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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 3units 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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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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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. 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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15. Find the equation of the circle whose diameter is the line segment joining $(-4,3)$ and $(12,1)$. Find also the intercept made by it on y -axis.

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16. Find the equation of 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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17. 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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18. 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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19. A circle of radius 2 lies in the first quadrant and touches both the axes. Find the equation of the circle with centre at $(6, 5)$ and touching the above circle externally.



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20. 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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21. 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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22. The circle $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 10y + k = 0$ does not touch or intersect the coordinate axes, and the point $(1, 4)$ is inside the circle. Find the range of value of k .

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23. The shortest distance from the point $(2, -7)$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 14x - 10y - 151 = 0$ is equal to 5.

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

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

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26. 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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27. 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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28. 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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29. 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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30. 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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31. Prove that the circles $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 6y + 8 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 10x - 6y + 14 = 0$ touch at the point $(3,-1)$



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32. 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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33. The angle between a pair of tangents from a point P to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 16$ is $\frac{\pi}{3}$ and locus of P is $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$, then value of r is

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34. 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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35. Prove that the line $lx+my+n=0$ touches the circle $(x - a)^2 + (y - b)^2 = r^2$ if $(al + bm + n)^2 = r^2(l^2 + m^2)$

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36. 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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37. 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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38. 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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39. Find the equation of the normals to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 2y + 12 = 0$ at the point whose ordinate is -1



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



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41. 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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42. 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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43. 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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44. 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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45. Show that the length of the tangent from any point on the circle :

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0 \quad \text{to} \quad \text{the} \quad \text{circle}$$

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



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

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



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47. 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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48. If the pair of tangents are drawn from the point (4,5) to the circle

$$x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 2y - 11 = 0, \text{ then}$$

(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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49. 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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50. If the chord of contact of tangents drawn from a point (α, β) to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ subtends a right angle at the centre of the circle, then

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51. If the chord of contact of the tangents drawn from a point on the circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ 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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52. 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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53. 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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54. Through a fixed point (h,k) , secant 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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55. Find the locus of mid points of chords of the circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ which subtend angle 90° at the point $(c,0)$.

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56. 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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57. 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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58. 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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59. 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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60. 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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61. Prove that the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 2ax + c^2 = 0$ 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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63. 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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64. 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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65. 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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66. 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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67. 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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68. 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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69. 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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70. If the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 3y + 1 = 0$ cuts $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 3y + 2 = 0$ at A and B , then find the equation of the circle on AB as diameter.

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71. 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 points, then prove that $a-b/h = a'-b'/h'$

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72. Find the angle between the circles $S: x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 6y + 11 = 0$ and $S': x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 8y + 13 = 0$

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73. Show that the circles

$x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 4y + 4 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + x + 4y + 1 = 0$ cut orthogonally.



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74. Find the equation of the circle which cuts the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 5x + 7y - 4 = 0$ orthogonally, has its centre on the line $x=2$ and passes through the point $(4,-1)$.



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

$x^2 + y^2 - 6y + 1 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 4y + 1 = 0$

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



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76. The two circles which pass through $(0, a)$ and $(0, -a)$ and touch the line $y = mx + c$ will intersect each other at right angle if

$$a^2 = c^2(2m + 1) \quad a^2 = c^2(2 + m^2) \quad c^2 = a^2(2 + m^2) \quad (d)$$

$$c^2 = a^2(2m + 1)$$

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77. 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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78. If two circle

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy = 0 \text{ and } x^2 + y^2 + 2g'x + 2f'y = 0 \text{ touch each}$$

other then prove that $fg = f'g'$.

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79. 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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80. 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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81. If the quadrilateral formed by the lines $ax+bc+c=0$, $a'x+b'y+c=0$, $ax+by+c=0$, $a'x+b'y+c=0$ has perpendicular diagonal, then

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82. 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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83. 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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84. 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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85. 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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86. 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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87. 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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88. Find the radical axis of co-axial system of circles whose limiting points are (1,2) and (2,3).

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89. 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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90. Equation of circle symmetric to the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 16x - 24y + 183 = 0$ about the line $4x + 7y + 13 = 0$ is

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91. 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

$$p^2 = q^2 \text{ (b) } p^2 = 8q^2 \text{ (c) } p^2 < 8q^2 \text{ (d) } p^2 > 8q^2$$

A. $|p| = |q|$

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

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

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

Answer: $p^2 > 8q^2$



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92. 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: $\lambda = 2 \pm \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{3}$

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

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94. 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) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

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

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

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

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

Answer: $a = \frac{1}{4}$



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95. There are two circles whose equation 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) 8 (c) 9 (d) none of these

A. 2

B. 7

C. 8

D. 9

Answer: Hence, number of possible values of n is 9.

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96. 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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97. 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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98. 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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99. 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. $y + x + 6 = 0$

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



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100. 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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101. 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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102. 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

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

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

A. $a+b=18$

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

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

D. $a.b=73$

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

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

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2rx - 2hy + h^2 = 0 \text{ are}$$

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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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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105. 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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106. 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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107. 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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108. 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 drawn.



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

If $x + y = 1$ is a 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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110. 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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111. 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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112. 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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114. 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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115. 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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116. 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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117. 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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118. Let C_1 and C_2 be two circles with C_2 lying inside C_1 . A circle C lying inside C_1 touches C_1 internally and C_2 externally. Identify the locus of the centre of C .



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119. 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

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



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120. 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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121. 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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122. 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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123. 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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124. The minimum radius of the circle which contains the three circles, $x^2 + y^2 - 4y - 5 = 0$, $x^2 + y^2 + 12x + 4y + 31 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 12y + 36 = 0$ is

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125. 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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126. If the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 8y + 16 = 0$ rolls up the tangent to it at $(2 + \sqrt{3}, 3)$ by 2 units (assumes x-axis as horizontal), then the centre of the circle in the new position is

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127. 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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128. 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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129. 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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130. 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 and q .

A. 5

B. 13

C. 25

D. 41

Answer: B



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3. The equation of circle having centre at (2,2) and passes through the point (4,5) is

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 $2x - 3y = 5$ and $3x - 4y = 7$ are the diameters of a circle of area 154 sq. units. Then the equation of the circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y = 62$$

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y = 47$$

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2y = 47 \quad x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2y = 62$$

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 two diameters of a circle of circumference 10π , then the equation of circle is (i)

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 2y + 23 = 0 \quad \text{(ii)} \quad x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y - 23 = 0 \quad \text{(iii)}$$

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2y - 23 = 0 \quad \text{(iv)} \quad x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y + 23 = 0$$

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

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

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

D. $(\pi)/(6)$

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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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 tangent 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 prove that $2r = \sqrt{PQ \cdot RS}$.

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

$$3x + y = 14 \text{ and } 2x + 5y = 18.$$



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16. Equation of circle passing through the centre of the circle

$$x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y - 8 = 0 \text{ and being concentric with the circle}$$

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 8y - 5 = 0 \text{ is}$$



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17. Prove that the locus of the centre of the circle

$$\frac{1}{2}(x^2 + y^2) + x \cos \theta + y \sin \theta - 4 = 0 \text{ is } x^2 + y^2 = 1$$



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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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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 a.(4, 7) b.(7, 4) c.(9, 4) d. (4, 9)

A. (4,7)

B. (7,4)

C. (9,4)

D. (4,9)

Answer: A



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

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. If the point $(2,0)$, $(0,1)$, $(4,5)$ and $(0,c)$ are concyclic, then the value of c is :

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 to the circle which passes through the points (1, 2)(2, 2) and whose radius is 1.

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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 $2b$ 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 $C(-\sqrt{8}, \sqrt{8})$ makes 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. (a) 3

B. (b) 5

C. (c) 8

D. (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 (a) $h = 3\sqrt{5}$ (b) $h = 2\sqrt{5}$ (c) $h = \sqrt{5}$ (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. Find the equation of the circle with center at $(3, -1)$ and which cuts off an intercept of length 6 from the line $2x - 5y + 18 = 0$

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

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

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

D. 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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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. 20

B. -28

C. -30

D. none of these

Answer: B



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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. Find the equation of the tangent to the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 4y + 4 = 0$ which makes equal intercepts on the positive coordinates axes.

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 points $(-1, -2)$. 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 family of circles touching the lines $x^2 - y^2 + 2y - 1 = 0$.



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



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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 midpoint of a chord of the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ which subtends a right angle at the origins is (a) $x + y = 2$ (b) $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ (c) $x^2 + y^2 = 2$ (d) $x + y = 1$

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. If the angle between the tangents drawn to $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ from $(0, 0)$ is $\frac{\pi}{2}$, then $g^2 + f^2 = 3c$
 $g^2 + f^2 = 2c$ $g^2 + f^2 = 5c$ $g^2 + f^2 = 4c$

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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7. 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 α and β .

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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8. The length of the tangent from $(0, 0)$ to the circle

$$2(x^2 + y^2) + x - y + 5 = 0, \text{ is}$$

A. $\sqrt{5}$

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

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

D. $\sqrt{2}$

Answer: B



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9. 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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10. 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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11. 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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12. 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. 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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15. 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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16. 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 α and β .

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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

$$x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y - 3 = 0 \text{ and } x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 2y + 1 = 0$$

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

Answer: C



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

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

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

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

Answer: C



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6. Two circles with radii a and b touch each other externally such that θ is the angle between the direct common tangents, ($a > b \geq 2$). Then prove that $\theta = 2 \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{a-b}{a+b} \right)$.

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

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

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 $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 4 = 0$ $x^2 + y^2 - 3x + 1 = 0$
 $x^2 + y^2 - 4y + 2 = 0$ 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. `

B.

C.

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



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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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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 a point (1,0) and cut 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 locous of the centre of the circle which cuts orthogonally the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 20x + 4 = 0$ and which touches $x=2$ 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. Find the equation of the circle which cuts the three circles $x^2 + y^2 - 3x - 6y + 14 = 0$, $x^2 + y^2 - x - 4y + 8 = 0$, and $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 6y + 9 = 0$ orthogonally.

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

$$x^2 + y^2 + x - y + 2 = 0 \text{ and } 3x^2 + 3y^2 - 4x - 12 = 0$$

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 and centre of the circles

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

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. $3x - y - 1 = 0$

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. $P(a, 5a)$ and $Q(4a, a)$ are two points. Two circles are drawn through these points touching the axis of y .

Angle of intersection of these circles is

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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 $2x+3y=5$. 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 $2x^2 + 2y^2 - 3x - 2y - 4 = 0$

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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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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) Non of these

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 (a) $\frac{4}{41}$ (b) $\frac{41}{4}$ (c) $\frac{5}{41}$ (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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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 $L_i \equiv y - m_i x = 0; i = 1, 2$ and 3. 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 (a)

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

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

$$\frac{1}{m_3} + \frac{1}{m_1} + \frac{1}{m_1} = 1 + \lambda + \mu \quad (d) \text{none of these}$$

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

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

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

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 $P(a, n)$ cuts the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ in A and B , then $PA \cdot PB =$

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) $a \in (-4, 3)$ (b) $a \in (-\infty, -1) \cup (3, \infty)$ (c) $a \in (-1, 3)$ (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: $x = 1$. The equation $S(1, y) = 0$ given two solutions: $y = 0, 2$. Find the equation of the circle.

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



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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. (a) clockwise rotation around origin through an angle α
- B. (b) anti-clockwise rotation around origin through an angle α
- C. (c) reflection in the line through origin with slope $\tan \alpha$
- D. (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 $[.]$ 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. a. $P \in [-1, 0) \cup [0, 1) \cup [1, 2)$

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

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

D. 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. (a) $4x^2 + 4y^2 - 12x - 1 = 0$

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

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

D. (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 $f(x, y) = 0$ be the equation of a circle. If $f(0, \lambda) = 0$ has equal roots $\lambda = 2, 2$ and $f(\lambda, 0) = 0$ 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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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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- 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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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 $B\frac{P}{P}A = \alpha$ and $B\frac{Q}{Q}A = \beta$. Then α and β are roots of the quadratic equation

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

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

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

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. OA and OB are two perpendicular straight lines. A straight line AB is drawn in such a manner that $OA + OB = 8$. Find the locus of the mid point of AB.

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

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

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

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

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

Answer: B::D



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

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

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

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 range of values of λ , ($\lambda > 0$) such that the angle θ between the pair of tangents drawn from $(\lambda, 0)$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ lies in $\left(\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{2\pi}{3}\right)$ is (a) $\left(\frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ (b) $(0, \sqrt{2})$ (c) $(1, 2)$ (d) none of these

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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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

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

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

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

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

Answer: B::D

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9. The equation of the circle which touches the axes of coordinates and the line $\frac{x}{3} + \frac{y}{4} = 1$ 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. Let P be a point on the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 9$, Q a point on the line $7x + y + 3 = 0$, and the perpendicular bisector of PQ be the line $x - y + 1 = 0$. 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. (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 curver 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 the 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) $7x + 24y = 250$

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 is

- 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 (i) 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 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 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 on the line $L = 0$. Tangents are drawn to the circles $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ from P to touch it at Q and R. The parallelogram PQSR is completed.

If $L \equiv 2x + y - 6 = 0$, then the locus of the circumcenter of ΔPQR 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 circles $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ from P to touch it at Q and R. The parallelogram PQSR is completed.

If $P \equiv (3, 4)$, 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

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

$L_1 = 0, L_2 = 0$ be the distinct parallel lines which are not parallel to

$L_3 = 0$. The equation of a circle passing through the vertices of the

parallelogram formed must be of the form

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

$$B. \lambda L_1 L_3 + \mu L_2 L_4 = 0$$

$$C. \lambda L_1 L_2 + \mu L_3 L_4 = 0$$

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

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 $L_1 L_2 + \lambda L_2 L_3 + \mu L_3 L_1 = 0$, where λ and μ are such that coefficient of x^2 = coefficient of y^2 and coefficient of $xy = 0$.

If $L_1 L_2 + \lambda L_2 L_3 + \mu L_3 L_1 = 0$ 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

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11. 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 radius of other circle is λ units then λ 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 radius of other circle is λ units then λ 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. (a) $[b^2 + a^2, 5b^2 + a^2]$

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

C. (c) $[4a^2, 4b^2]$

D. (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.

If $(BC)^2$ is maximum, then 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. (a) 60°

B. (b) 90°

C. (c) 120°

D. (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. (a) $x+y=0$
- B. (b) $x-y=0$
- C. (c) $2x+y=0$
- D. (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 $x^2 + y^2 = 4$, $x^2 + y^2 - 4x = 0$ 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 $x^2 + y^2 = 4, x^2 + y^2 - 4x = 0$ 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. If the point $(1, 4)$ lies inside the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 10y + p = 0$ and the circle does not touch or intersect the coordinate axes, then which of the following must be correct :

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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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9. 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 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 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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6. 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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7. 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 d_1 and d_2 are distances of the tangents to the circle at the origin O from the points A and B , respectively, then the diameter of the circle is (a) $\frac{2d_1 + d_2}{2}$ (b) $\frac{d_1 + 2d_2}{2}$ (c) $d_1 + d_2$ (d) $\frac{d_1 d_2}{d_1 + d_2}$

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. Find the 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 $(2 + c)x + 5c^2y = 1$ as $c \rightarrow 1$.



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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 $(-2, -3)$ and also touches the line $y = x$. Compute up to one place of decimal only.



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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. 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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13. Two straight lines rotate about two fixed points $(-a, 0)$ and $(a, 0)$ in anticlockwise sense. If they start from their position of coincidence such that one rotates at a rate double the other, then find the locus of curve.



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14. 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. Tangents drawn from the point $P(1, 8)$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 4y - 11 = 0$ touch the circle at points A and B. The equation of the circumcircle of triangle PAB is

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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17. 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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18. If P and Q are the points of intersection of the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 3x + 7y + 2p - 5 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 2y - p^2 = 0$, then there is a circle passing through P,Q, and (1,1) for

- 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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19. 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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20. 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 two circles $x^2 + y^2 = ax$ and $x^2 + y^2 = c^2 (c > 0)$ touch each other , if

A. $|a|=c$

B. $a=2c$

C. $|a|=2c$

D. $2|a|=c$

Answer: A



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23. The locus of the mid-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) $20(x^2 + y^2) - 36x + 45y = 0$ (B) $20(x^2 + y^2) + 36x - 45y = 0$ (C) $20(x^2 + y^2) - 20x + 45y = 0$ (D) $20(x^2 + y^2) + 20x - 45y = 0$

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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24. 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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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. $x=4$

B. $y=2$

C. $x + \sqrt{3}y = 4$

D. $x + 2\sqrt{2}y = 6$

Answer: D



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26. 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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27. The circle passing through $(1, -2)$ and touching the axis of x at $(3, 0)$ also passes through the point :

A. $(-5, 2)$

B. $(2, -5)$

C. $(5, -2)$

D. $(-2, 5)$

Answer: C



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28. 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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29. 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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30. 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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31. 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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32. 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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33. 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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34. 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 circles S, whose centre is at $(-3, 2)$, then the radius of S is

A. 5

B. 10

C. $5\sqrt{2}$

D. $5\sqrt{3}$

Answer: D



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35. 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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36. 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)

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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 externally. The locus of the center of the circle is

- A. an ellipse
- B. a circle

C. a hyperbola

D. a parabola

Answer: D

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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. C_2 is the circle through vertices A, B, C, D and C_1 is the circle touching all the sides of the square ABCD. L is a line through A. If P is a point on C_1 and Q in another point on C_2 , 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. (a) ellipse
- B. (b) hyperbola
- C. (c) parabola
- D. (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. (a) $\frac{1}{2}$ sq units

B. (b) $\frac{2}{3}$ sq units

C. (c) 1 sq units

D. (d) 2 sq units

Answer: C

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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. $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{9}{4}$

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, II 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 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 the x-axis. If (h, k) are the coordinates of the center of the circles, then the set of values of k is given by the interval.

(a) $k \geq \frac{1}{2}$ (b) $-\frac{1}{2} \leq k \leq \frac{1}{2}$ (c) $k \leq \frac{1}{2}$ (d) $0 < k < \frac{1}{2}$

A. $-\frac{1}{2} \leq k \leq \frac{1}{2}$

B. $k \leq \frac{1}{2}$

C. $0 \leq k \leq \frac{1}{2}$

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

A. $y = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} + x + 1, y = -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}x - 1$

B. $y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}x, y = 0$

$$C. y = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}x + 1, y = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}x - 1$$

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

$$A. (x - 2\sqrt{3})^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 1$$

$$B. (x - 2\sqrt{3})^2 + \left(y + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$C. (x - \sqrt{3})^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 1$$

$$D. (x - \sqrt{3})^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 1$$

Answer: D



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13. 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. $y = \sqrt{3}x, y = 0$

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

$\left(\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\right)$. 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. $y = \sqrt{3}x, y = 0$

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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