

Matrix Project

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JEE Problems in Linear Algebra - Q33

A circle passes through $\begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$ and touches the y-axis at $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$

Which one of the following equations can represent a diameter of this circle?

a) $[4 \ 5]x = 6$

b) $[2 \ -3]x + 10 = 0$

c) $[3 \ 4]x = 3$

d) $[5 \ 2]x + 4 = 0$

Matrix Transformation of Question

JEE Problems in Linear Algebra - Q3

Let's say point $\begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$ is P_1 , $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ is P_2 and centre C as $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$

We know that in a circle $|\overline{CP_1}| = |\overline{CP_2}|$,

$$(P_1 - C)^T(P_1 - C) = (P_2 - C)^T(P_2 - C)$$

Solution

$$C^T(P_2 - P_1) = (C^T(P_2 - P_1))^T \quad [integer]$$

$$C^T(P_2 - P_1) = \frac{P_2^T P_2 - P_1^T P_1}{2} = \frac{|P_2|^2 - |P_1|^2}{2}$$

$$[x \ 2] \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{|P_2|^2 - |P_1|^2}{2} = -8$$

$$2x - 4 = -8$$

$$\implies x = -2$$

Solution

$$\Rightarrow \text{Centre } C = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Option a) } \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = 6$$
$$2 = 6 \quad (\text{False})$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Option b) } \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + 10 = 0$$
$$-10 + 10 = 0 \quad (\text{True})$$

Solution

$$\Rightarrow \text{Option c) } \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + 10 = 0$$

$$2 = 3 \quad (\text{False})$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Option d) } \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + 4 = 0$$

$$-6 + 4 = 0 \quad (\text{False})$$

Diagram

