



EXERCISE-01

SECTION - A

BASIC DEFINITION OF CIRCLE

1. If a be the radius of a circle which touches x -axis at the origin, then its equation is
 - (A) $x^2 + y^2 + ax = 0$
 - (B) $x^2 + y^2 \pm 2ya = 0$
 - (C) $x^2 + y^2 \pm 2xa = 0$
 - (D) $x^2 + y^2 + ya = 0$
2. The equation of the circle passing through $(3,6)$ and whose centre is $(2, -1)$ is
 - (A) $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 2y = 45$
 - (B) $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 2y + 45 = 0$
 - (C) $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 2y = 45$
 - (D) $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 2y + 45 = 0$
3. The equation of a circle which passes through the three points $(3,0)$, $(1, -6)$, $(4, -1)$ is
 - (A) $2x^2 + 2y^2 + 5x - 11y + 3 = 0$
 - (B) $x^2 + y^2 - 5x + 11y - 3 = 0$
 - (C) $x^2 + y^2 + 5x - 11y + 3 = 0$
 - (D) $2x^2 + 2y^2 - 5x + 11y - 3 = 0$
4. B and C are fixed point having co-ordinates $(3,0)$ and $(-3,0)$ respectively. If the vertical angle BAC is 90° , then the locus of the centroid of the $\triangle ABC$ has the equation
 - (A) $x^2 + y^2 = 1$
 - (B) $x^2 + y^2 = 2$
 - (C) $9(x^2 + y^2) = 1$
 - (D) $9(x^2 + y^2) = 4$
5. The area of an equilateral triangle inscribed in the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x = 0$ is
 - (A) $\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}$
 - (B) $\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{4}$
 - (C) $\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{8}$
 - (D) none



6. A circle is drawn touching the x-axis and centre at the point which is the reflection of (a, b) in the line $y - x = 0$. The equation of the circle is
- $x^2 + y^2 - 2bx - 2ay + a^2 = 0$
 - $x^2 + y^2 - 2bx - 2ay + b^2 = 0$
 - $x^2 + y^2 - 2ax - 2by + b^2 = 0$
 - $x^2 + y^2 - 2ax - 2by + a^2 = 0$
7. $y = \sqrt{3}x + c_1$ & $y = \sqrt{3}x + c_2$ are two parallel tangents of a circle of radius 2 units, then $|c_1 - c_2|$ is equal to
- 8
 - 4
 - 2
 - 1

SECTION - B

DIAMETRIC FORM OF CIRCLE

8. The length of intercept on y-axis, by a circle whose diameter is the line joining the points $(-4, 3)$ and $(12, -1)$ is
- $3\sqrt{2}$
 - $\sqrt{13}$
 - $4\sqrt{13}$
 - none of these
9. If $(6, -3)$ is the one extremity of diameter to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 3x + 8y - 3 = 0$ then its other extremity is -
- $(3/2, -4)$
 - $(-3, -5)$
 - $(3, -5)$
 - $(3, 5)$
10. If $y = 2x + K$ is a diameter to the circle $2(x^2 + y^2) + 3x + 4y - 1 = 0$, then K equals
- 0
 - 1
 - 2
 - $\frac{1}{2}$



SECTION - C

INTERCEPTS OF A CIRCLE

11. A circle touches x - axis at +3 distance and cuts an intercept of 8 in +ve direction of y-axis. Its equation is -
- $x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 10y - 9 = 0$
 - $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 10y - 9 = 0$
 - $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 10y + 9 = 0$
 - $x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 10y + 9 = 0$
12. The gradient of the tangent line at the point ($\cos \alpha, \sin \alpha$) to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$, is
- $\tan(\pi - \alpha)$
 - $\tan \alpha$
 - $\cot \alpha$
 - $-\cot \alpha$
13. $\ell x + my + n = 0$ is a tangent line to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$, if
- $\ell^2 + m^2 = n^2 r^2$
 - $\ell^2 + m^2 = n^2 + r^2$
 - $n^2 = r^2(\ell^2 + m^2)$
 - none of these
14. If $y = c$ is a tangent to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2y - 2 = 0$ at (1,1), then the value of c is
- 1
 - 2
 - 1
 - 2

SECTION-D

POSITION OF A POINT W.R.T. CIRCLE

15. Line $3x + 4y = 25$ touches the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ at the point
- (4,3)
 - (3,4)
 - (-3,-4)
 - none of these



16. The greatest distance of the point P(10,7) from the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 2y - 20 = 0$ is
- 5
 - 15
 - 10
 - none of these

SECTION - E

PARAMETRIC FORM OF A CIRCLE

17. The parametric coordinates of any point on the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 4y = 0$ are
- $(-2 + 2\cos \alpha, -2 + 2\sin \alpha)$
 - $(2 + 2\cos \alpha, 2 + 2\sin \alpha)$
 - $(2 + 2\sqrt{2}\cos \alpha, 2 + 2\sqrt{2}\sin \alpha)$
 - none of these
18. Cartesian equations of a circle whose parametric equation are $x = -7 + 4\cos q, y = 3 + 4\sin q$ is -
- $(x + 7)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 16$
 - $(x - 7)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 16$
 - $(x - 7)^2 + (y + 3)^2 = 16$
 - $(x + 7)^2 + (y + 3)^2 = 16$

SECTION - F : TANGENT AND NORMAL

19. The equations of the tangents drawn from the point (0,1) to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 4y = 0$ are
- $2x - y + 1 = 0, x + 2y - 2 = 0$
 - $2x - y - 1 = 0, x + 2y - 2 = 0$
 - $2x - y + 1 = 0, x + 2y + 2 = 0$
 - $2x - y - 1 = 0, x + 2y + 2 = 0$
20. The equation of the normal to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ at the point $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ is
- $x - y = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}$
 - $x + y = 0$
 - $x - y = 0$
 - none of these



21. The length of the tangent drawn from the point $(2,3)$ to the circles $2(x^2 + y^2) - 7x + 9y - 11 = 0$.
- (A) 18
 (B) 14
 (C) $\sqrt{14}$
 (D) $\sqrt{28}$
22. The angle between the two tangents from the origin to the circle $(x - 7)^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 25$ equals
- (A) $\frac{\pi}{2}$
 (B) $\frac{\pi}{3}$
 (C) $\frac{\pi}{4}$
 (D) none
23. The point from which the tangents to the circles $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 40 = 0$, $5x^2 + 5y^2 - 25x + 80 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 16y + 160 = 0$ are equal in length is
- (A) $\left(8, \frac{15}{2}\right)$
 (B) $\left(-8, \frac{15}{2}\right)$
 (C) $\left(8, -\frac{15}{2}\right)$
 (D) none of these
24. The tangent from the point of intersection of the lines $2x - 3y + 1 = 0$ and $3x - 2y - 1 = 0$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 4y = 0$ is
- (A) $x + 2y = 0$, $x - 2y + 1 = 0$
 (B) $2x - y - 1 = 0$
 (C) $y = x$, $y = 3x - 2$
 (D) $2x + y + 1 = 0$
25. The equation of the circle having the lines $y^2 - 2y + 4x - 2xy = 0$ as its normals & passing through the point $(2,1)$ is
- (A) $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y + 3 = 0$
 (B) $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 4y - 5 = 0$
 (C) $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 4y - 13 = 0$
 (D) none

**SECTION - G : DIRECTOR CIRCLE**

26. The equation of director circle to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 8$ is-
- $x^2 + y^2 = 8$
 - $x^2 + y^2 = 16$
 - $x^2 + y^2 = 4$
 - $x^2 + y^2 = 12$
27. Two perpendicular tangents to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ meet at P. Then the locus of P has the equation-
- $x^2 + y^2 = 2a^2$
 - $x^2 + y^2 = 3a^2$
 - $x^2 = y^2 = 4a^2$
 - None of these

SECTION - H**CHORD WITH A GIVEN MIDDLE POINT**

28. The locus of the mid-points of the chords of the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y - 11 = 0$ which subtend 60° at the centre is
- $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 2y - 7 = 0$
 - $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 2y - 7 = 0$
 - $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y - 7 = 0$
 - $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 4y + 7 = 0$
29. Find the locus of mid point of chords of circle $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ which subtends right angle at origin-
- $x^2 + y^2 = 25/4$
 - $x^2 + y^2 = 5$
 - $x^2 + y^2 = 25/2$
 - $x^2 + y^2 = 5/2$
30. The equation to the chord of the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 16$ which is bisected at $(2, -1)$ is-
- $2x + y = 16$
 - $2x - y = 16$
 - $x + 2y = 5$
 - $2x - y = 5$



31. The locus of the centres of the circles such that the point (2,3) is the mid point of the chord $5x + 2y = 16$ is
- (A) $2x - 5y + 11 = 0$
 (B) $2x + 5y - 11 = 0$
 (C) $2x + 5y + 11 = 0$
 (D) none

SECTION - I : CHORD OF CONTACT

32. Tangents are drawn from (4,4) to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y - 7 = 0$ to meet the circle at A and B. The length of the chord AB is
- (A) $2\sqrt{3}$
 (B) $3\sqrt{2}$
 (C) $2\sqrt{6}$
 (D) $6\sqrt{2}$
33. Pair of tangents are drawn from every point on the line $3x + 4y = 12$ on the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$. Their variable chord of contact always passes through a fixed point whose co-ordinates are
- (A) $\left(\frac{4}{3}, \frac{3}{4}\right)$
 (B) $\left(\frac{3}{4}, \frac{3}{4}\right)$
 (C) (1,1)
 (D) $\left(1, \frac{4}{3}\right)$

SECTION - J : PAIR OF TANGENTS

34. The equation of pair of tangents drawn from the point (0,1) to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 4y = 0$ is-
- (A) $4x^2 - 4y^2 + 6xy + 6x + 8y - 4 = 0$
 (B) $4x^2 - 4y^2 + 6xy - 6x + 8y - 4 = 0$
 (C) $x^2 - y^2 + 3xy - 3x + 2y - 1 = 0$
 (D) $x^2 - y^2 + 6xy - 6x + 8y - 4 = 0$
35. From the point P(16,7) tangents PQ and PR are drawn to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y - 20 = 0$. If C be the centre of the circle then area of the quadrilateral PQCR is-
- (A) 450 sq. units
 (B) 15 sq. units
 (C) 50 sq. units
 (D) 75 sq. units



SECTION - K : FAMILY OF CIRCLE

36. Equation of the circle touching the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 15x + 5y = 0$ at the point (1,2) and passing through the point (0,2) is
- (A) $13x^2 + 13y^2 - 13x - 61y + 70 = 0$
 (B) $x^2 + y^2 + 2x = 0$
 (C) $13x^2 + 13y^2 - 13x - 61y + 9 = 0$
 (D) none of these

SECTION - L

NUMBER OF COMMON TANGENTS AND POSITION OF TWO CIRCLE

37. The number of common tangents of the circles $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 1 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 2y - 7 = 0$
- (A) 1
 (B) 3
 (C) 2
 (D) 4
38. If the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ touches the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 6y + c = 0$, then c is equal to
- (A) -27
 (B) 36
 (C) -36
 (D) 27

SECTION - M : RADICAL AXIS

39. If the circumference of the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 8x + 8y - b = 0$ is bisected by the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 4y + a = 0$, then $a + b =$
- (A) 50
 (B) 56
 (C) -56
 (D) -34
40. The distance of the centre of the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 2x$ from the common chord of the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 5x - 8y + 1 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 3x + 7y - 25 = 0$ is
- (A) 1
 (B) 3
 (C) 2
 (D) $\frac{1}{3}$



SECTION - N

RADICAL CENTRE

- 41.** The equation of three circles are given $x^2 + y^2 = 1$,
 $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 15 = 0$, $x^2 + y^2 + 10y + 24 = 0$. Determine the coordinates of the point P such
that the tangents drawn from it to the circles are equal in length.
(A) $(2, -5/2)$
(B) $(-2, -5/2)$
(C) $(2, 5/2)$
(D) $(3, -5/3)$

SECTION - 0

ORTHOGONALITY OF TWO CIRCLES

- 42.** The locus of the centers of the circles which cut the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y + 9 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 5x + 4y - 2 = 0$ orthogonally is
(A) $9x + 10y - 7 = 0$
(B) $x - y + 2 = 0$
(C) $9x - 10y + 11 = 0$
(D) $9x + 10y + 7 = 0$

43. Two given circles $x^2 + y^2 + ax + by + c = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + dx + ey + f = 0$ will intersect each other orthogonally, only when-
(A) $ad + be = c + f$
(B) $a + b + c = d + e + f$
(C) $ad + be = 2c + 2f$
(D) $2ad + 2be = c + f$

44. If the circles of same radius a and centres at $(2,3)$ and $(5,6)$ cut orthogonally, then a is equal to-
(A) 6
(B) 4
(C) 3
(D) 10

SECTION - P

MIXED PROBLEMS



46. Tangents are drawn to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ at the points where it is met by the circles $x^2 + y^2 - (\lambda + 6)x + (8 - 2\lambda)y - 3 = 0$, λ being the variable. The locus of the point of intersection of these tangents is
- (A) $2x - y + 10 = 0$
(B) $x + 2y - 10 = 0$
(C) $x - 2y + 10 = 0$
(D) $2x + y - 10 = 0$
47. AB is a diameter of a circle. CD is a chord parallel to AB and $2CD = AB$. The tangent at B meets the line AC produced at E then AE is equal to
- (A) AB
(B) $\sqrt{2}AB$
(C) $2\sqrt{2}AB$
(D) $2AB$
48. (6,0), (0,6) and (7,7) are the vertices of a triangle. The circle inscribed in the triangle has the equation
- (A) $x^2 + y^2 - 9x + 9y + 36 = 0$
(B) $x^2 + y^2 - 9x - 9y + 36 = 0$
(C) $x^2 + y^2 + 9x - 9y + 36 = 0$
(D) $x^2 + y^2 - 9x - 9y - 36 = 0$

**EXERCISE-02 (LEVEL-I)****BASIC DEFINITION OF CIRCLE**

1. The equation of the circle which touches the axis of y at the origin and passes through (3,4) is
 (A) $4(x^2 + y^2) - 25x = 0$
 (B) $3(x^2 + y^2) - 25x = 0$
 (C) $2(x^2 + y^2) - 3x = 0$
 (D) $4(x^2 + y^2) - 25x + 10 = 0$
2. The equation to the circle whose radius is 4 and which touches the negative x-axis at a distance 3 units from the origin is
 (A) $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 8y - 9 = 0$
 (B) $x^2 + y^2 \pm 6x - 8y + 9 = 0$
 (C) $x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 8y + 9 = 0$
 (D) $x^2 + y^2 \pm 6x - 8y - 9 = 0$
3. Number of different circles that can be drawn touching 3 lines, no two of which are parallel and they are neither coincident nor concurrent, are
 (A) 1
 (B) 2
 (C) 3
 (D) 4
4. If a circle of constant radius $3k$ passes through the origin 'O' and meets co-ordinate axes at A and B then the locus of the centroid of the triangle OAB is
 (A) $x^2 + y^2 = (2k)^2$
 (B) $x^2 + y^2 = (3k)^2$
 (C) $x^2 + y^2 = (4k)^2$
 (D) $x^2 + y^2 = (6k)^2$
5. The circle passing through the distinct points $(1, t)$, $(t, 1)$ & (t, t) for all values of 't'. passes through the point
 (A) $(-1, -1)$
 (B) $(-1, 1)$
 (C) $(1, -1)$
 (D) $(1, 1)$



6. The lines $2x - 3y = 5$ and $3x - 4y = 7$ are diameters of a circle having area as 154 sq. units. Then the equation of the circle is
 (A) $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2y = 62$
 (B) $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y = 62$
 (C) $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y = 47$
 (D) $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2y = 47$
7. If the lines $2x + 3y + 1 = 0$ and $3x - y - 4 = 0$ lie along diameters of a circle of circumference 10π , then the equation of the circle is -
 (A) $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2y - 23 = 0$
 (B) $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y - 23 = 0$
 (C) $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 2y - 23 = 0$
 (D) $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y - 23 = 0$
8. If the pair of line $ax^2 + 2(a+b)xy + by^2 = 0$ lie along diameters of a circle and divide the circle into four sectors such that the area of one of the sectors is thrice the area of another sector then -
 (A) $3a^2 - 10ab + 3b^2 = 0$
 (B) $3a^2 - 2ab + 3b^2 = 0$
 (C) $3a^2 + 10ab + 3b^2 = 0$
 (D) $3a^2 + 2ab + 3b^2 = 0$
9. If the lines $3x - 4y - 7 = 0$ and $2x - 3y - 5 = 0$ are two diameters of a circle of area 49π square units, the equation of the circle is -
 (A) $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y - 62 = 0$
 (B) $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2y - 62 = 0$
 (C) $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2y - 47 = 0$
 (D) $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y - 47 = 0$

DIAMETRIC FORM OF CIRCLE

10. If $(x, 3)$ and $(3, 5)$ are the extremities of a diameter of a circle with centre at $(2, y)$. Then the value of x and y are -
 (A) $x = 1, y = 4$
 (B) $x = 4, y = 1$
 (C) $x = 8, y = 2$
 (D) None of these



- 11.** A variable circle passes through the fixed point $A(p, q)$ and touches the x -axis. The locus of the other end of the diameter through A is
- (A) $(x - p)^2 = 4qy$
 (B) $(x - q)^2 = 4py$
 (C) $(y - p)^2 = 4qx$
 (D) $(y - q)^2 = 4px$

INTERCEPTS OF A CIRCLE

- 12.** The centre of the circle touching the y -axis at $(0, 3)$ and making an intercept of 2 units on the positive x axis is
- (A) $(10, \sqrt{3})$
 (B) $(\sqrt{3}, 10)$
 (C) $(\sqrt{10}, 3)$
 (D) $(3, \sqrt{10})$
- 13.** A circle touches a straight line $lx + my + n = 0$ and cuts the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ orthogonally, The locus of centres of such circles is
- (A) $(lx + my + n)^2 = (l^2 + m^2)(x^2 + y^2 - 9)$
 (B) $(1x + my - n)^2 = (1^2 + m^2)(x^2 + y^2 - 9)$
 (C) $(lx + my + n)^2 = (l^2 + m^2)(x^2 + y^2 + 9)$
 (D) none of these
- 14.** A circle touches the x -axis and also touches the circle with centre at $(0, 3)$ and radius 2 . The locus of the centre of the circle is -
- (A) an ellipse
 (B) a circle
 (C) a hyperbola
 (D) a parabola

POSITION OF A POINT W.R.T. CIRCLE

- 15.** The locus of the centre of a circle which touches externally the circle, $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 6y + 14 = 0$ and also touches the y -axis is given by the equation
- (A) $x^2 - 6x - 10y + 14 = 0$
 (B) $x^2 - 10x - 6y + 14 = 0$
 (C) $y^2 - 6x - 10y + 14 = 0$
 (D) $y^2 - 10x - 6y + 14 = 0$



16. If $\left(a, \frac{1}{a}\right), \left(b, \frac{1}{b}\right), \left(c, \frac{1}{c}\right) \& \left(d, \frac{1}{d}\right)$ are four distinct points on a circle of radius 4 units then, abcd =
 (A) 4
 (B) 1/4
 (C) 1
 (D) 16
17. Number of points (x, y) having integral coordinates satisfying the condition $x^2 + y^2 < 25$ is
 (A) 69
 (B) 80
 (C) 81
 (D) 77

TANGENT AND NORMAL

18. The square of the length of tangent from $(3, -4)$ on the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y + 3 = 0$ -
 (A) 20
 (B) 30
 (C) 40
 (D) 50
19. Three equal circles each of radius r touch one another. The radius of the circle touching all the three given circle internally is
 (A) $(2 + \sqrt{3})r$
 (B) $\frac{(2+\sqrt{3})}{\sqrt{3}}r$
 (C) $\frac{(2-\sqrt{3})}{\sqrt{3}}r$
 (D) $(2 - \sqrt{3})r$

CHORD WITH A GIVEN MIDDLE POINT

20. The locus of the mid points of the chords of the circle $x^2 + y^2 - ax - by = 0$ which subtend a right angle at $\left(\frac{a}{2}, \frac{b}{2}\right)$ is
 (A) $ax + by = 0$
 (B) $ax + by = a^2 + b^2$
 (C) $x^2 + y^2 - ax - by + \frac{a^2+b^2}{8} = 0$
 (D) $x^2 + y^2 - ax - by - \frac{a^2+b^2}{8} = 0$

21. 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 centre is

(A) $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{27}{4}$

(B) $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{9}{4}$

(C) $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{3}{2}$

(D) $x^2 + y^2 = 1$

CHORD OF CONTACT

22. The chord of contact of tangents from three points P, Q, R to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = c^2$ are concurrent, then P, Q, R
- (A) form a triangle
 - (B) are concyclic
 - (C) are collinear
 - (D) none of these
23. Distance between the chord of contact with respect to point (0,0) and (g, f) of circle $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ is -
- (A) $\frac{1}{2}(g^2 + f^2 + c)$
 - (B) $g^2 + f^2$
 - (C) $\frac{g^2+f^2+c}{2\sqrt{g^2-f^2}}$
 - (D) $\frac{g^2+f^2-c}{2\sqrt{g^2+f^2}}$

PAIR OF TANGENTS

24. A pair of tangents are drawn from the origin to the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 20(x + y) + 20 = 0$. The equation of the pair of tangents is
- (A) $x^2 + y^2 + 5xy = 0$
 - (B) $x^2 + y^2 + 10xy = 0$
 - (C) $2x^2 + 2y^2 + 5xy = 0$
 - (D) $2x^2 + 2y^2 - 5xy = 0$
25. The equation of the pair of tangents drawn to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 4y + 3 = 0$ from (6, -5) is-
- (A) $7x^2 + 23y^2 + 30xy + 66x + 50y - 73 = 0$
 - (B) $7x^2 + 23y^2 - 30xy - 66x - 50y + 73 = 0$
 - (C) $7x^2 + 23y^2 + 30xy - 66x - 50y - 73 = 0$
 - (D) None of these



FAMILY OF CIRCLE

NUMBER OF COMMON TANGENTS AND POSITION OF TWO CIRCLE

26. The length of the common chord of circles $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 16 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 8y - 9 = 0$ is
 (A) $10\sqrt{3}$
 (B) $5\sqrt{3}$
 (C) $5\sqrt{3}/2$
 (D) none of these
27. If the two circles, $x^2 + y^2 + 2g_1x + 2f_1y = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + 2g_2x + 2f_2y = 0$ touches each other, then
 (A) $f_1g_1 = f_2g_2$
 (B) $\frac{f_1}{g_1} = \frac{f_2}{g_2}$
 (C) $f_1f_2 = g_1g_2$
 (D) none
28. If the two circles $(x - 1)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = r^2$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 2y + 8 = 0$ intersect in two distinct points, then
 (A) $r > 2$
 (B) $2 < r < 8$
 (C) $r < 2$
 (D) $r = 2$
29. If the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 2ax + cy + a = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 3ax + dy - 1 = 0$ intersect in two distinct point P and Q then the lines $5x + by - a = 0$ passes through P and Q for -
 (A) exactly one value of a
 (B) no value of a
 (C) infinitely many values of a
 (D) exactly two values of a

ORTHOGONALITY OF TWO CIRCLE

30. If a circle passes through the point (a, b) and cuts the circle $x^2 + y^2 = p^2$ orthogonally, then the equation of the locus of its centre is -
 (A) $x^2 + y^2 - 3ax - 4by + (a^2 + b^2 - p^2) = 0$
 (B) $2ax + 2by - (a^2 - b^2 + p^2) = 0$
 (C) $x^2 + y^2 - 2ax - 3by + (a^2 - b^2 - p^2) = 0$
 (D) $2ax + 2by - (a^2 + b^2 + p^2) = 0$

**RADICAL AXIS**

31. 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) 60
 (B) 50
 (C) 40
 (D) 56
32. The equation of the circle which passes through $(2a, 0)$ and has the radical axis $2x - a = 0$ with the circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ is
 (A) $x^2 + y^2 - 2ax = 0$
 (B) $x^2 + y^2 + 2ax = 0$
 (C) $x^2 + y^2 + 3ax = 0$
 (D) $x^2 + y^2 - 3ax = 0$

RADICAL CENTRE

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

MIXED PROBLEMS

34. The common chord of two intersecting circles C_1 and C_2 can be seen from their centres at the angles of 90° and 60° respectively. If the distance between their centres is equal to $\sqrt{3} + 1$ then the radius of C_1 and C_2 are
 (A) $\sqrt{3}$ and 3
 (B) $\sqrt{2}$ and $2\sqrt{2}$
 (C) $\sqrt{2}$ and 2
 (D) $2\sqrt{2}$ and 4
35. What is the length of shortest path by which one can go from $(-2, 0)$ to $(2, 0)$ without entering the interior of circle, $x^2 + y^2 = 1$
 (A) $2\sqrt{3}$ (B) $\sqrt{3} + \frac{2\pi}{3}$ (C) $2\sqrt{3} + \frac{\pi}{3}$ (D) none of these



36. In a right triangle ABC, right angled at A, on the leg AC as diameter, a semicircle is described. The chord joining A with the point of intersection D of the hypotenuse and the semicircle, then the length AC equals to
- (A) $\frac{AB \cdot AD}{\sqrt{AB^2 + AD^2}}$
(B) $\frac{AB \cdot AD}{AB + AD}$
(C) $\sqrt{AB \cdot AD}$
(D) $\frac{AB \cdot AD}{\sqrt{AB^2 - AD^2}}$
37. A circle is inscribed into a rhombus ABCD with one angle 60° . The distance from the centre of the circle to the nearest vertex is equal to 1. If P is any point of the circle, then $|PA|^2 + |PB|^2 + |PC|^2 + |PD|^2$ is equal to
- (A) 12
(B) 11
(C) 9
(D) none



EXERCISE-02(LEVEL-II)

BASIC DEFINITION OF CIRCLE

1. Circles are drawn touching the co-ordinate axis and having radius 2 , then
 - (A) Centre of these circles lie on the pair of lines
 $y^2 - x^2 = 0$
 - (B) centre of these circles lie only on the line $y = x$
 - (C) Area of the quadrilateral whose vertices are centre of these circles is 16 sq. units.
 - (D) Area of the circle touching these four circles internally is $4\pi(3 + 2\sqrt{2})$
2. $x^2 + y^2 + 6x = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 2x = 0$ are two circles, then
 - (A) They touch each other externally
 - (B) They touch each other internally
 - (C) Area of triangle formed by their common tangents is $3\sqrt{3}$ sq. units.
 - (D) Their common tangents do not form any triangle.
3. The centre(s) of the circle(s) passing through the points $(0,0), (1,0)$ and touching the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ is/are
 - (A) $\left(\frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$
 - (B) $\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\right)$
 - (C) $\left(\frac{1}{2}, 2^{1/2}\right)$
 - (D) $\left(\frac{1}{2}, -2^{1/2}\right)$

POSITION OF A POINT W.R.T. CIRCLE

4. Consider the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y - 14 = 0$, which of following is/are true :
 - (A) Point $(3,4)$ lies insides the circle
 - (B) Point $(-5, -3)$ lies outside the circle
 - (C) Line $x + 3y + 4 = 0$ is diameter of circle
 - (D) Area of circle is 16π square units
5. If A and B 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) $A \equiv (2 - 2\sqrt{2}, -3 - 2\sqrt{2})$
 - (B) $A \equiv (2 + 2\sqrt{2}, -3 + 2\sqrt{2})$
 - (C) $B \equiv (2 + 2\sqrt{2}, -3 + 2\sqrt{2})$
 - (D) $B \equiv (2 - 2\sqrt{2}, -3 - 2\sqrt{2})$



PARAMETRIC FORM OF A CIRCLE

6. Let d be the shortest and D be the longest distance between two circles $x = \cos \theta, y = \sin \theta$ and $x = 3 + 2\cos \theta, y = 3 + 2\sin \theta$, then the value of $(D - d)$ cannot be
- (A) $6\sqrt{2}$
 (B) 6
 (C) $3\sqrt{2} + 2$
 (D) 5

TANGENT AND NORMAL

7. Slope of tangent to the circle $(x - r)^2 + y^2 = r^2$ at the point (x, y) lying on the circle is
- (A) $\frac{x}{y-r}$
 (B) $\frac{r-x}{y}$
 (C) $\frac{y^2-x^2}{2xy}$
 (D) $\frac{y^2+x^2}{2xy}$
8. Point M moved along the circle $(x - 4)^2 + (y - 8)^2 = 20$. Then it broke away from it and moving along a tangent to the circle cuts the x-axis at the point $(-2, 0)$. The co-ordinates of the point on the circle at which the moving point broke away can be
- (A) $\left(-\frac{3}{5}, \frac{46}{5}\right)$
 (B) $\left(-\frac{2}{5}, \frac{44}{5}\right)$
 (C) $(6, 4)$
 (D) $(3, 5)$

NUMBER OF COMMON TANGENTS AND POSITION OF TWO CIRCLE

9. Consider the circles $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ & $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y + 6 = 0$. Then equation of a common tangent to the two circles is
- (A) $4x - 3y - 5 = 0$
 (B) $x + 1 = 0$
 (C) $3x + 4y - 5 = 0$
 (D) $y - 1 = 0$
10. Let number of points of intersection and number of common tangents of two circles $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 2y + 1 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 6y + 9 = 0$ be m and n respectively. Which of the following is/are CORRECT ?
- (A) $m + n = 4$ (B) $n - m = 4$ (C) $mn = 4$ (D) $m^n + n^m = 1$



- 11.** Circles $x^2 + y^2 + 2x = 0$ & $x^2 + y^2 - 2x = 0$ Now which of following is/are correct?

- (A) Number of common tangents is 3
- (B) 2 of common tangents are parallel
- (C) Both circles touches the y-axis
- (D) None of these

RADICAL AXIS

- 12.** For the circles $S_1 \equiv x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y - 12 = 0$ and $S_2 \equiv x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 4y - 12 = 0$ and the line $L \equiv x + y = 0$

- (A) L is common tangent of S_1 and S_2
- (B) L is common chord of S_1 and S_2
- (C) L is radical axis of S_1 & S_2
- (D) L is Perpendicular to the line joining the centre of S_1 & S_2

- 13.** Let $S_2 = 0$ is the mirror image of $S_1: x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y + 12 = 0$ w.r.t the line $L_1: 10^4x + (10^4 + 10)y + (10^4 + 20) = 0$. Let $L_2: 2^{11}x + (2^{11} + 2^{12})y + (2^{11} + 2^{13}) = 0$ be a line then the equations of line passing through the point of intersection of the line $L_2 = 0$ with radical axes of $S_1 = 0$, $S_2 = 0$ and making equal intercepts in magnitude with the coordinate axes is/are

- (A) $x - y - 3 = 0$
- (B) $x + y + 1 = 0$
- (C) $2x - 2y + 1 = 0$
- (D) $2x + 2y + 3 = 0$

MIXED PROBLEMS

- 14.** 3 circle of radii 1, 2 and 3 and centres at A, B and C respectively, touch each other. Another circle whose centre is P touches all these 3 circles externally. and has radius r. Also $\angle PAB = \theta$ & $\angle PAC = \alpha$.

- (A) $\cos \theta = \frac{3-r}{3(1+r)}$
- (B) $\cos \alpha = \frac{2-r}{2(1+r)}$
- (C) $r = \frac{6}{23}$
- (D) $r = \frac{6}{\sqrt{23}}$



EXERCISE-03

SUBJECTIVE | JEE ADVANCED

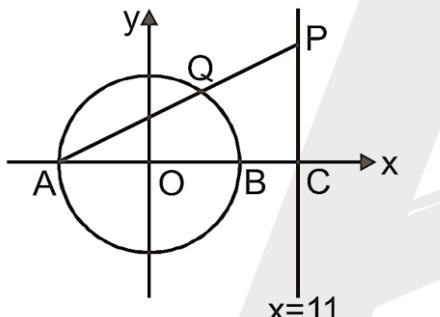
1. Let L_1 be a straight line through the origin and L_2 be the straight line $x + y = 1$. If the intercepts made by the circle $x^2 + y^2 - x + 3y = 0$ on L_1 & L_2 are equal, then find the equation(s) which represent L_1
2. A circle passes through the points $(-1, 1)$, $(0, 6)$ and $(5, 5)$. Find the points on the circle the tangents at which are parallel to the straight line joining origin to the centre.
3. A circle is drawn with its centre on the line $x + y = 2$ to touch the line $4x - 3y + 4 = 0$ and pass through the point $(0, 1)$. Find its equation.
4. Find the locus of the middle points of portions of the tangents to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ terminated by the coordinates axes.
5. Find the equation of the circle passing through the three points $(4, 7)$, $(5, 6)$ and $(1, 8)$. Also find the coordinates of the point of intersection of the tangents to the circle at the points where it is cut by the straight line $5x + y + 17 = 0$.
6. The lines $2x - 3y + 1 = 0$ is tangent to a circle $S = 0$ at $(1, 1)$. If the radius of the circle is $\sqrt{13}$. Find the equation of the circle S .
7. A circle with centre in the first quadrant is tangent to $y = x + 10$, $y = x - 6$, and the y -axis. Let (h, k) be the centre of the circle. If the value of $(h+k) = a + b\sqrt{a}$ where \sqrt{a} is a surd, find the value of $a + b$.
8. A circle C is tangent to the x and y axis in the first quadrant at the points P and Q respectively. BC and AD are parallel tangents to the circle with slope -1 . If the points A and B are on the y -axis while C and D are on the x -axis and the area of the figure $ABCD$ is $900\sqrt{2}$ sq. units then find the radius of the circle.
9. Tangents are drawn to the concentric circles $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ and $x^2 + y^2 = b^2$ at right angle to one another. Show that the locus of their point of intersection is a 3^{rd} concentric circle. Find its radius.
10. Find the locus of the mid point of the chord of a circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ such that the segment intercepted by the chord on the curve $x^2 - 2x - 2y = 0$ subtends a right angle at the origin.
11. Find the equation of circle passing through $(1, 1)$ belonging to the system of co-axial circles that are tangent at $(2, 2)$ to the locus of the point of intersection of mutually perpendicular tangent to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$.
12. A circle $S = 0$ is drawn with its centre at $(-1, 1)$ so as to touch the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 6y - 3 = 0$ externally. Find the intercept made by the circle $S = 0$ on the coordinate axes.



13. Find the equation of the circle which passes through the point (1,1) & which touches the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y - 3 = 0$ at the point (2,3) on it.
14. Find the equation of the circle whose radius is 3 and which touches the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y - 12 = 0$ internally at the point (-1, -1).
15. Let K denotes the square of the diameter of the circle whose diameter is the common chord of the two circles $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 3y + 1 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 3y + 2 = 0$ and W denotes the sum of the abscissa and ordinate of a point P where all variable chords of the curve $y^2 = 8x$ subtending right angles at the origin, are concurrent. and H denotes the square of the length of the tangent from the point (3,0) on the circle $2x^2 + 2y^2 + 5y - 16 = 0$. Find the value of KWH.
16. The radical axis of the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ and $2x^2 + 2y^2 + 3x + 8y + 2c = 0$ touches the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y + 1 = 0$. Show that either $g = 3/4$ or $f = 2$.
17. Find the equation of the circle through the points of intersection of circles $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y - 12 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 4y - 12 = 0$ & cutting the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4 = 0$ orthogonally.
18. The centre of the circle $S = 0$ lie on the line $2x - 2y + 9 = 0$ & $S = 0$ cuts orthogonally the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$. Show that circle $S = 0$ passes through two fixed points & find their coordinates.
19. (a) Find the equation of a circle passing through the origin if the line pair, $xy - 3x + 2y - 6 = 0$ is orthogonal to it. If this circle is orthogonal to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - kx + 2ky - 8 = 0$ then find the value of k.
 (b) Find the equation of the circle which cuts the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 14x - 8y + 64 = 0$ and the coordinates axes orthogonally.
20. Show that the locus of the centres of a circle which cuts two given circles orthogonally is a straight line & hence deduce the locus of the centres of the circles which cut the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y + 9 = 0$ & $x^2 + y^2 - 5x + 4y + 2 = 0$ orthogonally. Interpret the locus.
21. Find the equation of a circle which touches the line $x + y = 5$ at the point (-2,7) and cuts the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y + 9 = 0$ orthogonally
22. Find the equation of the circle passing through the point (-6,0) if the power of the point (1,1) w.r.t. the circle is 5 and it cuts the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y - 3 = 0$ orthogonally.
23. Find the equation of the circle which passes through the origin, meets the x-axis orthogonally & cuts the circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ at an angle of 45° .
24. Determine the nature of the quadrilateral formed by four lines $3x + 4y - 5 = 0$; $4x - 3y - 5 = 0$; $3x + 4y + 5 = 0$ and $4x - 3y + 5 = 0$. Find the equation of the circle inscribed and circumscribing this quadrilateral.
25. The line $lx + my + n = 0$ intersects the curve $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 1$ at the point P and Q. The circle on PQ as diameter passes through the origin. Prove that $n^2(a + b) = l^2 + m^2$.



26. One of the diameters of the circle circumscribing the rectangle ABCD is $4y = x + 7$. If A&B are the points $(-3,4)$ & $(5,4)$ respectively, then find the area of the rectangle.
27. Find the equations of straight lines which pass through the intersection of the lines $x - 2y - 5 = 0$, $7x + y = 50$ & divide the circumference of the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 100$ into two arcs whose lengths are in the ratio 2: 1.
28. In the given figure, the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ intersects the x-axis at the point A and B. The line $x = 11$ intersects the x-axis at the point C. Point P moves along the line $x = 11$ above the x-axis and AP intersects the circle at Q. Find
- The coordinates of the point P if the triangle AQB has the maximum area.
 - The coordinates of the point P if Q is the middle point of AP.
 - The coordinates of P if the area of the triangle AQB is $(1/4)^{\text{th}}$ of the area of the triangle APC.



29. A point moving around circle $(x + 4)^2 + (y + 2)^2 = 25$ with centre C broke away from it either at the point A or point B on the circle and moved along a tangent to the circle passing through the point D(3, -3). Find the following.
- Equation of the tangents at A and B.
 - Coordinates of the points A and B.
 - Angle ADB and the maximum and minimum distances of the point D from the circle.
 - Area of quadrilateral ADBC and the $\triangle DAB$.
 - Equation of the circle circumscribing the $\triangle DAB$ and also the intercepts made by this circle on the coordinate axes.
30. Find the equation of a line with gradient 1 such that the two circles $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 10x - 14y + 65 = 0$ intercept equal length on it.
31. 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 touches the circle B and passes through the centre of the circle C. If the length of this chord can be expressed as \sqrt{x} , find x.



32. Obtain the equations of the straight lines passing through the point A(2,0) & making 45° angle with the tangent at A to the circle $(x + 2)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 25$. Find the equations of the circles each of radius 3 whose centres are on these straight lines at a distance of $5\sqrt{2}$ from A.
33. A variable circle passes through the point A(a, b) & touches the x-axis; show that the locus of the other end of the diameter through A is $(x - a)^2 = 4$ by.
34. Consider a family of circles passing through two fixed points A(3,7) & B(6,5). The chords in which the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y - 3 = 0$ cuts the members of the family are concurrent at a point. Find the coordinates of this point.
35. The circle C: $x^2 + y^2 + kx + (1+k)y - (k+1) = 0$ passes through two fixed points for every real number k. Find.
 - (i) the coordinates of these two points.
 - (ii) the minimum value of the radius of a circle C.
36. Let A, B, C be real numbers such that (i) $(\sin A, \cos B)$ lies on a unit circle centred at origin.
 (ii) $\tan C$ and $\cot C$ are defined. If the minimum value of $(\tan C - \sin A)^2 + (\cot C - \cos B)^2$ is $a + b\sqrt{2}$ where $a, b \in \mathbb{I}$, find the value of $a^3 + b^3$.
37. A Rhombus ABCD has sides of length 10. A circle with centre 'A' passes through C (the opposite vertex) likewise, a circle with centre B passes through D. If the two circles are tangent to each other. Find the area of the rhombus.
38. Circles C_1 and C_2 are externally tangent and they are both internally tangent to the circle C_3 . The radii of C_1 and C_2 are 4 and 10, respectively and the centres of the three circles are collinear. A chord of C_3 is also a common internal tangent of C_1 and C_2 . Given that the length of the chord is $\frac{m\sqrt{n}}{p}$ where m, n and p are positive integers, m and p are relatively prime and n is not divisible by the square of any prime, find the value of $(m + n + p)$.
39. Determine the range of values of $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]$ for which the point $(\cos \theta, \sin \theta)$ lies inside the triangle formed by the lines $x + y = 2$; $x - y = 1$ and $6x + 2y - \sqrt{10} = 0$.

COMPREHENSION FOR QUE. 40 TO 42

If $7\ell^2 - 9m^2 + 8\ell + 1 = 0$ and we have to find equation of circle having $\ell x + my + 1 = 0$ is a tangent and we can adjust given condition as $16\ell^2 + 8\ell + 1 = 9(\ell^2 + m^2)$ or $(4\ell + 1)^2 = 9(\ell^2 + m^2)$ $\Rightarrow \frac{|4\ell + 1|}{\sqrt{\ell^2 + m^2}} = 3$ Centre of circle = (4,0) and radius = 3 when any two non parallel lines touching a circle, then centre of circle lies on angle bisector of lines.

On the basis of above information, answer the following questions :



- 40.** If $16m^2 - 8\ell - 1 = 0$, then equation of the circle having $\ell x + my + 1 = 0$ is a tangent is
- $x^2 + y^2 + 8x = 0$
 - $x^2 + y^2 - 8x = 0$
 - $x^2 + y^2 + 8y = 0$
 - $x^2 + y^2 - 8y = 0$
- 41.** If $16\ell^2 + 9m^2 = 24\ell m + 6\ell + 8m + 1$ and if S be the equation of the circle having $\ell x + my + 1 = 0$ is a tangent when the equation of director circle of S is
- $x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 8y = 25$
 - $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 8y = 25$
 - $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 8y = 25$
 - $x^2 + y^2 + 6x - 8y = 25$
- 42.** If $4\ell^2 - 5m^2 + 6\ell + 1 = 0$, then the centre and radius of the circle which have $\ell x + my + 1 = 0$ is a tangent is
- $(0, 4); \sqrt{5}$
 - $(4, 0); \sqrt{5}$
 - $(0, 3); \sqrt{5}$
 - $(3, 0); \sqrt{5}$

MATRIX MATCH TYPE**43. Column - I**(A) If the straight line $y = mx \forall m \in I$ touches or lies**Column - II**

(P) 0

outside the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 20y + 90 = 0$,then the value of $|m|$ can be(B) If the straight line $3x - 4y - 5k = 0, \forall k \in I$

(Q) 1

touches or lies inside the circle, $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 8y - 5 = 0$,then the value of $|k + 2|$ can be(C) Two circle $x^2 + y^2 + px + py - 7 = 0$ and

(R) 2

 $x^2 + y^2 - 10x + 2py + 1 = 0$ will orthogonally,

(S) 3

then the value of p is

(T) 4



EXERCISE-04(LEVEL-I)

PREVIOUS YEAR | JEE MAIN

1. Consider a family of circles which are passing through the point $(-1,1)$ and are tangent to x-axis. If (h, k) are the co-ordinates of the centre of the circles, then the set of values of k is given by the interval [AIEEE-2007]
 (A) $0 < k < 1/2$
 (B) $k \geq 1/2$
 (C) $-1/2 \leq k \leq 1/2$
 (D) $k \leq 1/2$
2. The point diametrically opposite to the point $P(1,0)$ on the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 4y - 3 = 0$ is [AIEEE-2008]
 (A) $(-3,4)$
 (B) $(-3,-4)$
 (C) $(3,4)$
 (D) $(3,-4)$
3. The circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4x + 8y + 5$ intersects the line $3x - 4y = m$ at two distinct points if [AIEEE-2010]
 (A) $-85 < m < -35$
 (B) $-35 < m < 15$
 (C) $15 < m < 65$
 (D) $35 < m < 85$
4. The two circles $x^2 + y^2 = ax$ and $x^2 + y^2 = c^2 (c > 0)$ touch each other if : [AIEEE-2011]
 (A) $2|a| = c$
 (B) $|a| = c$
 (C) $a = 2c$
 (D) $|a| = 2c$
5. The length of the diameter of the circle which touches the x-axis at the point $(1,0)$ and passes through the point $(2,3)$ [AIEEE-2012]
 (A) $6/5$
 (B) $5/3$
 (C) $10/3$
 (D) $3/5$



6. The circle passing through $(1, -2)$ and touching the axis of x at $(3, 0)$ also passes through the point : [JEE-MAIN 2013]
 (A) $(5, -2)$
 (B) $(-2, 5)$
 (C) $(-5, 2)$
 (D) $(2, -5)$
7. 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: [JEE-MAIN 2014]
 (A) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{2}}$
 (B) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
 (C) $\frac{1}{2}$
 (D) $\frac{1}{4}$
8. 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 : [JEE-MAIN 2015]
 (A) 3
 (B) 4
 (C) 1
 (D) 2
9. If one of the diameters of the circle, given by the equation, $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 6y - 12 = 0$, is a chord of a circle S , whose centre is at $(-3, 2)$, then the radius of S is : [JEE-MAIN 2016]
 (A) $5\sqrt{3}$
 (B) 5
 (C) 10
 (D) $5\sqrt{2}$
10. Let the orthocentre and centroid of a triangle be $A(-3, 5)$ and $B(3, 3)$ respectively. If C is the circumcentre of this triangle, then the radius of the circle having line segment AC as diameter, is : [JEE-MAIN 2018]
 (A) $\frac{3\sqrt{5}}{2}$ (B) $\sqrt{10}$ (C) $2\sqrt{10}$ (D) $3\sqrt{\frac{5}{2}}$



EXERCISE-04(LEVEL-II)

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1. (a) Let ABCD be a quadrilateral with area 18, with side AB parallel to the side CD and $AB = 2CD$. Let AD be perpendicular to AB and CD. If a circle is drawn inside the quadrilateral ABCD touching all the sides, then its radius is [JEE 2007]

- (A) 3
- (B) 2
- (C) $3/2$
- (D) 1

(b) Tangents are drawn from the point $(17,7)$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 169$.

Statement-I : The tangents are mutually perpendicular. because

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 correct explanation for statement-I
- (B) Statement-I is true, statement-II is true; statement-II is NOT correct explanation for statement-I
- (C) Statement-I is true, Statement-II is False
- (D) Statement-I is False, Statement-II is True

2. (a) Consider the two curves

$$C_1: y^2 = 4x; C_2: x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 1 = 0. \text{ Then,}$$

[JEE 2008]

- (A) C_1 and C_2 touch each other only at one point
- (B) C_1 and C_2 touch each other exactly at two points
- (C) C_1 and C_2 intersect (but do not touch) at exactly two points
- (D) C_1 and C_2 neither intersect nor touch each other

(b) 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-I : If line L_1 is a chord of circle C , then line L_2 is not always a diameter of circle C .

Statement-II : If line L_1 is a diameter of circle C , then line L_2 is not a chord of circle C .

- (A) Statement-I is true, statement-II is true; statement-II is correct explanation for statement-I
- (B) Statement-I is true, statement-II is true; statement-II is NOT correct explanation for statement-I
- (C) Statement-I is true, Statement-II is False
- (D) Statement-I is False, Statement-II is True

(c) Comprehension

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 and D, E, F respectively. The line PQ is given by the equation $\sqrt{3}x + y - 6 = 0$ and the point D is $(\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2})$. Further, it is given that the origin and the centre of C are on the same side of the line PQ.

(i) The equation of circle C is

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

(ii) Points E and F are given by

- (A) $(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2}), (\sqrt{3}, 0)$
- (B) $(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1}{2}), (\sqrt{3}, 0)$
- (C) $(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2}), (\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1}{2})$
- (D) $(\frac{3}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}), (\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1}{2})$

(iii) Equations of the sides RP, RQ 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) $y = \sqrt{3}x, y = 0$

3. **(a)** Tangents drawn from the point P(1,8) to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 4y - 11 = 0$ touch the circle at the points A and B. The equation of the circumcircle of the triangle PAB is [JEE 2009]

- (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) $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 4y + 19 = 0$

(b) The centres of two circles C_1 and C_2 each of unit radius are at a distance of 6 units 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



4. Two parallel chords of a circle of radius 2 are at a distance $\sqrt{3} + 1$ apart. If the chords subtend at the center, angles of $\frac{\pi}{k}$ and $\frac{2\pi}{k}$, where $k > 0$, then the value of $[k]$ is [JEE 2010]
 { Note : $[k]$ denotes the largest integer less than or equal to k }
5. The circle passing through the point $(-1,0)$ and touching the y-axis at $(0,2)$ also passes through the point [JEE 2011]
- (A) $(-\frac{3}{2}, 0)$
 (B) $(-\frac{5}{2}, 2)$
 (C) $(-\frac{3}{2}, \frac{5}{2})$
 (D) $(-4,0)$
6. The straight line $2x - 3y = 1$ divides the circular region $x^2 + y^2 \leq 6$ into two parts. If $S = \left\{ \left(2, \frac{3}{4}\right), \left(\frac{5}{2}, \frac{3}{4}\right), \left(\frac{1}{4}, -\frac{1}{4}\right), \left(\frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{4}\right) \right\}$, then the number of point(s) in S lying inside the smaller part is [JEE 2011]
7. 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 [JEE 2012]
- (A) $20(x^2 + y^2) - 36x + 45y = 0$
 (B) $20(x^2 + y^2) + 36x - 45y = 0$
 (C) $36(x^2 + y^2) - 20x + 45y = 0$
 (D) $36(x^2 + y^2) + 20x - 45y = 0$

Paragraph(8 - 9)

A tangent PT is drawn to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ at the point $P(\sqrt{3}, 1)$. A straight line L, perpendicular to PT is a tangent to the circle $(x - 3)^2 + y^2 = 1$. [JEE 2012]

8. A possible equation of L is
- (A) $x - \sqrt{3}y = 1$
 (B) $x + \sqrt{3}y = 1$
 (C) $x - \sqrt{3}y = -1$
 (D) $x + \sqrt{3}y = 5$
9. A common tangent of the two circles is
- (A) $x = 4$
 (B) $y = 2$
 (C) $x + \sqrt{3}y = 4$
 (D) $x + 2\sqrt{2}y = 6$



- 10.** Circle(s) touching $x - \text{axis}$ at a distance 3 from the origin and having an intercept of length $2\sqrt{7}$ on y -axis is (are) [JEE Adv. 2013]
- (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) $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 7y + 9 = 0$
- 11.** 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 [JEE Adv. 2014]
- (A) Radius of S is 8
 (B) radius of S is 7
 (C) centre of S is $(-7,1)$
 (D) centre of S is $(-8,1)$
- 12.** 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 . Then 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) [JEE Adv. 2016]
- (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) $\left(\frac{1}{4}, -\frac{1}{2}\right)$
- 13.** 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 [JEE Adv. 2017]
- 14.** Let T be the line passing the points $P(-2,7)$ and $Q(2,-5)$. Let F be the set of all pairs of circles (S_1, S_2) such that T is tangent to S_1 at P and tangent to S_2 at Q , and also such that S_1 and S_2 touch each other at a point, say M . Let E_1^2 be the set representing the locus of M as the pair (S_1, S_2) varies in F_1 . Let the set of all straight line segments joining a pair of distinct points of E_1 and passing through the point $R(1,1)$ be F_2 . Let E_2 be the set of the mid-points of the line segments in the set F_2 . Then, which of the following statement(s) is (are) TRUE ?
- [JEE Adv. 2018]
- (A) The point $(-2,7)$ lies in E_1 (B) The point $\left(\frac{4}{5}, \frac{7}{5}\right)$ does NOT lie in E_2
 (C) The point $\left(\frac{1}{2}, 1\right)$ lies in E_2 (D) The point $\left(0, \frac{3}{2}\right)$ does NOT lie in E_1



PARAGRAPH 15 to 16

Let S be the circle in the xy -plane defined by the equation $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ [JEE Adv. 2018]

15. Let E_1E_2 and F_1F_2 be the chords of S passing through the point $P_0(1,1)$ and parallel to the x-axis and the y-axis, respectively. Let G_1G_2 be the chord of S passing through P_0 and having slope -1.

Let the tangents to S at E_1 and E_2 meet at E_3 , the tangents to S at F_1 and F_2 meet at F_3 and the tangents to S at G_1 and G_2 meet at G_3 . Then, the points E_3 , F_3 , and G_3 lie on the curve

- (A) $x + y = 4$
- (B) $(x - 4)^2 + (y - 4)^2 = 16$
- (C) $(x - 4)(y - 4) = 4$
- (D) $xy = 4$

16. Let P be a point on the circle S with both coordinates being positive. Let the tangent to S at P intersect the coordinate axes at the points M and N. Then, the mid-point of the line segment MN must lie on the curve.

- (A) $(x + y)^2 = 3xy$
- (B) $x^{2/3} + y^{2/3} = 2^{4/3}$
- (C) $x^2 + y^2 = 2xy$
- (D) $x^2 + y^2 = x^2y^2$

17. A line $y = mx + 1$ intersects the circle $(x - 3)^2 + (y + 2)^2 = 25$ at the points P and Q. If the midpoint of the line segment PQ has x-coordinate $\frac{-3}{5}$, then which one of the following options is correct ?

[JEE Adv. 2019]

- (A) $-3 \leq m < -1$
- (B) $6 \leq m < 8$
- (C) $4 \leq m < 6$
- (D) $2 \leq m < 4$

18. Let the point B be the reflection of the point A(2,3) with respect to the line $8x - 6y - 23 = 0$. Let Γ_A and Γ_B be circles of radii 2 and 1 with centres A and B respectively. Let T be a common tangent to the circles Γ_A and Γ_B such that both the circles are on the same side of T. If C is the point of intersection of T and the line passing through A and B, then the length of the line segment AC is

[JEE Adv. 2019]

19. Let O be the centre of the circle $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$, where $r > \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}$. Suppose PQ is a chord of this circle and the equation of the line passing through P and Q is $2x + 4y = 5$. If the centre of the circumcircle of the triangle OPQ lies on the line $x + 2y = 4$, then the value of r is

[JEE Adv. 2020]



20. Consider a triangle Δ whose two sides lie on the x axis and the line $x + y + 1 = 0$. If the orthocenter of Δ is $(1,1)$, then the equation of the circle passing through the vertices of the triangle Δ is

[JEE Adv. 2021]

- (A) $x^2 + y^2 - 3x + y = 0$
- (B) $x^2 + y^2 + x + 3y = 0$
- (C) $x^2 + y^2 + 2y - 1 = 0$
- (D) $x^2 + y^2 + x + y = 0$

Paragraph for Q.21 & Q.22

Let $M = \{(x,y) \in R \times R : x^2 + y^2 \leq r^2\}$,

Where $r > 0$. Consider the geometric progression

$a_n = \frac{1}{2^{n-1}}$, $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$. Let $S_0 = 0$ and, for $n \geq 1$, let

S_n denote the sum of the first n terms of this progression. For $n \geq 1$, let C_n denote the circle with center $(S_{n-1}, 0)$ and radius a_n and D_n denote the circle with center (S_{n-1}, S_{n-1}) and radius a_n .

[JEE Adv. 2021]

21. Consider M with $r = \frac{1025}{513}$. Let k be the number of all those circles C_n that are inside M . Let l be the maximum possible number of circles among these k circles such that no two circles intersect. Then

- (A) $k + 2l = 22$
- (B) $2k + 1 = 26$
- (C) $2k + 3l = 34$
- (D) $3k + 2l = 40$

22. Consider M with $r = \frac{(2^{199}-1)\sqrt{2}}{2^{198}}$. The number of all those circles D_n that are inside M is

- (A) 198
- (B) 199
- (C) 200
- (D) 201

23. Let ABC be the triangle with $AB = 1$, $AC = 3$ and $\angle BAC = \frac{\pi}{2}$. If a circle of radius $r > 0$ touches the sides AB , AC and also touches internally the circumcircle of the triangle ABC , then the value of r is

[JEE Adv. 2022]

24. Let G be a circle of radius $R > 0$. Let G_1, G_2, \dots, G_n be n circles of equal radius $r > 0$. Suppose each of the n circles G_1, G_2, \dots, G_n touches the circle G externally. Also, for $i = 1, 2, \dots, n-1$, the circle G_i touches G_{i+1} externally, and G_n touches G_1 externally. Then, which of the following statements is/are TRUE?

[JEE Adv. 2022]

- (A) If $n = 4$, then $(\sqrt{2} - 1)r < R$
- (B) If $n = 5$, then $r < R$
- (C) If $n = 8$, then $(\sqrt{2} - 1)r < R$
- (D) If $n = 12$, then $\sqrt{2}(\sqrt{3} + 1)r > R$



ANSWER KEY

EXERCISE - I JEE Main

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| 1. | B | 2. | A | 3. | D | 4. | A | 5. | B | 6. | B | 7. | A |
| 8. | C | 9. | B | 10. | D | 11. | C | 12. | D | 13. | C | 14. | A |
| 15. | B | 16. | B | 17. | C | 18. | A | 19. | A | 20. | C | 21. | C |
| 22. | A | 23. | C | 24. | B | 25. | A | 26. | B | 27. | A | 28. | C |
| 29. | C | 30. | D | 31. | A | 32. | B | 33. | D | 34. | B | 35. | D |
| 36. | A | 37. | A | 38. | A | 39. | C | 40. | C | 41. | A | 42. | C |
| 43. | C | 44. | C | 45. | A | 46. | A | 47. | D | 48. | B | | |

EXERCISE - II JEE Advance (Level - I)

Single correct Option - type Questions

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| 1. | B | 2. | C | 3. | D | 4. | A | 5. | D | 6. | D | 7. | A |
| 8. | D | 9. | C | 10. | A | 11. | A | 12. | C | 13. | A | 14. | D |
| 15. | D | 16. | C | 17. | A | 18. | C | 19. | B | 20. | C | 21. | B |
| 22. | C | 23. | D | 24. | C | 25. | A | 26. | B | 27. | B | 28. | B |
| 29. | B | 30. | D | 31. | B | 32. | A | 33. | A | 34. | C | 35. | C |
| 36. | D | 37. | B | | | | | | | | | | |

(Level - II)

Multiple correct Option - type Questions

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| 1. | A,C,D | 2. | A,C | 3. | C,D | 4. | A,B,D | 5. | A,C | 6. | A,C,D | 7. | B,C |
| 8. | B,C, | 9. | A,B,C,D | | | 10. | A,B,D | 11. | A,B,C | 12. | B,C,D | 13. | A,B |
| 14. | A,B,C | | | | | | | | | | | | |

EXERCISE - III

Subjective - type Questions

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| 1. | $x - y = 0; x + 7y = 0$ | 2. | $(5,1) \& (-1,5)$ |
| 3. | $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y + 1 = 0$ OR $x^2 + y^2 - 42x + 38y - 39 = 0$ | | |
| 4. | $a^2(x^2 + y^2) = 4x^2y^2$ | 5. | $(-4,2), x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y - 15 = 0$ |
| 6. | $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 4y = 0$ OR $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 8y + 4 = 0$ | | |
| 7. | 10 | 8. | $r = 15$ |
| 9. | $x^2 + y^2 = a^2 + b^2; r = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$ | 10. | $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y = 0$ |
| 11. | $x^2 + y^2 - 3x - 3y + 4 = 0$ | 12. | zero, zero |



13. $x^2 + y^2 + x - 6y + 3 = 0$ 14. $5x^2 + 5y^2 - 8x - 14y - 32 = 0$
15. 64 17. $x^2 + y^2 + 16x + 14y - 12 = 0$
18. $(-4,4); (-1/2,1/2)$
19. (a) $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y = 0$; $k = 1$; (b) $x^2 + y^2 = 64$
20. $9x - 10y + 7 = 0$; radical axis 21. $x^2 + y^2 + 7x - 11y + 38 = 0$
22. $x^2 + y^2 + 6x - 3y = 0$ 23. $x^2 + y^2 \pm a\sqrt{2}x = 0$
24. square of side, 2; $x^2 + y^2 = 1$; $x^2 + y^2 = 2$ 26. 32 sq. unit
27. $4x - 3y - 25 = 0$ OR $3x + 4y - 25 = 0$ 28. (i) (11,16) (ii) (11,8), (iii) (11,12)
29. (i) $3x - 4y = 21$; $4x + 3y = 3$; (ii) A(0,1) and B(-1,-6); (iii) 90° , $5(\sqrt{2} \pm 1)$ units
(iv) 25 sq. units, 12.5 sq. units; (v) $x^2 + y^2 + x + 5y - 6$, x intercept 5; y intercept 7
30. $2x - 2y - 3 = 0$ 31. 63
32. $x - 7y = 2$, $7x + y = 14$; $(x - 1)^2 + (y - 7)^2 = 3^2$; $(x - 3)^2 + (y + 7)^2 = 3^2$; $(x - 9)^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 3^2$; $(x + 5)^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 3^2$
34. $\left(2, \frac{23}{3}\right)$ 35. (1,0) & $(1/2, 1/2)$; $r = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}$
36. 19 37. 75 sq. unit
38. 19 39. $0 < \theta < \frac{5\pi}{6} - \tan^{-1} 3$

Comprehension - based Questions

40. B 41. C 42. D

Matrix Match - type Questions

43. (A) -P, Q, R, S; (B) -P, Q, R, S, T; (C) -R, S

EXERCISE - IV
Previous Year's Question JEE Main

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| 1. | B | 2. | B | 3. | B | 4. | B | 5. | C | 6. | A | 7. | D |
| 8. | A | 9. | A | 10. | D | | | | | | | | |

JEE Advanced

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| 1. (a) B; (b) A | 2. (a) B; (b) C; (c) (i) D, (ii) A, (iii) D | 3. (a) B ; (b) 8 | | | | |
| 4. 3 | 5. D | 6. 0002 | 7. A | 8. A | 9. D | 10. A,C |
| 11. B,C | 12. A,C | 13. 2 | 14. D | 15. A | 16. D | 17. D |
| 18. 10 | 19. 2 | 20. B | 21. D | 22. B | 23. 0.84 | 24. CD |