

# MATH127; Formulae

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## 1 Distance

$$d = \sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2}$$

## 2 Midpoint

$$(x_m, y_m) = \left( \frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1 + y_2}{2} \right)$$

## 3 Pythagorean Theorem

$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$

**Converse of Pythagorean Theorem** states that if the longest side of a triangle equals the sum of the other 2 sides, it is a *right* triangle.

## 4 General Form

$$ax + by = c$$

## 5 Slope

$$\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

## 6 Point-Slope

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

## 7 Area of a Triangle

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## 9 General Form of a Circle

$$Ax^2 + Ay^2 + Dx + Ey + F = 0$$

## 10 Standard Form of a Circle

$$(x - h)^2 + (y - k)^2 = r^2$$

- Center: (h, k).
- If h or k are positive in **Standard Form** → They reflect a negative value, respectively.

## 11 Area of Square Inside Circle

$$A = 2r^2$$

## 12 Average Rate of Change of Function Over Interval

Average rate of change of  $f(x)$  over interval  $[a, b]$ :

$$\frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a}$$

This represents the slope of the **Secant Line** that connects the points  $(a, f(a))$  and  $(b, f(b))$ .