tangentially at the point P(-2,-2). After getting reflected from a straight line, it passes through the centre of the circle. Find the equation of the straight line if its perpendicular distance from P is $5/2$. You can assume that the angle of incidence is equal to the angle of reflection.



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135. Find the limiting points of the circles $(x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + c) + \lambda(x^2 + y^2 + 2fy + d) = 0$ and show that the square of the distance between them is

$$\frac{(c - d)^2 - 4f^2g + 4cf^2 + 4dg^2}{f^2 + g^2}$$



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136. One vertex of a triangle of given species is fixed and another moves along circumference of a fixed circle. Prove that the locus of the remaining vertex is a circle and find its radius.



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Exercise For Session 1

1. If $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2ay + a + 3 = 0$ represents the real circle with nonzero radius, then find the values of a .

A. $a \in (-\infty, -1)$

B. $a \in (-1, 2)$

C. $a \in (2, \infty)$

D. $a \in (-\infty, -1) \cup (2, \infty)$

Answer: D



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2. If the equation $px^2 + (2 - q)xy + 3y^2 - 6qx + 30y + 6q = 0$ represents a circle, then find the values of $p + q$

A. 5

B. 13

C. 25

D. 41

Answer: A



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3. Find the equation of the circle with centre $(2, 2)$ and passing through the point $(4, 5)$.

A. $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 4y - 5 = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 4y - 5 = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 13 = 0$

D. $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 4y + 5 = 0$

Answer: B



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4. One of the diameters of the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 12x + 4y + 6 = 0$ is given by

A. $x+y=0$

B. $x+3y=0$

C. $x=y$

D. $3x+2y=0$

Answer: B



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5. If the lines $3x - 4y + 4 = 0$ and $6x - 8y - 7 = 0$ are tangents to a circle, then find the radius of the circle.

A. $\frac{3}{2}$

B. 3

C. $\frac{5}{2}$

D. 5

Answer: A



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6. Area of the circle in which a chord of length $\sqrt{2}$ makes an angle $\frac{\pi}{2}$ at the centre,

A. $\frac{\pi}{4}$

B. $\frac{\pi}{2}$

C. π

D. 2π

Answer: C



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7. The lines $2x - 3y - 5 = 0$ and $3x - 4y = 7$ are diameters of a circle of area $154(= 49\pi)$ sq. units, then the equation of the circle is

A. $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y - 62 = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y - 47 = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y - 62 = 0$

D. $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y - 47 = 0$

Answer: D



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8. If the lines $2x + 3y + 1 = 0$ and $3x - y - 4 = 0$ lie along diameters of a circle of circumference 10π , then the equation of the circle is

A. $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y - 23 = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y - 23 = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 2y - 23 = 0$

D. $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y - 23 = 0$

Answer: A



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9. An acute triangle PQR is inscribed in the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 25$. If Q and R have coordinates (3, 4) and (-4, 3) respectively, then find $\angle QPR$ in degree

A. 90

B. 60

C. 45

D. 30

Answer: C

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10. If a circle is concentric with the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y + 9 = 0$ and passes through the point $(-4, -5)$ then its equation is

A. $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 6y - 87 = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 6y + 87 = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y - 87 = 0$

D. $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y + 87 = 0$

Answer: C

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11. Let AB be a chord of the circle $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$ subtending a right angle at the center. Then the locus of the centroid of the $\triangle PAB$ as P moves on the circle is (1) A parabola (2) A circle (3) An ellipse (4) A pair of straight lines

A. a parabola

B. a circle

C. an ellipse

D. a pair of straight lines

Answer: B



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12. Let PQ and RS be tangents at the extremities of the diameter PR of a circle of radius r . If PS and RQ intersect at a point X on the circumference of the circle, then $2r$ equals

A. $\sqrt{PQ \cdot RS}$

B. $\frac{PQ + RS}{2}$

C. $\frac{2PQ \cdot RS}{PQ + RS}$

D. $\sqrt{\frac{(PQ)^2 + (RS)^2}{2}}$

Answer: A



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13. Find the centre and radius of circle $5x^2 + 5y^2 + 4x - 8y = 16$.

A. $\left(\frac{2}{5}, \frac{4}{5}\right)$

B. $\left(-\frac{2}{5}, \frac{4}{5}\right)$

C. 3

D. 2

Answer: B::D



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14. Prove that the centres of the circles $x^2 + y^2 = 1$, $x^2 + y^2 + 6x - 2y - 1 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 12x + 4y = 1$ are collinear

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15. Find the equation of the circle having $(1, -2)$ as its centre and passing through the intersection of the lines $3x + y = 14$ and $2x + 5y = 18$.

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16. Equation of circle passing through the centre of the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y - 8 = 0$ and being concentric with the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 8y - 5 = 0$ is

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17. Prove that the locus of the centre of the circle $\frac{1}{2}(x^2 + y^2) + x \cos \theta + y \sin \theta - 4 = 0$ is $x^2 + y^2 = 1$

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18. Find the equation of the following curves in cartesian form. If the curve is a circle find the centres and radii. (i)
 $x = -1 + 2 \cos \alpha, y = 3 + 2 \sin \alpha$.

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Exercise For Session 2

1. If the line $x + 2by + 7 = 0$ is a diameter of the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 2y = 0$, then find the value of b

A. 1

B. 3

C. 5

D. 7

Answer: C



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2. If one end of a diameter of the circle $2x^2 + 2y^2 - 4x - 8y + 2 = 0$ is $(-1,2)$, then the other end of the diameter is

A. (2,1)

B. (3,2)

C. (4,3)

D. (5,4)

Answer: B



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3. If a circle passes through the point $(0, 0)$, $(a, 0)$ and $(0, b)$, then find its center.

A. (a, b)

B. $\left(\frac{a}{2}, \frac{b}{2}\right)$

C. $\left(\frac{a}{2}, \frac{b}{4}\right)$

D. $\left(\frac{a}{4}, \frac{b}{2}\right)$

Answer: B



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4. A circle passes through the points $(-1, 3)$ and $(5, 11)$ and its radius is 5.

Then, its centre is

A. $(-5, 0)$

B. $(-5, 7)$

C. $(2, 7)$

D. (5,0)

Answer: C



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5. The radius of the circle, having centre at $(2, 1)$, whose one of the chord is a diameter of the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y + 6 = 0$

A. 3

B. 2

C. 1

D. $\sqrt{3}$

Answer: A



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6. The centre of circle inscribed in a square formed by lines $x^2 - 8x + 12 = 0$ and $y^2 - 14y + 45 = 0$ is (4, 7) (7, 4) (9, 4) (4, 9)

A. (4,7)

B. (7,4)

C. (9,4)

D. (4,9)

Answer: A



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7. $ABCD$ is a square in first quadrant whose side is a , taking AB and AD as axes, prove that the equation to the circle circumscribing the square is $x^2 + y^2 = a(x + y)$.

A. $x^2 + y^2 + ax - ay = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 - ax + ay = 0$

$$C. x^2 + y^2 - ax - ay = 0$$

$$D. x^2 + y^2 + ax - ay = 0$$

Answer: C



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8. The locus of the centre of the circle for which one end of the diameter is (3,3) while the other end lies on the line $x+y=4$ is

A. $x+y=3$

B. $x+y=5$

C. $x+y=7$

D. $x+y=9$

Answer: B



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9. The equation of the circle which passes through $(1, 0)$ and $(0, 1)$ and has its radius as small as possible, is

A. $x^2 + y^2 + x + y = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 - x + y = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 + x - y = 0$

D. $x^2 + y^2 - x - y = 0$

Answer: D



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10. find the value of 'c' if the points $(2,0)$, $(0,1)$, $(4,5)$ and $(0,c)$ are concyclic

A. 1

B. -1

C. $\frac{14}{3}$

D. $\frac{-14}{3}$

Answer: C



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11. The point on a circle nearest to the point $P(2, 1)$ is at a distance of 4 units and the farthest point is $(6, 5)$. Then find the equation of the circle.

A. $(3 + \sqrt{2}, 2 + \sqrt{2})$

B. $(2 + \sqrt{2}, 3 + \sqrt{2})$

C. $(4 + \sqrt{2}, 3 + \sqrt{2})$

D. $(3 + \sqrt{2}, 4 + \sqrt{2})$

Answer: C



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12. The intercept on line $y = x$ by circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x = 0$ is AB. Find equation of circle with AB as a diameter.

A. $x^2 + y^2 - x - y = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 - x + y = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 + x + y = 0$

D. $x^2 + y^2 + x - y = 0$

Answer: A

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13. Find the equation of the circle the end point of whose diameter are (2,-3) and (2,4). Find its centre and radius.

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14. If (4, 1) be an end of a diameter of the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 6y - 15 = 0$, find the coordinates of the other end of the diameter.

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15. The sides of a rectangle are given by the equations $x=-2$, $x = 4$, $y=-2$ and $y=5$. Find the equation of the circle drawn on the diagonal of this rectangle as its diameter.

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16. Find the equation(s) of circle passing through the points $(1, 1)$, $(2, 2)$ and whose radius is 1 unit

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17. Find the equation of the circle which passes through the points $(3,4)$, $(3,-6)$ and $(1,2)$.

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Exercise For Session 3

1. Find the length of intercept, the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 10x - 6y + 9 = 0$ makes on the x-axis.

A. 2

B. 4

C. 6

D. 8

Answer: D



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2. The circle $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 7y + 12 = 0$ cuts an intercept on y-axis equal to

A. 1

B. 3

C. 5

D. 7

Answer: A



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3. Find the locus of the centre of a circle which passes through the origin and cuts off a length $2l$ from the line $x = c$.

A. $y^2 + 2cx = b^2 + c^2$

B. $x^2 + cx = b^2 + c^2$

C. $y^2 + 2cy = b^2 = b^2 + c^2$

D. $x^2 + cy = b^2 + c^2$

Answer: A



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4. If a straight line through $C(\sqrt{-8}, \sqrt{8})$ make an angle 135° with the x-axis, cuts the circle $x = 5 \cos \theta, y = 5 \sin \theta$ in points A and B, find length of segment AB.

A. 3

B. 5

C. 8

D. 10

Answer: D



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5. If a circle of constant radius $3c$ passes through the origin and meets the axes at A and B , prove that the locus of the centroid of ABC is a circle of radius $2c$.

A. $x^2 + y^2 = k^2$

B. $x^2 + y^2 = 2k^2$

C. $x^2 + y^2 = 3k^2$

D. $x^2 + y^2 = 4k^2$

Answer: D



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6. Centre of the circle touching y-axis at (0,3) and making an intercept 2 units on positive X-axis is

A. $(10, \sqrt{3})$

B. $(\sqrt{3}, 10)$

C. $(\sqrt{10}, 3)$

D. $(3, \sqrt{10})$

Answer: C

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7. A circle passes through the points $A(1, 0)$ and $B(5, 0)$, and touches the y -axis at $C(0, h)$. If $\angle ACB$ is maximum, then $h = 3\sqrt{5}$ (b) $h = 2\sqrt{5}$
 $h = \sqrt{5}$ (d) $h = 2\sqrt{10}$

A. $|\lambda| = \sqrt{5}$

B. $|\lambda| = 2\sqrt{5}$

C. $|\lambda| = 3\sqrt{5}$

D. $|\lambda| = 4\sqrt{5}$

Answer: A

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8. Equation of circle whose centre is $(3, -1)$ and which cut off an intercept of length 6 unit from the line : $2x - 5y + 18 = 0$ is:

A. $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 2y - 28 = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 + 6x - 2y - 28 = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 2y + 24 = 0$

D. $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y - 12 = 0$

Answer: A



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9. The locus of the centre of a circle which touches externally the circle

$x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 6y + 14 = 0$ and also touches Y-axis, is given by the

equation (a) $x^2 - 6x - 10y + 14 = 0$ (b) $x^2 - 10x - 6y + 14 = 0$ (c) $y^2 - 6x - 10y + 14 = 0$ (d)

$y^2 - 10x - 6y + 14 = 0$

A. $x^2 + 6x - 10y + 14 = 0$

B. $x^2 - 10x - 6y + 14 = 0$

C. $y^2 - 6x - 10y + 14 = 0$

D. $y^2 - 10x - 6y + 14 = 0$

Answer: D



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10. Locus of centre of a circle of radius 2, which rolls on the outside of circle $x^2 + y^2 + 3x - 6y - 9 = 0$ is

A. $x^2 + y^2 + 3x - 6y - 5 = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 + 3x - 6y - 31 = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 + 3x - 6y - 11 = 0$

D. $x^2 + y^2 + 3x - 6y - 36 = 0$

Answer: B



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11. The point $\begin{pmatrix} p + 1 \\ p \end{pmatrix}$ is lying inside the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 15 = 0$.

Then the set of all values of p is (where $[.]$ represents the greatest integer

function) $[-2, 3)$ (b) $(-2, 3)$ $[-2, 0) \cup (0, 3)$ (d) $[0, 3)$

A. $[-2, 3]$

B. $(-2, 3)$

C. $[-2, 3) \cup (0, 3)$

D. $[0, 3)$

Answer: A



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12. Find the greatest distance of the point $P(10, 7)$ from the circle

$$x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 2y - 20 = 0$$

A. 5

B. 10

C. 15

D. 20

Answer: C

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13. Find the equations of the circles touching y-axis at (0,3) and making an intercept of 8 units on the x-axis.

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14. Show that the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2ax - 2ay + a^2 = 0$ touches both the coordinate axes.

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15. If the points $(\lambda, -\lambda)$ lies inside the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 2y - 8 = 0$, then find the range of λ .

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16. Find the equation of the circle which passes through the origin and cuts off chords of lengths 4 and 6 on the circle concentric with the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 12y + 15 = 0$ and double of its area.



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Exercise For Session 4

1. Find the length of the chord cut-off by $y = 2x + 1$ from the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 2$

A. $\frac{5}{6}$

B. $\frac{6}{5}$

C. $\frac{6}{\sqrt{5}}$

D. $\frac{\sqrt{5}}{6}$

Answer: C



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2. The line $3x - 4y = k$ will cut the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 8y - 5 = 0$ at distinct points if

- A. $-10 < \lambda < 5$
- B. $9 < \lambda < 20$
- C. $-35 < \lambda < 15$
- D. $-16 < \lambda < 30$

Answer: C



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3. If the line $3x - 4y - \lambda = 0$ touches the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 8y - 5 = 0$ at (a, b) then which of the following is not the possible value of $\lambda + a + b$?

- A. -22

B. - 20

C. 20

D. 22

Answer: C



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4. Locus of mid points of chords to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 6y + 20 = 0$ which are parallel to the line $3x + 4y + 5 = 0$ is

A. (1,-2)

B. (-1,2)

C. (3,4)

D. (3,-4)

Answer: D

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5. If a circle, whose centre is $(-1,1)$ touches the straight line $x+2y = 12$, then the co-ordinates of the point of contact are

A. $\left(-\frac{7}{2}, -4\right)$

B. $\left(\frac{6}{5}, \frac{27}{5}\right)$

C. $(2,-7)$

D. $(-2,-5)$

Answer: B

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6. The area of the triangle formed by the tangent at the point (a, b) to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$ and the coordinate axes, is

A. $\frac{r^4}{2ab}$

B. $\frac{r^2}{2|ab|}$

C. $\frac{r^2}{ab}$

D. $\frac{r^4}{|ab|}$

Answer: B



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7. The equation of the tangent of the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 4y + 4 = 0$ which make equal intercepts on the positive coordinate axes, is
 $x + y = 2$ $x + y = 2\sqrt{2}$ $x + y = 4$ $x + y = 8$

A. $x+y=2$

B. $x + y = 2\sqrt{2}$

C. $x+y=4$

D. $x+y=8$

Answer: B

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8. If $a > 2b > 0$, then find the positive value of m for which $y = mx - b\sqrt{1 + m^2}$ is a common tangent to $x^2 + y^2 = b^2$ and $(x - a)^2 + y^2 = b^2$.

A. $\frac{2b}{\sqrt{(a^2 - 4b^2)}}$

B. $\frac{\sqrt{(a^2 - 4b^2)}}{2b}$

C. $\frac{2b}{a - 2b}$

D. $\frac{b}{a - 2b}$

Answer: A

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9. The angle between a pair of tangents from a point P to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 8y + 9 = 0$ is $\frac{\pi}{3}$. Find the equation of the locus of the point P.

A. 5

B. 6

C. 7

D. 8

Answer: D



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10. The normal at the point (3, 4) on a circle cuts the circle at the point (-1,-2). Then the equation of the circle is

A. $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y - 13 = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y - 11 = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2y + 12 = 0$

D. $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y + 14 = 0$

Answer: B

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11. The line $ax + by + c = 0$ is a normal to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$. The portion of the line $ax + by + c = 0$ intercepted by this circle is of length

A. \sqrt{r}

B. r

C. r^2

D. $2r$

Answer: D

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12. If the straight line $ax + by = 2$; $a, b \neq 0$, touches the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x = 3$ and is normal to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4y = 6$, then the values of 'a' and 'b' are ?

A. (1,3)

B. (3,1)

C. (1,2)

D. (2,1)

Answer: A



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13. Show that the for all values of θ , $x \sin \theta - y = \cos \theta = a$ touches the circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$



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14. Find the equation of the tangents to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4 = 0$ which are (i) parallel (ii) perpendicular to the line $3x-4y-1=0$



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15. Find the equation of the family of circles touching the lines $x^2 - y^2 + 2y - 1 = 0$.

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16. The line $4y - 3x + \lambda = 0$ touches the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 8y - 5 = 0$ then $\lambda =$

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17. Show that the area of the triangle formed by the positive x-axis and the normal and tangent to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ at $(1, \sqrt{3})$ is $2\sqrt{3}$

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Exercise For Session 5

1. If the tangent at the point on the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 6y = 2$ meets the straight line $5x - 2y + 6 = 0$ at a point Q on the y-axis then the length of PQ is

A. 4

B. $2\sqrt{5}$

C. 5

D. $3\sqrt{5}$

Answer: C



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2. If the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ is touched by $y = x$ at P such that $OP = 6\sqrt{2}$, then the value of c is 36 (b) 144 (c) 72 (d) none of these

A. 36

B. 72

C. 144

D. 288

Answer: B



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3. The chord of contact of tangents from a point P to a circle passes through Q . If l_1 and l_2 are the length of the tangents from P and Q to the circle, then PQ is equal to $\frac{l_1 + l_2}{2}$ (b) $\frac{l_1 - l_2}{2}$ $\sqrt{l_1^2 + l_2^2}$ (d) $2\sqrt{l_1^2 + l_2^2}$

A. $\frac{l_1 + l_2}{2}$

B. $\frac{l_1 - l_2}{2}$

C. $\sqrt{(l_1^2 + l_2^2)}$

D. $\sqrt{(l_1^2 - l_2^2)}$

Answer: C



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4. If the chord of contact of tangents from a point (x_1, y_1) to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ touches the circle $(x - a)^2 + y^2 = a^2$, then the locus of (x_1, y_1) is

- A. a circle
- B. a parabola
- C. an ellipse
- D. hyperbola

Answer: D



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5. The locus of the mid point of a chord of the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ which subtends a right angle at the origin is

A. $x+y=1$

B. $x^2 + y^2 = 1$

C. $x+y=2$

D. $x^2 + y^2 = 2$

Answer: D



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6. The length of tangents from $P(1,-1)$ and $Q(3,3)$ to a circle are $\sqrt{2}$ and $\sqrt{6}$ respectively, then the length of tangent from $R(-2,7)$ to the same circle is

A. $\sqrt{41}$

B. $\sqrt{51}$

C. $\sqrt{61}$

D. $\sqrt{71}$

Answer: D



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7. If the angle between the tangents drawn to $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ from $(0, 0)$ is $\frac{\pi}{2}$, then $g^2 + f^2 = 3c$

$$g^2 + f^2 = 2c \quad g^2 + f^2 = 5c \quad g^2 + f^2 = 4c$$

A. $g^2 + f^2 = 3c$

B. $g^2 + f^2 = 2c$

C. $g^2 + g^2 = 5c$

D. $g^2 + f^2 = 4c$

Answer: B



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8. The chords of contact of the pair of tangents drawn from each point on the line $2x + y = 4$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ pass through the point (a,b) then (a,b) is

A. (2,4)

B. $\left(-\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{4}\right)$

C. $\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}\right)$

D. $(-2, -4)$

Answer: C



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9. The length of the tangent from (0, 0) to the circle $2(x^2 + y^2) + x - y + 5 = 0$, is

A. $\sqrt{5}$

B. $\sqrt{\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)}$

C. $\frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}$

D. $\sqrt{2}$

Answer: B



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10. Two perpendicular tangents to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ meet at P.

Then the locus of P has the equation

A. $x^2 + y^2 = 2a^2$

B. $x^2 + y^2 = 3a^2$

C. $x^2 + y^2 = 4a^2$

D. $x^2 + y^2 = 5a^2$

Answer: A



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11. The tangents to $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ having inclinations α and β intersect at P . If $\cot \alpha \cot \beta = 0$, then find the locus of P .

A. $x+y=0$

B. $x-y=0$

C. $xy=0$

D. $xy=1$

Answer: C



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12. The exhaustive range of value of a such that the angle between the pair of tangents drawn from (a, a) to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y - 6 = 0$ lies in the range $\left(\frac{\pi}{3}, \pi\right)$ is

A. $(-1,3)$

B. $(-5, -3) \cup (3, 5)$

C. $(-3, 5)$

D. $(-3, -1) \cup (3, 5)$

Answer: D



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13. If the distances from the origin of the centers of three circles $x^2 + y^2 + 2\lambda x - c^2 = 0$, ($i = 1, 2, 3$), are in GP, then prove that the lengths of the tangents drawn to them from any point on the circle $x^2 + y^2 = c^2$ are in GP.



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14. find the area of the quadrilateral formed by a pair of tangents from the point $(4,5)$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 2y - 11 = 0$ and pair of its radii.

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15. If the length of the tangent from a point (f, g) to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ be four times the length of the tangent from it to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4x$, show that $15f^2 + 15g^2 - 64f + 4 = 0$

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16. Find the equation of that chord of the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 15$, which is bisected at the point $(3, 2)$

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17. The chords of contact of the pair of tangents to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ drawn from any point on the line $2x + y = 4$ pass through the point (α, β) then find $\alpha^2 + \beta^2$.

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Exercise For Session 6

1. The point of tangency of the circles $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 8y - 4 = 0$, is

- A. touch each other internally
- B. touch each other externally
- C. cuts each other at two points
- D. None of these

Answer: A



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2. Find the number of common tangents that can be drawn to the circles $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y - 3 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 2y + 1 = 0$

- A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

Answer: C



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3. If one of the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 2ax + c = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + 2bx + c = 0$ lies within the other, then

A. $ab > 0, c > 0$

B. $ab > 0, c < 0$

C. $ab < 0, c > 0$

D. $ab < 0, c < 0$

Answer: A



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4. Find the condition that the circle $(x - 3)^2 + (y - 4)^2 = r^2$ lies entirely within the circle $x^2 + y^2 = R^2$.

A. $R + r \leq 7$

B. $R^2 + r^2 < 49$

C. $R^2 - r^2 < 25$

D. $R - r > 5$

Answer: D

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5. Find the condition if the circle whose equations are $x^2 + y^2 + c^2 = 2ax$ and $x^2 + y^2 + c^2 - 2by = 0$ touch one another externally.

A. $\frac{1}{b^2} + \frac{1}{c^2} + \frac{1}{a^2}$

$$\text{B. } \frac{1}{c^2} + \frac{1}{a^2} = \frac{1}{b^2}$$

$$\text{C. } \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} = \frac{1}{c^2}$$

$$\text{D. } \frac{1}{b^2} + \frac{1}{c^2} + \frac{2}{a^2}$$

Answer: C



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6. Two circles of radii r_1 and r_2 , $r_1 > r_2 \geq 2$ touch each other externally.

If θ be the angle between the direct common tangents, then,

$$\text{A. } \theta = \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{r_1 + r_2}{r_1 - r_2} \right)$$

$$\text{B. } \theta = 2 \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{r_1 - r_2}{r_1 + r_2} \right)$$

$$\text{C. } \theta = \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{r_1 - r_2}{r_1 + r_2} \right)$$

D. None of these

Answer: B



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7. The two circles $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 10x + 16 = 0$ intersect at two distinct points. Then

- A. $r < 2$
- B. $r > 8$
- C. $2 < r < 8$
- D. $2 \leq r \leq 8$

Answer: C

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8. If the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 22y + c = 0$ bisects the circumference of the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 8y - d = 0$, then $(c + d)$ is equal to

- A. 40
- B. 50

C. 60

D. 70

Answer: B



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9. Two circle $x^2 + y^2 = 6$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 8 = 0$ are given. Then the equation of the circle through their points of intersection and the point

(1, 1) is $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 4 = 0$ $x^2 + y^2 - 3x + 1 = 0$
 $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 2 = 0$ none of these

A. $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 4 = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 - 3x + 1 = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 2 = 0$

D. $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 1 = 0$

Answer: B



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10. The equation of the circle described on the common chord of the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 2x = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + 2y = 0$ as diameter, is

A. $x^2 + y^2 + x - y = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 - x + y = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 - x - y = 0$

D. $x^2 + y^2 + x + y = 0$

Answer: D

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11. The equation of the diameter of the circle $3(x^2 + y^2) - 2x + 6y - 9 = 0$ which is perpendicular to the line $2x + 3y = 12$ is

A. $3x - 2y + 3 = 0$

B. $3x-2y-3=0$

C. $3x-2y+1=0$

D. $3x-2y-1=0$

Answer: B



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12. consider two curves $ax^2 + 4xy + 2y^2 + x + y + 5 = 0$ and $ax^2 + 6xy + 5y^2 + 2x + 3y + 8 = 0$ these two curves intersect at four cocyclic points then find out a

A. -6

B. -4

C. 4

D. 6

Answer: B

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13. Find the equation of the circle passing through (1,1) and the points of intersection of the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 13x - 3y = 0$ and $2x^2 + 2y^2 + 4x - 7y - 25 = 0$

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14. Show that the common chord of the circles $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 4y + 9 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 6y + 23 = 0$ passes through the centre of the second circle and find its length.

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15. Prove that the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 2ax + 2by = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + 2a_1x + 2b_1y = 0$ touch each other if, ab_1, a_1b .

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16. The point of intersection of common transverse tangents of two circles $x^2 + y^2 - 24x + 2y + 120 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + 20x - 6y - 116 = 0$ is



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Exercise For Session 7

1. Find the angle at which the circles $x^2 + y^2 + x + y = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + x - y = 0$ intersect.

A. $\pi/6$

B. $\pi/4$

C. $\pi/3$

D. $\pi/2$

Answer: D



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2. If the circles of same radius a and centers at $(2, 3)$ and $(5, 6)$ cut orthogonally, then find a .

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

Answer: C



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3. If the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 2ky + 6 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + 2ky + k = 0$ intersect orthogonally then k equals

A. 2 or $-\frac{3}{2}$

B. -2 or $-\frac{3}{2}$

C. 2 or $\frac{3}{2}$

D. -2 or $\frac{3}{2}$

Answer: A



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4. If a circle passes through the point (a,b) and cuts the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ orthogonally, then the locus of its centre is

A. $2ax + 2by + (a^2 + b^2 + 4) = 0$

B. $2ax + 2by - (a^2 + b^2 + 4) = 0$

C. $2ax - 2by + (a^2 + b^2 + 4) = 0$

D. $2ax - 2by - (a^2 + b^2 + 4) = 0$

Answer: D



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5. The locus of the centre of the circle which cuts orthogonally the circle

$$x^2 + y^2 - 20x + 4 = 0 \text{ and which touches } x=2 \text{ is}$$

A. $x^2 = 16y$

B. $x^2 = 16y + 4$

C. $y^2 = 16x$

D. $y^2 = 16x + 4$

Answer: C



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6. The equation of a circle which cuts the three circles

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 4y + 1 = 0, x^2 + y^2 - x - 4y + 8 = 0 \quad \text{and}$$

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 6y + 9 = 0 \text{ orthogonally is}$$

A. $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y + 1 = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 4y + 1 = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 4y + 1 = 0$

D. $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y - 1 = 0$

Answer: A



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7. Find the equation of the radical axis of circles

$x^2 + y^2 + x - y + 2 = 0$ and $3x^2 + 3y^2 - 4x - 12 = 0$

A. $2x^2 + 2y^2 - 5x + y - 14 = 0$

B. $7x - 3y + 18 = 0$

C. $5x - y + 14 = 0$

D. None of these

Answer: B



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8. The radius centre of the circles

$x^2 + y^2 = 1$, $x^2 + y^2 + 10y + 24 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 15 = 0$ is

A. (2,5/2)

B. (-2,5/2)

C. (-2,-5/2)

D. (2,-5/2)

Answer: D



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9. If (1, 2) is a limiting point of a coaxial system of circles containing the circle $x^2 + y^2 + x - 5y + 9 = 0$, then the equation of the radical axis, is

A. $x - 9y + 4 = 0$

B. $3x - y + 4 = 0$

C. $x+3y-4=0$

D. $9x+y-4=0$

Answer: B



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10. The limiting points of the system of circles represented by the equation $2(x^2 + y^2) + \lambda x + \frac{9}{2} = 0$, are

A. $\left(\pm \frac{3}{2}, 0 \right)$

B. $(0, 0)$ and $\left(\frac{9}{2}, 0 \right)$

C. $\left(\pm \frac{9}{2}, 0 \right)$

D. $(\pm 3, 0)$

Answer: A



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11. One of the limiting points of the co-axial system of circles containing the circles $x^2 + y^2 - 4 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - x - y = 0$ is

A. $(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2})$

B. $(-\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2})$

C. $(-\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{2})$

D. None of these

Answer: D



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12. The point (2,3) is a limiting point of a co-axial system of circles of which $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ is a member. The coordinates of the other limiting point is given by

A. $\left(\frac{18}{13}, \frac{27}{13}\right)$

B. $\left(\frac{9}{13}, \frac{6}{13}\right)$

C. $\left(\frac{18}{13} - \frac{27}{13}\right)$

D. $\left(-\frac{18}{13} - \frac{9}{13}\right)$

Answer: A



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13. Two circles are drawn through the points $(a, 5a)$ and $(4a, a)$ to touch the y-axis. Prove that they intersect at angle $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{40}{9}\right)$.



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14. Find the equation of the circle which cuts orthogonally the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 4y - 3 = 0$, passes through $(3, 0)$ and touches the axis of y.



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15. Tangents are drawn to the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 6y - 19 = 0$, $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ from any point on the line $2x+3y=5$. Prove that their lengths are equal.



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16. Find the coordinates of the point from which the lengths of the tangents to the following three circles be equal $3x^2 + 3y^2 + 4x - 6y - 1 = 0$, $2x^2 + 2y^2 - 3x - 2y - 4 = 0$ and $2x^2 + 2y^2 - 3x - 2y - 4 = 0$ and $2x^2 + 2y^2 - 3x - 2y - 4 = 0$



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17. Find the equation of a circle which is co-axial with the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 2y + 1 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - x + 3y - \frac{3}{2} = 0$ and having its centre on the radical axis of these circles.



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18. Find the radical axis of a co-axial system of circles whose limiting points are (1,2) and (3,4).



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Exercise Single Option Correct Type Questions

1. The sum of the square of length of the chord intercepted by the line $x+y=n, n \in N$ on the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ is $p/11$

A. 11

B. 22

C. 33

D. None of these

Answer: B



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2. Tangents are drawn to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 50$ from a point "P" lying on the x-axis. These tangents meet the y-axis at points ' P_1 , ' and ' P_2 . Possible co-ordinates of 'P' so that area of triangle PP_1P_2 is minimum is/are -

- A. (10,0)
- B. $(10\sqrt{2}, 0)$
- C. $(-10\sqrt{2}, 0)$
- D. $(10\sqrt{3}, 0)$

Answer: A

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3. Equation of chord AB of the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 2$ passing through $P(2, 2)$ such that $\frac{PB}{PA} = 3$, is given by

- A. $x=3y$

B. $x=y$

C. $y - 2 = \sqrt{3}(x - 2)$

D. $y - 3 = \sqrt{3}(x - 1)$

Answer: B



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4. If r_1 and r_2 are the radii of the smallest and the largest circles, respectively, which pass through $(5, 6)$ and touch the circle

$(x - 2)^2 + y^2 = 4$, then $r_1 r_2$ is $\frac{4}{41}$ (b) $\frac{41}{4}$ $\frac{5}{41}$ (d) $\frac{41}{6}$

A. $\frac{4}{41}$

B. $\frac{41}{4}$

C. $\frac{5}{41}$

D. $\frac{41}{5}$

Answer: B

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5. Equation of a circle $S(x,y)=0$, $(S(2,3)=16)$ which touches the line $3x+4y-7=0$ at $(1,1)$ is given by

A. $x^2 + y^2 + x + 2y - 5 = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 2y - 7 = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y + 13 = 0$

D. $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 6y - 7 = 0$

Answer: A

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6. If $P(2,8)$ is an interior point of a circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 4y - \lambda = 0$ which neither touches nor intersects the axes, then set for λ is

A. $(-\infty, -1)$

B. $(-\infty, -4)$

C. $(96, \infty)$

D. ϕ

Answer: D



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7. The difference between the radii of the largest and smallest circles which have their centres on the circumference of the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 4y - 4 = 0$ and passes through point (a,b) lying outside the circle is :

A. 6

B. $\sqrt{(a + 1)^2 + (b + 2)^2}$

C. 3

D. $\sqrt{(a + 1)^2 + (b + 2)^2} - 3$

Answer: A



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8. The number of rational point(s) [a point (a, b) is called rational, if a and b both are rational numbers] on the circumference of a circle having center (π, e) is at most one (b) at least two exactly two (d) infinite

A. atmost one

B. atleast two

C. exactly two

D. infinite

Answer: A



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9. Three sides of a triangle have equations

$$L_i \equiv y - m_i x = 0; i = 1, 2 \text{ and } 3. \text{ Then } L_1 L_2 + \lambda L_2 L_3 + \mu L_3 L_1 = 0$$

where $\lambda \neq 0, \mu \neq 0$, is the equation of the circumcircle of the triangle if

$$1 + \lambda + \mu = m_1 m_2 + \lambda m_2 m_3 + \mu m_3 m_1$$

$$m_1(1 + \mu) + m_2(1 + \lambda) + m_3(\mu + \lambda) = 0$$

$$\frac{1}{m_3} + \frac{1}{m_2} + \frac{1}{m_1} = 1 + \lambda + \mu \text{ none of these}$$

A. $\lambda(m_2 + m_3) + \mu(m_3 + m_1) + \nu(m_1 + m_2) = 0$

B. $\lambda(m_2 m_3 - 1) + \mu(m_3 m_1 - 1) + \nu(m_1 m_2 - 1) = 0$

C. Both (a) and (b)

D. None of the above

Answer: C



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10. $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 + 2ax + 2by + c = 0$ represents a circle. If

$f(x, 0) = 0$ has equal roots, each being 2, and $f(0, y) = 0$ has 2 and 3

as its roots, then the center of the circle is $\left(2, \frac{5}{2}\right)$ (b) Data are not sufficient $\left(-2, -\frac{5}{2}\right)$ (d) Data are inconsistent

A. $\left(2, \frac{5}{2}\right)$

B. Data are not consistent

C. $\left(-2, -\frac{5}{2}\right)$

D. Data are inconsistent

Answer: B



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11. If $(1 + ax)^n = 1 + 8x + 24x^2 + \dots$ and a line through (a, n) cuts the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ in A and B , then $PA \cdot PB =$. (A) 4 (B) 16 (C) 8 (D) none of these

A. 4

B. 8

C. 16

D. 32

Answer: C



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12. A region in the $x - y$ plane is bounded by the curve $y = \sqrt{25 - x^2}$ and the line $y = 0$. If the point $(a, a + 1)$ lies in the interior of the region, then $a \in (-4, 3)$ (b) $a \in (-\infty, -1) \cup (3, \infty)$ $a \in (-1, 3)$
(d) none of these

A. $a \in (-4, 3)$

B. $a \in (-\infty, -1) \cup (3, \infty)$

C. $a \in (-1, 3)$

D. None of these

Answer: C



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13. $S(x,y)=0$ represents a circle. The equation $S(x,2)=0$ gives two identical solutions $x=1$ and the equation $S(1,y)=0$ gives two distinct solutions $y=0,2$ then the equation of the circle is

A. $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y + 1 = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2y + 1 = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y - 1 = 0$

D. $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y + 1 = 0$

Answer: D



14. Let $0 < \alpha < \frac{\pi}{2}$ be a fixed angle. If

$P = (\cos \theta, \sin \theta)$ and $Q(\cos(\alpha - \theta))$, then Q is obtained from P by

A. clockwise rotation around origin through an angle α

B. anit-clockwise rotation around origin through an angle α

C. reflection in the line through origin with slope $\tan \alpha$

D. reflection in the line through origin which slope $\tan\left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right)$

Answer: D



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15. Find the number of point (x, y) having integral coordinates satisfying the condition $x^2 + y^2 < 25$

A. 69

B. 80

C. 81

D. 77

Answer: A



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16. The point $\left(\begin{matrix} P + 1 \\ P \end{matrix} \right)$ (where $[\cdot]$ denotes the greatest integer function), lying inside the region bounded by the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 15 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 7 = 0$, then :

A. $P \in [-1, 0) \cup [0, 1) \cup [1, 2)$

B. $P \in [-1, 2) - \{0, -1\}$

C. $P \in (-1, 2)$

D. None of these

Answer: D



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17. A point P lies inside the circles $x^2 + y^2 - 4 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 7 = 0$. The point P starts moving such that it is always inside the circles, its path encloses greatest

possible area and it is at a fixed distance from an arbitrarily chosen point in its region. The locus of P is.

A. $4x^2 + 4y^2 - 12x + 1 = 0$

B. $4x^2 + 4y^2 + 12x + 1 = 0$

C. $4x^2 + 4y^2 - 3x - 2 = 0$

D. $4x^2 + 4y^2 - 3x + 2 = 0$

Answer: D



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18. The set of values of 'c' so that the equations

$y = |x| + c$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 8|x| - 9 = 0$ have no solution is

A. $(-\infty, -3) \cup (3, \infty)$

B. $(-3, 3)$

C. $(-\infty, -5\sqrt{2}) \cup (5\sqrt{2}, \infty)$

$$D. (-\infty, -4 - 5\sqrt{2}) \cup (5\sqrt{2} - 4, \infty)$$

Answer: D



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19. If a line segment $AM = a$ moves in the plane XOY remaining parallel to OX so that the left endpoint A slides along the circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$, then the locus of M .

A. $x^2 + y^2 = 4a^2$

B. $x^2 + y^2 = 2ax$

C. $x^2 + y^2 = 2ay$

D. $x^2 + y^2 - 2ax - 2ay = 0$

Answer: B



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20. Show that the four points of intersection of the lines : $(2x - y + 1)$

$(x-2y+3) = 0$, with the axes lie on a circle and find its centre.

A. $\left(-\frac{7}{4}, \frac{5}{4}\right)$

B. $\left(\frac{3}{4}, \frac{5}{4}\right)$

C. $\left(\frac{9}{4}, \frac{5}{4}\right)$

D. $\left(0, \frac{5}{4}\right)$

Answer: A



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21. Find the number of integral values of λ for which $x^2 + y^2 + \lambda x + (1 - \lambda)y + 5 = 0$ is the equation of a circle whose radius does not exceed 5.

A. 14

B. 18

C. 16

D. None of these

Answer: C



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22. Let $\phi(x, y) = 0$ be the equation of a circle. If $\phi(0, \lambda) = 0$ has equal roots $\lambda = 2, 2f$ and $\phi(\lambda, 0) = 0$ has roots $\lambda = \frac{4}{5}, 5$ then the centre of the circle is

A. $\left(2, \frac{29}{10}\right)$

B. $\left(\frac{29}{10}, 2\right)$

C. $\left(-2, \frac{29}{10}\right)$

D. None of these

Answer: B



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23. Find the locus of the point of intersection of tangents to the circle $x = a \cos \theta, y = a \sin \theta$ at the points whose parametric angles differ by $(i) \frac{\pi}{3}$,

A. $x^2 + y^2 = 4(2 - \sqrt{3})r^2$

B. $3(x^2 + y^2) = 1$

C. $x^2 + y^2 = (2 - \sqrt{3})r^2$

D. $3(x^2 + y^2) = 4r^2$

Answer: D



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24. One of the diameter of a circle circumscribing the rectangle ABCD is $4y = x + 7$, If A and B are the points $(-3, 4)$ and $(5, 4)$ respectively, then the area of rectangle is

A. 16 sq units

B. 24 sq units

C. 32 sq units

D. None of these

Answer: C



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25. A, B, C and D are the points of intersection with the coordinate axes of the lines $ax+by=ab$ and $bx+ay=ab$, then

A. A, B, C, D are concyclic

B. A, B, C, D form a parallelogram

C. A, B, C, D form a rhombus

D. None of the above

Answer: A



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26. α, β and γ are parametric angles of three points P, Q and R respectively, on the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ and A is the point $(-1, 0)$. If the lengths of the chords AP, AQ and AR are in GP, then $\frac{\cos \alpha}{2}, \frac{\cos \beta}{2}$ and $\frac{\cos \gamma}{2}$ are in

A. AP

B. GP

C. HP

D. None of these

Answer: B

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27. The equation of the circle passing through $(2, 0)$ and $(0, 4)$ and having minimum radius is

A. $x^2 + y^2 = 20$

B. $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y = 0$

C. $(x^2 + y^2 - 4) + \lambda(x^2 + y^2 - 16) = 0$

D. None of the above

Answer: B

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28. A circle of radius unity is centered at the origin. Two particles start moving at the same time from the point $(1, 0)$ and move around the circle in opposite directions. One of the particles moves anticlockwise with constant speed v and the other moves clockwise with constant speed $3v$. After leaving $(1, 0)$, the two particles meet first at a point P , and continue until they meet next at point Q . The coordinates of the point Q are

A. $(1, 0)$

B. (0,1)

C. (-1,0)

D. (0,-1)

Answer: C



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29. The circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ cuts the line joining the points $A(1, 0)$ and $B(3, 4)$ in two points P and Q . Let $BP/PA = \alpha$ and $BQ/QA = \beta$. Then α and β are roots of the quadratic equation

A. $x^2 + 2x + 7 = 0$

B. $3x^2 - 16x + 21 = 0$

C. $2x^2 + 3x - 27 = 0$

D. None of these

Answer: B

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30. The locus of the mid points of the chords of the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y - 12 = 0$ which subtend an angle of $\frac{\pi}{3}$ radians at its circumference is:

A. $(x + 2)^2 + (y + 3)^2 = 6.25$

B. $(x - 2)^2 + (y + 3)^2 = 6.25$

C. $(x + 2)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 18.75$

D. $(x + 2)^2 + (y + 3)^2 = 18.75$

Answer: A

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Exercise More Than One Correct Option Type Questions

1. If OA and OB are two perpendicular chords of the circle $r = a \cos \theta + b \sin \theta$ passing through origin, then the locus of the mid point of AB is :

A. $x^2 + y^2 = a + b$

B. $x = \frac{a}{2}$

C. $x^2 - y^2 = a^2 - b^2$

D. $y = \frac{b}{2}$

Answer: B::D



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2. If P and Q are two points on the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 6y - 3 = 0$ which are farthest and nearest respectively from the point $(7, 2)$ then.

A. $P \equiv (2 - 2\sqrt{2}, -3 - 2\sqrt{2})$

B. $Q \equiv (2 + 2\sqrt{2}, -3 + 2\sqrt{2})$

$$C. P \equiv (2 + 2\sqrt{2}, -3 + 2\sqrt{2})$$

$$D. Q \equiv (2 - 2\sqrt{2}, -3 + 2\sqrt{2})$$

Answer: C

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3. Find the equation of the circle which cuts each of the circles

$$x^2 + y^2 = 4, \quad x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 8y + 10 = 0 \quad \&$$

$x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 4y - 2 = 0$ at the extremities of a diameter

A. $c = -4$

B. $g + f = c = -1$

C. $g^2 + f^2 - c = 17$

D. $gf = 6$

Answer: A::B::C::D

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4. The possible value of λ ($\lambda > 0$) such that the angle between the pair of tangents from point $(\lambda, 0)$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ lies in interval $\left(\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{2\pi}{3}\right)$ is

A. $\left(\frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}, 2\sqrt{2}\right)$

B. $(0, \sqrt{2})$

C. (1,2)

D. $\left(-\frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$

Answer: A



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5. If a chord of the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 2y - c = 0$ is trisected at the points $\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}\right)$ & $\left(\frac{8}{3}, \frac{8}{3}\right)$, then 'c' equal to: 10 (b) 20 (c) 40 (d) none of these

A. $c=10$

B.

C. $c=20$

D. $c=15$

Answer: B::D



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6. From the point $A(0,3)$ on the circle $x^2 + 4x + (y - 3)^2 = 0$ a chord AB is drawn to a point such that $AM = 2AB$. The equation of the locus of M is

:-

A. $x^2 + 6x + (y - 2)^2 = 0$

B. $x^2 + 8x + (y - 3)^2 = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 + 8x - 6y + 9 = 0$

D. $x^2 + y^2 + 6x - 4y + 4 = 0$

Answer: B::C



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7. An equation of a circle touching the axes of coordinates and the line $x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha = 2$ can be

A. $x^2 + y^2 - 2gx - 2gy + g^2 = 0$, where $g = \frac{2}{(\cos \alpha + \sin \alpha + 1)}$

B. $x^2 + y^2 - 2gx - 2gy + g^2 = 0$, where $g = \frac{2}{(\cos \alpha + \sin \alpha - 1)}$

C. $x^2 + y^2 - 2gx - 2gy + g^2 = 0$, where $g = \frac{2}{(\cos \alpha - \sin \alpha + 1)}$

D. $x^2 + y^2 - 2gx - 2gy + g^2 = 0$, where $g = \frac{2}{(\cos \alpha - \sin \alpha - 1)}$

Answer: A::B::C::D



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8. If α is the angle subtended at $P(x_1, y_1)$ by the circle $S \equiv x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ then

$$\text{A. } \cot \alpha = \frac{\sqrt{S_1}}{\sqrt{(g^2 + f^2 - c)}}$$

$$\text{B. } \cot \frac{\alpha}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{S_1}}{\sqrt{(g^2 + f^2 - c)}}$$

$$\text{C. } \tan \alpha = \frac{2\sqrt{(g^2 + f^2 - c)}}{\sqrt{S_1}}$$

$$\text{D. } \alpha = 2 \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{(g^2 + f^2 - c)}}{\sqrt{S_1}} \right)$$

Answer: B::D



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9. The equation of the circle which touches the axes of coordinates and the line $\frac{x}{3} + \frac{y}{4} + 1 = 0$ and whose centres lie in the first quadrant is $x^2 + y^2 - 2cx - 2cy + c^2 = 0$, where c is equal to 4 (b) 2 (c) 3 (d) 6

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 6

Answer: A::D



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10. P is a point on the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ Q is a point on the line $7x + y + 3 = 0$. The perpendicular bisector of PQ is $x - y + 1 = 0$. Then the coordinates of P are:

A. (3,0)

B. $\left(\frac{72}{25}, -\frac{21}{25}\right)$

C. (0,3)

D. $\left(-\frac{72}{25}, \frac{21}{25}\right)$

Answer: A::D



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11. A circle passes through point $\left(3, \sqrt{\frac{7}{2}}\right)$ and touches the line-pair $x^2 - y^2 - 2x + 1 = 0$. Centre of circle lies inside the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 10y + 15 = 0$. Coordinates of centre of circle are given by (A) (4, 0) (B) (5, 0) (C) (6, 0) (D) (0, 4)

A. (4,0)

B. (4,2)

C. (6,0)

D. (7,9)

Answer: A::C



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12. The equation of a circle C_1 is $x^2 + y^2 = 4$. The locus of the intersection of orthogonal tangents to the circle is the curve C_2 and the locus of the intersection of perpendicular tangents to the curve C_2 is the curve C_3 , Then

A. C_3 is a circle

B. the area enclosed by the curve C_3 is 8π

C. C_2 and C_3 are circles with the same centre

D. None of the above

Answer: A::C



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13. The equation of a tangent to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ passing through $(-2,11)$ is

A. $4x+3y=25$

B. $3x+4y=38$

C. $24x-7y+125=0$

D. $7x+24y=230$

Answer: A::C

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14. Consider the circles $C_1 \equiv x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y - 4 = 0$ and $C_2 \equiv x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 4y + 4 = 0$ and the line $L \equiv x + 2y + 2 = 0$ then

- A. L is the radical axis of C_1 and C_2
- B. L is the common tangent of C_1 and C_2
- C. L is the common chord of C_1 and C_2
- D. L is perpendicular to the line joining centres of C_1 and C_2

Answer: A::C::D

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15. a square is inscribed in the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 10x - 6y + 30 = 0$. One side of the square is parallel to $y = x + 3$, then one vertex of the square is :



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Exercise Passage Based Questions

1. Consider with circle $S: x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 1 = 0$ and the line $L: y = 3x - 1$. If the line L cuts the circle at A and B then Length of the chord AB equal

- A. $\sqrt{5}$
- B. $\sqrt{10}$
- C. $2\sqrt{5}$
- D. $5\sqrt{2}$

Answer: B



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2. Consider the circle $S: x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 1 = 0$ and the line $L: y = 3x - 1$. If the line L cuts the circle at A & B. (i) Length of the chord AB equal (ii) The angle subtended by the chord AB in the minor arc of S is (iii). Acute angle between the line L and the circle S is

A. $\frac{\pi}{4}$

B. $\frac{2\pi}{3}$

C. $\frac{3\pi}{4}$

D. $\frac{5\pi}{6}$

Answer: C



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3. Consider the circle $S: x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 1 = 0$ and the line $L: y = 3x - 1$. If the line L cuts the circle at A & B. (i) Length of the chord AB equal (ii) The angle subtended by the chord AB in the minor arc of S is (iii). Acute angle between the line L and the circle S is

A. $\frac{\pi}{6}$

B. $\frac{\pi}{4}$

C. $\frac{\pi}{3}$

D. $\frac{\pi}{2}$

Answer: B



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4. P is a variable point of the line $L = 0$. Tangents are drawn to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ from P to touch it at Q and R. The parallelogram PQSR is completed. If $L = 2x + y - 6 = 0$, then the locus of circumcentre of $\triangle PQR$ is -

A. $2x - y = 4$

B. $2x + y = 3$

C. $x - 2y = 4$

D. $x + 2y = 3$

Answer: B



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5. P is a variable point on the line $L=0$. Tangents are drawn to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ from P to touch it at Q and R. The parallelogram PQSR is completed.

If $P=(6,8)$ then area of ΔQRS is $\frac{192}{25}\sqrt{\lambda}$ sq units. The value of λ is

A. 2

B. 3

C. 5

D. 6

Answer: D



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6. P is a variable point on the line $L=0$. Tangents are drawn to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ from P to touch it at Q and R. The parallelogram PQSR is completed.

If $p=(3,4)$, then the coordinates of S are

A. $\left(-\frac{46}{25}, \frac{63}{25}\right)$

B. $\left(-\frac{51}{25}, -\frac{68}{25}\right)$

C. $\left(-\frac{46}{25}, \frac{68}{25}\right)$

D. $\left(-\frac{68}{25}, \frac{51}{25}\right)$

Answer: B



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7. Equation of the circumcircle of a triangle formed by the lines

$L_1 = 0, L_2 = 0$ and $L_3 = 0$ can be written as

$L_1L_2 + \lambda L_2L_3 + \mu L_3L_1 = 0$, where λ and μ are such that coefficient of

$x^2 = \text{coefficient of } y^2 \text{ and coefficient of } xy = 0.$

$L_1L_2^2 + \lambda L_2L_3^2 + \mu L_1^2 = 0$ represents

A. a curve passing through point of intersection of

$$L_1 = 0, L_2 = 0 \text{ and } L_3 = 0$$

B. a circle is coefficient of $x^2 =$ coefficient of y^2 and coefficient of

$$xy = 0$$

C. a parabola

D. pair of straight lines

Answer: A



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8. Equation of the circumcircle of a triangle formed by the lines

$L_1 = 0, L_2 = 0$ and $L_3 = 0$ can be written as

$L_1L_2 + \lambda L_2L_3 + \mu L_3L_1 = 0$, where λ and μ are such that coefficient of

x^2 = coefficient of y^2 and coefficient of $xy=0$.

$L_1L_2^2 + \lambda L_2L_3^2 + \mu L_1^2 = 0$ represents

A. $\lambda L_1L_4 + \mu L_2L_3 = 0$

B. $\lambda L_1L_3 + \mu L_2L_4 = 0$

C. $\lambda L_1L_2 + \mu L_3L_4 = 0$

D. $\lambda L_1^2L_3 + \mu L_2^2L_4 = 0$

Answer: C



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9. Equation of the circumcircle of a triangle formed by the lines

$L_1 = 0, L_2 = 0$ and $L_3 = 0$ can be written as

$L_1L_2 + \lambda L_2L_3 + \mu L_3L_1 = 0$, where λ and μ are such that coefficient of

x^2 = coefficient of y^2 and coefficient of $xy=0$.

If $L_1L_2 + \lambda L_2L_3 + \mu L_3L_1 = 0$ is such that $\mu = 0$ and λ is non-zero, then it represents

A. a parabola

B. a pair of straight lines

C. a circle

D. an ellipse

Answer: B

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10. Give two circles intersecting orthogonally having the length of common chord $\frac{24}{5}$ units. The radius of one of the circles is 3 units.

The angle between direct common tangents is

A. 2

B. 4

C. 5

D. 6

Answer: B



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11. Give two circles intersecting orthogonally having the length of common chord $24/5$ units. The radius of one of the circles is 3 units.

The angle between direct common tangents is

A. $\frac{4}{5}$

B. $\frac{4\sqrt{6}}{25}$

C. $\frac{12}{25}$

D. $\frac{24}{25}$

Answer: B



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12. Given two circles intersecting orthogonally having the length of common chord $\frac{24}{5}$ unit. The radius of one of the circles is 3 units.

If length of direct common tangent is λ units, then λ^2 is

A. 12

B. 24

C. 36

D. 48

Answer: B



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13. Consider the two circles

$C_1: x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ and $C_2: x^2 + y^2 = b^2 (a > b)$ Let A be a fixed point

on the circle C_1 , say $A(a,0)$ and B be a variable point on the circle C_2 . The

line BA meets the circle C_2 again at C. 'O' being the origin.

If $(OA)^2 + (OB)^2 + (BC)^2 = \lambda$, then $\lambda \in$

A. $(b^2 + a^2, 5b^2 + a^2]$

B. $[4b^2, 4b^2 + a^2]$

C. $[4a^2, 4b^2]$

D. $[5b^2 - 3a^2, 5b^2 + 3a^2]$

Answer: A

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14. Consider the two circles

$C_1: x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ and $C_2: x^2 + y^2 = b^2 (a > b)$ Let A be a fixed point on the circle C_1 , say A(a,0) and B be a variable point on the circle C_2 . The line BA meets the circle C_2 again at C. 'O' being the origin.

The locus of the mid-point of AB is

A. $\left(x - \frac{a}{2}\right)^2 + y^2 = \frac{b^2}{4}$

B. $\left(x - \frac{a}{2}\right)^2 + y^2 = \frac{a^2}{4}$

C. $\left(x - \frac{b}{2}\right)^2 + y^2 = \frac{a^2}{4}$

$$D. \left(x - \frac{b}{2}\right)^2 + y^2 = \frac{b^2}{4}$$

Answer: A

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15. Consider the two circles $C_1: x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ and $C_2: x^2 + y^2 = b^2 (a > b)$. Let A be a fixed point on the circle C_1 , say A(a,0) and B be a variable point on the circle C_2 . The line BA meets the circle C_2 again at C. 'O' being the origin.

If $(BC)^2$ is maximum, then the locus of the mid-point of AB is

A. $x^2 + y^2 = b^2$

B. $x^2 + y^2 = (a + b)^2$

C. $x^2 + y^2 = (a - b)^2$

D. None of these

Answer: D

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16. Two variable chords AB and BC of a circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ are such that $AB = BC = a$. M and N are the midpoints of AB and BC, respectively, such that the line joining MN intersects the circles at P and Q, where P is closer to AB and O is the center of the circle.

$\angle OAB$ is

A. 15°

B. 30°

C. 45°

D. 60°

Answer: D



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17. Two variable chords AB and BC of a circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ are such that $AB = BC = a$. M and N are the midpoints of AB and BC, respectively,

such that the line joining MN intersects the circles at P and Q, where P is closer to AB and O is the center of the circle.

The locus of the points of intersection of tangents at A and C is

- A. 60°
- B. 90°
- C. 120°
- D. 150°

Answer: A



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18. Two variable chords AB and BC of a circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ are such that $AB = BC = a$. M and N are the midpoints of AB and BC, respectively, such that the line joining MN intersects the circles at P and Q, where P is closer to AB and O is the center of the circle.

The locus of the points of intersection of tangents at A and C is

A. $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$

B. $x^2 + y^2 = 2a^2$

C. $x^2 + y^2 = 4a^2$

D. $x^2 + y^2 = 8a^2$

Answer: C



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19. t_1, t_2, t_3 are lengths of tangents drawn from a point (h,k) to the circles $x^2 + y^2 = 4$, $x^2 + y^2 - 4 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 4y = 0$ respectively further, $t_1^4 = t_2^2 t_3^2 + 16$. Locus of the point (h,k) consist of a straight line L_1 and a circle C_1 passing through origin. A circle C_2 , which is equal to circle C_1 is drawn touching the line L_1 and the circle C_1 externally.

Equation of L_1 is

A. $x+y=0$

B. $x-y=0$

C. $2x+y=0$

D. $x+2y=0$

Answer: A



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20. t_1, t_2, t_3 are lengths of tangents drawn from a point (h,k) to the circles $x^2 + y^2 = 4$, $x^2 + y^2 - 4 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 4y = 0$ respectively further, $t_1^4 = t_2^2 + t_3^2 + 16$. Locus of the point (h,k) consist of a straight line L_1 and a circle C_1 passing through origin. A circle C_2 , which is equal to circle C_1 is drawn touching the line L_1 and the circle C_1 externally.

Equation of C_1 is

A. $x^2 + y^2 - x - y = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + y = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 - x + 2y = 0$

$$D. x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y = 0$$

Answer: D



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21. t_1, t_2, t_3 are lengths of tangents drawn from a point (h, k) to the circles $x^2 + y^2 = 4$, $x^2 + y^2 - 4 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 4y = 0$ respectively

further, $t_1^4 = t_2^2 t_3^2 + 16$. Locus of the point (h, k) consist of a straight line L_1 and a circle C_1 passing through origin. A circle C_2 , which is equal to circle C_1 is drawn touching the line L_1 and the circle C_1 externally.

The distance between the centres of C_1 and C_2 is

A. $\sqrt{2}$

B. 2

C. $2\sqrt{2}$

D. 4

Answer: C



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Exercise Single Integer Answer Type Questions

1. The point $(1, 4)$ are inside the circle $S: x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 10y + k = 0$.

What are the possible values of k if the circle S neither touches the axes nor cut them



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2. Consider the family of circles $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2\lambda - 8 = 0$ passing through two fixed points A and B . Then the distance between the points

A and B is _____



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3. If $C_1: x^2 + y^2 = (3 + 2\sqrt{2})^2$ be a circle. PA and PB are pair of tangents on C_1 where P is any point on the director circle of C_1 , then the radius of the smallest circle which touches C_1 externally and also the two tangents PA and PB is

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4. If a circle $S(x,y)=0$ touches the point (2,3) of the line $x+y=5$ and $S(1,2)=0$, then radius of such circle is $\frac{1}{\sqrt{\lambda}}$ units then the value of λ is.

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5. If real numbers x and y satisfy $(x + 5)^2 + (y - 12)^2 = 196$, then the maximum value of $(x^2 + y^2)^{\frac{1}{3}}$ is

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6. If the equation of circle circumscribing the quadrilateral formed by the lines in order are

$2x + 3y = 2$, $3x - 2y = 3$, $x + 2y = 3$ and $2x - y = 1$ is given by $x^2 + y^2 + \lambda x + \mu y + v = 0$. Then the value of $|\lambda + 2\mu + v|$ is

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7. A circle $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 2\sqrt{2}y + c = 0$ is the director circle of the circle S_1 and S_1 is the director circle of circle S_2 , and so on. If the sum of radii of all these circles is 2, then the value of c is $k\sqrt{2}$, where the value of k is _____

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8. The area bounded by circles $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$, $r = 1, 2$ and rays given by $2x^2 - 3xy - 2y^2 = 0$, is

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9. The length of a common internal tangent to two circles is 5 and that of a common external tangent is 13. If the product of the radii of two circles is λ , then the value of $\frac{\lambda}{4}$ is

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10. Consider a circle S with centre at the origin and radius 4. Four circles A , B , C and D each with radius unity and centres $(-3, 0)$, $(-1, 0)$, $(1, 0)$ and $(3, 0)$ respectively are drawn. A chord PQ of the circle S is drawn and passes through the centre of the circle C . If the length of this chord can be expressed as \sqrt{x} , find x .

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Exercise Statement I And II Type Questions

1. Statement I Only one tangent can be drawn from the point (1,3) to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$

Statement II Solving $\frac{|3 - m|}{\sqrt{(1 + m^2)}} = 1$ we get only one real value of m

- A. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is a correct explanation for Statement I
- B. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is not a correct explanation for Statement I
- C. Statement I is true, Statement II is false
- D. Statement I is false, Statement II is true

Answer: D



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2. Statement I Tangents cannot be drawn from the point $(1, \lambda)$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 4y = 0$

Statement II $(1 + 1)^2 + (\lambda - 2)^2 < 1^2 + 2^2$

- A. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is a correct explanation for Statement I
- B. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is not a correct explanation for Statement I
- C. Statement I is true, Statement II is false
- D. Statement I is false, Statement II is true

Answer: A



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3. Statement 1 : The number of circles passing through (1, 2), (4, 8) and (0, 0) is one. Statement 2 : Every triangle has one circumcircle

- A. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is a correct explanation for Statement I

B. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is not a correct explanation for Statement I

C. Statement I is true, Statement II is false

D. Statement I is false, Statement II is true

Answer: D

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4. Statement I Two tangents are drawn from a point on the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 50$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 25$, then angle between tangents is $\frac{\pi}{3}$

Statement II $x^2 + y^2 = 50$ is the director circle of $x^2 + y^2 = 25$.

A. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is a correct explanation for Statement I

B. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is not a correct explanation for Statement I

C. Statement I is true, Statement II is false

D. Statement I is false, Statement II is true

Answer: D



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5. Statement I Circles $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 5 = 0$ intersect each other at two distinct points

Statement II Circles with centres C_1, C_2 and radii r_1, r_2 intersect at two distinct points if $|C_1C_2| < r_1 + r_2$

A. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is a correct explanation for Statement I

B. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is not a correct explanation for Statement I

C. Statement I is true, Statement II is false

D. Statement I is false, Statement II is true

Answer: C



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6. Statement I The line $3x-4y=7$ is a diameter of the circle

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2y - 47 = 0$$

Statement II Normal of a circle always pass through centre of circle

- A. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is a correct explanation for Statement I
- B. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is not a correct explanation for Statement I
- C. Statement I is true, Statement II is false
- D. Statement I is false, Statement II is true

Answer: B



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7. Statement I A ray of light incident at the point $(-3,-1)$ gets reflected from the tangent at $(0,-1)$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$. If the reflected ray touches the circle, then equation of the reflected ray is $4y-3x=5$

Statement II The angle of incidence = angle of reflection i.e. $\angle i = \angle r$,

- A. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is a correct explanation for Statement I
- B. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is not a correct explanation for Statement I
- C. Statement I is true, Statement II is false
- D. Statement I is false, Statement II is true

Answer: B



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8. Statement 1 : The chord of contact of the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ w.r.t. the points (2, 3), (3, 5), and (1, 1) are concurrent. Statement 2 : Points (1, 1), (2, 3), and (3, 5) are collinear.

- A. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is a correct explanation for Statement I
- B. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is not a correct explanation for Statement I
- C. Statement I is true, Statement II is false
- D. Statement I is false, Statement II is true

Answer: A



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Exercise Subjective Type Questions

1. Find the equation of the circle passing through $(1, 0)$ and $(0, 1)$ and having the smallest possible radius.

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2. The equation of the circle which touches the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 6y + 17 = 0$ externally and to which the lines $x^2 - 3xy - 3x + 9y = 0$ are normals, is

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3. A line meets the coordinate axes at A and B. A circle is circumscribed about the triangle OAB. If the distance of the points A and B from the tangent at O, the origin, to the circle are m and n respectively, find the diameter of the circle.

A. $\frac{2m + n}{2}$

B. $(m + n)$

C. $\frac{mn}{m+n}$

D. $\frac{m+2n}{2}$

Answer: B

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4. Equation of a circle which passes through the point $(2, 0)$ and whose centre is the limit of the point of intersection of the lines $3x + 5y = 1$ and $(2 + \alpha)x + 5\alpha^2y = 1$ as α tends to 1 is

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5. Tangents are drawn from external point $P(6, 8)$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$ find the radius r of the circle such that area of triangle formed by the tangents and chord of contact is maximum is (A) 25 (B) 15 (C) 5 (D) none

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6. $2x - y + 4 = 0$ is a diameter of a circle which circumscribes a rectangle ABCD. If the coordinates of A, B are (4, 6) and (1, 9) respectively, find the area of this rectangle ABCD.

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7. Find the radius of the smallest circle which touches the straight line $3x - y = 6$ at $(- , - 3)$ and also touches the line $y = x$. Compute up to one place of decimal only.

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8. If the circle $C_1 : x^2 + y^2 = 16$ intersects another circle C_2 of radius 5 in such a manner that, the common chord is of maximum length and has a slope equal to $\frac{3}{4}$, then the co-ordinates of the centre of C_2 are:

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9. Let $2x^2 + y^2 - 3xy = 0$ be the equation of a pair of tangents drawn from the origin O to a circle of radius 3 with centre in the first quadrant. If A is one of the points of contact, then the length of OA is

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10. The circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ cuts the x -axis at P and Q . Another circle with center at Q and variable radius intersects the first circle at R above the x -axis and the line segment PQ at S . Find the maximum area of triangle QSR .

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11. If the lines $a_1x + b_1y + c_1 = 0$ and $a_2x + b_2y + c_2 = 0$ cut the coordinate axes at concyclic points, then prove that $|a_1a_2| = |b_1b_2|$

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12. The centre of the circle $S = 0$ lie on the line $2x - 2y + 9 = 0$ & $S = 0$ cuts orthogonally $x^2 + y^2 = 4$. Show that circle $S = 0$ passes through two fixed points & find their coordinates.

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13. Find the condition on a, b, c such that two chords of the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2ax - 2by + a^2 + b^2 - c^2 = 0$ passing through the point $(a, b + c)$ are bisected by the line $y = x$.

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14. Two straight lines rotate about two fixed points $(-a, 0)$ and $(a, 0)$ in anticlockwise direction. If they start from their position of coincidence such that one rotates at a rate double of the other, then locus of curve is

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15. The base AB of a triangle is fixed and its vertex C moves such that $\sin A = k \sin B$ ($k \neq 1$). Show that the locus of C is a circle whose centre lies on the line AB and whose radius is equal to $\frac{ak}{(1 - k^2)}$, a being the length of the base AB.

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16. Consider a curve $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 - 1 = 0$ and a point P not on the curve. A line is drawn from the point P intersects the curve at the points Q and R. If the product PQ.PR is independent of the slope of the line, then the curve is:

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17. Tangents drawn from the point $P(1, 8)$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 4y - 11 = 0$ touch the circle at the points A & B. If R is the radius of circum circle of triangle PAB then [R]-

A. $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y + 19 = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 10y + 19 = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 6y - 29 = 0$

D. $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 4y + 19 = 0$

Answer: B

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18. The centres of two circles C_1 and C_2 each of unit radius are at a distance of 6 unit from each other. Let P be the mid-point of the line segment joining the centres of C_1 and C_2 and C be a circle touching circles C_1 and C_2 externally. If a common tangent to C_1 and C passing through P is also a common tangent to C_2 and C, then the radius of the circle C, is

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19. If P and Q are the points of intersection of the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 3x + 7y + 2p5 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 2yp^2 = 0$, then there is a circle passing through P, Q and (1, 1) for (1) all values of p (2) all except one value of p (3) all except two values of p (4) exactly one value of p

- A. all except one value of p
- B. all except two values of p
- C. exactly one value of p
- D. all values of p

Answer: A



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20. If the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 8y - 5 = 0$ intersects the line $3x - 4y = m$ at two distinct points, then find the values of m .

A. $-35 < m < 15$

B. $15 < m < 65$

C. $35 < m < 85$

D. $-85 < m < -35$

Answer: A



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21. The circle passing through the point $(-1,0)$ and touching the y -axis at $(0,2)$ also passes through the point:

A. $\left(-\frac{3}{2}, 0\right)$

B. $\left(-\frac{5}{2}, 2\right)$

C. $\left(-\frac{3}{2}, \frac{5}{2}\right)$

D. $(-4,0)$

Answer: D

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22. The straight line $2x-3y = 1$ divides the circular region $x^2 + y^2 \leq 6$ into two parts. If $S = \left\{ \left(2, \frac{3}{4} \right), \left(\frac{5}{2}, \frac{3}{4} \right), \left(\frac{1}{4}, -\frac{1}{4} \right), \left(\frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{4} \right) \right\}$, then the number of point(s) in S lying inside the smaller part is

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23. The two circles $x^2 + y^2 = ax$ and $x^2 + y^2 = c^2 (c > 0)$ touch each other if : (1) $2|a| = c$ (2) $|a| = c$ (3) $a = 2c$ (4) $|a| = 2c$

A. $|a|=c$

B. $a=2c$

C. $|a|=2c$

D. $2|a|=c$

Answer: A

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24. The locus of the middle point of the chord of contact of tangents drawn from points lying on the straight line $4x - 5y = 20$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ is

A. $20(x^2 + y^2) - 36y + 45 = 0$

B. $20(x^2 + y^2) + 36x - 45y = 0$

C. $36(x^2 + y^2) - 20x + 45y = 0$

D. $36(x^2 + y^2) + 20x - 45y = 0$

Answer: A



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25. A tangent PT is drawn to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ at the point $P(\sqrt{3}, 1)$. A straight line L is perpendicular to PT is a tangent to the circle $(x - 3)^2 + y^2 = 1$ Common tangent of two circle is: (A) $x = 4$ (B) $y = 2$ (C) $x + (\sqrt{3})y = 4$ (D) $x + 2(\sqrt{2})y = 6$

A. $x - \sqrt{3}y = 1$

B. $x + \sqrt{3}y = 1$

C. $x - \sqrt{3}y = -1$

D. $x + \sqrt{3}y = 5$

Answer: A



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26. A tangent PT is drawn to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ at the point $P(\sqrt{3}, 1)$

. A straight line L is perpendicular to PT is a tangent to the circle

$(x - 3)^2 + y^2 = 1$ Common tangent of two circle is: (A) $x = 4$ (B) $y = 2$

(C) $x + (\sqrt{3})y = 4$ (D) $x + 2(\sqrt{2})y = 6$

A. $x=4$

B. $y=2$

C. $x + \sqrt{3}y = 4$

D. $x + 2\sqrt{2}y = 6$

Answer: D



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27. The length of the diameter of the circle which touches the x-axis at the point (1, 0) and passes through the point (2, 3) is (1) $\frac{10}{3}$ (2) $\frac{3}{5}$ (3) $\frac{6}{5}$ (4) $\frac{5}{3}$

A. $\frac{10}{3}$

B. $\frac{3}{5}$

C. $\frac{6}{5}$

D. $\frac{5}{3}$

Answer: A



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28. The circle passing through (1, -2) and touching the axis of x at (3, 0) also passes through the point (1) (2, -5) (2) (5, -2) (3) (-2, 5) (4) (-5, 2)

A. (-5,2)

B. (2,-5)

C. (5,-2)

D. (-2,5)

Answer: C



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29. Circle(s) touching x-axis at a distance 3 from the origin and having an intercept of length $2\sqrt{7}$ on y-axis is (are)

A. $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 8y + 9 = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 7y + 9 = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 8y + 9 = 0$

$$D. x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 7y + 9 = 0$$

Answer: A::C



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30. Let C be the circle with centre at (1, 1) and radius = 1. If T is the circle centred at (0, y), passing through origin and touching the circle C externally, then the radius of T is equal to (1) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{2}}$ (2) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ (3) $\frac{1}{2}$ (3) $\frac{1}{4}$

A. $\frac{1}{2}$

B. $\frac{1}{4}$

C. $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{2}}$

D. $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

Answer: B



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31. A circle S passes through the point (0, 1) and is orthogonal to the circles $(x - 1)^2 + y^2 = 16$ and $x^2 + y^2 = 1$. Then (A) radius of S is 8 (B) radius of S is 7 (C) center of S is (-7,1) (D) center of S is (-8,1)

A. radius of S is 8

B. radius of S is 7

C. centre of S is (-7,1)

D. centre of S is (-8,1)

Answer: B::C



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32. Locus of the image of the point (2, 3) in the line $(2x - 3y + 4) + k(x - 2y + 3) = 0, k \in R$, is a : (1) straight line parallel to x-axis. (2) straight line parallel to y-axis (3) circle of radius $\sqrt{2}$ (4) circle of radius $\sqrt{3}$

A. circle of radius $\sqrt{2}$

B. circle of radius $\sqrt{3}$

C. straight line parallel to X-axis

D. straight line parallel to Y-axis

Answer: A



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33. The number of common tangents to the circles $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y - 12 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 18y + 26 = 0$, is

A. 3

B. 4

C. 1

D. 2

Answer: A



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34. The centres of those circles which touch the circle, $x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 8y - 4 = 0$, externally and also touch the x-axis, lie on :
(1) a circle. (2) an ellipse which is not a circle. (3) a hyperbola. (4) a parabola.

A. a hyperbola

B. a parabola

C. a circle

D. an ellipse which is not a circle

Answer: B

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35. If one of the diameters of the circle, given by the equation, $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 6y - 12 = 0$, is a chord of a circle S, whose centre is at $(-3, 2)$, then the radius of S is : (1) $5\sqrt{2}$ (2) $5\sqrt{3}$ (3) 5 (4) 10

A. 5

B. 10

C. $5\sqrt{2}$

D. $5\sqrt{3}$

Answer: D



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36. Let RS be the diameter of the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$, where S is the point $(1, 0)$. Let P be a variable point (other than R and S) on the circle and tangents to the circle at S and P meet at the point Q . The normal to the circle at P intersects a line drawn through Q parallel to RS at point E . Then the locus of E passes through the point(s)- (A) $\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$ (B) $\left(\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$

(C) $\left(\frac{1}{3}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$ (D) $\left(\frac{1}{4}, -\frac{1}{2}\right)$

A. $\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$

B. $\left(\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$

C. $\left(\frac{1}{3}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$

D. $\left(\frac{1}{4}, -\frac{1}{2}\right)$

Answer: A::C



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37. For how many values, of p , the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 4y - p = 0$ and the coordinate axes have exactly three common points?



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Exercise Questions Asked In Previous 13 Years Exam

1. A circle is given by $x^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 1$, another circle C touches it externally and also the x-axis, then the locus of center is:

A. $\{(x, y) : x^2 = 4y\} \cup \{(x, y) : y \leq 0\}$

B. $\{(x, y) : x^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 4\} \cup \{(x, y) : y \leq 0\}$

C. $\{(x, y) : x^2 = y\} \cup \{(0, y) : y \leq 0\}$

D. $\{(x, y) : x^2 = 4y\} \cup \{(0, y) : y \leq 0\}$

Answer: D

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2. If the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 2ax + cy + a = 0$ and points P and Q , then find the values of a for which the line $5x + by - a = 0$ passes through P and Q .

A. exactly one value of a

B. no value of a

C. infinitely many values of a

D. exactly two values of a

Answer: B



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3. A circle touches the x -axis and also touches the circle with center $(0, 3)$ and radius 2. The locus of the center

- A. an ellipse
- B. a circle
- C. a hyperbola
- D. a parabola

Answer: D



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4. If a circle passes through the point (a, b) and cuts the circle $x^2 + y^2 = p^2$ equation of the locus of its centre is

A. $x^2 + y^2 - 3ax - 4by + (a^2 + b^2 - p^2) = 0$

B. $2ax + 2by - (a^2 - b^2 + p^2) = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 - 2ax - 3by + (a^2 - b^2 - p^2) = 0$

D. $2ax + 2by - (a^2 + b^2 + p^2) = 0$

Answer: D



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5. Let ABCD be a square of side length 2 units. C₂ is the circle through vertices A, B, C, D and C₁ is the circle touching all the sides of the square ABCD. L is a line through A. 27. If P is a point on C₁ and Q in another point on C₂, then $PA^2 + PB^2 + PC^2 + PD^2 + QA^2 + QB^2 + QC^2 + QD^2$ is equal to (A) 0.75 (B) 1.25 (C) 1 (D) 0.5

A. 0.75

B. 1.25

C. 1

D. 0.5

Answer: A

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6. ABCD is a square of side length 2 units. C_1 is the circle touching all the sides of the square ABCD and C_2 is the circumcircle of square ABCD. L is a fixed line in the same plane and R is fixed point. If a circle is such that it touches the line L and the circle C_1 externally, such that both the circles are on the same side of the line, then the locus of centre of the circle is

A. ellipse

B. hyperbola

C. parabola

D. pair of straight line

Answer: B

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7. ABCD is a square of side length 2 units. C_1 is the circle touching all the sides of the square ABCD and C_2 is the circumcircle of square ABCD. L is a fixed line in the same plane and R is fixed point.

A line L through a is drawn parallel to BD. Point S moves such that its distances from the line BD and the vertex A are equal. If locus S cuts L at T_2 and T_3 and AC at T_1 , then area of $\Delta T_1 T_2 T_3$ is

A. $\frac{1}{2}$ sq units

B. $\frac{2}{3}$ sq units

C. 1 sq units

D. 2 sq units

Answer: C



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8. If the lines $3x - 4y - 7 = 0$ and $2x - 3y - 5 = 0$ are two diameters of a circle of area 49π square units, the equation of the circle is:

A. $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y - 47 = 0$

B. $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y - 62 = 0$

C. $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2y - 62 = 0$

D. $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2y - 47 = 0$

Answer: D



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9. Let C be the circle with centre (0, 0) and radius 3 units. The equation of the locus of the mid points of the chords of the circle C that subtend an angle of $\frac{2\pi}{3}$ at its center is (A) $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{3}{2}$ (B) $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ (C) $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{27}{4}$ (D) $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{9}{4}$

A. $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{3}{2}$

B. $x^2 + y^2 = 1$

C. $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{27}{4}$

D. $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{9}{4}$

Answer: D



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10. Tangents are drawn from the point $(17, 7)$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 169$,
Statement I The tangents are mutually perpendicular Statement, IIs The
locus of the points from which mutually perpendicular tangents can be
drawn to the given circle is $x^2 + y^2 = 338$ (a) Statement I is correct,
Statement II is correct; Statement II is a correct explanation for
StatementI (b(Statement I is correct, Statement II| is correct Statement II
is not a correct explanation for StatementI (c)Statement I is correct,
Statement II is incorrect (d) Statement I is incorrect, Statement II is
correct

- A. Statement I is True, statement II is true, Statement II is a correct explanation for Statement I
- B. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is not a correct explanation for Statement I
- C. Statement I is true, Statement II is false
- D. Statement I is false, Statement II is true

Answer: A



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11. Consider a family of circles which are passing through the point $(-1, 1)$ and are tangent to x-axis. If (h, k) are the co-ordinates of the centre of the circles, then the set of values of k is given by the interval (1) $0 < k < 1$ (2) $k \geq 1$ (3) $0 < k \leq 1$ (4) $k \leq 1$

A. $-\frac{1}{2} \leq k \leq \frac{1}{2}$

B. $k \leq \frac{1}{2}$

$$\text{C. } 0 \leq k \leq \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{D. } k \geq \frac{1}{2}$$

Answer: D



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12. A circle C of radius 1 is inscribed in an equilateral triangle PQR. The points of contact of C with the sides PQ, QR, RP are D, E, F, respectively. The line PQ is given by the equation $\sqrt{3}x + y - 6 = 0$ and the point D is $(3\sqrt{3}/2, 3/2)$. Further, it is given that the origin and the centre of C are on the same side of the line PQ. (1)The equation of circle C is (2)Points E and F are given by (3)Equation of the sides QR, RP are

$$\text{A. } (x - 2\sqrt{3})^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 1$$

$$\text{B. } (x - 2\sqrt{3})^2 + \left(y + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$\text{C. } (x - \sqrt{3})^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 1$$

$$\text{D. } (x - \sqrt{3})^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 1$$

Answer: D



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- A. $\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\right), (\sqrt{3}, 0)$
- B. $\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right), (\sqrt{3}, 0)$
- C. $\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right), \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$
- D. $\left(\frac{3}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right), \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$

Answer: A



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14. A circle C of radius 1 is inscribed in an equilateral triangle PQR. The points of contact of C with the sides PQ, QR, RP are D, E, F, respectively. The line PQ is given by the equation $\sqrt{3}x + y - 6 = 0$ and the point D is $(3\sqrt{3}/2, 3/2)$. Further, it is given that the origin and the centre of C are on the same side of the line PQ. (1)The equation of circle C is (2)Points E and F are given by (3)Equation of the sides QR, RP are

A. $y = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}x + 1, y = -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}x - 1$

B. $y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}x, y = 0$

C. $y = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}x + 1, y = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}x - 1$

D. $y = \sqrt{3}x, y = 0$

Answer: D



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15. Consider: $L_1: 2x + 3y + p - 3 = 0$ $L_2: 2x + 3y + p + 3 = 0$ where p is a real number and $C: x^2 + y^2 + 6x - 10y + 30 = 0$ Statement 1 : If line L_1 is a chord of circle C , then line L_2 is not always a diameter of circle C . Statement 2 : If line L_1 is a diameter of circle C , then line L_2 is not a chord of circle C . Both the statements are True and Statement 2 is the correct explanation of Statement 1. Both the statements are True but Statement 2 is not the correct explanation of Statement 1. Statement 1 is True and Statement 2 is False. Statement 1 is False and Statement 2 is True.

- A. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is a correct explanation for Statement I
- B. Statement I is true, Statement II is true, Statement II is not a correct explanation for Statement I
- C. Statement I is true, Statement II is false
- D. Statement I is false, Statement II is true

Answer: C



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16. The point diametrically opposite to the point $P(1, 0)$ on the circle

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 4y - 3 = 0 \text{ is}$$

A. (3,-4)

B. (-3,4)

C. (-3,-4)

D. (3,4)

Answer: C



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