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*My Parents*



# Preface

*COORDINATE GEOMETRY BOOSTER with Problems & Solutions for JEE Main and Advanced* is meant for aspirants preparing for the entrance examination of different technical institutions, especially NIT/IIT/BITSAT/IISc. In writing this book, I have drawn heavily from my long teaching experience at National Level Institutes. After many years of teaching, I have realised the need of designing a book that will help the readers to build their base, improve their level of mathematical concepts and enjoy the subject.

This book is designed keeping in view the new pattern of questions asked in JEE Main and Advanced Exams. It has six chapters. Each chapter has the concept booster followed by a large number of exercises with the exact solutions to the problems as given below:

Level - I	: Problems based on Fundamentals
Level - II	: Mixed Problems (Objective Type Questions)
Level - III	: Problems for JEE Advanced Exam
Level - IV	: Tougher Problems for JEE-Advanced Exam
(0.....9)	: Integer Type Questions
Passages	: Comprehensive Link Passages
Matching	: Matrix Match
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Remember friends, no problem in mathematics is difficult. Once you understand the concept, they will become easy. So please don't jump to exercise problems before you go through the Concept Booster and the objectives. Once you are confident in the theory part, attempt the exercises. The exercise problems are arranged in a manner that they gradually require advanced thinking.

I hope this book will help you to build your base, enjoy the subject and improve your confidence to tackle any type of problem easily and skilfully.

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# Straight Lines

## RECTANGULAR CARTESIAN CO-ORDINATES

### CONCEPT BOOSTER

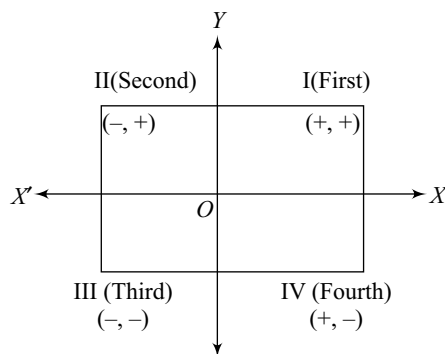
#### 1. INTRODUCTION

A french mathematician and great philosopher Rene Descartes (1596–1665) introduced an idea to study geometry with the help of algebra.

It is called co-ordinate Geometry or analytical geometry. Here we use points, lines and curves by the different forms of algebraic equations.

#### 2. CO-ORDINATE AXES AND RECTANGULAR AXES

The position of a point in a plane with reference to two intersecting lines called the co-ordinate axes and their point of intersection is called the origin. If these two axes cut at right angles, they are called rectangular axes, else they are called *oblique axes*.



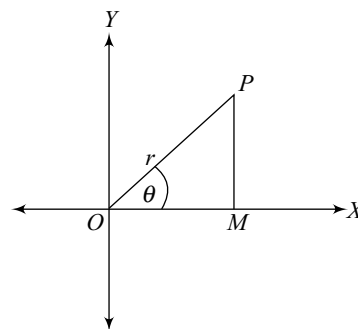
Let  $P$  be any point in the plane. Draw perpendiculars from  $P$  parallel to reference lines  $X'OX$  and  $Y'OY'$ , respectively. The lengths  $PN$  and  $PM$  are called the co-ordinates of the point  $P$ .

#### 3. CARTESIAN CO-ORDINATES

This system of representing a point in 2-dimensions is called cartesian system. We normally denote  $PN$  by  $x$  and  $PM$  by  $y$ . Thus an ordered pair of two real numbers describes the cartesian co-ordinates of  $P$ .

The reference lines  $XOX'$  and  $YOY'$  are respectively, called  $x$ - and  $y$ -axis. These lines divide the plane into four equal parts and each part is called quadrant.

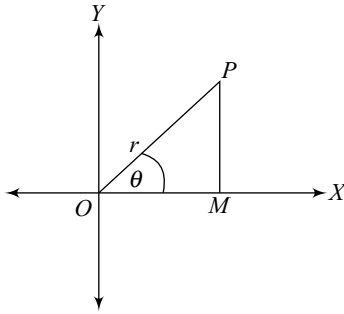
#### 4. POLAR CO-ORDINATES



The position of a point in a plane can also be described by other co-ordinate system, called polar co-ordinate system. In this case, we consider  $OX$  as initial line,  $O$  as origin. If  $P$  be any point on the plane such that  $OP = r$  and  $\angle POX = \theta$ , then  $(r, \theta)$  is called the polar co-ordinate of the point  $P$ , where  $r > 0$  and  $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$ .

#### 5. RELATION BETWEEN THE CARTESIAN AND POLAR CO-ORDINATES

Let  $P(x, y)$  be the cartesian co-ordinates with respect to  $OX$  and  $OY$  and  $P(r, \theta)$  be the polars co-ordinates with respect to the pole  $O$  and the initial line  $OX$ .



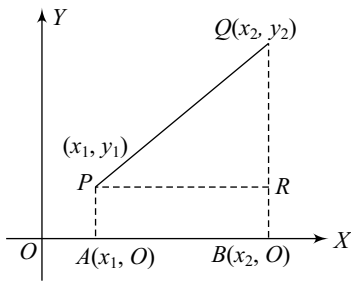
Now from the figure,  $x = r \cos \theta$  and  $y = r \sin \theta$

Thus,  $r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$  and  $\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)$ .

Therefore,  $(x, y) \Rightarrow (r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta)$

and  $(r, \theta) \Rightarrow \left(\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}, \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)\right)$ .

**6. DISTANCE BETWEEN TWO POINTS (CARTESIAN FORM)**



The distance between any two points  $P(x_1, y_1)$  and  $Q(x_2, y_2)$  is

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

**Note:** If the three points  $P, Q, R$  are collinear, then  $|PQ| \pm |QR| = |PR|$ .

**Polar Form**

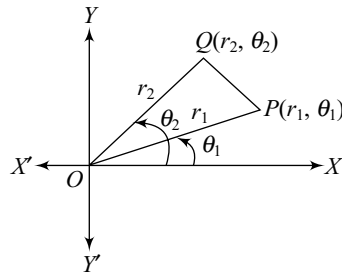
Let  $P(r_1, \theta_1)$  and  $Q(r_2, \theta_2)$  be any two points in polar form and  $\theta$  be the angle between them.

Then

$$\cos \theta = \frac{r_1^2 + r_2^2 - PQ^2}{2r_1r_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow PQ^2 = r_1^2 + r_2^2 - 2r_1r_2 \cos \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow PQ = \sqrt{r_1^2 + r_2^2 - 2r_1r_2 \cos \theta}$$



**Notes:**

**1. When 3 points are given and in order to prove**

- (i) an isosceles triangle, show that any two sides are equal.

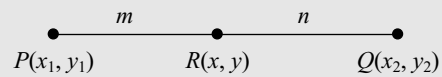
- (ii) an equilateral triangle, show that all sides are equal
- (iii) a scalene triangle, show that all sides are unequal.
- (iv) a right-angled triangle, say  $\triangle ABC$ , show that  $AB^2 + BC^2 = AC^2$

**2. When 4 points are given and in order to prove**

- (i) a square, show that all sides and diagonals are equal.
- (ii) a rhombus, show that all sides are equal but diagonals are not equal.
- (iii) a rectangle, show that opposite sides and diagonals are equal.
- (iv) a parallelogram, show that opposite sides and diagonals are equal.

**7. SECTION FORMULAE**

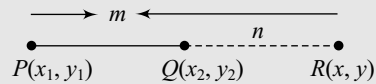
(i) *Internal Section formula*



If a point  $R(x, y)$  divides a line segment joining the points  $P(x_1, y_1)$  and  $Q(x_2, y_2)$  internally in the ratio  $m : n$ , then

$$x = \frac{mx_2 + nx_1}{m + n}, y = \frac{my_2 + ny_1}{m + n}$$

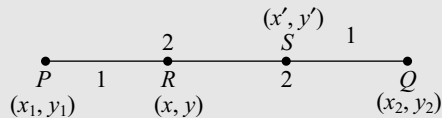
(ii) *External section formula*



If a point  $R(x, y)$  divides a line segment joining the points  $P(x_1, y_1)$  and  $Q(x_2, y_2)$  externally in the ratio  $m : n$ , then

$$x = \frac{mx_2 - nx_1}{m - n}, y = \frac{my_2 - ny_1}{m - n}$$

(iii) *Tri-section formula*



Let the points  $P$  and  $Q$  be  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$  respectively. Then the co-ordinates of the point  $R$  is

$$\left(\frac{x_2 + 2x_1}{3}, \frac{y_2 + 2y_1}{3}\right)$$

and the co-ordinates of the point  $S$  is

$$\left(\frac{2x_2 + x_1}{3}, \frac{2y_2 + y_1}{3}\right)$$

(iv) *Mid-point formula*

If a point  $R(x, y)$  divides a line segment joining the points  $P(x_1, y_1)$  and  $Q(x_2, y_2)$  internally in the same ratio, then

$$x = \frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}, y = \frac{y_1 + y_2}{2}$$

(v) If the line joining the points  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$  is divided by the

(a)  $x$ -axis, then its ratio is  $-\frac{y_1}{y_2}$

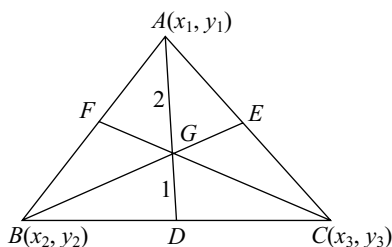
(b)  $y$ -axis, then its ratio is  $-\frac{x_1}{x_2}$ .

(vi) If a line  $ax + by + c = 0$  divides the line joining the points  $P(x_1, y_1)$  and  $Q(x_2, y_2)$  at  $R$ , then the ratio

$$\frac{PR}{RQ} = -\frac{ax_1 + by_1 + c}{ax_2 + by_2 + c}$$

### Important Points of a Triangle

(i) **Centroid:** The point of intersection of the medians of a triangle is called centroid.



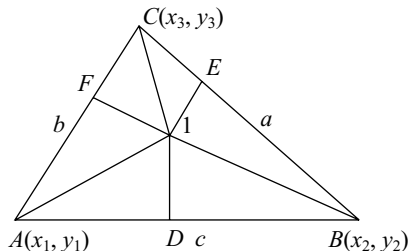
If the vertices of  $\Delta ABC$  be  $A(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $B(x_2, y_2)$  and  $C(x_3, y_3)$ , the co-ordinates of its centroid is

$$\left( \frac{x_1 + x_2 + x_3}{3}, \frac{y_1 + y_2 + y_3}{3} \right).$$

(ii) If  $(a_1, b_1)$ ,  $(a_2, b_2)$  and  $(a_3, b_3)$  be the mid-points of the sides of a triangle, its centroid is also given as

$$\left( \frac{a_1 + a_2 + a_3}{3}, \frac{b_1 + b_2 + b_3}{3} \right).$$

(iii) **Incentre:** The point of intersection of an angle bisectors of a triangle is called its incentre.

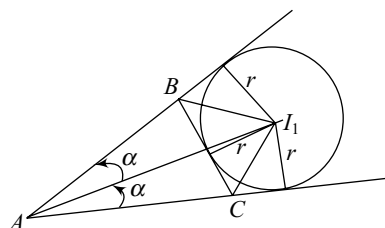


If the vertices of  $\Delta ABC$  be  $A(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $B(x_2, y_2)$  and  $C(x_3, y_3)$ , the co-ordinates of its incentre is

$$\left( \frac{ax_1 + bx_2 + cx_3}{a + b + c}, \frac{ay_1 + by_2 + cy_3}{a + b + c} \right),$$

where  $a = BC$ ,  $b = CA$ ,  $c = AB$ .

- (iv) If  $\Delta ABC$  is an equilateral triangle, in-centre = centroid.
- (v) **Ex-centre:** The point of intersection of the external bisectors of the angles of a triangle is called its ex-centre.



The circle opposite to the vertex  $A$  is called the escribed circle opposite  $A$  or the circle escribed to the side  $BC$ . If  $I_1$  is the point of intersection of internal bisector of  $\angle BAC$  and external bisector of  $\angle ABC$  and  $\angle ACB$ , then

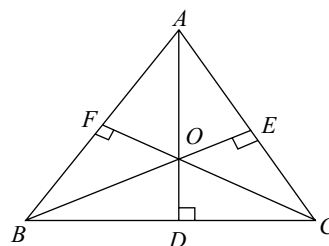
$$I_1 = \left( \frac{-ax_1 + bx_2 + cx_3}{-a + b + c}, \frac{-ay_1 + by_2 + cy_3}{-a + b + c} \right)$$

$$I_2 = \left( \frac{ax_1 - bx_2 + cx_3}{a - b + c}, \frac{ay_1 - by_2 + cy_3}{a - b + c} \right)$$

and 
$$I_3 = \left( \frac{ax_1 + bx_2 - cx_3}{a + b - c}, \frac{ay_1 + by_2 - cy_3}{a + b - c} \right)$$

respectively.

(vi) **Circumcentre:** The point of intersection of the perpendicular bisectors of a triangle is called its circumcentre.



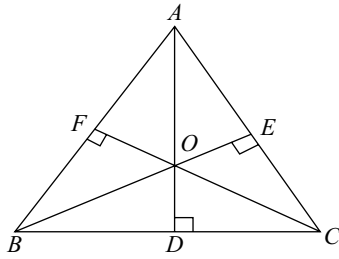
If the vertices of  $\Delta ABC$  be  $A(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $B(x_2, y_2)$  and  $C(x_3, y_3)$ , then the co-ordinates of its circumcentre is

$$\left( \frac{x_1 \sin 2A + x_2 \sin 2B + x_3 \sin 2C}{\sin 2A + \sin 2B + \sin 2C}, \frac{y_1 \sin 2A + y_2 \sin 2B + y_3 \sin 2C}{\sin 2A + \sin 2B + \sin 2C} \right)$$

#### Notes:

1. If  $O(x, y)$  be the circumcentre of  $\Delta ABC$ , its co-ordinates is determined by the relation  $OA = OB = OC$ .
2. In case of a right-angled triangle, mid-point of the hypotenuse is the circumcentre.

(vii) **Orthocentre:** The point of intersection of the altitudes of a triangle is called its orthocentre.

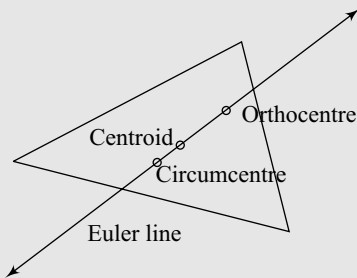


If the vertices of  $\Delta ABC$  be  $A(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $B(x_2, y_2)$  and  $C(x_3, y_3)$ , the co-ordinates of its orthocentre is

$$\left( \frac{x_1 \tan A + x_2 \tan B + x_3 \tan C}{\tan A + \tan B + \tan C}, \frac{y_1 \tan A + y_2 \tan B + y_3 \tan C}{\tan A + \tan B + \tan C} \right)$$

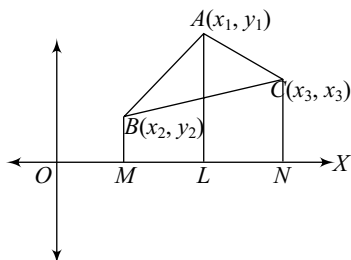
**Notes:**

1. In case of a right-angled triangle, orthocentre is the right-angled vertex.
2. In an isosceles triangle,  $G, O, I$  and  $C$  lie on the same line and in an equilateral triangle, all these four points coincide.
3. The orthocentre of  $\Delta ABC$  are  $(a, b)$ ,  $(b, a)$  and  $(a, a)$  is  $(a, a)$ .
4. The orthocentre, the centroid and the circumcentre are always collinear and centroid divides the line joining ortho-centre and the circumcentre in the ratio 2 : 1.



5. In case of an obtuse-angled triangle, the circumcentre and orthocentre both lie outside of the triangle.

**8. AREA OF A TRIANGLE**



If  $A(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $B(x_2, y_2)$  and  $C(x_3, y_3)$  be the vertices of  $\Delta ABC$ , its area is given by

$$\frac{1}{2} [x_1(y_2 - y_3) + x_2(y_3 - y_1) + x_3(y_1 - y_2)].$$

or  $\frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & y_1 & 1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & 1 \\ x_3 & y_3 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$

or  $\frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & y_1 \\ x_2 & y_2 \end{vmatrix} + \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} x_2 & y_2 \\ x_3 & y_3 \end{vmatrix} + \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} x_3 & y_3 \\ x_1 & y_1 \end{vmatrix}$

**Notes:**

1. The area of a polygon, with vertices  $(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $(x_2, y_2)$ ,  $(x_3, y_3)$ , ...,  $(x_n, y_n)$  is  $\frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & y_1 \\ x_2 & y_2 \end{vmatrix} + \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} x_2 & y_2 \\ x_3 & y_3 \end{vmatrix} + \dots + \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} x_n & y_n \\ x_1 & y_1 \end{vmatrix}$ .

2. If the vertices of a triangle be  $A(r_1, \theta_1)$ ,  $B(r_2, \theta_2)$  and  $(r_3, \theta_3)$ , its area is

$$\frac{1}{2} [r_1 r_2 \sin(\theta_1 - \theta_2) + r_2 r_3 \sin(\theta_2 - \theta_3) + r_3 r_1 \sin(\theta_3 - \theta_1)]$$

3. If  $a_i x + b_i y + C_i = 0$ ,  $i = 1, 2, 3$  be the sides of a triangle, its area is

$$\frac{1}{2C_1 C_2 C_3} \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & c_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 & c_3 \end{vmatrix}^2,$$

where  $C_1, C_2$  and  $C_3$  are the cofactors of  $c_1, c_2$  and  $c_3$

in the determinant  $\begin{vmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & c_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 & c_3 \end{vmatrix}$ .

4. If  $A(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $B(x_2, y_2)$  and  $C(x_3, y_3)$  be the vertices of a triangle, its area is given by

$$\frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} x_1 - x_3 & x_2 - x_3 \\ y_1 - y_3 & y_2 - y_3 \end{vmatrix}$$

5. If  $A(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $B(x_2, y_2)$  and  $C(x_3, y_3)$  be three collinear points then

$$\begin{vmatrix} x_1 - x_3 & x_2 - x_3 \\ y_1 - y_3 & y_2 - y_3 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

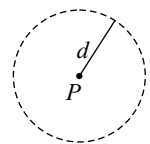
or

$$x_1(y_2 - y_3) + x_2(y_3 - y_1) + x_3(y_1 - y_2) = 0$$

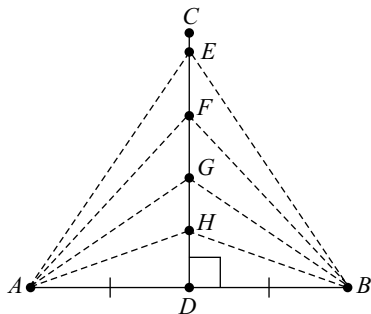
**9. LOCUS AND ITS EQUATION**

The locus of a moving point is the path of a point which satisfies some geometrical conditions.

If a point moves in a plane in such a way that its distance from a fixed point is always the same. Then the locus of the movable point is called a circle.



If a points moves in a plane in such a way that its distances from two fixed points are always the same, the locus of the point is a perpendicular bisector.



### Equation of a Locus

If the co-ordinates of every point on the locus satisfy the equation as well as if the co-ordinates of any point satisfy the equation, that point must lie on the locus.

### Rule to Find Out the Locus of a Moving Point

- (i) If  $x$  and  $y$  co-ordinates of the moving point are given in terms of a third variable, say  $t$ , eliminating  $t$  between  $x$  and  $y$  and then get the required locus.
- (ii) Sometimes the co-ordinates of the moving point is taken as  $(x, y)$ . In this case, the relation in  $x$  and  $y$  can be directly obtained by eliminating the variable.
- (iii) If some geometrical conditions are given and we have to find the locus, we take a variable point  $(\alpha, \beta)$  and write the given conditions in terms of  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ . Eliminating the variables and the relation between  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  is obtained. Finally replacing  $\alpha$  by  $x$  and  $\beta$  by  $y$  the required locus is obtained.

## 10. GEOMETRICAL TRANSFORMATIONS

When talking about geometric transformations, we have to be very careful about the object being transformed. We have two alternatives, either the geometric objects are transformed or the co-ordinate system is transformed. These two are very closely related, but the formulae that carry out the job are different. We only discuss transforming geometric objects here.

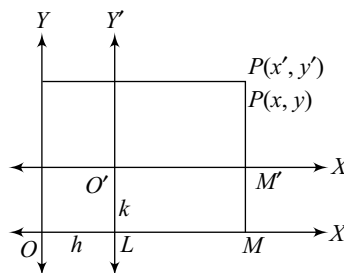
We shall start with the traditional Euclidean transformations that do not change length and angle measures.

### Euclidean Transformations

The Euclidean transformations are the most commonly used transformations. An Euclidean transformation is either a translation, a rotation, or a reflection. We shall discuss translations and rotations only.

- (i) If the origin be shifted to a new point, say  $(h, k)$  and the new axes remain parallel to the original axes, the transformation is called *translation of axes*.
- (ii) If the axes are rotated through an angle  $\theta$  and the origin remain fixed, the transformation is called *rotation of axes*.
- (iii) If the origin be shifted to a new point, say  $(h, k)$  and the axes also be rotated through an angle  $\theta$ , the transformation is termed as *translation and rotation of axes*.

The coordinates of a point in a plane, when the origin is shifted from origin to a new point  $(h, k)$ , the new axes remain parallel to the original axes.



Let  $O$  be the origin and,  $OX$  and  $OY$  the original axes.

Let the origin  $O$  be shifted to a new point  $O'$ , whose co-ordinates are  $(h, k)$ . Through  $O'$  draw  $O'X'$  and  $O'Y'$  parallel to  $OX$  and  $OY$ , respectively.  $O'$  is the new origin and,  $O'X'$ , and  $O'Y'$  are the new axes.

Let  $P$  be any point in this plane, whose co-ordinates according to the original and new axes be  $(x, y)$  and  $(x', y')$  respectively.

Now we have to establish a relation between the new co-ordinates and the original co-ordinates.

From  $P$ , draw a perpendicular  $PM$  to  $OX$  which intersects  $O'X'$  at  $M'$ .

Again from  $O'$ , draw a perpendicular  $O'L$  to  $OX$ .

Then  $OL = h, O'L = k$ ;

$$OM = x, PM = y;$$

$$O'M' = x', PM' = y'$$

Thus,  $x = OM = OL + LM$

$$= OL + O'M$$

$$= h + x' = x' + h$$

and  $y = PM = PM' + M'M$

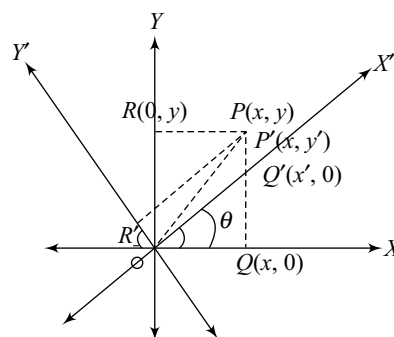
$$= PM' + M'M$$

$$= y' + k$$

Hence, we obtained the relation between the new and the original co-ordinates as

$$\begin{cases} x = x' + h \\ y = y' + k \end{cases} \text{ and } \begin{cases} x' = x - h \\ y' = y - k \end{cases}$$

## 11. ROTATION OF CO-ORDINATE AXES



Let  $OX$  and  $OY$  be the original axes and  $OX'$  and  $OY'$  be the new axes obtained after rotating  $OX$  and  $OY$  through an angle  $\theta$  in the anti-clockwise direction. Let  $P$  be any point in the plane having co-ordinates  $(x, y)$  with respect to axes  $OX$  and  $OY$  and  $(x', y')$  with respect to axes  $OX'$  and  $OY'$ .

Then  $x = x' \cos \theta - y' \sin \theta$  ... (i)

$y = x' \sin \theta - y' \cos \theta$

and  $x' = x \cos \theta - y \sin \theta$  ... (ii)

$y' = x \sin \theta - y \cos \theta$

## STRAIGHT LINE

### 1. INTRODUCTION

The notion of a line or a straight line was introduced by ancient mathematicians to represent straight objects with negligible width and depth. Lines are an idealisation of such objects.

Euclid described a line as 'breadthless length', and introduced several postulates as basic unprovable properties from which he constructed the geometry, which is now called Euclidean geometry to avoid confusion with other geometries which have been introduced since the end of nineteenth century (such as non-Euclidean geometry, projective geometry, and affine geometry, etc.).

A line segment is a part of a line that is bounded by two distinct end-points and contains every point on the line between its end-points. Depending on how the line segment is defined, either of the two end-points may or may not be a part of the line segment. Two or more line segments may have some of the same relation as lines, such as being parallel, intersecting, or skew.

### 2. DEFINITIONS

#### Definition 1

It is the locus of a point which moves in a plane in a constant direction.

#### Definition 2

Every first-degree equation in  $x$  and  $y$  represents a straight line.

#### Definition 3

A straight line is also defined as the curve such that the line segment joining any two points on it lies wholly on it.

#### Definition 4

In 3D geometry, the point of intersection of two planes be a line.

**Notes:**

1. The equation of a straight line is the relation between  $x$  and  $y$ , which is satisfied by the co-ordinates of each and every point on the line.
2. A straight line consists of only two arbitrary constants.

### 3. ANGLE OF INCLINATION OF A LINE

The angle of inclination of a line is the measure of the angle between the  $x$ -axis and the line measured in the anti-clockwise direction.

The angle of inclination of the line lies in between  $0^\circ$  and  $180^\circ$ .

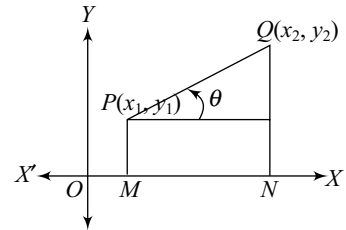
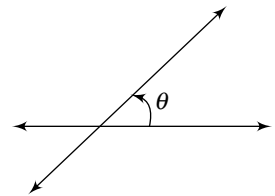
#### Slope or Gradient of a Lines

If the inclination of a line be  $\theta$ , then  $\tan \theta$  where  $0 < \theta < 180^\circ$  and

$\theta \neq \frac{\pi}{2}$  is called the slope or gradient of the line. It is usually denoted by  $m$ .

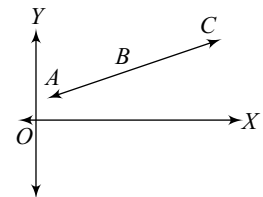
- (i) If a line is parallel to  $x$ -axis, its slope is zero.
- (ii) If a line is perpendicular to  $x$ -axis, the slope is not defined.
- (iii) If a line is equally inclined with the axes, the slope is  $\pm 1$ .
- (iv) If  $P(x_1, y_1)$  and  $Q(x_2, y_2)$  are two points on a line  $L$ , the slope of the line  $L$  is equal to

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$



- (v) If three points  $A, B, C$  are collinear, then

$$m(AB) = m(BC) = m(CA)$$



- (vi) If two lines, having slopes  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  and the angle between them be  $\theta$ , then

$$\tan \theta = \left| \frac{m_1 - m_2}{1 + m_1 m_2} \right|$$

- (vii) If two lines, having slopes  $m_1$  and  $m_2$ , are parallel, then  $m_1 = m_2$
- (viii) If two lines, having slopes  $m_1$  and  $m_2$ , are perpendicular, then  $m_1 m_2 = -1$
- (ix) If  $m$  is a slope of a line, the slope of a line perpendicular to it is  $-\frac{1}{m}$ .
- (x) The equation of  $x$ -axis is  $y = 0$ .
- (xi) The equation of  $y$ -axis is  $x = 0$ .
- (xii) The equation of a line parallel to  $x$ -axis is  $y = \text{constant} = b$  (say)

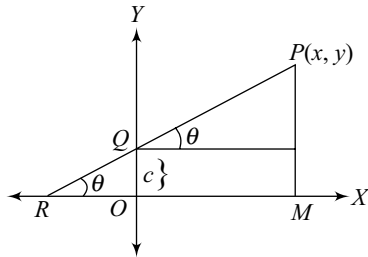
(xiii) The equation of a line parallel to  $y$ -axis is  $x = \text{constant} = a$  (say).

#### 4. FORMS OF A STRAIGHT LINE

##### (i) Slope-intercept Form

The equation of a straight line whose slope is  $m$  and cuts an intercept  $c$  on the  $y$ -axis is

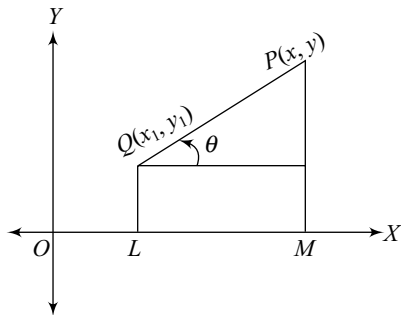
$$y = mx + c.$$



**Notes:**

1. The general equation of a straight line is  $y = mx + c$ .
2. The equation of non-vertical lines in a plane is  $y = mx + c$ .
3. The general equation of any line passing through the origin is  $y = mx$ .

##### (ii) Point-Slope Form

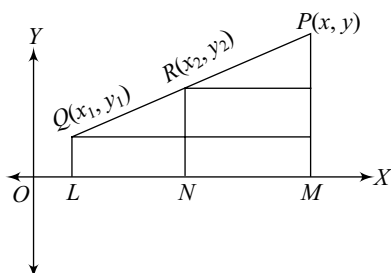


The equation of a line passing through the point  $(x_1, y_1)$  and having slope  $m$  is

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

**Note:** The equation  $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$  is also known as *one-point form of a line*.

##### (iii) Two Point Form



The equation of a line passing through  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$  is

$$y - y_1 = \left( \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \right) \times (x - x_1)$$

or

$$y - y_2 = \left( \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \right) \times (x - x_2)$$

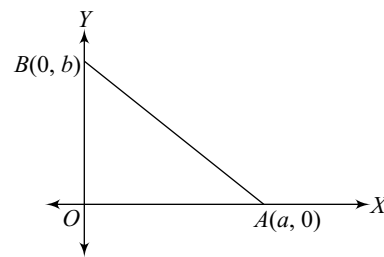
or

$$\begin{vmatrix} x & y & 1 \\ x_1 & y_1 & 1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

or

$$\begin{vmatrix} x - x_1 & y - y_1 \\ x_1 - x_2 & y_1 - y_2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

##### (iv) Intercept Form



The equation of a straight line which cuts off intercepts  $a$  and  $b$  on  $x$ - and  $y$ -axes, respectively is

$$\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1.$$

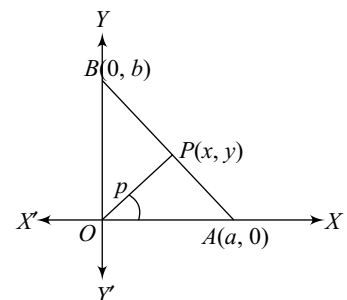
**Notes:**

1. The intercepts  $a$  and  $b$  may be positive or negative.
2. The intercept cut on negative side of  $x$  and  $y$  axes are taken as negative.

##### (v) Normal Form

The equation of a straight line upon which the length of a perpendicular from the origin is  $p$  and this normal makes an angle  $\alpha$  with the positive direction of  $x$ -axis is

$$x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha = p.$$



**Note:** Here,  $p$  is always taken as positive and  $\alpha$  is measured from the positive direction of  $x$ -axis in anti-clockwise direction such that  $0 \leq \alpha < 2\pi$ .

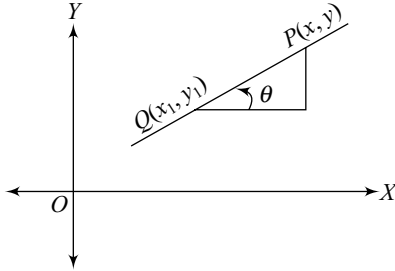
##### (vi) Distance Form or Parametric Form or Symmetric Form

The equation of a line passing through the point  $(x_1, y_1)$  and making angle  $\theta$  with the positive direction of  $x$ -axis is



$$\frac{x - x_1}{\cos \theta} = \frac{y - y_1}{\sin \theta} = r,$$

where  $r$  is the distance of the point  $(x, y)$  from the point  $(x_1, y_1)$ .

**Notes:**

1. If  $Q(x_1, y_1)$  be a point on a line  $AB$  which makes an angle  $\theta$  with the positive direction of  $x$ -axis, there will be two points on the line  $AB$  at a distance  $r$  from  $Q(x_1, y_1)$  and their co-ordinates will be  $(x_1 \pm r \cos \theta, y_1 \pm r \sin \theta)$ .
2. If a point, say  $P$ , lies above  $Q(x_1, y_1)$  on the line  $AB$ , we consider  $r$  is positive.  
Thus, the co-ordinates of  $P$  will be  $(x_1 + r \cos \theta, y_1 + r \sin \theta)$ .
3. If a point, say  $R$ , lies below  $Q(x_1, y_1)$  on the line  $AB$ , we consider  $r$  is negative.  
Thus, the co-ordinates of  $R$  will be  $(x_1 - r \cos \theta, y_1 - r \sin \theta)$ .

## 5. REDUCTION OF GENERAL EQUATION INTO STANDARD FORM

Let  $Ax + By + C = 0$  be the general equation of a straight line, where  $A^2 + B^2 \neq 0$ .

### (i) Reduction into slope-intercept form

The given equation is  $Ax + By + C = 0$ .

$$\Rightarrow By = -Ax - C$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -\left(\frac{A}{B}\right)x - \left(\frac{C}{B}\right)$$

which is in the form of  $y = mx + c$ .

### (ii) Reduction into intercept form

The given equation is  $Ax + By + C = 0$ .

$$\Rightarrow Ax + By = -C$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{Ax}{-C} + \frac{By}{-C} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{\left(-\frac{C}{A}\right)} + \frac{y}{\left(-\frac{C}{B}\right)} = 1$$

which is in the form of  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$ .

### (iii) Reduction into normal form

The given equation is  $Ax + By + C = 0$ .

$$\Rightarrow -Ax - By = C$$

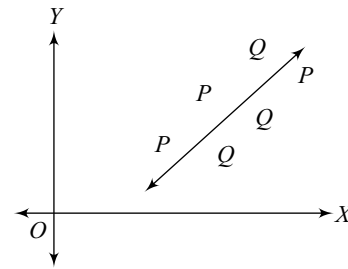
$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{-A}{\sqrt{A^2 + B^2}}\right)x - \left(\frac{-B}{\sqrt{A^2 + B^2}}\right)y = \frac{C}{\sqrt{A^2 + B^2}}$$

which is the normal form of the line  $Ax + By + C = 0$ .

## 6. POSITION OF TWO POINTS WITH RESPECT TO A GIVEN LINE

The points  $P(x_1, y_1)$  and  $Q(x_2, y_2)$  lie on the same or on the opposite sides of the line  $ax + by + c = 0$  according as

$$\frac{ax_1 + by_1 + c}{ax_2 + by_2 + c} > 0 \text{ or } < 0.$$

**Notes:**

1. The side of the line, where origin lies, is known as origin side.
2. A point  $(\alpha, \beta)$  will lie on the origin side of the line  $ax + by + c = 0$ , if  $a\alpha + b\beta + c$  and  $c$  have the same sign.
3. A point  $(\alpha, \beta)$  will lie on the non-origin side of the line  $ax + by + c = 0$ , if  $a\alpha + b\beta + c$  and  $c$  have the opposite signs.

## 7. EQUATION OF A LINE PARALLEL TO A GIVEN LINE

The equation of any line parallel to a given line

$$ax + by + c = 0 \text{ is } ax + by + k = 0$$

**Note:** The equation of a line parallel to  $ax + by + c = 0$  and passing through  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$a(x - x_1) + b(y - y_1) = 0$$

## 8. EQUATION OF A LINE PERPENDICULAR TO A GIVEN LINE

The equation of a line perpendicular to a given line

$$ax + by + c = 0 \text{ is } bx - ay + k = 0.$$

**Note:** The equation of a line perpendicular to  $ax + by + c = 0$  and passing through  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$b(x - x_1) - a(y - y_1) = 0.$$

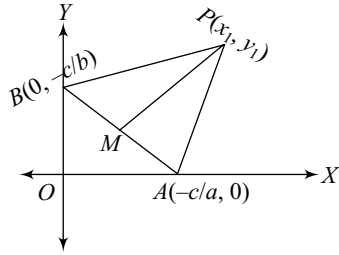
## 9. DISTANCE FROM A POINT TO A LINE

The length of the perpendicular from a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  to the line  $ax + by + c = 0$  is given by

$$\frac{|ax_1 + by_1 + c|}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}$$

Area of  $\Delta PAB$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times AB \times PM$$



We know that

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & y_1 & 1 \\ -\frac{c}{a} & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -\frac{c}{b} & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{cx_1}{b} + \frac{c}{a} \left( y_1 + \frac{c}{b} \right) \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{cx_1}{b} + \frac{cy_1}{a} + \frac{c^2}{ab} \right) \\ &= \frac{c}{2ab} (ax_1 + by_1 + c) \end{aligned}$$

Also,  $PM = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{1}{2} \times PM \times AB = \frac{c}{2ab} (ax_1 + by_1 + c)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \times PM \times \sqrt{\frac{c^2}{a^2} + \frac{c^2}{b^2}} = \frac{c}{2ab} (ax_1 + by_1 + c)$$

$$\Rightarrow PM \times \frac{c}{2ab} \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} = \frac{c}{2ab} (ax_1 + by_1 + c)$$

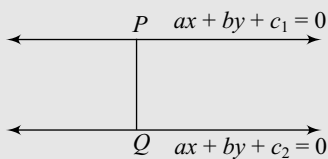
$$\Rightarrow PM = \frac{|(ax_1 + by_1 + c)|}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}$$

**Rule 1.** The length of the perpendicular from the origin to the line  $ax + by + c = 0$  is

$$\frac{|c|}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}$$

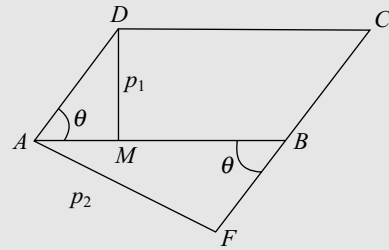
**Rule 2.** The distance between two parallel lines  $ax + by + c_1 = 0$  and  $ax + by + c_2 = 0$  is given by

$$\frac{|c_1 - c_2|}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}$$



**Rule 3.** The area of a parallelogram whose sides are  $a_1x + b_1y + c_1 = 0$ ,  $a_1x + b_1y + d_1 = 0$ ,  $a_2x + b_2y + c_2 = 0$  and  $a_2x + b_2y + d_2 = 0$  is given by

$$\frac{p_1 \times p_2}{\sin \theta} = \frac{|(c_1 - d_1)(c_2 - d_2)|}{|(a_1b_2 - a_2b_1)|}$$



The distance between two parallel sides  $a_1x + b_1y + c_1 = 0$ ,  $a_1x + b_1y + d_1 = 0$  is given by

$$p_1 = \frac{|(c_1 - d_1)|}{\sqrt{a_1^2 + b_1^2}}$$

The distance between two parallel sides  $a_2x + b_2y + c_2 = 0$ ,  $a_2x + b_2y + d_2 = 0$  is given by

$$p_2 = \frac{|(c_2 - d_2)|}{\sqrt{a_2^2 + b_2^2}}$$

$$\text{Now, } \tan \theta = \frac{\left| \frac{b_1}{a_1} - \frac{b_2}{a_2} \right|}{\left| 1 + \frac{b_1}{a_1} \cdot \frac{b_2}{a_2} \right|} = \frac{|a_2b_1 - a_1b_2|}{|a_1a_2 + b_1b_2|}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{a_1b_2 - a_2b_1}{\sqrt{a_1^2 + b_1^2} \sqrt{a_2^2 + b_2^2}}$$

Thus, the area of a parallelogram =  $\frac{p_1 \times p_2}{\sin \theta}$

$$= \frac{|(c_1 - d_1)(c_2 - d_2)|}{|(a_1b_2 - a_2b_1)|}$$

**Rule 4.** If  $p_1 = p_2$ , the parallelogram becomes a rhombus and its area is given by

$$\frac{(c_1 - d_1)^2}{|(a_1b_2 - a_2b_1)| \sqrt{\left( \frac{a_1^2 + b_1^2}{a_2^2 + b_2^2} \right)}}$$

**Rule 5.** The area of a parallelogram whose sides are  $y = mx + a$ ,  $y = mx + b$ ,  $y = nx + c$  and  $y = nx + d$  is given by

$$\frac{|(a - b)(c - d)|}{(m - n)}$$

## 10. POINT OF INTERSECTION OF TWO LINES

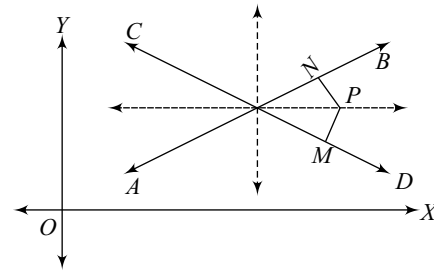
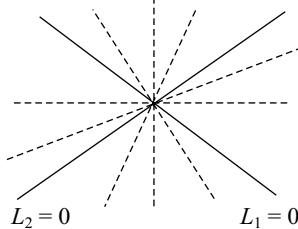
Let  $a_1x + b_1y + c_1 = 0$  and  $a_2x + b_2y + c_2 = 0$  be two lines.

- (i) Simply solve the given equations and get the point of intersection  $P$ .
- (ii) **Concurrent lines:** If three or more lines meet at a point, we say that these lines are concurrent lines and the meeting point is known as *point of concurrency*.

The three lines  $a_ix + b_iy + c_i = 0$ ,  $i = 1, 2, 3$  are said to be concurrent if

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & c_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 & c_3 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

(iii) **Family of lines:** Any line passing through the point of intersection of the lines  $L_1: a_1x + b_1y + c_1 = 0$  and  $L_2: a_2x + b_2y + c_2 = 0$  can be defined as  $(a_1x + b_1y + c_1) + \lambda(a_2x + b_2y + c_2) = 0$ , where  $\lambda \in R$ .

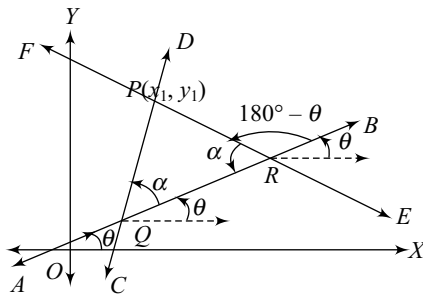


**11. EQUATION OF STRAIGHT LINES PASSING THROUGH A GIVEN POINT AND MAKING A GIVEN ANGLE WITH A GIVEN LINE**

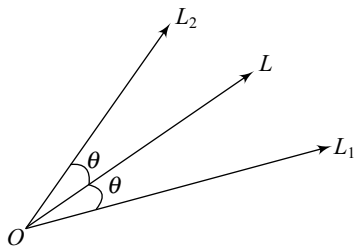
The equation of the straight lines which pass through a given point  $(x_1, y_1)$  and make an angle  $\alpha$  with the given straight line  $y = mx + c$  are

$$y - y_1 = \tan(\theta \pm \alpha)(x - x_1),$$

where  $m = \tan \theta$ .



**12. A LINE IS EQUALLY INCLINED WITH TWO LINES**



If two lines  $y = m_1x + c_1$  and  $y = m_2x + c_2$  be equally inclined to a line  $y = mx + c$ , then

$$\left(\frac{m_1 - m}{1 + mm_1}\right) = -\left(\frac{m_2 - m}{1 + mm_2}\right).$$

**13. EQUATION OF BISECTORS**

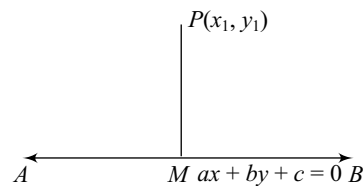
The equation of the bisectors of the angles between the lines  $a_1x + b_1y + c_1 = 0$  and  $a_2x + b_2y + c_2 = 0$  is given by

$$\left(\frac{a_1x + b_1y + c_1}{\sqrt{a_1^2 + b_1^2}}\right) = \pm \left(\frac{a_2x + b_2y + c_2}{\sqrt{a_2^2 + b_2^2}}\right).$$

**Notes:**

1. When we shall find the equation of bisectors, first we make  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  positive.
2. Two bisectors are perpendicular to each other.
3. The positive bisector, the equation of the bisector contains the origin.
4. The negative bisector, the equation of the bisector does not contain the origin.
5. If  $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 > 0$ , then the negative bisector is the acute-angle bisector and the positive bisector is the obtuse-angle bisector.
6. If  $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 < 0$ , then the positive bisector is the acute-angle bisector and the negative bisector is the obtuse-angle bisector.
7. If  $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 > 0$ , the origin lies in obtuse angle and if  $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 < 0$ , the origin lies in acute angle.
8. The equation of the bisector of the angle between the two lines containing the point  $(\alpha, \beta)$  will be positive bisector according as  $(a_1\alpha + b_1\beta + c_1)$  and  $(a_2\alpha + b_2\beta + c_2)$  are of the same sign and will be negative bisector if  $(a_1\alpha + b_1\beta + c_1)$  and  $(a_2\alpha + b_2\beta + c_2)$  are of the opposite signs.

**14. FOOT OF THE PERPENDICULAR DRAWN FROM THE POINT  $(x_1, y_1)$  TO THE LINE  $ax + by + c = 0$**



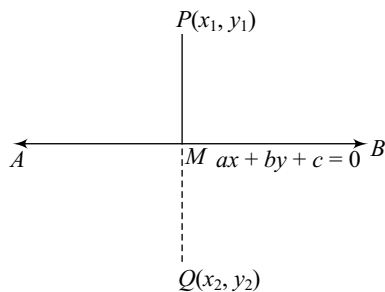
The foot of the perpendicular from the point  $(x_1, y_1)$  to the line  $ax + by + c = 0$  is given by

$$\frac{x_2 - x_1}{a} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{b} = -\frac{(ax_1 + by_1 + c)}{(a^2 + b^2)}.$$

**15. IMAGE OF A POINT  $(x_1, y_1)$  WITH RESPECT TO A LINE MIRROR  $ax + by + c = 0$**

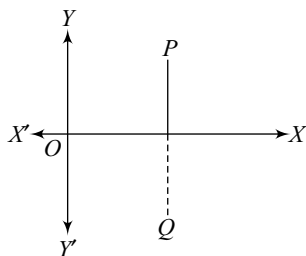
The image of a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  with respect to a line mirror  $ax + by + c = 0$  is given by

$$\frac{x_2 - x_1}{a} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{b} = -2\left(\frac{ax_1 + by_1 + c}{a^2 + b^2}\right)$$



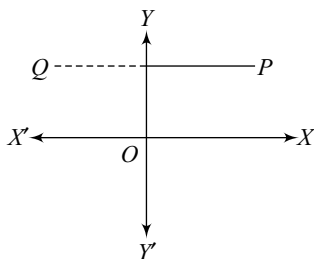
**Rule 1** The image of a point  $P(\alpha, \beta)$  with respect to  $x$ -axis is given by  $Q(\alpha, -\beta)$ .

**Note:** The image of the line  $ax + by + c = 0$  about  $x$ -axis is given by  $ax - by + c = 0$ .



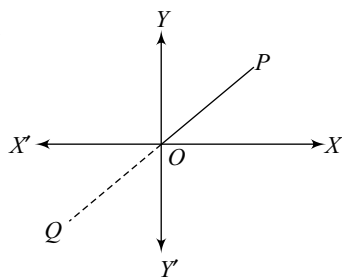
**Rule 2** The image of a point  $P(\alpha, \beta)$  with respect to  $y$ -axis is given by  $Q(-\alpha, \beta)$ .

**Note:** The image of the line  $ax + by + c = 0$  about  $y$ -axis is given by  $-ax + by + c = 0$ .



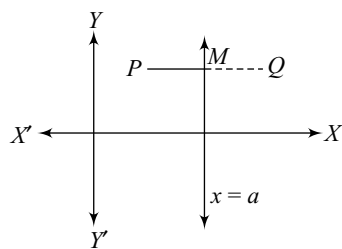
**Rule 3** The image of a point  $P(\alpha, \beta)$  with respect to the origin is given by  $Q(-\alpha, -\beta)$ .

**Note:** The image of the line  $ax + by + c = 0$  with respect to origin is given by  $-ax - by + c = 0$ .



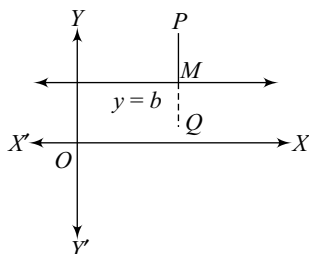
**Rule 4** The image of a point  $P(\alpha, \beta)$  with respect to the line  $x = a$  is given by  $Q(2a - \alpha, \beta)$ .

**Note:** The image of the line  $ax + by + c = 0$  with respect to the line  $x = \lambda$  is given by  $a(2\lambda - x) + by + c = 0$ .



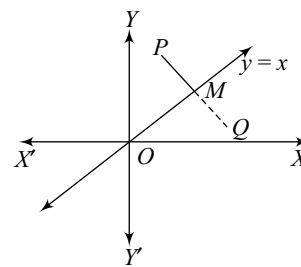
**Rule 5** The image of a point  $P(\alpha, \beta)$  with respect to the line  $y = b$  is given by  $Q(\alpha, 2b - \beta)$ .

**Note:** The image of the line  $ax + by + c = 0$  about the line  $y = \mu$  is  $ax + b(2\mu - y) + c = 0$ .



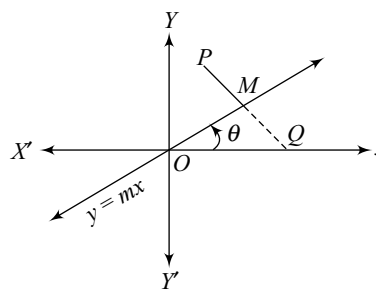
**Rule 6** The image of a point  $P(\alpha, \beta)$  with respect to the line  $y = x$  is  $Q(\beta, \alpha)$ .

**Note:** The image of a line  $ax + by + c = 0$  about the line  $y = x$  is  $ay + bx + c = 0$ .



**Rule 7** The image of a point  $P(\alpha, \beta)$  with respect to the line  $y = mx$ , where  $m = \tan \theta$ , is given by

$$Q(\alpha \cos 2\theta + \beta \sin 2\theta, \alpha \sin 2\theta - \beta \cos 2\theta).$$



**Note:** The image of a line  $ax + by + c = 0$  with respect to the line  $y = mx$ , where  $m = \tan \theta$ , is given by

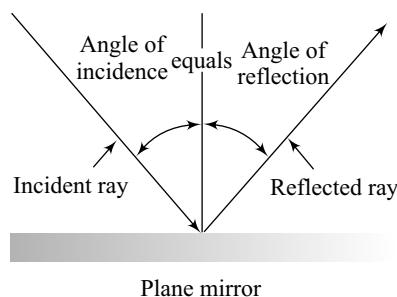
$$a(\alpha \cos 2\theta + \beta \sin 2\theta) + b(\alpha \sin 2\theta - \beta \cos 2\theta) + c = 0.$$

## 16. REFLECTION OF LIGHT

When you play billiards, you will notice that when a ball bounces from a surface, the angle of rebound is equal to the angle of incidence. This observation is also true with light. When an incident light ray strikes a smooth surface (like a plane mirror) at an angle, the angle formed by the incident ray measured from the normal is equal to the angle formed by the reflected ray.

### Law of Reflection

The angle of incidence is equal to the angle of reflection. The reflected and incident rays lie in a plane that is normal to the reflecting surface.



## EXERCISES

## LEVEL I

## (Problems based on Fundamentals)

## ABC OF COORDINATES

- Find the polar co-ordinates of the points whose cartesian co-ordinates are  $(3, -4)$  and  $(-3, 4)$ .
- Transform the equation  $r^2 = a^2$  into cartesian form.
- Transform the equation  $r = 2a \cos \theta$  into cartesian form.
- Transform the equation  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  into polar form.
- Transform the equation  $2x^2 + 3xy + 2y^2 = 1$  into polar form.

## DISTANCE BETWEEN TWO POINTS

- Find the distance between the points  $(a \cos \alpha, a \sin \alpha)$  and  $(a \cos \beta, a \sin \beta)$ , where  $a > 0$ .
- Find the distance between the points  $\left(3, \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$  and  $\left(7, \frac{5\pi}{4}\right)$ .
- If the point  $(x, y)$  be equidistant from the points  $(6, -1)$  and  $(2, 3)$  such that  $Ax + By + C = 0$ , find the value of  $A + B + C + 10$ .
- The vertices of a triangle  $ABC$  are  $A(-2, 3)$ ,  $B(2, -1)$  and  $C(4, 0)$ . Find  $\cos A$ .
- Prove that the points  $(-4, -1)$ ,  $(-2, -4)$ ,  $(4, 0)$  and  $(2, 3)$  are the vertices of a rectangle.
- Two vertices of an equilateral triangle are  $(3, 4)$  and  $(-2, 3)$ . Find the co-ordinates of the third vertex.

## SECTION FORMULAE

- Find the point, which divides the line joining the points  $(2, 3)$  and  $(5, -3)$  in the ratio  $1 : 2$ .
- In what ratio does  $y$ -axis divide the line segment joining  $A(-3, 5)$  and  $B(7, 2)$ .
- Find the ratio in which the join of the points  $(1, 2)$  and  $(-2, 3)$  is divided by the line  $3x + 4y = 7$ .
- Find the co-ordinates of the points which trisect the line segment joining  $(1, -2)$  and  $(-3, 4)$ .
- The co-ordinates of the mid-points of the sides of a triangle are  $(1, 1)$ ,  $(3, 2)$  and  $(4, 1)$ . Find the co-ordinates of its vertices.
- The co-ordinates of three consecutive vertices of a parallelogram are  $(1, 3)$ ,  $(-1, 2)$  and  $(2, 5)$ . Find its fourth vertex.
- Find the centroid of  $\triangle ABC$ , whose vertices are  $A(2, 4)$ ,  $B(6, 4)$ ,  $C(2, 0)$ .
- Two vertices of a triangle are  $(-1, 4)$  and  $(5, 2)$ . If its centroid is  $(0, -3)$ , find its third vertex.
- Find the in-centre of  $\triangle ABC$ , whose vertices are  $A(1, 2)$ ,  $B(2, 3)$  and  $C(3, 4)$ .
- If a triangle has its orthocentre at  $(1, 1)$  and circum-centre at  $(3/2, 3/4)$ , find its centroid.

- The vertices of a  $\triangle ABC$  are  $A(0, 0)$ ,  $B(0, 2)$  and  $C(2, 0)$ . Find the distance between the circum-centre and orthocentre.

## AREA OF A TRIANGLE

- Find the area of a triangle whose vertices are  $(3, -4)$ ,  $(7, 5)$  and  $(-1, 10)$ .
- Find the area of a triangle whose vertices are  $(t, t + 2)$ ,  $(t + 3, t)$  and  $(t + 2, t + 2)$ .
- If  $A(x, y)$ ,  $B(1, 2)$  and  $C(2, 1)$  be the vertices of a triangle of area 6 sq.u., prove that  $x + y + 9 = 0$ .
- Find the area of a quadrilateral whose vertices are  $(1, 1)$ ,  $(7, -3)$ ,  $(12, 2)$  and  $(7, 21)$ .
- Find the area of a pentagon whose vertices are  $(4, 3)$ ,  $(-5, 6)$ ,  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(3, -6)$  and  $(-7, -2)$ .
- Prove that the points  $(a, b + c)$ ,  $(b, c + a)$  and  $(c, a + b)$  are collinear.
- Let the co-ordinates of  $A, B, C$  and  $D$  are  $(6, 3)$ ,  $(-3, 5)$ ,  $(4, -2)$  and  $(x, 3x)$ , respectively and  $\frac{\Delta DBC}{\Delta ABC} = \frac{1}{2}$ , find  $x$ .
- Find the area of a triangle formed by the lines  $7x - 2y + 10 = 0$ ,  $7x + 2y - 10 = 0$  and  $9x + y + 2 = 0$ .

## LOCUS OF A POINT

- If the co-ordinates of a variable point  $P$  be  $(a \cos \theta, a \sin \theta)$ , where  $\theta$  is a parameter, find the locus of  $P$ .
- If the co-ordinates of a variable point  $P$  be  $(at^2, 2at)$ , find the locus of  $P$ .
- Find the locus of a movable point  $P$ , where its distance from the origin is 3 times its distance from  $y$ -axis.
- If a point moves in a plane in such a way that its distance from the point  $(a, 0)$  to its distance is equal to its distance from  $y$ -axis.
- If the co-ordinates of a variable point  $P$  be  $\left(t + \frac{1}{t}, t - \frac{1}{t}\right)$ , where  $t$  is a parameter, find the locus of  $P$ .
- Find the locus of a movable point  $P$ , for which the sum of its distance from  $(0, 3)$  and  $(0, -3)$  is 8.
- A stick of length  $l$  slides with its ends on two mutually perpendicular lines. Find the locus of the mid-point of the stick.
- If  $O$  be the origin and  $A$  be a point on the line  $y^2 = 8x$ . Find the locus of the mid-point of  $OA$ .
- If  $P$  be the mid-point of the straight line joining the points  $A(1, 2)$  and  $Q$  where  $Q$  is a variable point on the curve  $x^2 + y^2 + x + y = 0$ . Find the locus of  $P$ .
- A circle has the centre  $(2, 2)$  and always touches  $x$  and  $y$  axes. If it always touches a line  $AB$  (where  $A$  and  $B$  lie on positive  $x$  and  $y$  axes), find the locus of the circum-centre of the  $\triangle OAB$ , where  $O$  is the origin.
- Find the locus of a movable point  $P$ , for which the difference of its distances from  $(2, 0)$  and  $(-2, 0)$  is 6.

42. If  $A(1, 1)$  and  $B(-2, 3)$  are two fixed points, find the locus of a point  $P$  so that the area of  $\Delta PAB$  is 9 sq.u.
43. Find the locus of a point whose co-ordinates are given by  $x = t^2 + t, y = 2t + 1$ , where  $t$  is parameter.
44. If a variable line  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$  intersects the axes at  $A$  and  $B$ , respectively such that  $a^2 + b^2 = 4$  and  $O$  be the origin, find the locus of the circumcentre of  $\Delta OAB$ .
45. A variable line cuts the  $x$  and  $y$  axes at  $A$  and  $B$  respectively where  $OA = a, OB = b$  ( $O$  the origin) such that  $a^2 + b^2 = 27$ , find the locus of the centroid of  $\Delta OAB$ .

**TRANSFORMATION OF COORDINATES**

46. Find the equation of the curve  $2x^2 + y^2 - 3x + 5y - 8 = 0$ , when the origin is shifted to the point  $(-1, 2)$  without changing the direction of the axes.
47. The equation of a curve referred to the new axes retaining their directions and origin is  $(4, 5)$  is  $x^2 + y^2 = 36$ . Find the equation referred to the original axes.
48. At what point, the origin be shifted if the co-ordinates of a point  $(-1, 8)$  become  $(-7, 3)$ ?
49. If the axes are turned through  $45^\circ$ , find the transformed form of the equation  $3x^2 + 3y^2 + 2xy = 2$ .
50. Transform to parallel axes through the point  $(1, -2)$ , the equation  $y^2 - 4x + 4y + 8 = 0$ .
51. If a point  $P(1, 2)$  is translated itself 2 units along the positive direction of  $x$ -axis and then it is rotated about the origin in anti-clockwise sense through an angle of  $90^\circ$ , find the new position of  $P$ .
52. If the axes are rotated through  $\frac{\pi}{4}$ , the equation  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  is transformed to  $\lambda xy + a^2 = 0$ , find the value of  $\lambda = 10$ .
53. Transform to axes inclined at  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  to the original axes, the equation  $x^2 + 2\sqrt{3}y - y^2 = 2a^2$ .
54. What does the equation  $2x^2 + 2xy + 3y^2 - 18x - 22y + 50 = 0$  become when referred to new rectangular axes through the point  $(2, 3)$ , the new set making  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  with the old?
55. If a point  $P(2, 3)$  is rotated through an angle of  $90^\circ$  about the origin in anti-clockwise sense, say at  $Q$ , find the co-ordinates of  $Q$ .
56. If a point  $P(3, 4)$  is rotated through an angle of  $60^\circ$  about the point  $Q(2, 0)$  in anti-clockwise sense, say at  $R$ , find the co-ordinates of  $R$ .

**STRAIGHT LINE****LEVEL I****(Problems Based on Fundamentals)****ABC OF STRAIGHT LINE**

1. Find the slope of the line  $PQ$ , where  $P(2, 4)$  and  $Q(3, 10)$ .
2. Find the value of  $\lambda$ , if 2 is slope of the line through  $(2, 5)$  and  $(\lambda, 7)$ .

3. Prove that the line joining the points  $(2, -3)$  and  $(-5, 1)$  is parallel to the line joining  $(7, -1)$  and  $(0, 3)$ .
4. Prove that the points  $(a, b + c), (b, c + a)$  and  $(c, a + b)$  are collinear.
5. Find the angle between the lines joining the points  $(0, 0), (2, 2)$  and  $(2, -2)$   $(3, 5)$ .
6. If the angle between two lines is  $45^\circ$  and the slope of one of them is  $1/2$ , find the slope of the other line.
7. Find the equation of a line passing through the point  $(2, -3)$  and is parallel to  $x$ -axis.
8. Find the equation of a line passing through the point  $(3, 4)$  and is perpendicular to  $y$ -axis.
9. Find the equation of a line which is equidistant from the lines  $x = 6$  and  $x = 10$ .

**VARIOUS FORMS OF A STRAIGHT LINE**

10. Find the equation of a straight line which cuts off an intercept of 7 units on  $y$ -axis and has the slope 3.
11. Find the equation of a straight line which makes an angle of  $135^\circ$  with the positive direction of  $x$ -axis and cuts an intercept of 5 units on the positive direction of  $y$ -axis.
12. Find the equation of a straight line which makes an angle of  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)$  with the positive direction of  $x$ -axis and cuts an intercept of 6 units in the negative direction of  $y$ -axis.
13. Find the equation of a straight line which cuts off an intercept of 4 units from  $y$ -axis and are equally inclined with the axes.
14. Find the equations of bisectors of the angle between the co-ordinate axes.
15. Find the equation of a line passing through the point  $(2, 3)$  and making an angle of  $120^\circ$  with the positive direction of  $x$ -axis.
16. Find the equation of the right bisectors of the line joining the points  $(1, 2)$  and  $(5, 7)$ .
17. Find the equation of a line which passes through the point  $(1, 2)$  and makes an angle  $\theta$  with the positive direction of  $x$ -axis, where  $\cos \theta = -\frac{3}{5}$ .
18. A line passes through the point  $A(2, 0)$  which makes an angle of  $30^\circ$  with the positive direction of  $x$ -axis and is rotated about  $A$  in clockwise direction through an angle of  $15^\circ$ . Find the equation of the straight line in the new position.
19. Find the equation of a line passing through the points  $(1, 2)$  and  $(3, 4)$ .
20. The vertices of a triangle are  $A(10, 4), B(-4, 9)$  and  $C(-2, -1)$ . Find the equation of its altitude through  $A$ .
21. The vertices of a triangle are  $A(1, 2), B(2, 3)$  and  $C(5, 4)$ . Find the equation of its median through  $A$ .
22. Find the equation of the internal bisector of  $\angle BAC$  of the  $\Delta ABC$ , whose vertices are  $A(5, 2), B(2, 3)$  and  $C(6, 5)$ .

23. A square is inscribed in a  $\Delta ABC$ , whose co-ordinates are  $A(0, 0)$ ,  $B(2, 1)$  and  $C(3, 0)$ . If two of its vertices lie on the side  $AC$ , find the vertices of the square.
24. The line joining the points  $A(2, 0)$  and  $B(3, 1)$  is rotated about  $A$  in the anti-clockwise direction through an angle of  $15^\circ$ . Find the equation of a line in the new position.
25. Find the equation of a line which passes through the point  $(3, 4)$  and makes equal intercepts on the axes.
26. Find the equation of a line which passes through the point  $(2, 3)$  and whose  $x$ -intercept is twice of  $y$ -intercept.
27. Find the equation of a line passes through the point  $(2, 3)$  so that the segment of the line intercepted between the axes is bisected at this point.
28. Find the equation of a line passing through the point  $(3, -4)$  and cutting off intercepts equal but of opposite signs from the two axes.
29. Find the equation of a line passing through the point  $(3, 2)$  and cuts off intercepts  $a$  and  $b$  on  $x$ - and  $y$ -axes such that  $a - b = 2$ .
30. Find the area of a triangle formed by lines  $xy = 0$  and  $2x + 3y = 6$ .
31. Find the equation of a straight line passing through the point  $(3, 4)$  so that the segment of the line intercepted between the axes is divided by the point in the ratio  $2 : 3$ .
32. Find the equation of the straight line which passes through the origin and trisect the intercept of the line  $3x + 4y = 12$ .
33. Find the area of a triangle formed by the lines  $xy - x - y + 1 = 0$  and  $3x + 4y = 12$ .
34. A straight line cuts off intercepts from the axes of co-ordinates, the sum of the reciprocals of which is a constant. Show that it always passes through a fixed point.
35. The length of the perpendicular from the origin to a line is 5 and the line makes angle of  $60^\circ$  with the positive direction of  $y$ -axis. Find the equation of the line.
36. Find the equation of the straight line upon which the length of the perpendicular from the origin is 2 and the slope of the perpendicular is  $5/12$ .

#### DISTANCE FORM OF A STRAIGHT LINE

37. A line passing through the point  $(3, 2)$  and making an angle  $\theta$  with the positive direction of  $x$ -axis such that  $\tan \theta = 3/4$ . Find the co-ordinates of the point on the line that are 5 units away from the given point.
38. Find the co-ordinates of the points at a distance  $4\sqrt{2}$  units from the point  $(-2, 3)$  in the direction making an angle of  $45^\circ$  with the positive direction of  $x$ -axis.
39. A point  $P(3, 4)$  moves in a plane in the direction of  $\hat{i} + \hat{j}$ . Find the new position of  $P$ .
40. A line joining two points  $A(2, 0)$  and  $B(3, 1)$  is rotated about  $A$  in anti-clockwise direction through an angle of  $15^\circ$ . Find the new position of  $B$ .
41. Find the direction in which a straight line must be drawn through the point  $(1, 2)$  so that its point of inter-

section with the line  $x + y = 4$  may be at a distance  $\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$  from the point  $(1, 2)$ .

42. The centre of a square is at the origin and one vertex is  $P(2, 1)$ . Find the co-ordinates of other vertices of the square.
43. The extremities of a diagonal of a square are  $(1, 1)$  and  $(-2, -1)$ . Find the other two vertices.
44. A line through  $(2, 3)$  makes an angle  $\frac{3\pi}{4}$  with the negative direction of  $x$ -axis. Find the length of the line segment cut off between  $(2, 3)$  and the line  $x + y = 7$ .
45. If the straight line drawn through the point  $P(\sqrt{3}, 2)$  and making an angle of  $\frac{\pi}{6}$  with the  $x$ -axis meets the line  $\sqrt{3}x - 4y + 8 = 0$  at  $Q$ . Find the length of  $PQ$ .
46. Find the distance of the point  $(2, 3)$  from the line  $2x - 3y + 9 = 0$  measured along the line  $2x - 2y + 5 = 0$ .
47. Find the distance of the point  $(3, 5)$  from the line  $2x + 3y = 14$  measured parallel to the line  $x - 2y = 1$ .
48. Find the distance of the point  $(2, 5)$  from the line  $3x + y + 4 = 0$  measured parallel to the line  $3x - 4y + 8 = 0$ .
49. A line is drawn through  $A(4, -1)$  parallel to the line  $3x - 4y + 1 = 0$ . Find the co-ordinates of the two points on this line which are at a distance of 5 units from  $A$ .

#### REDUCTION OF A STRAIGHT LINE

50. Reduce  $x + \sqrt{3}y + 4 = 0$  into the
  - (i) slope intercept form and also find its slope and  $y$ -intercept.
  - (ii) intercept form and also find the lengths of  $x$  and  $y$  intercepts.
  - (iii) normal form and also find the values of  $p$  and  $\alpha$ .

#### PARALLEL/PERPENDICULAR FORM OF A STRAIGHT LINE

51. Find the location of the points  $(2, 2)$  and  $(3, 5)$  with respect to the line
  - (i)  $2x + 3y + 4 = 0$
  - (ii)  $3x - 2y + 2 = 0$
  - (iii)  $x + y - 7 = 0$
52. Determine whether the point  $(2, -7)$  lies on the origin side of the line  $2x + y + 2 = 0$  or not.
53. Write the parallel line to each of the following lines.
  - (i)  $3x - 4y + 10 = 0$
  - (ii)  $2x + 5y + 10 = 0$
  - (iii)  $-x + y - 2012 = 0$
  - (iv)  $y = x$
  - (v)  $x = 5$
  - (vi)  $y = 2013$
54. Find the equation of a line parallel to  $3x + 4y + 5 = 0$  and passes through  $(2, 3)$ .
55. Find the equation of a line parallel to  $3x - 4y + 6 = 0$  and passing through the mid-point of of the line joining the points  $(2, 3)$  and  $(4, -1)$ .
56. Find the equation of a line passing through  $(2, 1)$  and parallel to the line joining the points  $(2, 3)$  and  $(3, -1)$ .
57. Write the perpendicular line to each of the following lines.
  - (i)  $5x - 3y + 2010 = 0$
  - (ii)  $3x + 5y + 2011 = 0$

- (iii)  $-x + y - 2012 = 0$       (iv)  $y = 2011x$   
 (v)  $x = 2014$                       (vi)  $y = 2013$
58. Find the equation of a line perpendicular to  $2x + 3y - 2012 = 0$  and passing through (3, 4).
  59. Find the equation of a line perpendicular to  $2x - 3y - 5 = 0$  and cutting an intercept 1 on the  $x$ -axis.
  60. Find the equation of the right bisectors of the line joining the points (1, 2) and (3, 5).
  61. Find the equation of the altitude through  $A$  of  $\triangle ABC$ , whose vertices are  $A(1, 2)$ ,  $B(4, 5)$  and  $C(3, 8)$ .
  62. Find the equation of a line passing through the point of intersection of the lines  $2x + y = 8$  and  $x - y = 10$  and is perpendicular to  $3x + 4y + 2012 = 0$ .
  63. Find the distance of the point (4, 5) from the straight line  $3x - 5y + 7 = 0$ .
  64. The equation of the base of an equilateral triangle be  $x + y = 2$  and one vertex is (2, -1). Find the length of the sides of the triangle.
  65. If  $a$  and  $b$  be the intercepts of a straight line on the  $x$  and  $y$  axes, respectively and  $p$  be the length of the perpendicular from the origin, prove that  $\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} = \frac{1}{p^2}$ .
  66. Find the distance between the lines  $3x - 4y = 5$  and  $6x - 8y + 11 = 0$ .
  67. Let  $L$  has intercepts  $a$  and  $b$  on the co-ordinate axes. When the axes are rotated through an angle, keeping the origin fixed, the same line  $L$  has intercepts  $p$  and  $q$ , prove that  $\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} = \frac{1}{p^2} + \frac{1}{q^2}$ .

**AREA OF A PARALLELOGRAM**

68. If the area of a parallelogram formed by the lines  $x + 3y = a$ ,  $3x - 2y + 3a = 0$ ,  $x + 3y + 4a = 0$  and  $3x - 2y + 7a = 0$  is  $ma^2$ , find the value of  $11m + 30$ .
69. Prove that the four lines  $ax \pm by \pm c = 0$  enclose a rhombus, whose area is  $\frac{2c^2}{|ab|}$ .

**FAMILY OF STRAIGHT LINES**

70. Find the point of intersection of the lines  $x - y + 4 = 0$  and  $2x + y = 10$ .
71. Prove that the three lines  $2x - 3y + 5 = 0$ ,  $3x + 4y = 7$  and  $9x - 5y + 8 = 0$  are concurrent.
72. Find the equation of a line which is passing through the point of intersection of the lines  $x + 3y - 8 = 0$ ,  $2x + 3y + 5 = 0$  and (1, 2).
73. Find the value of  $m$  so that the lines  $y = x + 1$ ,  $2x + y = 16$  and  $y = mx - 4$  may be concurrent.
74. If the lines  $ax + y + 1 = 0$ ,  $x + by + 1 = 0$  and  $x + y + c = 0$  (where  $a, b, c$  are distinct and different from 1) are concurrent, find the value of  $\frac{1}{1-a} + \frac{1}{1-b} + \frac{1}{1-c}$ .
75. If  $2a + 3b + 6c = 0$ , the family of straight lines  $ax + by + c = 0$  passes through a fixed point. Find the co-ordinates of the fixed point.

78. If  $4a^2 + 9b^2 - c^2 + 12ab = 0$ , the family of the straight lines  $ax + by + c = 0$  is either concurrent at  $(m, n)$  or  $(p, q)$ . Find the value of  $m + n + p + q + 10$ .
79. The family of lines  $x(a + 2b) + y(a - 3b) = a - b$  passes through a fixed point for all values of  $a$  and  $b$ . Find the co-ordinates of the fixed point.
80. Find the equation of a line passing through the point of intersection of  $2x + 3y + 1 = 0$ ,  $3x - 5y - 5 = 0$  and equally inclined to the axes.
81. Find the slope of the lines which make an angle of  $45^\circ$  with the line  $3x - y + 5 = 0$ .

**EQUATION OF STRAIGHT LINES PASSING THROUGH A GIVEN POINT AND MAKING A GIVEN ANGLE WITH A GIVEN LINE**

82. Find the equations of the lines through the The line makes an angle  $45^\circ$  with the line  $x - 2y = 3$ .
83. A vertex of an equilateral triangle is (2, 3) and the equation of the opposite side  $x + y = 2$ . Find the equation of the other sides of the triangle.
84. A line  $4x + y = 1$  through the point  $A(2, -7)$  meets the line  $BC$ , whose equation is  $3x - 4y + 1 = 0$  at the point  $B$ . Find the equation of the line  $AC$  so that  $AB = AC$ .
85. Find the equations of straight lines passing through  $(-2, -7)$  and having an intercept of length 3 between the straight lines  $4x + 3y = 12$  and  $4x + 3y = 3$ .
86. Find the equations of the lines passing through the point (2, 3) and equally inclined to the lines  $3x - 4y = 7$  and  $12x - 5y + 6 = 0$ .
87. Two straight lines  $3x + 4y = 5$  and  $4x - 3y = 15$  intersect at  $A$ . Points  $B$  and  $C$  are chosen on these lines such that  $AB = AC$ . Determine the possible equations of the line  $BC$  passing through the point (1, 2).
88. Two equal sides of an isosceles triangle have the equations  $7x - y + 3 = 0$  and  $x + y = 3$  and its third side passes through the point (1, -10). Find the equation of the third side.

**EQUATIONS OF BISECTORS**

89. Find the equations of the bisectors of the angle between the straight lines  $3x - 4y + 7 = 0$  and  $12x + 5y - 2 = 0$ .
90. Find the equation of the bisectors bisecting the angle containing the origin of the straight lines  $4x + 3y = 6$  and  $5x + 12y + 9 = 0$ .
91. Find the bisector of the angle between the lines  $2x + y = 6$  and  $2x - 4y + 7 = 0$ , which contains the point (1, 2).
92. Find the equation of the bisector of the obtuse angle between the lines  $3x - 4y + 7 = 0$  and  $12x + 5y = 2$ .
93. Find the bisector of the acute angle between the lines  $x + y = 3$  and  $7x - y + 5 = 0$ .
94. Prove that the length of the perpendiculars drawn from any point of the line  $7x - 9y + 10 = 0$  to the lines  $3x + 4y = 5$  and  $12x + 5y = 7$  are the same.
95. Find the co-ordinates of the incentre of the triangle whose sides are  $x + 1 = 0$ ,  $3x - 4y = 5$ ,  $5x + 12y = 27$ .
96. The bisectors of the angle between the lines  $y = \sqrt{3}x + 3$  and  $\sqrt{3}y = x + 3\sqrt{3}$  meet the  $x$ -axis respectively, at  $P$  and  $Q$ . Find the length of  $PQ$ .



97. Two opposite sides of a rhombus are  $x + y = 1$  and  $x + y = 5$ . If one vertex is  $(2, -1)$  and the angle at that vertex be  $45^\circ$ . Find the vertex opposite to the given vertex.
98. Find the foot of perpendicular drawn from the point  $(2, 3)$  to the line  $y = 3x + 4$ .

**IMAGE OF A POINT WITH RESPECT TO A STRAIGHT LINE**

99. Find the image of the point  $(-8, 12)$  with respect to the line mirror  $4x + 7y + 13 = 0$ .
100. Find the image of the point  $(3, 4)$  with respect to the line  $y = x$ .
101. If  $(-2, 6)$  be the image of the point  $(4, 2)$  with respect to the line  $L = 0$ , find the equation of the line  $L$ .
102. The image of the point  $(4, 1)$  with respect to the line  $y = x$  is  $P$ . If the point  $P$  is translated about the line  $x = 2$ , the new position of  $P$  is  $Q$ . Find the co-ordinates of  $Q$ .
103. The image of the point  $(3, 2)$  with respect to the line  $x = 4$  is  $P$ . If  $P$  is rotated through an angle  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  about the origin in anti-clockwise direction. Find the new position of  $P$ .
104. The equations of the perpendicular bisectors of the sides  $AB$  and  $AC$  of  $\triangle ABC$  are  $x - y + 5 = 0$  and  $x + 2y = 0$ , respectively. If the point  $A$  is  $(1, -2)$ , find the equation of the line  $BC$ .

**REFLECTION OF A STRAIGHT LINE**

105. A ray of light is sent along the line  $x - 2y = 3$ . Upon reaching the line  $3x - 2y = 5$ , the ray is reflected from it. Find the equation of the line containing the reflected ray.
106. A ray of light passing through the point  $(1, 2)$  is reflected on the  $x$ -axis at a point  $P$  and passes through the point  $(5, 3)$ . Find the abscissa of the point  $P$ .
107. A ray of light is travelling along the line  $x = 1$  and gets reflected from the line  $x + y = 1$ , find the equation of the line which the reflected ray travel.
108. A ray of light is sent along the line  $x - 6y = 8$ . After refracting across the line  $x + y = 1$ , it enters the opposite side after turning by  $15^\circ$  away from the line  $x + y = 1$ . Find the equation of the line along with the reflected ray travels.

**LEVEL II****(Mixed Problems)**

1. If  $P(1, 2)$ ,  $Q(4, 6)$ ,  $R(5, 7)$  and  $S(a, b)$  are the vertices of a parallelogram  $PQRS$ , then  
 (a)  $a = 2, b = 4$  (b)  $a = 3, b = 4$   
 (c)  $a = 2, b = 3$  (d)  $a = 3, b = 5$
2. The extremities of the diagonal of a parallelogram are the points  $(3, -4)$  and  $(-6, 5)$ . Third vertex is the point  $(-2, 1)$ , the fourth vertex is  
 (a)  $(1, 1)$  (b)  $(1, 0)$   
 (c)  $(0, 1)$  (d)  $(-1, 0)$
3. The centroid of a triangle is  $(2, 3)$  and two of its vertices are  $(5, 6)$  and  $(-1, 4)$ . Then the third vertex of the triangle is  
 (a)  $(2, 1)$  (b)  $(2, -1)$   
 (c)  $(1, 2)$  (d)  $(1, -2)$
4. If  $a$  and  $b$  are real numbers between 0 and 1 such that the points  $(a, 1)$ ,  $(1, b)$  and  $(0, 0)$  form an equilateral triangle, then  $a, b$  are  
 (a)  $2 - \sqrt{3}, 2 - \sqrt{3}$  (b)  $\sqrt{3} - 1, \sqrt{3} - 1$   
 (c)  $\sqrt{2} - 1, \sqrt{2} - 1$  (d) None
5. If  $O$  be the origin and  $Q_1(x_1, y_1)$  and  $Q_2(x_2, y_2)$  be two points, then  $OQ_1OQ_2 \cos(\angle Q_1OQ_2)$  is  
 (a)  $x_1y_2 + x_2y_1$  (b)  $(x_1^2 + y_1^2)(x_2^2 + y_2^2)$   
 (c)  $(x_1 - x_2) + (y_1 - y_2)$  (d)  $x_1x_2 + y_1y_2$
6. If the sides of a triangle are  $3x + 4y, 4x + 3$  and  $5x + 5y$  units, where  $x > 0, y > 0$ , the triangle is  
 (a) right angled (b) acute angled  
 (c) obtuse angled (d) isosceles
7. A triangle is formed by the co-ordinates  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(0, 21)$  and  $(21, 0)$ . Find the number of integral co-ordinates strictly inside the triangle (integral co-ordinates of both  $x$  and  $y$ )  
 (a) 190 (b) 105 (c) 231 (d) 205
8. The set of all real numbers  $x$ , such that  $x^2 + 2x, 2x + 3$  and  $x^2 + 3x + 8$  are the sides of a triangle, is  
 (a)  $x \geq 4$  (b)  $x \geq 5$  (c)  $x \leq 5$  (d)  $x \leq 4$
9. The area of a triangle with vertices at the points  $(a, b + c)$ ,  $(b, c + a)$  and  $(c, a + b)$  is  
 (a) 0 (b)  $a + b + c$   
 (c)  $ab + bc + ca$  (d) none
10. If the vertices of a triangle  $ABC$  are  $(\lambda, 2 - 2\lambda)$ ,  $(-\lambda + 1, 2\lambda)$  and  $(-4 - \lambda, 6 - 2\lambda)$ . If its area be 70 sq. units, the number of integral values of  $\lambda$  is  
 (a) 1 (b) 2 (c) 3 (d) 4
11. If the co-ordinates of points  $A, B, C$  and  $D$  are  $(6, 3)$ ,  $(-3, 5)$ ,  $(4, -2)$  and  $(x, 3x)$ , respectively and if  $\frac{\Delta ABC}{\Delta DBC} = \frac{1}{2}$ , then  $x$  is  
 (a)  $\frac{8}{11}$  (b)  $\frac{11}{8}$  (c)  $\frac{7}{9}$  (d) 0
12. The area of a triangle is 5 and two of its vertices are  $A(2, 1)$ ,  $B(3, -2)$ . The third vertex which lies on the line  $y = x + 3$  is  
 (a)  $(\frac{7}{2}, \frac{13}{2})$  (b)  $(\frac{5}{2}, \frac{5}{2})$   
 (c)  $(-\frac{3}{2}, \frac{3}{2})$  (d)  $(0, 0)$
13. If the points  $(2k, k)$ ,  $(k, 2k)$  and  $(k, k)$  with  $k > 0$  encloses a triangle of area 18 sq. units, the centroid of the triangle is equal to  
 (a)  $(8, 8)$  (b)  $(4, 4)$   
 (c)  $(-4, -4)$  (d)  $(4\sqrt{2}, 4\sqrt{3})$
14. If  $r$  be the geometric mean of  $p$  and  $q$ , the line  $px + qy + r = 0$   
 (a) has a fixed direction  
 (b) passes through a fixed point  
 (c) forms with the axes of a triangle of  
 (d) sum of its intercepts on the axes Constant area is constant.
15. A line passing through the point  $(2, 2)$  cuts the axes of co-ordinates at  $A$  and  $B$  such that area  $OAB = k$  ( $k > 0$ ). The intercepts on the axes are the roots of the equation

- (a)  $x^2 - kx + 2k = 0$       (b)  $x^2 - 2kx + k = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + kx + 2k = 0$       (d)  $x^2 + kx + k = 0$
16. If  $A$  and  $B$  be two points on the line  $3x + 4y + 15 = 0$  such that  $OA = OB = 9$  units, the area of the triangle  $OAB$  is  
 (a)  $9\sqrt{2}$     (b)  $18\sqrt{2}$     (c)  $12\sqrt{2}$     (d) None.
17. The line segment joining the points  $(1, 2)$  and  $(-2, 1)$  is divided by the line  $3x + 4y = 7$  in the ratio  
 (a)  $3 : 4$     (b)  $4 : 3$     (c)  $9 : 4$     (d)  $4 : 9$
18. If a straight line passes through  $(x_1, y_1)$  and its segment between the axes is bisected at this point, its equation is given by  
 (a)  $\frac{x}{x_1} + \frac{y}{y_1} = 2$       (b)  $2(xy_1 + x_1y) = x_1y_1$   
 (c)  $xy_1 + x_1y = x_1y_1$       (d) None.
19. A straight line through the point  $P(3, 4)$  is such that its intercept between the axes is bisected at  $P$ . Its equation is  
 (a)  $3x - 4y + 7 = 0$       (b)  $4x + 3y = 24$   
 (c)  $3x + 4y = 25$       (d)  $x + y = 7$
20. If the lines  $4x + 3y = 1$ ,  $y = x + 5$  and  $bx + 5y = 3$  are concurrent, then  $b$  is  
 (a) 1      (b) 3      (c) 6      (d) 0
21. The lines  $ax + by + c = 0$ ,  $bx + cy + a = 0$  and  $cx + ay + b = 0$  are concurrent if  
 (a)  $\Sigma a^3 = 3abc$       (b)  $\Sigma a^3 = 0$   
 (c)  $\Sigma a^2 = \Sigma ab$       (d) None
22. The lines  $ax + 2y + 1 = 0$ ,  $bx + 3y + 1 = 0$  and  $cx + 4y + 1 = 0$  are concurrent if  $a, b, c$  are in  
 (a) AP    (b) GP    (c) HP    (d) none
23. If the lines  $ax + y + 1 = 0$ ,  $x + by + 1 = 0$  and  $x + y + c = 0$  ( $a, b, c$  are distinct and not equal to 1) are concurrent, the value of  $\frac{1}{1-a} + \frac{1}{1-b} + \frac{1}{1-c}$  is  
 (a) 0    (b) 1    (c) 2    (d) none
24. The points  $(-a, -b)$ ,  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(a, b)$  and  $(a^2, ab)$  are  
 (a) collinear    (b) vertices of a rectangle  
 (c) vertices of a parallelogram    (d) none
25. If  $25p^2 + 9q^2 - r^2 - 30pq = 0$ , a point on the line  $px + qy + r = 0$  is  
 (a)  $(-5, 3)$     (b)  $(1, 2)$     (c)  $(0, 0)$     (d)  $(5, 3)$
26. The set of lines  $ax + by + c = 0$  where  $3a + 2b + 4c = 0$  are concurrent at the point  
 (a)  $(3, 2)$     (b)  $(2, 4)$     (c)  $(3/4, 1/2)$     (d) None.
27. If  $a, b, c$  are in AP, the straight line  $a + by + c = 0$  will always pass through the point  
 (a)  $(1, 1)$     (b)  $(2, 2)$     (c)  $(-2, 1)$     (d)  $(1, -2)$
28. The equation of the line which passes through the point  $(-3, 8)$  and cuts off positive intercepts on the axes whose sum is 7, is  
 (a)  $3x - 4y = 12$       (b)  $4x + 3y = 12$   
 (c)  $3x + 4y = 12$       (d)  $4x - 3y = 12$
29. If a pair of opposite vertices of parallelogram are  $(1, 3)$  and  $(-2, 4)$  and the sides are parallel to  $5x - y = 0$  and  $7x + y = 0$ , the equation of a side through  $(1, 3)$  is  
 (a)  $5x - y = 2$       (b)  $7x + y = 10$   
 (c)  $5x - y + 14 = 0$       (d)  $7x + y + 10 = 0$
30. The point  $P(a, b)$  and  $Q(b, a)$  lie on the lines  $3x + 2y - 13 = 0$  and  $4x - y - 5 = 0$ . The equation of the line  $PQ$  is  
 (a)  $x - y = 5$       (b)  $x + y = 5$   
 (c)  $x - y = -5$       (d)  $x + y = -5$
31. The sides  $AB, BC, CD$  and  $DA$  of a quadrilateral are  $x + 2y = 3, x = 1, x - 3y = 4, 5x + y + 12 = 0$  respectively. The angle between diagonals  $AC$  and  $BD$  is  
 (a)  $45^\circ$     (b)  $60^\circ$     (c)  $90^\circ$     (d)  $30^\circ$
32. Let  $PS$  be the median of the triangle with vertices  $P(2, 2), Q(6, -1)$  and  $R(7, 3)$ . The equation of the line passing through  $(1, -1)$  and parallel to  $PS$  is  
 (a)  $2x - 9y - 7 = 0$       (b)  $2x - 9y - 11 = 0$   
 (c)  $2x + 9y - 11 = 0$       (d)  $2x + 9y + 7 = 0$
33. The equation of the base of an equilateral triangle is  $x + y = 2$  and the vertex is  $(2, -1)$ . The length of its side is  
 (a)  $\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}}$     (b)  $\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$     (c)  $\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$     (d)  $\sqrt{2}$
34. The distance between the lines  $4x + 3y = 11$  and  $8x + 6y = 15$  is  
 (a)  $7/2$     (b)  $7/3$     (c)  $7/5$     (d)  $7/10$
35. A variable point  $\left(1 + \frac{\lambda}{\sqrt{2}}, 2 + \frac{\lambda}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$  lies in between two parallel lines  $x + 2y = 1$  and  $2x + 4y = 15$ , the range of  $\lambda$  is given by  
 (a)  $0 < \lambda < \frac{5\sqrt{2}}{6}$       (b)  $-\frac{4\sqrt{2}}{5} < \lambda < \frac{5\sqrt{2}}{6}$   
 (c)  $-\frac{4\sqrt{2}}{5} < \lambda < 0$       (d) none
36. The sum of the abscissae of all the points on the line  $x + y = 4$  that lie at a unit distance from the line  $4x + 3y - 10 = 0$  is  
 (a)  $-4$     (b)  $-3$     (c) 3    (d) 4
37. If the algebraic sum of the perpendicular distances from the points  $(2, 0), (0, 2), (1, 1)$  to a variable straight line be zero, the line passes through a fixed point whose co-ordinates are  
 (a)  $(1, 1)$     (b)  $(2, 2)$     (c)  $(0, 0)$     (d) None
38. If  $a, b$  and  $c$  are related by  $4a^2 + 9b^2 - 9c^2 + 12ab = 0$ , the greatest distance between any two lines of the family of lines  $ax + by + c = 0$  is  
 (a)  $4/3$     (b)  $\frac{2}{3} \times \sqrt{13}$   
 (c)  $3\sqrt{13}$     (d) 0
39. If the axes are turned through an angle  $\tan^{-1} 2$ , the equation  $4xy - 3x^2 = a^2$  becomes  
 (a)  $x^2 - 4y^2 = 2a^2$       (b)  $x^2 - 4y^2 = a^2$   
 (c)  $x^2 + 4y^2 = a^2$       (d)  $x^2 - 2xy^2 = a^2$
40. The number of integral values of  $m$  for which the  $x$  co-ordinate of the point of intersection of the lines  $3x + 4y = 9$  and  $y = mx + 1$  is also an integer, is  
 (a) 2    (b) 0    (c) 4    (d) 1
41. Given the family of lines  $a(2x + y + 4) + b(x - 2y - 3) = 0$ . The number of lines belonging to the family at a distance  $\sqrt{10}$  from any point  $(2, -3)$  is  
 (a) 0    (b) 1    (c) 2    (d) 4

42. If  $\frac{x}{c} + \frac{y}{d} = 1$  be any line through the intersection of  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$  and  $\frac{x}{b} + \frac{y}{a} = 1$ , then
- (a)  $\frac{1}{c} + \frac{1}{d} = \frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b}$  (b)  $\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{d} = \frac{1}{c} + \frac{1}{b}$   
 (c)  $\frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{d} = \frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{c}$  (d) None.
43. The point of intersection of the lines  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$  and  $\frac{x}{b} + \frac{y}{a} = 1$  lies on the line
- (a)  $x - y = 0$   
 (b)  $(x + y)(a + b) = 2ab$   
 (c)  $(px + qy)(a + b) = (p + q)ab$   
 (d)  $(px - qy)(a - b) = (p - q)ab$
44. The equation of the right bisector of the line segment joining the points (7, 4) and (-1, -2) is
- (a)  $4x + 3y = 10$  (b)  $3x - 4y + 7 = 0$   
 (c)  $4x + 3y = 15$  (d) none
45. The points (1, 3) and (5, 1) are two opposite vertices of a rectangle. The other two vertices lie on the line  $y = 2x + c$ , the other vertices and  $c$  are
- (a) (1, 1), (2, 3),  $c = 4$  (b) (4, 4), (2, 0),  $c = -4$   
 (c) (0, 0), (5, 4),  $c = 3$  (d) none
46. The four lines  $ax \pm by \pm c = 0$  enclose a
- (a) square  
 (b) parallelogram  
 (c) rectangle  
 (d) rhombus of area  $\frac{2c^2}{ab}$
47. The area bounded by the curves  $y = |x| - 1$  and  $y = -|x| + 1$  is
- (a) 1 (b) 2 (c)  $2\sqrt{2}$  (d) 4
48. The area of the parallelogram formed by the lines  $y = mx$ ,  $y = mx + 1$ ,  $y = nx$  and  $y = nx + 1$  is
- (a)  $\frac{|m+n|}{(m-n)^2}$  (b)  $\frac{2}{|m+n|}$   
 (c)  $\frac{1}{|m+n|}$  (d)  $\frac{1}{|m-n|}$
49. The line which is parallel to  $x$ -axis and crosses the curve  $y = \sqrt{x}$  at an angle of  $45^\circ$  is
- (a)  $x = \frac{1}{4}$  (b)  $y = \frac{1}{4}$  (c)  $y = \frac{1}{2}$  (d)  $y = 1$
50. The reflection of the point (4, -13) in the line  $5x + y + 6 = 0$  is
- (a) (-1, -14) (b) (3, 4)  
 (c) (1, 2) (d) (-4, 13)
51. The area enclosed within the curve  $|x| + |y| = 1$  is
- (a) 4 (b) 2 (c) 1 (d) 3
52. The incentre of the triangle formed by the lines  $x = 0$ ,  $y = 0$  and  $3x + 4y = 12$  is
- (a)  $\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$  (b) (1, 1) (c)  $\left(1, \frac{1}{2}\right)$  (d)  $\left(\frac{1}{2}, 1\right)$
53. The incentre of the triangle formed by the axes and the line  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$  is
- (a)  $\left(\frac{a}{2}, \frac{b}{2}\right)$  (b)  $\left(\frac{a}{3}, \frac{b}{3}\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(\frac{ab}{a+b+\sqrt{a^2+b^2}}, \frac{ab}{a+b+\sqrt{a^2+b^2}}\right)$   
 (d)  $\left(\frac{ab}{a+b+\sqrt{ab}}, \frac{ab}{a+b+\sqrt{ab}}\right)$
54. The orthocentre of a triangle whose vertices are (0, 0), (3, 4), (4, 0) is
- (a)  $\left(3, \frac{7}{3}\right)$  (b)  $\left(3, \frac{5}{4}\right)$   
 (c) (5, -2) (d)  $\left(3, \frac{3}{4}\right)$
55. The orthocentre of the triangle formed by the lines  $xy = 0$  and  $x + y = 1$  is
- (a)  $\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$  (b)  $\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}\right)$   
 (c) (0, 0) (d)  $\left(\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}\right)$
56. The mid-points of the sides of a triangle are (5, 0), (5, 12) and (0, 12). The orthocentre of the triangle is
- (a) (0, 0) (b) (10, 0)  
 (c) (0, 24) (d)  $\left(\frac{13}{3}, 8\right)$
57. One side of an equilateral triangle is the line  $3x + 4y + 8 = 0$  and its centroid is at  $O(1, 1)$ . The length of its side is
- (a) 2 (b)  $\sqrt{5}$  (c)  $6\sqrt{3}$  (d)  $\sqrt{7}$
58. The incentre of the triangle with vertices  $(1, \sqrt{3})$ , (0, 0) and (2, 0) is
- (a)  $\left(1, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$  (b)  $\left(\frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(\frac{2}{3}, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$  (d)  $\left(1, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$
59. Let  $P(-1, 0)$ ,  $Q(0, 0)$  and  $R(3, 3\sqrt{3})$  be three points. Then the equation of the bisector of the  $\angle PQR$  is
- (a)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}x + y = 0$  (b)  $x + \sqrt{3}y = 0$   
 (c)  $y + x\sqrt{3} = 0$  (d)  $x + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}y = 0$
60. The vertices of a triangle  $ABC$  are (1, 1), (4, -2) and (5, 5), respectively. The equation of the perpendicular dropped from  $C$  to the internal bisector of  $\angle A$  is
- (a)  $y = 5$  (b)  $x = 5$   
 (c)  $2x + 3y = 7$  (d) none
61. The vertices of a triangle are  $A(-1, -7)$ ,  $B(5, 1)$  and  $C(1, 4)$ . The equation of the internal bisector of the  $\angle ABC$  is

- (a)  $3x - 7y = 8$                       (b)  $x - 7y + 2 = 0$   
 (c)  $3x - 3y - 7 = 0$                   (d) none
62. The bisector of the acute angle formed between the lines  $4x - 3y + 7 = 0$  and  $4x - 4y + 14 = 0$  has the equation
- (a)  $x + y = 7$                               (b)  $x - y + 3 = 0$   
 (c)  $2x + y = 11$                          (d)  $x + 2y = 12$
63. The opposite angular points of a square are  $(3, 4)$  and  $(1, -1)$ , the other two vertices are
- (a)  $\left(-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{2}\right), \left(\frac{9}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$       (b)  $\left(\frac{9}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right), \left(\frac{7}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(\frac{7}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right), \left(-\frac{7}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\right)$       (d)  $\left(-\frac{7}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\right), \left(-\frac{7}{2}, -\frac{9}{2}\right)$
64. A line through  $A(-5, -4)$  meets the lines  $x + 3y + 2 = 0$ ,  $2x + y + 4 = 0$  and  $x - y - 5 = 0$  at  $B, C$  and  $D$ , respectively. If  $\left(\frac{15}{AB}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{10}{AC}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{6}{AD}\right)^2$ , the equation of the line is
- (a)  $2x + 3y + 22 = 0$                       (b)  $5x - 4y + 7 = 0$   
 (c)  $3x - 2y + 3 = 0$                         (d) none
65. The equation of the lines through the point  $(2, 3)$  and making an intercept of length 2 units between the lines  $2x + y = 3$  and  $2x + y = 5$  are
- (a)  $x + 3 = 0, 3x + 4y = 12$   
 (b)  $y - 2 = 0, 4x - 3y = 6$   
 (c)  $x - 2 = 0, 3x + 4y = 18$   
 (d) none
66. A line is such that its segment between the straight lines  $5x - y = 4$  and  $3x + 4y = 4$  is bisected at the point  $(1, 5)$ . Its equation is
- (a)  $23x - 7y + 6 = 0$                       (b)  $7x + 4y + 3 = 0$   
 (c)  $83x - 35y + 92 = 0$                   (d) None
67. A straight line through the origin  $O$  meets the parallel lines  $4x + 2y = 9$  and  $2x + y + 6 = 0$  at points  $P$  and  $Q$ , respectively. Then the point  $O$  divides the segment  $PQ$  in the ratio
- (a)  $1 : 2$       (b)  $3 : 4$       (c)  $2 : 1$       (d)  $4 : 3$

**LEVEL III**

**(Problems for JEE Advanced)**

- Derive the conditions to be imposed on  $\beta$  so that  $(0, \beta)$  should lie on or inside the triangle having sides  $y + 3x + 2 = 0, 3y - 2x - 5 = 0$  and  $4y + x - 14 = 0$
- Find the number of integral values of  $m$ , for which the  $x$ -co-ordinate of the point of intersection of the lines  $3x + 4y = 9$  and  $y = mx + 1$  is also an integer.
- Let  $P = (-1, 0), Q = (0, 0)$  and  $R = (3, 3\sqrt{3})$  be three points. Find the equation of the bisector of the  $\angle PQR$ .
- A straight line through the point  $(2, 2)$  intersects the lines  $\sqrt{3}x + y = 0$  and  $\sqrt{3}x - y = 0$  at the points  $A$  and  $B$ . Find the equation to the line  $AB$  so that the  $\Delta OAB$  is equilateral.

- The area of the triangle formed by the intersection of a line parallel to  $x$ -axis and passing through  $P(h, k)$  with the lines  $y = x$  and  $x + y = 2$  is  $4h^2$ . Find the locus of the point  $P$ .
- Two rays in the first quadrant  $x + y = |a|$  and  $ax - y = 1$  intersects each other in the interval  $a \in (a_0, \infty)$ . Find the value of  $a_0$ .
- A variable line is at constant distance  $p$  from the origin and meets the co-ordinate axes in  $A$  and  $B$ . Show that the locus of the centroid of the  $\Delta OAB$  is  $\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2} = \frac{9}{p^2}$ .
- The line segment joining  $A(3, 0)$  and  $B(5, 2)$  is rotated about  $A$  in the anti-clockwise direction through an angle of  $45^\circ$  so that  $B$  goes to  $C$ . If  $D(x, y)$  is the image of  $C$  with respect to  $y$ -axis, find the value of  $x + y + 7$ .
- Find the equation of the line passing through the point  $(4, 5)$  and equally inclined to the lines  $3x - 4y = 7$  and  $5y - 12x = 6$ .
- If  $A(3, 0)$  and  $C(-2, 5)$  be the opposite vertices of a square, find the co-ordinates of remaining two vertices.
- For what values of the parameter  $m$  does the point  $P(m, m + 1)$  lie within the  $\Delta ABC$ , the vertices of which are  $A(0, 3), B(-2, 0)$  and  $C(6, 1)$ ?
- A straight line passes through the point  $(h, k)$  and this point bisects the part of the intercept between the axes. Show that the equation of the straight line is

$$\frac{x}{2h} + \frac{y}{2k} = 1$$

- Find the values of the parameter  $m$  for which the points  $(0, 0)$  and  $(m, 3)$  lie on the opposite lines  $3x + 2y - 6 = 0$  and  $x - 4y + 16 = 0$ .
- If  $A(0, 3)$  and  $B(-2, 5)$  be the adjacent vertices of a square. Find the possible co-ordinates of remaining two vertices.
- Find the co-ordinates of two points on the line  $x + y = 3$  which are situated at a distance  $\sqrt{8}$  from the point  $(2, 1)$  on the line.
- If  $a$  and  $b$  be variables, show that the lines  $(a + b)x + (2a - b)y = 0$  pass through a fixed point.
- Determine all values of  $\alpha$  for which the point  $(\alpha, \alpha^2)$  lies inside the triangle formed by the lines  $2x + 3y - 1 = 0, x + 2y - 3 = 0$  and  $5x - 6y - 1 = 0$ .
- The points  $(1, 3)$  and  $(5, 1)$  are two opposite vertices of a rectangle. The other two vertices lie on the line  $y = 2x + c$ . Find  $c$  and the remaining two vertices.
- A vertex of an equilateral triangle is  $(2, 3)$  and the equation of the opposite side is  $x + y = 2$ . Find the equation of the other two sides.
- Two consecutive sides of a parallelogram are  $4x + 5y = 0$  and  $7x + 2y = 0$ . If the equation to one diagonal is  $11x + 7y = 9$ , find the equation of the other diagonal.
- A ray of light coming from the point  $(1, 2)$  is reflected at a point  $A$  on the  $x$ -axis and then passes through the point  $(5, 3)$ . Find the point  $A$ .

22. A man starts from the point  $P(-3, 4)$  and reaches the point  $Q(0, 1)$  after touching the line  $2x + y = 7$  at  $R$ . Find  $R$  on the line so that he travels along the shortest path.
23. A ray of light is sent along the straight line  $y = \frac{2}{3}x - 4$ . On reaching the  $x$ -axis, it is reflected. Find the point of incidence and the equation of the reflected ray.
24. If the point  $(a, a)$  is placed in between the lines  $|x + y| = 4$ , find  $a$ .
25. The equations of two sides of a triangle are  $3x - 2y + 6 = 0$  and  $4x + 5y = 20$  and the orthocentre is  $(1, 1)$ . Find the equation of the third side.
26. Two vertices of a triangle are  $(4, -3)$  and  $(-2, 5)$ . If the orthocentre of the triangle is  $(1, 2)$ , prove that the third vertex is  $(33, 26)$ .
27. The equations of the perpendicular bisectors of the sides  $AB$  and  $AC$  of a  $\Delta ABC$  are  $x - y + 2 = 0$  and  $x + 2y = 0$ , respectively. If the point  $A$  is  $(1, -2)$ , find the equation of the line  $BC$ .
28. A line  $4x + y = 1$  through the point  $A(2, -7)$  meets the line  $BC$  whose equation is  $3x - 4y + 1 = 0$  at the point  $B$ . Find the equation of the line  $AC$ , so that  $AB = AC$ .
29. Find the equations of the straight lines passing through  $(-2, -7)$  and having an intercept of length 3 between the straight lines  $4x + 3y = 12$  and  $8x + 6y = 6$ .
30. If  $A(1, p^2)$ ,  $B(0, 1)$ ,  $C(p, 0)$  are the co-ordinates of three points, find the value of  $p$  for which the area of the  $\Delta ABC$  is minimum.
31. The straight lines  $3x + 4y = 5$  and  $4x - 3y = 15$  intersect at  $A$ . Points  $B$  and  $C$  are chosen on these lines, such that  $AB = AC$ . Determine the possible equations of the line  $BC$  passing through the point  $(1, 2)$ .
32. The centre of a square is at the origin and one vertex is  $A(2, 1)$ . Find the co-ordinates of other vertices of the square.
33. Two equal sides of an isosceles triangle are  $7x - y + 3 = 0$  and  $x + y - 3 = 0$  and its third side passes through the point  $(1, -10)$ . Find the equation of the third side.
34. Two opposite sides of a rhombus are  $x + y = 1$  and  $x + y = 5$ . If one vertex is  $(2, -1)$  and the angle at the vertex is  $45^\circ$ . Find the vertex opposite to the given vertex.
35. Two sides of a rhombus  $ABCD$  are parallel to the lines  $y = x + 2$  and  $y = 7x + 3$ . If the diagonals of the rhombus intersect at the point  $(1, 2)$  and the vertex  $A$  is on  $y$ -axis. Find the possible co-ordinates of  $A$ .
2. Let the point  $B$  is symmetric to  $A(4, -1)$  with respect to the bisector of the first quadrant. Find  $AB$ .
3. A line segment  $AB$  through the point  $A(2, 0)$  which makes an angle of  $30^\circ$  with the positive direction of  $x$ -axis is rotated about  $A$  in anti-clockwise direction through an angle of  $15^\circ$ . If  $C$  be the new position of the point  $B(2 + \sqrt{3}, 1)$ , find the co-ordinates of  $C$ .
4. The point  $(1, -2)$  is reflected in the  $x$ -axis and then translated parallel to the positive direction of  $x$ -axis through a distance of 3 units, find the co-ordinates of the point in the new position.
5. A line through the point  $A(2, 0)$  which makes an angle of  $30^\circ$  with the positive direction of  $x$ -axis is rotated about  $A$  in anti-clockwise direction through an angle of  $15^\circ$ . Find the equation of the straight line in the new position.
6. A line  $x - y + 1 = 0$  cuts the  $y$ -axis at  $A$ . This line is rotated about  $A$  in the clockwise direction through  $75^\circ$ . Find the equation of the line in the new position.
7. The point  $(1, 1)$  is translated parallel to the line  $y = 2x$  in the first quadrant through a unit distance. Find the new position of the point.
8. Two particles start from the same point  $(2, -1)$ , one moving 2 units along the line  $x + y = 1$  and the other 5 units along the line  $x - 2y = 4$ . If the particles move towards increasing  $y$ , find their new positions and the distance between them.
9. If a line  $AB$  of length  $2l$  moves with the end  $A$  always on the  $x$ -axis and the end  $B$  always on the line  $y = 6x$ . Find the equation of the locus of the mid-point of  $AB$ .
10. The opposite angular points of a square are  $(3, 4)$  and  $(1, -1)$ . Find the co-ordinates of the other two vertices. **[Roorkee, 1985]**
11. Two vertices of a triangle are  $(4, -3)$  and  $(-2, 5)$ . If the orthocentre of the triangle is at  $(1, 2)$ . Find the co-ordinates of the third vertex. **[Roorkee, 1987]**
12. A line is such that its segment between the straight lines  $5x - y - 4 = 0$  and  $3x + 4y - 4 = 0$  is bisected at the point  $(1, 5)$ . Obtain its equation. **[Roorkee, 1988]**
13. The extremities of the diagonal of a square are  $(1, 1)$  and  $(-2, -1)$ . Obtain the other two vertices and the equation of the other diagonal. **[Roorkee, 1989]**
14. A variable straight line passes through the point of intersection of the lines  $x + 2y = 1$  and  $2x - y = 1$  and meets the co-ordinate axes in  $A$  and  $B$ . Find the locus of the mid-point of  $AB$ . **[Roorkee, 1989]**
15. A variable line, drawn through the point of intersection of the straight lines  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$  and  $\frac{x}{b} + \frac{y}{a} = 1$ , meets the co-ordinates axes in  $A$  and  $B$ . Find the locus of the mid-point of  $AB$ . **[Roorkee, 1989]**
16. A line joining  $A(2, 0)$  and  $B(3, 1)$  is rotated about  $A$  in anti-clockwise direction through. If  $B$  goes to  $C$  in the new position, what will be the co-ordinates of  $C$ ? **[Roorkee, 1989]**

**LEVEL IV****(Tougher Problems for JEE Advanced)**

1. The equation of two sides of a parallelogram are  $3x - 2y + 12 = 0$  and  $x - 3y + 11 = 0$  and the point of intersection of its diagonals is  $(2, 2)$ . Find the equations of other two sides and its diagonal.

17. Which pair of points lie on the same side of  $3x - 8y - 7 = 0$ ?  
 (a)  $(0, -1)$  and  $(0, 0)$       (b)  $(4, -3)$  and  $(0, 1)$   
 (c)  $(-3, -4)$  and  $(1, 2)$       (d)  $(-1, -1)$  and  $(3, 7)$   
**[Roorkee, 1990]**
18. Determine the conditions to be imposed on  $\beta$  so that  $(0, \beta)$  should lie on or inside the triangle having sides  $y + 3x + 2 = 0$ ,  $3y - 2x - 5 = 0$  and  $4y + x - 14 = 0$ .  
**[Roorkee Main, 1990]**
19. A ray of light is sent along the line  $x - 2y - 3 = 0$ . Upon reaching the line  $3x - 2y - 5 = 0$ , the ray is reflected from it. Find the equation of the line containing the reflected ray.  
**[Roorkee Main, 1990]**
20. A line parallel to the straight line  $3x - 4y - 2 = 0$  and at a distance 4 units from it is  
 (a)  $3x - 4y + 30 = 0$       (b)  $4x - 3y + 12 = 0$   
 (c)  $3x - 4y + 18 = 0$       (d)  $3x - 4y + 22 = 0$   
**[Roorkee, 1991]**
21. The equation of a straight line passing through  $(-5, 4)$  which cuts an intercept of  $\sqrt{2}$  between the lines  $x + y + 1 = 0$  and  $x + y - 1 = 0$  is  
 (a)  $x - 2y + 13 = 0$       (b)  $2x - y + 14 = 0$   
 (c)  $x - y + 9 = 0$       (d)  $x - y + 10 = 0$   
**[Roorkee, 1991]**
22.  $P(3, 1)$ ,  $Q(6, 5)$  and  $R(x, y)$  are three points such that the  $\angle PRQ$  is a right angle and the area of  $\Delta RPQ = 7$ , the number of such points  $R$  is  
 (a) 0      (b) 1      (c) 2      (d) infinite  
**[Roorkee, 1992]**
23.  $P$  is a point on either of the two lines  $y - \sqrt{3}|x| = 2$  at a distance of 5 units from their point of intersection, the co-ordinates of the foot of the perpendicular from  $P$  on the bisector of the angle between them are  
 (a)  $\left(0, \frac{4 + 5\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$  or  $\left(0, \frac{4 - 5\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$   
 depending on which line  $P$  is taken  
 (b)  $\left(0, \frac{4 + 5\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(0, \frac{4 - 5\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$   
 (d)  $\left(\frac{5}{2}, \frac{5\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$       **[Roorkee, 1992]**
24. If one of the diagonals of the square is along the line  $x = 2y$  and one of its vertices is  $A(3, 0)$ , its sides through the vertex  $A$  are given by  
 (a)  $y + 3x + 9 = 0$ ;  $3y + x - 3 = 0$   
 (b)  $y - 3x + 9 = 0$ ;  $3y + x - 3 = 0$   
 (c)  $y - 3x + 9 = 0$ ;  $3y - x + 3 = 0$   
 (d)  $y - 3x + 3 = 0$ ;  $3y + x + 9 = 0$       **[Roorkee, 1993]**
25. The sides  $AB$ ,  $BC$ ,  $CD$  and  $DA$  of a quadrilateral have the equations  $x + 2y = 3$ ,  $x = 1$ ,  $x - 3y = 4$  and  $5x + y + 12 = 0$  respectively. Find the angle between the diagonals  $AC$  and  $BD$ .  
**[Roorkee Main, 1993]**
26. Given vertices  $A(1, 1)$ ,  $B(4, -2)$  and  $C(5, 5)$  of a triangle, find the equation of the perpendicular dropped from  $C$  to the interior bisector of the  $\angle A$ .  
**[Roorkee Main, 1994]**
27. The co-ordinates of the foot of the perpendicular from the point  $(2, 4)$  on the line  $x + y = 1$  are  
 (a)  $(1/2, 3/2)$       (b)  $(-1/2, 3/2)$   
 (c)  $(4/3, 1/2)$       (d)  $(3/4, -1/2)$   
**[Roorkee, 1995]**
28. All points lying outside the triangle formed by the points  $(1, 3)$ ,  $(5, 0)$  and  $(-1, 2)$  satisfy  
 (a)  $2x + y \geq 0$       (b)  $2x + y - 13 \geq 0$   
 (c)  $2x + y - 12 \leq 0$       (d)  $-2x + y \leq 0$ .  
**[Roorkee, 1995]**
29. In a  $\Delta ABC$ , the equation of the perpendicular bisector of  $AC$  is  $3x - 2y + 8 = 0$ . If the co-ordinates of the points  $A$  and  $B$  are  $(1, -1)$  and  $(3, 1)$ , respectively, find the equation of the line  $BC$  and the centre of the circum-circle of the  $\Delta ABC$ .  
**[Roorkee Main, 1995]**
30. Two sides of a rhombus, lying in the first quadrant are given by  $3x - 4y = 0$  and  $12x - 5y = 0$ . If the length of the longer diagonal is 12, find the equations of the other two sides of the rhombus.  
**[Roorkee Main, 1996]**
31. What is the equation of a straight line equally inclined to the axes and equidistant from the points  $(1, -2)$  and  $(3, 4)$ ?  
**[Roorkee, 1997]**
32. If the points  $(2a, a)$ ,  $(a, 2a)$  and  $(a, a)$  enclose a triangle of area 8, find the value of  $a$ .  
 (a)  $x - y - 2 = 0$       (b)  $x + y - 2 = 0$   
 (c)  $x - y - 1 = 0$       (d)  $x + y - 1 = 0$   
**[Roorkee, 1997]**
33. One diagonal of a square  $7x + 5y = 35$  intercepted by the axes. Obtain the extremities of the other diagonal.  
**[Roorkee Main, 1997]**
34. The equations of two equal sides  $AB$  and  $AC$  of an isosceles triangle  $ABC$  are  $x + y = 5$  and  $7x - y = 3$ , respectively. Find the equations of the side  $BC$  if the area of the  $\Delta ABC$  is 5 sq. units.  
**[Roorkee, 1999]**
35. Find the position of the point  $(4, 1)$  after it undergoes the following transformations successively:  
 (i) reflection about the line  $y = x - 1$   
 (ii) translation by one unit along  $x$ -axis in the positive direction.  
 (iii) rotation through an angle  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  about the origin in the anti-clockwise direction.  
**[Roorkee Main, 2000]**
36. Two vertices of a triangle are at  $(-1, 3)$  and  $(2, 5)$  and its orthocentre is at  $(1, 2)$ . Find the co-ordinates of the third vertex.  
**[Roorkee Main, 2001]**

### Integer Type Questions

- Let the algebraic sum of the perpendicular distances from the points (3, 0), (0, 3) and (2, 2) to a variable straight line be zero, the line passing through a fixed point whose co-ordinates are (p, q), where  $3(p + q) - 2$  is....
- If the distance of the point (2, 3) from the line  $2x - 3y + 9 = 0$  measured along the line  $2x - 2y + 5 = 0$  is  $d\sqrt{2}$ , find (d + 2).
- Find the number of possible straight lines passing through (2, 3) and forming a triangle with co-ordinate axes, whose area is 12 sq. units.
- Find the number of integral values of m for which the x-co-ordinate of the point of intersection of the lines  $3x + 4y = 9$  and  $y = mx + 2$  is also an integer.
- Find the area of the parallelogram formed by the lines  $y = 2x$ ,  $y = 2x + 1$ ,  $y = x$  and  $y = x + 1$ .
- If one side of a rhombus has end-points (4, 5) and (1, 1) such that the maximum area of the rhombus is  $5m$  sq. units, find m.
- Find the area of a rhombus enclosed by the lines  $x \pm 2y \pm 2 = 0$ .
- $P(x, y)$  be a lattice point if  $x, y \in N$ . If the number of lattices points lies inside of a triangle form by the line  $x + y = 10$  and the co-ordinate axes is  $m(m + 5)$ , find m.
- $P(x, y)$  be an IIT point if  $x, y \in I^+$ . Find the number of IIT points lying inside the quadrilateral formed by the lines  $2x + y = 6$ ,  $x + y = 9$ ,  $x = 0$  and  $y = 0$ .
- If the point  $P(a^2, a)$  lies in the region corresponding to the acute angle between the lines  $2y = x$  and  $4y = x$  such that the value of a lies in (p, q), where  $p, q \in N$ , find the value of (p + q + 1).

### Comprehensive Link Passage

#### Passage I

Sometimes we do not take x-axis and y-axis at  $90^\circ$  and assume that they are inclined at an angle  $\omega$ . Let OX and OY, the x-axis and the y-axis respectively, are inclined at an angle  $\omega$ . Let P be a point on the plane. Draw parallel lines from P parallel to y- and x-axis. We will write  $PN = x$  and  $PM = y$  and will say that the co-ordinates of P are (x, y), where such axes are called oblique axes.

- The distance of  $P(x, y)$  from origin must be
  - $\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$
  - $\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 - 2xy \sin \omega}$
  - $\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 - 2xy \cos \omega}$
  - none
- If  $M(x_1, y_1)$  and  $N(x_2, y_2)$  be two points in oblique system, the co-ordinates of the mid-points of A and B are
  - $\left(\frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1 + y_2}{2}\right)$
  - $\left(\frac{x_1 + x_2}{2} \sin \omega, \frac{y_1 + y_2}{2} \sin \omega\right)$

$$(c) \left(\frac{x_1 + x_2}{2} \cos \omega, \frac{y_1 + y_2}{2} \cos \omega\right)$$

(d) none

- If a line makes intercepts a and b on x and y axes (obviously oblique axes), its equation be

$$(a) \frac{x}{a \cos \omega} + \frac{y}{b \cos \omega} = 1$$

$$(b) \frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$$

$$(c) \frac{x}{b \cos \omega} + \frac{y}{a \cos \omega} = 1$$

(d) none

- If axes are inclined at  $45^\circ$ , the radius of the circle  $x^2 + xy + y^2 - 4x - 5y - 2 = 0$  is

$$(a) 2 \quad (b) 4 \quad (c) 3 \quad (d) \sqrt{5}$$

#### Passage II

Let us consider a rectangular co-ordinate system OX and OY be rotated through an angle  $\theta$  in the anti-clockwise direction. Then we get a new co-ordinate system OX' and OY'. If we consider a point P(x, y) in the old co-ordinate system and P(X, Y) in the new co-ordinate system, we can write

$$x = X \cos \theta - Y \sin \theta \text{ and } y = X \sin \theta + Y \cos \theta.$$

Then

- The value of X is
  - $X \cos \theta + Y \sin \theta$
  - $X \sin \theta + Y \cos \theta$
  - $X \cos \theta - Y \sin \theta$
  - $X \sin \theta - Y \cos \theta$
- The equation of a curve in a plane  $17x^2 - 16xy + 17y^2 = 225$ . Through what angle must the axes be rotated, so that the equation becomes  $9X^2 + 25Y^2 = 225$ ?
  - $30^\circ$
  - $45^\circ$
  - $60^\circ$
  - $75^\circ$
- If the axes be rotated at  $45^\circ$ , the equation  $17x^2 - 16xy + 17y^2 = 225$  reduces to  $AX^2 + BY^2 = C^2$ , the value of  $A + B + C$  is
  - 59
  - 50
  - 58
  - 57.
- If the axes are rotated through  $45^\circ$ , the equation  $3x^2 + 2xy + 3y^2 = 2$  reduces to
  - $X^2 + 2Y^2 = 1$
  - $2X^2 + Y^2 = 1$
  - $2X^2 + 3Y^2 = 1$
  - $5X^2 + 3Y^2 = 1$ .
- The equation  $4xy - 3x^2 = a^2$  become when the axes are turned through an angle  $\tan^{-1} 2$  is
  - $x^2 + 4y^2 = a^2$
  - $x^2 - 4y^2 = a^2$
  - $4x^2 + y^2 = a^2$
  - $4x^2 - y^2 = a^2$ .

#### Passage III

The equations of adjacent sides of a parallelogram are  $x + y + 1 = 0$  and  $2x - y + 2 = 0$ . If the equation of one of its diagonal is  $13x - 2y - 32 = 0$ . Then the

- equation of the diagonal must be
  - $7x - 8y + 1 = 0$
  - $2x - y = 0$
  - $2x - y = 7$
  - $3x + 4y = 5$
- area of the given parallelogram must be
  - 45
  - 45/2
  - $3\sqrt{5}$
  - $4\sqrt{2}$

3. equation of the side of the parallelogram opposite to the given side  $2x - y + 2 = 0$  must be  
 (a)  $2x - y + 5 = 0$  (b)  $2x - y = 0$   
 (c)  $2x - y = 7$  (d)  $x + 3y = 4$

**Passage IV**

The vertex  $C$  of a right-angled isosceles  $\Delta ABC$  is  $(2, 2)$  and the equation of the hypotenuse  $AB$  is  $3x + 4y = 4$ . Then

- the equations of the sides  $AC$  and  $AB$  must be  
 (a)  $7y - x = 12, 7x + y = 16$   
 (b)  $3x - 4y + 2 = 0, 4x + 3y = 14$   
 (c)  $x + y = 4, 2x - 3y = 10$   
 (d)  $x - y = 2, 3x + 2y = 5$
- the area of the  $\Delta ABC$  must be  
 (a) 1 sq. units (b) 2 sq. units  
 (c)  $2\sqrt{2}$  sq. units (d) 4 sq. units
- The in-radius of the  $\Delta ABC$  must be  
 (a)  $\frac{2}{2 + \sqrt{2}}$  (b)  $\frac{4}{2 + \sqrt{2}}$   
 (c)  $\frac{2 - \sqrt{2}}{2 + \sqrt{2}}$  (d)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

**Passage V**

The vertex  $A$  of a  $\Delta ABC$  is  $(3, -1)$ . The equations of median  $BE$  and angular bisector  $CF$  are, respectively  $x - 4y + 10 = 0$  and  $6x + 10y - 59 = 0$ . Then the

- equation of  $AB$  must be  
 (a)  $x + y = 2$  (b)  $18x + 13y = 41$   
 (c)  $23x + y = 70$  (d)  $x + 4y = 0$
- slope of the side  $BC$  must be  
 (a)  $1/7$  (b)  $1/9$  (c)  $2/9$  (d)  $3/4$
- length of the side  $AC$  must be  
 (a)  $\sqrt{83}$  (b)  $\sqrt{85}$  (c)  $\sqrt{89}$  (d)  $\sqrt{88}$

**Passage VI**

In a  $\Delta ABC$ , the equation of altitudes  $AM$  and  $BN$  and the side  $AB$  are given by the equations  $x + 5y = 3$  and  $x + y = 1$ . Then

- the equation of the third altitude  $CL$  must be  
 (a)  $3x - y = 2$  (b)  $3x - y = 1$   
 (c)  $3x + y + 1 = 0$  (d)  $x + 3y + 1 = 0$
- the equation of  $BC$  must be  
 (a)  $5x - y = 5$  (b)  $5x + y + 5 = 0$   
 (c)  $x - 2y = 3$  (d)  $x + 2y + 3 = 0$
- if  $R$  is the circum-radius of the triangle,  $2R \cos B$  must be equal to  
 (a)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$  (b)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  (c)  $\frac{1}{3}$  (d)  $\frac{1}{2}$

**Passage VII**

Let the curve be  $S: f(x, y) = 0$  and the line mirror  $L: ax + by + c = 0$ . We take a point  $P$  on the given curve in parametric form. Suppose  $Q$  be the image or reflection of point  $P$  about the line mirror  $L = 0$ , which again contains the same parameter. Let  $Q = (\varphi(t), \psi(t))$ , where  $t$  is a parameter. Now,

let  $x = \varphi(t)$  and  $y = \psi(t)$ . Eliminating  $t$ , we get the equation of the reflected curve  $S'$ . Then

- the image of the line  $3x - y = 2$  in the line  $y = x - 1$  is  
 (a)  $x + 3y = 2$  (b)  $3x + y = 2$   
 (c)  $x - 3y = 2$  (d)  $x + y = 2$
- the image of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  in the line  $x + y = 2$  is  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y = 0$   
 (b)  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 4y + 6 = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y + 2 = 0$   
 (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 4y + 4 = 0$
- the image of the parabola  $x^2 = 4y$  in the line  $x + y = a$  is  
 (a)  $(x - a)^2 = -4(y - a)$  (b)  $(y - a)^2 = -4(x - a)$   
 (c)  $(x - a)^2 = 4(y + a)$  (d)  $(y - a)^2 = 4(x + a)$
- the image of an ellipse  $9x^2 + 16y^2 = 144$  in the line  $y = x$  is  
 (a)  $16x^2 + 9y^2 = 144$  (b)  $9x^2 + 16y^2 = 144$   
 (c)  $16x^2 + 25y^2 = 400$  (d)  $25x^2 + 16y^2 = 400$
- the image of the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = 9$  in the line  $y = 3$  is  
 (a)  $xy + 9 = 0$  (b)  $xy - 6x + 9 = 0$   
 (c)  $xy + 6y - 9 = 0$  (d)  $xy + 6x + 9 = 0$

**Matrix Match**  
(For JEE-Advanced Examination Only)

- Match the following columns:  
 In  $\Delta ABC$ ,  $AB : x + 2y = 3$ ,  
 $BC : 2x - y + 5 = 0$ ,  $AC : x - 2 = 0$   
 be the sides, then the

Column I		Column II	
(A)	circumcentre of $\Delta ABC$ is (P)	(P)	$\left(\frac{-7}{5}, \frac{11}{5}\right)$
(B)	centroid of $\Delta ABC$ is	(Q)	$\left(\frac{13}{15}, \frac{131}{30}\right)$
(C)	orthocentre of $\Delta ABC$ is (R)	(R)	$\left(2, \frac{19}{4}\right)$

- Match the following columns:  
 A line cuts  $x$ -axis at  $A$  and  $y$ -axis at  $B$  such that  $AB = l$ , the loci of the

Column I		Column II	
(A)	circumcentre of $\Delta ABC$ is	(P)	$x^2 + y^2 = \frac{l^2}{9}$
(B)	orthocentre of $\Delta ABC$ is	(Q)	$x^2 + y^2 = \frac{l^2}{4}$
(C)	incentre of $\Delta ABC$ is	(R)	$x^2 + y^2 = 0$
(D)	centroid of $\Delta ABC$ is	(S)	$y = x$

- Match the following columns:  
 The vertex  $C$  of a  $\Delta ABC$  is  $(4, -1)$ . The equation of altitude  $AD$  and median  $AE$  are  $2x - 3y + 12 = 0$  and  $2x + 3y = 0$ , respectively then



Column I		Column II	
(A)	slope of side $AB$	(P)	$-3/7$
(B)	slope of side $BC$	(Q)	$-3/2$
(C)	slope of side $AC$	(R)	$-9/11$

4. Match the following columns:  
 The general equation of 2nd degree is  
 $\lambda x^2 + 2y^2 + 4xy + 2x + 4y + \lambda = 0$

It represents

Column I		Column II	
(A)	distinct lines if	(P)	$k = 1$
(B)	parallel lines if	(Q)	$k = 3$
(C)	imaginary lines if	(R)	$k = \phi$

5. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	If $3a + 2b + 6c = 0$ , the family of lines $ax + by + c = 0$ passes through a fixed point. Then the fixed point is	(P)	$(-2, -3)$
(B)	The family of lines $x(a + 2b) + y(a + 3b) = a + b$ passes through a fixed point. Then the point is	(Q)	$\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}\right)$
(C)	If $4a^2 + 9b^2 - c^2 + 12ab = 0$ , the family of straight lines $ax + by + c = 0$ passes through a fixed point. Then the fixed point is	(R)	$(2, -1)$

6. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
The area of a parallelogram formed by the lines			
(A)	$3x - 4y + 1 = 0, 3x - 4y + 3 = 0, 4x - 3y - 1 = 0$ and $4x - 3y - 2 = 0$ is	(P)	$20/11$ units
(B)	$x + 3y = 1, 3x - 2y + 3 = 0, x + 3y + 4 = 0$ and $3x - 2y + 7 = 0$ is	(Q)	$2/7$ units
(C)	$y = 2x + 3, y = 2x + 5, y = 7x + 4$ and $y = 7x + 5$ is	(R)	$2/5$ units

7. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	The equation of the obtuse angle bisector of the lines $3x - 4y + 7 = 0$ and $12x + 5y - 2 = 0$ is	(P)	$6x + 2y - 5 = 0$
(B)	The equation of the acute-angle bisector of the lines $x + y = 3$ and $7x - y + 5 = 0$ is	(Q)	$21x + 77y - 101 = 0$

(C)	The bisector of the angle between the lines $2x + y = 6$ and $2x - 4y + 7 = 0$ which contains the point $(1, 2)$ is	(R)	$6x - 2y = 5$
(D)	The bisector of the angle between the lines $4x + 3y = 6$ and $5x + 12y + 9 = 0$ which containing the origin is	(S)	$7x + 9y = 3$
(E)	The bisector of the angle between the lines $4x + 3y = 6$ and $5x + 12y + 9 = 0$ which does not containing the origin is	(T)	$9x - 7y = 41$

8. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	The image of a line $2x + 3y + 4 = 0$ w.r.t. $x$ -axis is	(P)	$2x - y - 11 = 0$
(B)	The image of a line $7x - 3y - 10 = 0$ w.r.t. $y$ -axis is	(Q)	$5x + 3y + 7 = 0$
(C)	The image of a line $3x + 5y + 7 = 0$ w.r.t. the line $y = x$ is	(R)	$x - 4y + 29 = 0$
(D)	The image of a line $2x + y + 3 = 0$ w.r.t. the line $x = 2$ is	(S)	$7x + 3y + 10 = 0$
(E)	The image of a line $x + 4y + 5 = 0$ w.r.t. the line $y = 3$ is	(T)	$2x - 3y + 4 = 0$

9. Match the following Columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	The image of a point $(2, 3)$ w.r.t. $x$ -axis is	(P)	$(4, 5)$
(B)	The image of a point $(3, 4)$ w.r.t. $y$ -axis is	(Q)	$(1, -1)$
(C)	The image of a point $(5, 4)$ w.r.t. the line $y = x$ is	(R)	$(2, -3)$
(D)	The image of a point $(2, 5)$ w.r.t. the line $x = 3$ is	(S)	$(-3, 4)$
(E)	The image of a point $(1, 5)$ w.r.t. the line $y = 2$ is	(T)	$(4, 5)$
(F)	The image of a point $(2, 4)$ w.r.t. the line $y = \sqrt{3}x$ is	(U)	$(2\sqrt{3} - 1, 2 + \sqrt{3})$

10. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	The orthocentre of the triangle formed by the lines $xy = 0$ and $x + y = 4$ is	(P)	(3, 1)
(B)	The orthocentre of the triangle formed by the lines $x + y = 4$ , $x - y = 2$ and $2x + 3y = 6$ is	(Q)	$\left(-\frac{1}{4}, -\frac{1}{6}\right)$
(C)	The orthocentre of the triangle formed the lines $6x^2 + 5xy - 6y^2 + 3x - 2y = 0$ and $x + 4y = 5$ is	(R)	(0, 0)

11. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	A light beam emanating from the point (3, 10) reflects from the straight line $2x + y = 6$ and the passes through the point $B(7, 2)$ . Then the equation of the reflected ray is	(P)	$2x + 3y = 12$
(B)	A ray of light is sent along the line $y = \frac{2}{3}x - 4$ . On reaching the $x$ -axis it is reflected. Then the equation of the reflected ray is	(Q)	$x + 3y = 13$
(C)	A ray of light is sent along the line $x - 2y + 5 = 0$ . Upon reaching the line $3x + 2y + 7 = 0$ , the ray is reflected from it. Then the equation of the line containing the reflected ray is	(R)	$19x - 22y = -9$

**Questions asked in Previous Years' JEE-Advanced Examinations**

- The area of a triangle is 5, two of its vertices are (2, 1) and (3, -2). The third vertex lies on  $y = x + 3$ . Find the third vertex. **[IIT-JEE, 1978]**
- One side of a rectangle lies along the line  $4x + 7y + 5 = 0$ . Two of its vertices are (-3, 1) and (1, 1). Find the equation of the other three vertices. **[IIT-JEE, 1978]**
- A straight line segment of length  $l$  moves with its ends on two mutually perpendicular lines. Find the locus of the point which divides the line in the ratio 1 : 2. **[IIT-JEE, 1978]**

- Two vertices of a triangle are (5, -1) and (-2, 3). If the orthocentre of the triangle is the origin, find the co-ordinates of the third vertex. **[IIT-JEE, 1979]**
- Find the equation of the line which bisects the obtuse angle between the lines  $x - 2y + 4 = 0$  and  $4x - 3y + 2 = 0$ . **[IIT-JEE, 1979]**
- The points  $(-a, -b)$ , (0, 0) and  $(a, b)$  are
  - collinear
  - vertices of a rectangle
  - vertices of a parallelogram
  - none **[IIT-JEE, 1979]**
- The points  $(-a, -b)$ , (0, 0),  $(a, b)$  and  $(a^2, ab)$  are
  - collinear
  - vertices of a parallelogram
  - vertices of a rectangle
  - None **[IIT-JEE, 1979]**
- A straight line  $L$  is perpendicular to the line  $5x - y = 1$ . The area of the triangle formed by the line  $L$  and the co-ordinate axes is 5. Find the equation of the line  $L$ . **[IIT-JEE, 1980]**
- Given the four lines with the equations  $x + 2y = 3$ ,  $3x + 4y = 7$ ,  $2x + 3y = 4$  and  $4x + 5y = 6$ . Then
  - they all are concurrent
  - they are the sides of a quadrilateral
  - only three lines are concurrent
  - None **[IIT-JEE, 1980]**
- The point (4, 1) undergoes the following three transformations successively
  - reflection about the line  $y = x$
  - transformation through a distance 2 units along the positive direction of  $x$ -axis.
  - rotation through an angle  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  about the origin in the counterwise direction. Then the final position of the point is given by the co-ordinates
    - $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{7}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$
    - $(-\sqrt{2}, 7\sqrt{2})$
    - $\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{7}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$
    - $(\sqrt{2}, 7\sqrt{2})$  **[IIT-JEE, 1980]**
- The points (1, 3) and (5, 1) are two opposite vertices of a rectangle. The other two vertices lie on the line  $y = 2x + c$ . Find  $c$  and the remaining two vertices. **[IIT-JEE, 1981]**
- The set of lines  $ax + by + c = 0$ , where  $2a + 3b + 4c = 0$  is concurrent at the point... **[IIT-JEE, 1982]**
- The straight lines  $x + y = 0$ ,  $3x + y = 4$  and  $x + 3y = 4$  form a triangle which is
  - isosceles
  - equilateral
  - right angled
  - none **[IIT-JEE, 1983]**
- The ends  $A$  and  $B$  of a straight line segment of length  $c$  slide upon the fixed rectangular axes  $OX$  and  $OY$ , respectively. If the rectangle  $OABP$  be completed, show

- that the locus of the perpendicular drawn from  $P$  to  $AB$  is  $x^{2/3} + y^{2/3} = a^{2/3}$ . [IIT-JEE, 1983]
15. The vertices of a triangle are  $[at_1t_2, a(t_1 + t_2)]$ ,  $[at_2t_3, a(t_2 + t_3)]$ ,  $[at_3t_1, a(t_1 + t_3)]$ . Find the orthocentre of the triangle. [IIT-JEE, 1983]
16. The straight line  $5x + 4y = 0$  passes through the point of intersection of the straight lines  $x + 2y = 10$  and  $2x + y + 5 = 0$ . Is it true/false? [IIT-JEE, 1983]
17. The co-ordinates of  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$  are  $(6, 3)$ ,  $(-3, 5)$  and  $(4, -2)$  respectively and  $P$  is any point  $(x, y)$ , show that the ratio of the area of the  $\Delta PBC$  and  $ABC$  is  $\left| \frac{x + y - 2}{7} \right|$ . [IIT-JEE, 1983]
18. Two equal sides of an isosceles triangle are given by the equations  $7x - y + 3 = 0$  and  $x + y - 3 = 0$  and its third side passes through the point  $(1, -10)$ . Determine the equation of the third side. [IIT-JEE, 1984]
19. If  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  are in AP, the straight line  $ax + by + c = 0$  will always pass through a fixed point, whose co-ordinates are... [IIT-JEE, 1984]
20. Three lines  $px + qy + r = 0$ ,  $qx + ry + p = 0$  and  $rx + py + q = 0$  are concurrent if  
 (a)  $p + q + r = 0$   
 (b)  $p^2 + q^2 + r^2 = pq + qr + rp$   
 (c)  $p^3 + q^3 + r^3 = 3pqr$   
 (d) none of these [IIT-JEE, 1985]
21. The orthocentre of the triangle formed by the lines  $x + y = 1$ ,  $2x + 3y = 6$  and  $4x - y + 4 = 0$  lies in quadrant number... [IIT-JEE, 1985]
22. Two sides of a rhombus  $ABCD$  are parallel to the lines  $y = x + 2$  and  $y = 7x + 3$ . If the diagonals of the rhombus intersect at the point  $(1, 2)$  and the vertex  $A$  is on the  $y$ -axis, find the possible co-ordinates of  $A$ . [IIT-JEE, 1985]
23. If  $\begin{vmatrix} x_1 & y_1 & 1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & 1 \\ x_3 & y_3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & 1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & 1 \\ a_3 & b_3 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$ , the two triangles with vertices  $(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $(x_2, y_2)$ ,  $(x_3, y_3)$  and  $(a_1, b_1)$ ,  $(a_2, b_2)$ ,  $(a_3, b_3)$ , must be congruent. Is it true or false? [IIT-JEE, 1985]
24. One of the diameter of the circle circumscribing the rectangle  $ABCD$  is  $4y = x + 7$ . If  $A$  and  $B$  are the points  $(-3, 4)$  and  $(5, 4)$ , respectively, find the area of the rectangle. [IIT-JEE, 1985]
25. The set of all real numbers  $a$  such that  $a^2 + 2a$ ,  $2a + 3$  and  $a^2 + 3a + 8$  are the sides of a triangle is... [IIT-JEE, 1985]
26. All points inside the triangle formed by the points  $(1, 3)$ ,  $(5, 0)$  and  $(-1, 2)$  satisfy  
 (a)  $3x + 2y \geq 0$  (b)  $2x + y - 13 \geq 0$   
 (c)  $2x - 3y - 12 \leq 0$  (d)  $-2x + y \leq 0$   
 (e) None [IIT-JEE, 1986]
27. The equation of the perpendicular bisectors of the sides  $AB$  and  $AC$  of a triangle  $ABC$  are  $x - y + 5 = 0$  and  $x + 2y = 0$ , respectively. If the point  $A$  is  $(1, -2)$ , find the equation of the line  $BC$ . [IIT-JEE, 1986]
28. The points  $\left(0, \frac{8}{3}\right)$ ,  $(1, 3)$  and  $(82, 30)$  are the vertices of  
 (a) an obtuse-angled triangle  
 (b) an acute-angled triangle  
 (c) right-angled triangle  
 (d) an isosceles triangle  
 (e) None [IIT-JEE, 1986]
- No questions asked in 1987.*
29. The lines  $2x + 3y + 19 = 0$  and  $9x + 6y - 17 = 0$  cut the co-ordinate axes in concyclic points. (T/F) [IIT-JEE, 1988]
30. Lines  $L_1: ax + by + c = 0$  and  $L_2: ax + my + n = 0$  intersect at the point  $P$  and make an angle  $\theta$  with each other. Find the equation of a line  $L$  different from  $L_2$  which passes through  $P$  and makes the same angle  $\theta$  with  $L_1$ . [IIT-JEE, 1988]
31. Let  $ABC$  be a triangle with  $AB = AC$ . If  $D$  is the mid-point of  $BC$ ,  $E$  the foot of the perpendicular drawn from  $D$  to  $AC$  and  $F$  the mid-point of  $DE$ . Prove that  $AF$  is perpendicular to  $BE$ . [IIT-JEE, 1989]
32. Straight lines  $3x + 4y = 5$  and  $4x - 3y = 15$  intersect at the point  $A$ . Points  $B$  and  $C$  are chosen on these two lines such that  $AB = AC$ . Determine the possible equations of the line  $BC$  passing through the point  $(1, 2)$ . [IIT-JEE, 1990]
33. A line  $L$  has intercepts  $a$  and  $b$  on the co-ordinate axes. When the axes are rotated through a given angle, keeping the origin fixed, the same line  $L$  has intercepts  $p$  and  $q$ , then  
 (a)  $a^2 + b^2 = p^2 + q^2$  (b)  $\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} = \frac{1}{p^2} + \frac{1}{q^2}$   
 (c)  $a^2 + p^2 = b^2 + q^2$  (d)  $\frac{1}{p^2} + \frac{1}{a^2} = \frac{1}{b^2} + \frac{1}{q^2}$  [IIT-JEE, 1990]
34. A line cuts the  $x$ -axis at  $A(7, 0)$  and the  $y$ -axis at  $B(0, -5)$ . A variable line  $PQ$  is drawn perpendicular to  $AB$  cutting the  $x$ -axis in  $P$  and the  $y$ -axis in  $Q$ . If  $AQ$  and  $BP$  intersect in  $R$ , find the locus of  $R$ . [IIT-JEE, 1990]
35. Find the equation of the line passing through the point  $(2, 3)$  and making intercept of length 2 units between the lines  $y + 2x = 3$  and  $y + 2x = 5$ . [IIT-JEE, 1991]
36. Let the algebraic sum of the perpendicular distance from the points  $(2, 0)$ ,  $(0, 2)$  and  $(1, 1)$  to a variable straight line be zero, the line passes through a fixed point whose co-ordinates are... [IIT-JEE, 1991]
37. If the sum of the distances of a point from two mutually perpendicular lines in a plane is 1, its locus is  
 (a) square (b) circle  
 (c) straight line (d) two intersecting lines [IIT-JEE, 1992]

38. Determine all values of  $\alpha$  for which the point  $(\alpha, \alpha^2)$  lies inside the triangle formed by the lines  $2x + 3y - 1 = 0$ ,  $x + 2y - 3 = 0$  and  $5x - 6y - 1 = 0$ . [IIT-JEE, 1992]
39. The vertices of a triangle  $A(-1, -7)$ ,  $B(5, 1)$  and  $C(1, 4)$ . The equation of the bisector of the angle  $\angle ABC$  is... [IIT-JEE, 1993]
40. A line through  $A(-5, -4)$  meets the lines  $x + 3y + 2 = 0$ ,  $2x + y + 4 = 0$  and  $x - y - 5 = 0$  at the points  $B$ ,  $C$  and  $D$ , respectively. If  $\left(\frac{15}{AB}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{10}{AC}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{6}{AD}\right)^2$ , find the equation of the line. [IIT-JEE, 1993]
41. The orthocentre of the triangle formed by the lines  $xy = 0$  and  $x + y = 1$  is  
 (a)  $\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$  (b)  $\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}\right)$  (c)  $(0, 0)$  (d)  $\left(\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}\right)$  [IIT-JEE, 1995]
42. A rectangle  $PQRS$  has its sides  $PQ$  parallel to the line  $y = mx$  and vertices  $P$ ,  $Q$  and  $S$  on the lines  $y = a$ ,  $x = b$  and  $x = -b$ , respectively. Find the locus of the vertex  $R$ . [IIT-JEE, 1996]

No questions asked in 1997.

43. The diagonals of a parallelogram  $PQRS$  are along the lines  $x + 3y = 4$  and  $6x - 2y = 7$ . Then  $PQRS$  must be a:  
 (a) rectangle (b) square  
 (c) cyclic quad. (d) rhombus [IIT-JEE, 1998]
- No questions asked in 1999.
44. Let  $PS$  be the median of the triangle with vertices  $P(2, 2)$ ,  $Q(6, -1)$  and  $R(7, 3)$ . The equation of the line passing through  $(1, -1)$  and parallel to  $PS$  is  
 (a)  $2x - 9y - 7 = 0$  (b)  $2x - 9y - 11 = 0$   
 (c)  $2x + 9y - 11 = 0$  (d)  $2x + 9y + 7 = 0$  [IIT-JEE, 2000]

45. A straight line through the origin  $O$  meets the parallel lines  $4x + 2y = 9$  and  $2x + y + 6 = 0$  at points  $P$  and  $Q$ , respectively. The point  $O$  divides the segment  $PQ$  in the ratio  
 (a)  $1 : 2$  (b)  $3 : 4$  (c)  $2 : 1$  (d)  $4 : 3$  [IIT-JEE, 2000]
46. For points  $P = (x_1, y_1)$  and  $Q = (x_2, y_2)$  of the co-ordinate plane, a new distance  $d(P, Q)$  is defined as  $d(P, Q) = |x_1 - x_2| + |y_1 - y_2|$ .  
 Let  $O = (0, 0)$  and  $A = (3, 2)$ . Prove that the set of points in the first quadrant which are equidistant (with respect to the new distance) from  $O$  and  $A$  consists of the union of a line segment of finite length and an infinite ray. Sketch this set in a labelled diagram. [IIT-JEE, 2000]

47. The area of the parallelogram formed by the lines  $y = mx$ ,  $y = mx + 1$ ,  $y = nx$  and  $y = nx + 1$  equals  
 (a)  $\frac{|m+n|}{(m-n)^2}$  (b)  $\frac{2}{|m+n|}$   
 (c)  $\frac{1}{|m+n|}$  (d)  $\frac{1}{|m-n|}$  [IIT-JEE, 2001]

48. The number of integral values of  $m$ , for which the  $x$ -co-ordinate of the point of intersection of the lines  $3x + 4y = 9$  and  $y = mx + 1$  is also an integer, is  
 (a) 2 (b) 0 (c) 4 (d) 1 [IIT-JEE, 2001]
49. Let  $P = (-1, 0)$ ,  $Q = (0, 0)$  and  $R = (3, 3\sqrt{3})$  be three points. The equation of the bisector of the angle  $\angle PQR$  is  
 (a)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}x + y = 0$  (b)  $x + \sqrt{3}y = 0$   
 (c)  $\sqrt{3}x + y = 0$  (d)  $x + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}y = 0$  [IIT-JEE, 2002]
50. A straight line  $L$  through the origin meets the lines  $x + y = 1$  and  $x + y = 3$  at  $P$  and  $Q$ , respectively. Through  $P$  and  $Q$  two straight lines  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  are drawn parallel to  $2x - y = 5$  and  $3x + y = 5$ , respectively. Lines  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  intersect at  $R$ . Show that the locus of  $R$  as  $L$  varies, is a straight line. [IIT-JEE, 2002]
51. A straight line  $L$  with negative slope passes through the point  $(8, 2)$  and meets the positive co-ordinate axes at points  $P$  and  $Q$ . Find the absolute minimum value of  $OP + OQ$  as  $L$  varies, where  $O$  is the origin. [IIT-JEE, 2002]
52. A straight line through the point  $(2, 2)$  intersects the lines  $\sqrt{3}x + y = 0$  and  $\sqrt{3}x - y = 0$  at the points  $A$  and  $B$ . The equation to the line  $AB$  so that the triangle  $OAB$  is equilateral, is  
 (a)  $x - y = 0$  (b)  $y - 2 = 0$   
 (c)  $x + y - 4 = 0$  (d) none of these [IIT-JEE, 2002]
53. A straight line through the origin  $O$  meets the parallel lines  $4x + 2y = 9$  and  $2x + y + 6 = 0$  at points  $P$  and  $Q$  respectively. The point  $O$  divides the segment  $PQ$  in the ratio  
 (a)  $1 : 2$  (b)  $3 : 4$  (c)  $2 : 1$  (d)  $4 : 3$ . [IIT-JEE, 2002]
54. The orthocentre of the triangle with vertices  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(3, 4)$  and  $(4, 0)$  is  
 (a)  $\left(3, \frac{5}{4}\right)$  (b)  $(3, 12)$   
 (c)  $\left(3, \frac{3}{4}\right)$  (d)  $(3, 9)$  [IIT-JEE, 2003]
55. If the equation of the locus of a point equidistant from the points  $(a_1, b_1)$  and  $(a_2, b_2)$  is  $(a_1 - a_2)x + (b_1 - b_2)y + c = 0$ , then the values of 'c' is  
 (a)  $\frac{1}{2}(a_2^2 + b_2^2 - a_1^2 - b_1^2)$  (b)  $(a_1^2 - a_2^2 + b_1^2 - b_2^2)$   
 (c)  $\frac{1}{2}(a_1^2 + a_2^2 + b_1^2 + b_2^2)$  (d)  $\sqrt{(a_1^2 - a_2^2 + b_1^2 - b_2^2)}$  [IIT-JEE, 2003]
56. The area of the triangle formed by the lines  $x + y = 3$  and angle bisector of the pair of straight lines  $x^2 - y^2 + 2y - 1 = 0$  is  
 (a) 2 (b) 4 (c) 6 (d) 8 [IIT-JEE, 2004]

57. The area of the triangle formed by the intersection of a line parallel to  $x$ -axis and passing through  $P(h, k)$  with the lines  $y = x$  and  $x + y = 2$  is  $4h^2$ . Find the locus of the point  $P$ . [IIT-JEE, 2005]
58. Two rays in the first quadrant  $x + y = |a|$  and  $ax - y = 1$  intersects each other in the interval  $a \in (a_0, \infty)$ . Find the value of  $a_0$ . [IIT-JEE, 2006]
59. Lines  $L_1: y - x = 0, L_2: 2x + y = 0$  intersect the line  $L_3: y + 2 = 0$  at  $P$  and  $Q$ , respectively. The bisector of the acute angle between  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  intersect  $L_3$  at  $R$ .  
Statement I: The ratio  $PR : RQ$  equals  $2\sqrt{2} : \sqrt{5}$ .  
Statement II: In any triangle bisector of an angle, divides the triangle into two similar triangles. [IIT-JEE, 2007]
60. Consider the lines given by  
 $L_1: x + 3y - 5 = 0, L_2: 3x - ky - 1 = 0,$   
and  $L_3: 5x + 2y - 12 = 0$
- | Column I  | Column II      |
|---|----------------|
| (a) $L_1, L_2, L_3$ are concurrent if                                   | (p) $k = -9$   |
| (b) One of $L_1, L_2, L_3$ is parallel to at least of the other two, if | (q) $k = -6/5$ |
| (c) $L_1, L_2, L_3$ form a triangle, if                                 | (s) $k = 5/6$  |
| (d) $L_1, L_2, L_3$ do not form a triangle, if                          | (t) $k = 5$    |
- [IIT-JEE, 2008]
61. The locus of the orthocentre of the triangle formed by the lines  $(1 + p)x - py + p(1 + p) = 0,$   
 $(1 + q)x - qy + q(1 + q) = 0$  and  $y = 0,$

where  $p \neq q$ , is

- (a) a hyperbola (b) a parabola  
(c) an ellipse (d) a straight line

[IIT-JEE, 2009]

No questions asked in 2010.

62. A straight line  $L$  through the point  $(3, -2)$  is inclined at an angle  $60^\circ$  to the line  $\sqrt{3}x + y = 1$ . If  $L$  also intersects the  $x$ -axis, the equation of  $L$  is  
(a)  $y + \sqrt{3}x + (2 - 3\sqrt{3}) = 0$   
(b)  $y - \sqrt{3}x + (2 + 3\sqrt{3}) = 0$   
(c)  $-x + \sqrt{3}y + (3 + 2\sqrt{3}) = 0$   
(d)  $x + \sqrt{3}y + (-3 + 2\sqrt{3}) = 0$  [IIT-JEE, 2011]
- No questions asked in 2012.
63. For  $a > b > c > 0$ , the distance between  $(1, 1)$  and the point of intersection of the lines  $ax + by + c = 0$  and  $bx + ay + c = 0$  is less than  $2\sqrt{2}$ , then  
(a)  $a + b - c > 0$  (b)  $a - b + c < 0$   
(c)  $a - b + c > 0$  (d)  $a + b - c < 0$  [IIT-JEE, 2013]
64. For a point  $P$  in the plane, let  $d_1(P)$  and  $d_2(P)$  be the distances of the point  $P$  from the lines  $x - y = 0$  and  $x + y = 0$ , respectively.  
The area of the region  $R$  consisting of all points  $P$  lying in the first quadrant of the plane and satisfying  $2 \leq d_1(P) + d_2(P) \leq 4$ , is ... [IIT-JEE, 2014]

## ANSWERS

### LEVEL I

#### (CARTESIAN CO-ORDINATES)

1.  $\left(5, -\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)\right), \left(5, \pi - \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)\right)$
2.  $(x^2 + y^2)^2 = a^2(x^2 - y^2)$
3.  $(x^2 + y^2) = 2ax$
4.  $\frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2} = \frac{1}{r^2}$
5.  $r^2 = \frac{2}{(4 + 3 \sin 2\theta)}$
6.  $2a \left| \sin\left(\frac{\alpha - \beta}{2}\right) \right|$
7. 10
8. 34
9.  $\frac{3}{\sqrt{10}}$
- 10.
11.  $\left(\frac{1 \pm \sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{7 \pm 5\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$
12. (3, 1)
13. 3/7
14. 12:1
15.  $\left(-\frac{2}{3}, 0\right)$  and  $\left(-\frac{5}{3}, 2\right)$
16. (0, 1), (1, 0) and (3, 1)
17. (4, 6)
18.  $\left(\frac{10}{3}, \frac{8}{3}\right)$
19. (-4, -15)
20. (2, 3)
21.  $\left(\frac{4}{3}, \frac{5}{6}\right)$
22.  $\sqrt{2}$
23. 46
24. 2
25.  $x + y + 9 = 0, x + y - 15 = 0$
26. 132

27. 54
28. 0
29.  $x = 7/4$
30.  $\frac{2304}{3850}$
31.  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$
32.  $y^2 = 4ax$
33.  $y^2 = 8x^2$
34.  $y^2 = 2ax - a^2$
35.  $x^2 - y^2 = 4$
36.  $\frac{x^2}{7} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$
37.  $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{l^2}{4}$
38.  $y^2 = 4x$
39.  $2(x^2 + y^2) - x - y + 1 = 0$
40.  $xy = x + y + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$
44.  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$
45.  $x^2 + y^2 = 3$
46.  $2x^2 + y^2 - 7x + 9y + 1 = 0$
47.  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 10y + 5 = 0$
48.  $(-6, -5)$
49.  $2x^2 + y^2 = 1$
50.  $y^2 = 4x$
51.  $(-2, 3)$
52. 12
53.  $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$
54.  $4x^2 + 2y^2 = 1$
55.  $(-3, 2)$
56.  $\left(\frac{1-4\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{4+\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$

### LEVEL I

#### (STRAIGHT LINES)

1. 6
2. 3
5.  $\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)$
6. 3 or  $-1/3$
7.  $y + 3 = 0$
8.  $y = 4$
9.  $x = 8$
10.  $y = 3x + 7$
11.  $y = x + 5$
12.  $y = mx + c = \frac{3}{5}x - 6$
13.  $y = mx + c = \pm x + 4$
14.  $y = mx + c = \pm x$
15.  $\sqrt{3}x + y = 2\sqrt{3} + 3$
16.  $8x + 10y = 69$
17.  $4x + 5y = 14$
18.  $(2 - \sqrt{3})x - y - 2(2 - \sqrt{3}) = 0$
19.  $x - y + 1 = 0$
20.  $x - 5y + 10 = 0$
21.  $3x - 5y + 7 = 0$
22.  $y - 2 = \frac{4-2}{4-5}(x-5) = -2(x-5)$
23.  $(3/2, 0), (9/4, 0), (9/4, 3/4)$  and  $(3/2, 3/4)$
24.  $y - 0 = \sqrt{3}(x - 2), x\sqrt{3} - y - 2\sqrt{3} = 0$
25.  $x + y = 7$
26.  $2x + y = 7$
27.  $3x + 2y = 12$
28.  $x - y = 7$
29.  $x - y = 1, 2x - 3y = 12$
30. 3
31.  $2x + y = 10$
32.  $3x - 8y = 0, 3x - 2y = 0$
35.  $x + \sqrt{3}y = 10$
36.  $12x + 5y = 26$
37.  $(7, 5), (-1, -1)$
38.  $(2, 7)$  and  $(-6, -1)$
39.  $(4, 5)$
40.  $\left(2 + \sqrt{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2}, \sqrt{2} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) = \left(2 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}\right)$
41.  $75^\circ, 15^\circ$
42.  $R(-2, -1), Q(-1, 2)$  and  $S(1, -2)$
43.  $\left(-\frac{3}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\right)$  and  $\left(\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{3}{2}\right)$
44.  $\sqrt{2}$
45. 6
46.  $4\sqrt{2}$
47.  $\sqrt{5}$
48. 5
49.  $(8, 2)$  and  $(0, -4)$
54.  $3x + 4y - 18 = 0$
55.  $3x - 4y - 5 = 0$
56.  $4x + y = 9$
- 57.
58.  $3x - 2y - 1 = 0$
59.  $3x + 2y + 3 = 0$
60.  $4x + 6y = 29$
61.  $x - 3y + 5 = 0$
62.  $4x - 3y - 36 = 0$
63.  $\frac{6}{\sqrt{34}}$
64.  $\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$

65.  $\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} = \frac{1}{p^2}$
66.  $2\frac{1}{10}$
67.  $\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} = \frac{1}{p^2} + \frac{1}{q^2}$
68. 50
69.  $\frac{2c^2}{|ab|}$
70. (2, 6)
71. 0
72.  $7x - 48y + 89 = 0$
73.  $m = 2$
74.  $\frac{1}{1-a} + \frac{1}{1-b} + \frac{1}{1-c} = 1$
75.  $x = \frac{1}{3}$  and  $y = \frac{1}{2}$
78. 10
81.  $m = -2$  and  $m = \frac{1}{2}$
82.  $3x - y - 7 = 0$  and  $x + 3y - 9 = 0$
83.  $(2 + \sqrt{3})x - y - (2\sqrt{3} + 1) = 0$  and  $(2 - \sqrt{3})x - y + (2\sqrt{3} - 1) = 0$
84.  $52x + 89y + 519 = 0$
85.  $x + 2 = 0$  and  $7x - 24y + 182 = 0$
86.  $9x - 7y + 3 = 0$  and  $7x + 9y = 41$
87.  $x - 7y + 13 = 0$  and  $7x + 7 = 7$
88.  $3x + y + 7 = 0$  and  $x - 3y = 31$
89.  $21x + 77y = 101$  and  $3x - y + 3 = 0$
90.  $7x + 9y = 3$
91.  $6x - 2y = 5$
92.  $21x + 77y = 101$
93.  $6x + 2y = 5$
94.  $7x - 9y + 10 = 0$
95.  $\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}\right)$
96.  $PQ = 6$
97.  $(2 - 2\sqrt{2}, 3 + 2\sqrt{2})$
98.  $(-1/10, 37/10)$
99. (0, 28)
100. (4, 3).
101.  $3x - 2y + 5 = 0$
102. (6, 1)
103.  $\left(\frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{7}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$
105.  $29x - 2y = 31$
106.  $\frac{13}{5}$
107.  $y = 0$
108.  $(70 - 37\sqrt{3})x - 13y - 153 + 74\sqrt{3} = 0$

**LEVEL II**

1. (c)    2. (d)    3. (b)    4. (a)    5. (a)
6. (a)    7. (a)    8. (b)    9. (a)    10. (a)
11. (b)    12. (a,c)    13. (d)    14. (c)    15. (a)
16. (b)    17. (d)    18. (a)    19. (b)    20. (c)
21. (a)    22. (a)    23. (b)    24. (a)    25. (a, d)
26. (c)    27. (d)    28. (b)    29. (a, b)    30. (b)
31. (c)    32. (d)    33. (c)    34. (d)    35. (b)
36. (a)    37. (a)    38. (b)    39. (b)    40. (a)
41. (b)    42. (a)    43. (a,bc)    44. (c)    45. (b)
46. (d)    47. (b)    48. (d)    49. (c)    50. (a)
51. (b)    52. (b)    53. (c)    54. (d)    55. (c)
56. (a)    57. (c)    58. (d)    59. (c)    60. (b)
61. (d)    62. (b)    63. (a)    64. (a)    65. (c)
66. (c)    67. (b)    68. ()    69. ()    70. ()

**LEVEL III**

1.  $\frac{5}{3} \leq \beta \leq \frac{7}{2}$     2. 2
3.  $\sqrt{3}x + y = 0$     4.  $y = 2$
5.  $2x - y + 1 = 0, 2x + y - 1 = 0$
6.  $a_0 = 1$
8.  $2(2 + \sqrt{2})$
- 9.
10. (5, 3) and (-3, 5)
11.  $\frac{4}{5} < m < 4$
12. ...
13.  $R - (-4, 0)$
14. (-2, 1) and (-4, 3)
15.  $-2\sqrt{2}$
16. (0, 3), (4, -1)
17.  $\alpha \in \left(-\frac{3}{2}, -1\right) \cup \left(\frac{1}{2}, 1\right)$
18.  $c = -1$ ; (4, 4), (2, 0)
19.  $y = (2 \pm \sqrt{3})x - 1 \pm 2\sqrt{3}$
20.  $y = x$ .
21. (13/5, 0)
22. (42/25, 91/25)
23. (6, 0);  $2x + 3y = 12$ .
24.  $-2 < a < 2$
25.  $26x - 122y = 1675$ .
26.  $27.B(-7, 6); C(11/5, 2/5)$
28.  $52x + 89y + 519 = 0$
29.  $x + 2 = 0$  and  $7x + 24y + 182 = 0$ .
30.  $p = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$
31.  $x - 7y + 13 = 0$  and  $7x + y = 9$ .
32.  $R(42/25, 91/25)$

33.  $3x + y + 7 = 0$  and  $x - 3y - 31 = 0$   
 34.  $D: (6 + 2\sqrt{2}, -1 - 2\sqrt{2})$   
 or  $D: (2 - 2\sqrt{2}, 3 + 2\sqrt{2})$   
 35.  $(0, 0)$  or  $(0, 5/2)$ .

### LEVEL IV

- Sides are:  $x - 3y = 3$ ,  $3x - 2y = 16$ ,  
 Diagonals are  $x + 4y = 10$ ,  $5x - 8y + 6 = 0$ .
- $5\sqrt{2}$
- $C = \left( \frac{3\sqrt{2} - 1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{(\sqrt{2} + 1)}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$
- $(4, 2)$
- $x - y = 2$
- $x + y\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{3} = 0$
- $\left( 1 \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, 1 \pm \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \right)$
- $(2 - \sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2} - 1), (2\sqrt{5} + 2, \sqrt{5} - 1), \sqrt{29 + 2\sqrt{10}}$
- $9x^2 - 6xy + 10y^2 = 9l^2$

#### INTEGER TYPE QUESTIONS

- |      |      |      |      |       |
|------|------|------|------|-------|
| 1. 8 | 2. 6 | 3. 3 | 4. 1 | 5. 1  |
| 6. 5 | 7. 4 | 8. 4 | 9. 6 | 10. 7 |

#### COMPREHENSIVE LINK PASSAGES

- Passage I: 1. (c) 2. (a) 3. (b) 4. (c)  
 Passage II: 1. (a) 2. (b) 3. (a) 4. (b) 5. (b)  
 Passage II: 1. (b) 2. (a) 3. (c)  
 Passage IV: 1. (a) 2. (b) 3. (b)  
 Passage V: 1. (b) 2. (c) 3. (b)  
 Passage VI: 1. (b) 2. (a) 3. (b)  
 Passage VII: 1. (c) 2. (a) 3. (b) 4. (a) 5. (b).

#### MATRIX MATCH

- (A)  $\rightarrow$  (R), (B)  $\rightarrow$  (Q), (C)  $\rightarrow$  (P)
- (A)  $\rightarrow$  (Q), (B)  $\rightarrow$  (R), (S)  $\rightarrow$  (R), (D)  $\rightarrow$  (P)
- (A)  $\rightarrow$  (R), (B)  $\rightarrow$  (Q), (C)  $\rightarrow$  (P)
- (A)  $\rightarrow$  (P), (B)  $\rightarrow$  (R), (C)  $\rightarrow$  (P)
- (A)  $\rightarrow$  (Q), (B)  $\rightarrow$  (R), (C)  $\rightarrow$  (P),
- (A)  $\rightarrow$  (P), (B)  $\rightarrow$  (Q), (C)  $\rightarrow$  (R),
- (A)  $\rightarrow$  (Q), (B)  $\rightarrow$  (R), (C)  $\rightarrow$  (R),  
 (D)  $\rightarrow$  (S), (E)  $\rightarrow$  (T),
- (A)  $\rightarrow$  (T), (B)  $\rightarrow$  (S), (C)  $\rightarrow$  (Q), (D)  $\rightarrow$  (P),  
 (E)  $\rightarrow$  (R)
- (A)  $\rightarrow$  (R), (B)  $\rightarrow$  (S), (C)  $\rightarrow$  (T),  
 (D)  $\rightarrow$  (P), (E)  $\rightarrow$  (Q), (F)  $\rightarrow$  (U)
- (A)  $\rightarrow$  (R), (B)  $\rightarrow$  (P), (C)  $\rightarrow$  (Q)
- (A)  $\rightarrow$  (Q), (B)  $\rightarrow$  (P), (C)  $\rightarrow$  (R)

## HINTS AND SOLUTIONS

### LEVEL I

#### (RECTANGULAR CARTESIAN CO-ORDINATES)

1. We have,

$$(3, -4) \Rightarrow \left( \sqrt{3^2 + (-4)^2}, \tan^{-1} \left( -\frac{4}{3} \right) \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( 5, -\tan^{-1} \left( \frac{4}{3} \right) \right)$$

and

$$(-3, 4) \Rightarrow \left( \sqrt{(-3)^2 + (4)^2}, \tan^{-1} \left( -\frac{3}{4} \right) \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( 5, \pi - \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{4}{3} \right) \right)$$

2.. We have,

$$r^2 = a^2 \cos 2\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 = a^2 (\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 = a^2 \left( \frac{x^2}{r^2} - \frac{y^2}{r^2} \right)$$

$$r^4 = a^2 (x^2 - y^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2)^2 = a^2 (x^2 - y^2)$$

3. We have,

$$r = 2a \cos 2\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow r = 2a \left( \frac{x}{r} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 = 2ax$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2 = 2ax)$$

4 We have,

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow b^2 x^2 + a^2 y^2 = a^2 b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow b^2 r^2 \cos^2 \theta + a^2 r^2 \sin^2 \theta = a^2 b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{r^2 \cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{r^2 \sin^2 \theta}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2} = \frac{1}{r^2}$$

5. We have,

$$2x^2 + 3xy + 2y^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2r^2 \cos^2 \theta + 3r^2 \sin \theta \cos \theta + 2r^2 \sin^2 \theta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 (2\cos^2 \theta + 3\sin \theta \cos \theta + 2\sin^2 \theta) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 \left( 2 + \frac{3}{2} \sin 2\theta \right) = 1$$



$$\Rightarrow r^2 = \frac{2}{(4 + 3 \sin 2\theta)}$$

6. The required distance

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sqrt{a^2(\cos \alpha - \cos \beta)^2 + a^2(\sin \alpha - \sin \beta)^2} \\ &= a\sqrt{(\cos \alpha - \cos \beta)^2 + (\sin \alpha - \sin \beta)^2} \\ &= a\sqrt{[(\cos^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \alpha) + (\cos^2 \beta + \sin^2 \beta) - 2(\cos \alpha \cos \beta + \sin \alpha \sin \beta)]} \\ &= a \times \sqrt{2 - 2 \cos(\alpha - \beta)} \\ &= a \times \sqrt{2(1 - \cos(\alpha - \beta))} \\ &= 2a \left| \sin \left( \frac{\alpha - \beta}{2} \right) \right| \end{aligned}$$

7. The required distance

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sqrt{3^2 + 7^2 - 2 \times 3 \times 7 \times \cos \left( \frac{5\pi}{4} - \frac{\pi}{4} \right)} \\ &= \sqrt{3^2 + 7^2 - 2 \times 3 \times 7 \times \cos(\pi)} \\ &= \sqrt{9 + 49 + 42} = \sqrt{100} = 10 \end{aligned}$$

8. Let  $P = (x, y)$ ,  $A = (6, -1)$  and  $B = (2, 3)$ .

We have,

$$\begin{aligned} PA &= PB \\ \Rightarrow (x-6)^2 + (y+1)^2 &= (x-2)^2 + (y-3)^2 \\ \Rightarrow x^2 - 12x + 36 + y^2 + 2y + 1 &= x^2 - 4x + 4 + y^2 - 6y + 9 \\ \Rightarrow -12x + 36 + 2y + 1 &= -4x + 4 - 6y + 9 \\ \Rightarrow -8x + 8y + 37 - 13 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow -8x + 8y + 24 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow A = -8, B = 8, C = 24 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the value of  $A + B + C + 10$   
 $= -8 + 8 + 24 + 10 = 34$

9. We have,

$$\begin{aligned} AB &= \sqrt{(2+2)^2 + (-1-3)^2} = 4\sqrt{2} \\ BC &= \sqrt{(2-4)^2 + (-1)^2} = \sqrt{5} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and } CA = \sqrt{(4+2)^2 + (3)^2} = \sqrt{45} = 3\sqrt{5}$$

$$\text{Thus, } \cos A = \frac{(4\sqrt{2})^2 + (3\sqrt{5})^2 - (\sqrt{5})^2}{2 \times 4\sqrt{2} \times 3\sqrt{5}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos A = \frac{32 + 45 - 5}{24\sqrt{10}} = \frac{72}{24\sqrt{10}} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}}$$

10. Do yourself.

$$11. \left( \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{7 \pm 5\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$$

12. Let the point be  $(x, y)$ .

$$\text{Thus, } x = \frac{4+5}{2+1} = 3, y = \frac{6-3}{2+1} = 1$$

Hence, the point is  $(3, 1)$ .

13. Let the ratio be  $m : n$ .

Since the point lies on  $y$ -axis, so  $x$  co-ordinate will be zero.

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{7m - 3n}{m + n} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 7m - 3n = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{m}{n} = \frac{3}{7}$$

14. Let the ratio be  $\lambda : 1$ .

$$\text{Thus, the point is } \left( \frac{1-2\lambda}{\lambda+1}, \frac{3\lambda-2}{\lambda+1} \right).$$

Since, the point  $\left( \frac{1-2\lambda}{\lambda+1}, \frac{3\lambda-2}{\lambda+1} \right)$  lies on the line

$3x + 4y = 7$ , we get

$$3 \left( \frac{1-2\lambda}{\lambda+1} \right) + 4 \left( \frac{3\lambda-2}{\lambda+1} \right) = 7$$

$$\Rightarrow 3(1-2\lambda) + 4(3\lambda-2) = 7\lambda + 7$$

$$\Rightarrow 12\lambda - 6\lambda - 7\lambda = 8 + 7 - 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = -12$$

Hence, the ratio is  $12 : 1$  externally.

15. Let  $A = (1, -2)$  and  $B = (-3, 4)$  and the line  $AB$  is trisected at  $P$  and  $Q$ , respectively.

Therefore  $P$  divides  $A$  and  $B$  internally in the ratio  $1 : 2$  and  $Q$  divides  $A$  and  $B$  in the ratio  $2 : 1$ .

Thus, the co-ordinates of  $P$  and  $Q$  are  $\left( -\frac{2}{3}, 0 \right)$  and  $\left( -\frac{5}{3}, 2 \right)$ .

16. Let the co-ordinates of the vertices are  $(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $(x_2, y_2)$ , and  $(x_3, y_3)$ .

$$\text{Therefore, } x_1 + x_2 = 1, x_2 + x_3 = 4, x_1 + x_3 = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 4$$

$$\text{Thus, } x_1 = 0, x_2 = 1, x_3 = 3$$

$$\text{Also, } y_1 + y_2 = 1, y_2 + y_3 = 1, y_3 + y_1 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow y_1 + y_2 + y_3 = 2$$

$$\text{Thus, } y_1 = 1, y_2 = 0, y_3 = 1$$

Hence, the vertices are  $(0, 1)$ ,  $(1, 0)$  and  $(3, 1)$ .

17. Let the co-ordinates of the third vertex be  $(x, y)$ .

As we know that the diagonals of a parallelogram bisect each other.

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{1+2}{2} \text{ and } \frac{y+2}{2} = \frac{5+3}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 4, y = 6$$

Hence, the fourth vertex is  $(4, 6)$ .

18. The co-ordinates of the centroid of  $\triangle ABC$  are

$$\left( \frac{2+6+2}{3}, \frac{4+4+0}{3} \right) = \left( \frac{10}{3}, \frac{8}{3} \right)$$

19. Let the co-ordinates of the third vertex be  $(x, y)$ .

$$\text{Therefore, } \frac{x-1+5}{3} = 0 \Rightarrow x = -4 \text{ and}$$

$$\frac{y+4+2}{3} = -3 \Rightarrow y = -15$$

Hence, the co-ordinates of the third vertex be  $(-4, -15)$ .

20. Let  $a = BC, b = CA, c = AB$  be the lengths of the side of the given  $\triangle ABC$ .

Therefore,  $a = \sqrt{(3-2)^2 + (4-3)^2} = \sqrt{2}$ ,

$$b = \sqrt{(3-1)^2 + (4-2)^2} = 2\sqrt{2}$$

and  $c = \sqrt{(2-1)^2 + (3-2)^2} = \sqrt{2}$

Thus, the incentre are

$$\begin{aligned} & \left( \frac{ax_1 + bx_2 + cx_3}{a+b+c}, \frac{ay_1 + by_2 + cy_3}{a+b+c} \right) \\ &= \left( \frac{1 \cdot \sqrt{2} + 2 \cdot 2\sqrt{2} + 3 \cdot \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2} + 2\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{2}}, \frac{2 \cdot \sqrt{2} + 3 \cdot 2\sqrt{2} + 4 \cdot \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2} + 2\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{2}} \right) \\ &= \left( \frac{8\sqrt{2}}{4\sqrt{2}}, \frac{12\sqrt{2}}{4\sqrt{2}} \right) \\ &= (2, 3) \end{aligned}$$

21. As we know that the centroid divides the orthocentre and the circumcentre in the ratio 2 : 1.

Thus, the centroid are

$$\left( \frac{2 \cdot \frac{3}{2} + 1 \cdot 1}{2+1}, \frac{2 \cdot \frac{3}{4} + 1 \cdot 1}{2+1} \right) = \left( \frac{4}{3}, \frac{5}{6} \right)$$

22. Clearly, it is a right-angled triangle.

As we know that in case of a right angled triangle, the circumcentre is the mid-point of the hypotenuse and the orthocentre is at right angle.

Thus, Circumcentre =  $\left( \frac{0+2}{2}, \frac{2+0}{2} \right)$   
 $= (1, 1)$

and

Orthocentre = (0, 0)

Hence, the required distance =  $\sqrt{(1-0)^2 + (1-0)^2}$   
 $= \sqrt{2}$

23. The required area

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} x_1 - x_3 & x_2 - x_3 \\ y_1 - y_3 & y_2 - y_3 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 3-7 & 7+1 \\ -4-5 & 5-10 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} -4 & 8 \\ -9 & -5 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (20 + 72) = 46 \text{ sq.u.} \end{aligned}$$

24. The required area

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} x_1 - x_3 & x_2 - x_3 \\ y_1 - y_3 & y_2 - y_3 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} t-t-3 & t+3-t-2 \\ t+2-t & t-t-2 \end{vmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} -3 & 1 \\ 2 & -2 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (6 - 2) = 2 \text{ sq.u.} \end{aligned}$$

25. Given area of a triangle is 6.

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow & \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} x-1 & 1-2 \\ y-2 & 2-1 \end{vmatrix} = \pm 6 \\ \Rightarrow & \begin{vmatrix} x-1 & -1 \\ y-2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \pm 12 \\ \Rightarrow & (x-1) + (y-2) = \pm 12 \\ \Rightarrow & x+y-3+12=0, x+y-3-12=0 \\ \Rightarrow & x+y+9=0, x+y-15=0 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the result.

26. The required area of a quadrilateral

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 7 & -3 \\ 12 & 2 \\ 7 & 21 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \{(-3+14+252+7) - (21+14-36+7)\} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (270 - 6) = 132 \text{ sq.u.} \end{aligned}$$

27. The required area of a pentagon

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ -5 & 6 \\ 0 & 7 \\ 3 & -6 \\ -7 & -2 \\ 4 & 3 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \{ (24 - 35 + 0 - 6 - 21) - (-8 + 42 + 21 + 0 + 15) \} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (38 + 70) = 54 \text{ sq. u.} \end{aligned}$$

28. We have,

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} x_1 - x_2 & x_2 - x_3 \\ y_1 - y_2 & y_2 - y_3 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} a-b & b-c \\ b+c-c-a & c+a-a-b \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} a-b & b-c \\ b-a & c-b \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (a-b)(b-c) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the result.

29. Now,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ar}(\triangle DBC) &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} x+3 & -3-4 \\ 3x-3 & 5+2 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (7x+21-21x-21) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (-14x) = 7x \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ar}(\triangle ABC) &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 6+3 & -3-4 \\ 3-5 & 5+2 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 9 & -7 \\ -2 & 7 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (63-14) = \frac{49}{2} \end{aligned}$$

It is given that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{7x}{\frac{49}{2}} &= \frac{1}{2} \\ \Rightarrow x &= \frac{7}{4} \end{aligned}$$

30. The required area

$$= \frac{1}{2 \times |C_1 C_2 C_3|} \begin{vmatrix} 7 & -2 & 10 \\ 7 & 2 & -10 \\ 9 & 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix}^2,$$

where  $C_1 = \begin{vmatrix} 7 & 2 \\ 9 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -11$ ,  $C_2 = -\begin{vmatrix} 7 & -2 \\ 9 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -25$ ,

and  $C_3 = -\begin{vmatrix} 7 & -2 \\ 7 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = -28$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2 \times 11 \times 25 \times 28} (96)^2 \\ &= \frac{9216}{2 \times 11 \times 25 \times 28} \\ &= \frac{9216}{15400} = \frac{2304}{3850} \text{ sq. u.} \end{aligned}$$

31. Let  $x = a \cos \theta$ ,  $y = a \sin \theta$

Then  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2 \cos^2 \theta + a^2 \sin^2 \theta = a^2$   
which is the required locus of the point  $P$ .

32. Let  $x = at^2$  and  $y = 2at$ .

Then,  $y^2 = 4a^2 t^2 = 4a(at^2) = 4ax$   
which is the required locus of  $P$ .

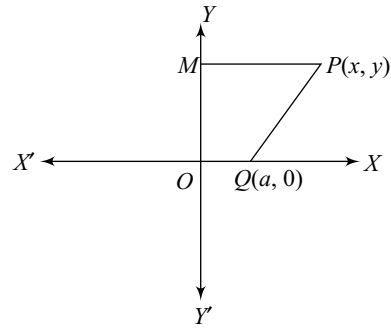
33. Let the movable point  $P$  be  $(x, y)$  and the point on  $y$ -axis be  $(0, y)$ .

Given condition is

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} &= 3x \\ \Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 &= 9x^2 \\ \Rightarrow y^2 &= 8x^2 \end{aligned}$$

which is the required locus of  $P$ .

34. Let the movable point be  $(x, y)$ .



Given condition is

$$\begin{aligned} PQ &= PM \\ \Rightarrow \sqrt{(x-a)^2 + y^2} &= x \\ \Rightarrow (x-a)^2 + y^2 &= x^2 \\ \Rightarrow y^2 &= x^2 - (x-a)^2 = 2ax - a^2 \end{aligned}$$

which is the required locus of the given movable point.

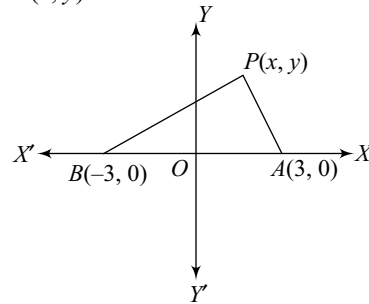
35. Let the co-ordinates of the variable point  $P$  be  $(x, y)$ .

Then  $x = t + \frac{1}{t}$  and  $y = t - \frac{1}{t}$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - y^2 = \left(t + \frac{1}{t}\right)^2 - \left(t - \frac{1}{t}\right)^2 = 4$$

which is the required locus of  $P$  and represents a rectangular hyperbola.

36. Let  $P$  be  $(x, y)$ .



Given condition is

$$\begin{aligned} PA + PB &= 8 \\ \Rightarrow \sqrt{(x)^2 + (y+3)^2} + \sqrt{(x)^2 + (y-3)^2} &= 8 \\ \Rightarrow \sqrt{(x)^2 + (y+3)^2} &= 8 - \sqrt{(x)^2 + (y-3)^2} \\ \Rightarrow (x)^2 + (y+3)^2 &= 64 + ((x)^2 + (y-3)^2) - 16\sqrt{(x)^2 + (y-3)^2} \\ \Rightarrow 6y &= 64 - 6y - 16\sqrt{(x)^2 + (y-3)^2} \\ \Rightarrow 12y - 64 &= 16\sqrt{(x)^2 + (y-3)^2} \\ \Rightarrow 3y - 16 &= 4\sqrt{(x)^2 + (y-3)^2} \\ \Rightarrow (3y - 16)^2 &= 16((x)^2 + (y-3)^2) \\ \Rightarrow 9y^2 - 96y + 256 &= 16(x^2 + y^2 - 6y + 9) \\ \Rightarrow 16x^2 + 7y^2 &= 256 - 144 = 112 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{7} + \frac{y^2}{16} &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

which is the required locus of the given point and represents an ellipse.

37. Let  $AB = l$ .

Consider the point  $A$  lies on  $x$ -axis and  $B$  lies on  $y$ -axis such that

$$A = (a, 0) \text{ and } B = (0, b)$$

Therefore,  $AB = l$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} = l$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 = l^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

Let the mid-point of  $A$  and  $B$  be  $(\alpha, \beta)$

$$\text{Thus, } \alpha = \frac{a}{2}, \beta = \frac{b}{2}$$

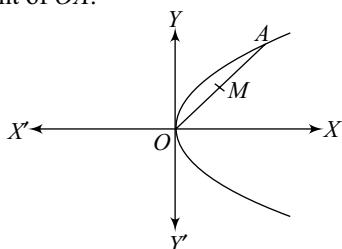
$$\Rightarrow a = 2\alpha, b = 2\beta$$

From Eq. (i), we get,

$$\alpha^2 + \beta^2 = \frac{l^2}{4}$$

Hence, the locus of  $(\alpha, \beta)$  is  $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{l^2}{4}$ .

38. Let the point  $M$  be  $(\alpha, \beta)$  and  $A(2\alpha, 2\beta)$  where  $M$  is the mid-point of  $OA$ .



Since  $A$  lies on the curve  $y^2 = 8x$ , so

$$(2\beta)^2 = 8(2\alpha)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4\beta^2 = 16\alpha$$

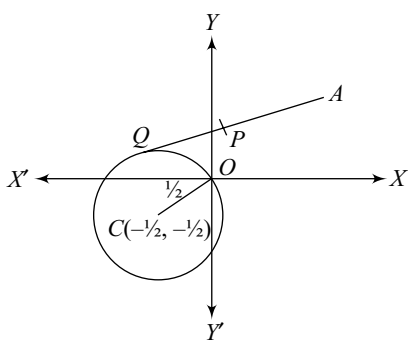
$$\Rightarrow \beta^2 = 4\alpha$$

Hence, the required locus of  $M$  is  $y^2 = 4x$ .

39. We have

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

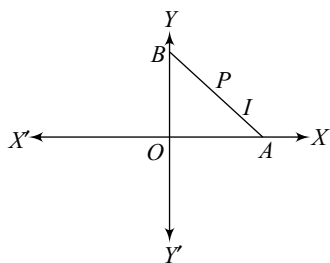
$$\Rightarrow \left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \left(y + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2$$



Let the point  $Q$  be

$$\left(-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos \theta, -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin \theta\right)$$

and  $P$  be  $(\alpha, \beta)$



$$\text{Then } \alpha = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \cos \theta, \beta = \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \sin \theta$$

$$\text{Now, } 8\left(\alpha - \frac{1}{4}\right)^2 + 8\left(\beta - \frac{3}{4}\right)^2 = \cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 8\left(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \frac{\alpha}{2} - \frac{3\beta}{2}\right) + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{9}{2} - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 8\left(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 - \frac{\alpha}{2} - \frac{3\beta}{2}\right) + 4 = 0$$

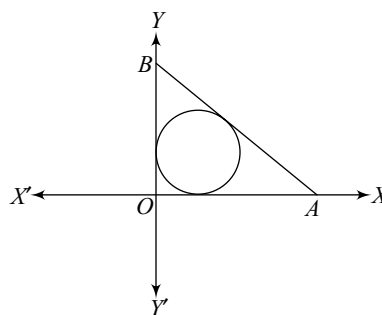
$$\Rightarrow 2(\alpha^2 + \beta^2) - \alpha - 3\beta + 1 = 0$$

Hence, the locus of  $(\alpha, \beta)$  is

$$2(x^2 + y^2) - x - y + 1 = 0,$$

40. Let  $OA = a$  and  $OB = b$ .

Since the circle touches both the axes and the line  $AB$ , so the inradius of  $\Delta OAB$  be 2.



From trigonometry, we can write

$$r = \frac{\Delta}{s}, \quad \dots(i)$$

where  $\Delta$  = area of a triangle

and  $s$  = semi-perimeter of the triangle.

Let  $(x, y)$  be the circumcentre of  $\Delta OAB$ , then

$$x = \frac{a}{2} \text{ and } y = \frac{b}{2}$$

Thus,  $a = 2x$  and  $b = 2y$ .

Putting the values of  $a$  and  $b$  in Eq. (i), we get

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

$$\Rightarrow xy = x + y + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

is the required locus.

44.  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$

45.  $x^2 + y^2 = 3$

46. Given curve is

$$2x^2 + y^2 - 3x + 5y - 8 = 0 \quad (i)$$

Replacing  $x$  by  $x - 1$  and  $y$  by  $y + 2$  in Eq. (i), we get

$$2(x - 1)^2 + (y + 2)^2 - 3(x - 1) + 5(y + 2) - 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(x^2 - 2x + 1) + (y^2 + 4y + 4)$$

$$-3(x - 1) + 5(y + 2) - 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2 + y^2 - 7x + 9y + 11 = 0$$

47. Given curve is  
 $x^2 + y^2 = 36$  ... (i)

Replacing  $x$  by  $x - 4$  and  $y$  by  $y - 5$  in Eq. (i), we get

$$(x - 4)^2 + (y - 5)^2 = 36$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 10y + 16 + 25 - 36 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 10y + 5 = 0$$

which is the required equation of the original axes.

48. Let the point be  $(x, y)$ .

$$\text{Thus } x - 1 = -7, y + 8 = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -6, y = -5$$

Hence, the point be  $(-6, -5)$ .

49. Given equation is

$$3x^2 + 2xy + 3y^2 = 2 \quad (i)$$

Replacing  $x$  by  $(x \cos 45^\circ - y \sin 45^\circ)$

and  $y$  by  $(x \sin 45^\circ + y \cos 45^\circ)$  in Eq. (i), we get

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

$$\Rightarrow 3(x^2 + y^2) + (x^2 - y^2) = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 + 2y^2 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2 + y^2 = 1$$

50. Given equation is

$$y^2 - 4x + 4y + 8 = 0 \quad (i)$$

Replacing  $x$  by  $x + 1$  and  $y$  by  $y - 2$  in Eq. (i), we get

$$(y - 2)^2 - 4(x + 1) + 4(y - 2) + 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 - 4y + 4 - 4x - 4 + 4y - 8 + 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 = 4x$$

which is the required transformed equation.

51. If the point  $P(1, 2)$  is translated itself 2 units along the positive direction of  $x$ -axis, then  $P$  becomes  $(3, 2)$ .

$$\text{Let } Z = (3, 2) = 3 + 2i$$

$$\text{Thus, the new position of } P = iZ$$

$$= i(3 + 2i)$$

$$= -2 + 3i = (-2, 3)$$

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53.  $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$

54.  $4x^2 + 2y^2 = 1$

55.  $(-3, 2)$

56.  $\left(\frac{1 - 4\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{4 + \sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$

## LEVEL I

### (STRAIGHT LINE)

1. Hence, the required slope of  $PQ = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{10 - 4}{3 - 2} = 6$

2. Given slope = 2

$$\Rightarrow \frac{7 - 5}{\lambda - 2} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda - 2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 3$$

3. Let  $m_1$  be the line joining the points  $(2, -3)$  and  $(-5, 1)$  and  $m_2$  be the line joining the points  $(7, -1)$  and  $(0, 3)$ .

$$\text{Thus } m_1 = \frac{1 + 3}{-5 - 2} = -\frac{4}{7} \text{ and } m_2 = \frac{3 + 1}{0 - 7} = -\frac{4}{7}.$$

Since,  $m_1 = m_2$ , so the slopes are parallel.

4. Consider the points  $P = (a, b + c)$ ,

$$Q = (b, c + a), R = (c, a + b)$$

$$\text{Therefore, } m(PQ) = \frac{c + a - b - c}{b - a} = \frac{a - b}{b - a} = -1$$

$$\text{and } m(QR) = \frac{a + b - c - a}{c - b} = \frac{b - c}{c - b} = -1$$

$$\text{Since, } m(PQ) = m(QR)$$

$\Rightarrow$  Thus, the points  $P, Q$  and  $R$  are collinear.

5. Let  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  be the slopes of the line joining the points  $(0, 0), (2, 2)$  and  $(2, -2), (3, 5)$ .

$$\text{Therefore, } m_1 = \frac{2 - 0}{2 - 0} = 1 \text{ and } m_2 = \frac{5 + 2}{3 - 2} = 7$$

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between them

$$\tan \theta = \left| \frac{7 - 1}{1 + 7 \cdot 1} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)$$

6. Let  $m$  be the slope of the other line.

Given,

$$\tan 45^\circ = \left| \frac{m - \frac{1}{2}}{1 + \frac{m}{2}} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan 45^\circ = \left| \frac{2m - 1}{2 + m} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow (2m - 1) = \pm (2 + m)$$

$$\Rightarrow (2m - 1) = (2 + m)$$

$$\text{and } (2m - 1) = -(2 + m)$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 3 \text{ and } m = -\frac{1}{3}$$

Hence, the slopes of the other line are 3 or  $-1/3$ .

7. Equation of a line parallel to  $x$ -axis is  $y = k$ .

Which is passing through  $(2, -3)$ , we have,  $k = -3$ .

Hence, the equation of the line is  $y + 3 = 0$ .

8. Equation of a line perpendicular to  $y$ -axis is  $y = k$  which is passing through the point  $(3, 4)$ , we have,  $k = 4$ .

Hence, the equation of the line is  $y = 4$ .

9. Hence, the equation of a line, which is equidistant from the lines  $x = 6$  and  $x = 10$  is  $x = \frac{6 + 10}{2} = 8$

10. Given  $m = 3$  and  $c = 7$ .

Hence, the required equation of the line is

$$y = mx + c = 3x + 7$$

11. Here,  $m = \tan(135^\circ) = -1$  and  $c = 5$ .

Hence, the required equation of the given line is

$$y = mx + c = -x + 5$$

12. Given,

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{3}{5} \text{ and } c = -6$$

Hence, the equation of the given straight line is

$$y = mx + c = \frac{3}{5}x - 6$$

13. Given  $m = \pm 1$  and  $c = 4$ .

Hence, the equation of the line is

$$y = mx + c = \pm x + 4$$

14. Here,  $m = \tan(45^\circ) = 1$

and  $m = \tan(135^\circ) = -1$  and  $c = 0$

Hence, the equation of the bisectors is

$$y = mx + c = \pm x$$

15. Here,  $m = \tan(120^\circ) = -\sqrt{3}$  and the point  $(x_1, y_1) = (2, 3)$

Hence, the equation of a straight line is

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

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

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{3}x + y = 2\sqrt{3} + 3$$

16. Let the points  $A$  and  $B$  are  $(1, 2)$  and  $(5, 7)$ , respectively.

$$\text{Therefore, } m(AB) = \frac{7-2}{5-1} = \frac{5}{4}$$

and the mid-point of  $A$  and  $B$  are

$$\left(\frac{1+5}{2}, \frac{2+7}{2}\right) = \left(3, \frac{9}{2}\right)$$

Hence, the equation of the right (perpendicular) bisector is

$$y - \frac{9}{2} = -\frac{4}{5}(x - 3)$$

$$\Rightarrow 8x + 10y = 69$$

17. Given,

$$\cos \theta = -\frac{3}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = -\frac{4}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = -\frac{4}{5}$$

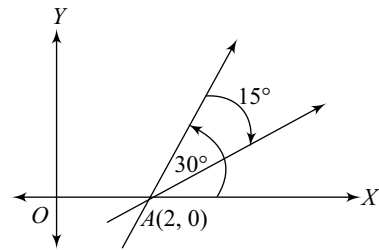
Hence, the equation of the given line is

$$y - 2 = -\frac{4}{5}(x - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x + 5y = 14$$

18. We have,

$$m = \tan(15^\circ) = (2 - \sqrt{3})$$



Hence, the required equation of the line is

$$y - 0 = (2 - \sqrt{3})(x - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (2 - \sqrt{3})x - y - 2(2 - \sqrt{3}) = 0$$

19. Hence, the equation of a line is

$$\begin{vmatrix} x - x_1 & y - y_1 \\ x_1 - x_2 & y_1 - y_2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} x - 1 & y - 2 \\ 3 - 1 & 4 - 2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(x - 1) - 2(y - 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x - y + 1 = 0.$$

20. Here slope of  $BC = \frac{-1-9}{-2+4} = -\frac{10}{2} = -5$

Hence, the equation of the altitude through  $A$  is

$$y - 4 = \frac{1}{5}(x - 10)$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 5y + 10 = 0$$

21. The co-ordinates of the mid points of  $B$  and  $C$  are

$$\left(\frac{2+5}{2}, \frac{3+4}{2}\right) = \left(\frac{7}{2}, \frac{7}{2}\right)$$

Hence, the required equation of the median through  $A$

$$\text{is } \begin{vmatrix} x - 1 & y - 2 \\ \frac{7}{2} - 1 & \frac{7}{2} - 2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3(x - 1) - 5(y - 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x - 5y + 7 = 0$$

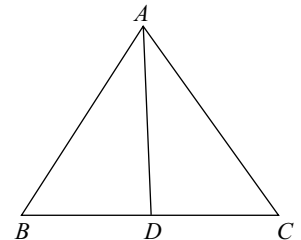
22. Here,  $AB = \sqrt{10}$ ,  $AC = \sqrt{10}$ ,  $BC = 2\sqrt{10}$

Let  $AD$  is the internal bisector of the angle  $\angle BAC$ .

If  $AD$  is the internal bisector of the angle  $\angle BAC$ , then

$$\frac{BD}{DC} = \frac{AB}{AC} = \frac{\sqrt{10}}{\sqrt{10}} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow BD : DC = 1 : 1$$



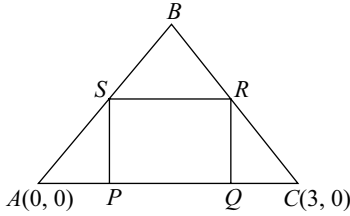
Thus  $D$  is the mid-point of  $B$  and  $C$ , i.e.  $D = (4, 4)$

Hence, the equation of the internal bisector is

$$y - 2 = \frac{4-2}{4-5}(x - 5) = -2(x - 5)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + y = 12$$

23. Let the square be PQRS, whose length of the side is k. Consider the point of P be (a, 0).



Then  $Q = (a + k, 0)$ ,  $R = (a + k, k)$  and  $S = (a, k)$ .  
The equation of the line AB is

$$y - 0 = \frac{1-0}{2-0}(x-0)$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 2y = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

and the equation of the line BC is

$$y - 1 = \frac{0-1}{3-2}(x-2)$$

$$\Rightarrow x + y = 3 \quad \dots(ii)$$

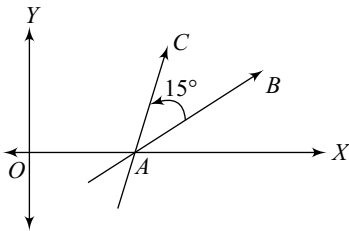
Since, the point  $S(a, k)$  on Eq. (i), we get,  
 $a = 2k$

and the point  $R(a + k, k)$  on Eq. (ii), we get,  
 $a + 2k = 3$ .

Thus,  $k = 3/4$  and  $a = 3/2$ .

Hence, the co-ordinates of P, Q, R and S are  
 $(3/2, 0)$ ,  $(9/4, 0)$ ,  $(9/4, 3/4)$  and  $(3/2, 3/4)$ .

24. Let slope of AC is m. The slope of AB is 1. We have



$$\tan(15^\circ) = \left| \frac{m-1}{1+m} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow (2 - \sqrt{3})m + (2 - \sqrt{3}) = m - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 - \sqrt{3})m = (-3 + \sqrt{3})$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 - \sqrt{3})m = (-3 + \sqrt{3}) = \sqrt{3}(1 - \sqrt{3})$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \sqrt{3}$$

Hence, the equation of the line AC is

$$y - 0 = \sqrt{3}(x - 2)$$

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

25. Let the equation of the line is  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$ .

Since, the line makes equal intercepts with the axes, so  
 $a = b$ .

Thus  $x + y = a$  which is passing through (3, 4).

Therefore  $a = 7$ .

Hence, the equation of the required line is  $x + y = 7$ .

26. Let the equation of the line is  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$  ... (i)

Given condition is  $a = 2b$  ... (ii)

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get,

$$2x + y = 2b$$

Which is passing through the point (2, 3).

Therefore,  $2b = 4 + 3 = 7$

$$\Rightarrow b = \frac{7}{2}$$

Hence, the equation of the line is  $2x + y = 7$ .

27. Let the equation of the line be  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$ ,

where  $A = (a, 0)$  and  $B = (0, b)$ .

Consider the given line is bisected at the point  $M(2, 3)$ .

$$\text{Thus, } 2 = \frac{a}{2} \Rightarrow a = 4$$

$$\text{and } 3 = \frac{b}{2} \Rightarrow b = 6$$

Hence, the equation of the line is

$$\frac{x}{4} + \frac{y}{6} = 1.$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x + 2y = 12$$

28. Let the equation of the line be  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$ , where  $A = (a, 0)$  and  $B = (0, b)$

Given condition is  $a = -b$

Therefore,  $x - y = a$  which is passing through (3, -4)

Thus,  $a = 7$ .

Hence, the equation of the line is  $x - y = 7$ .

29. Let the equation of the line is  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$

which is passing through (3, 2), so

$$\frac{3}{a} + \frac{2}{b} = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

Also given condition is  $a - b = 2$  ... (ii)

From Eq. (i) and (ii), we get

$$3b + 2a = ab = b(b + 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3b + 2b + 4 = b^2 + 2b$$

$$\Rightarrow b^2 - 3b - 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (b - 4)(b + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow b = -1, 4$$

Thus,  $a = 1, 6$ .

Hence, the equation of the line are

$$x - y = 1, \text{ and } 2x - 3y = 12.$$

30. Let the equation of the line AB is

$$2x + 3y = 6 \Rightarrow \frac{x}{3} + \frac{y}{2} = 1$$

Given lines are  $x y = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0, y = 0$$

Hence, the area of a triangle =  $\frac{1}{2} \cdot 3 \cdot 2 = 3$  sq. u.

31.  $2x + y = 10$ .

32.  $3x - 8y = 0, 3x - 2y = 0$ .

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35. Here,  $p = 5$  and  $\alpha = 60^\circ$

Hence, the equation of the line is

$$x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha = p$$

$$\Rightarrow x \cos (60^\circ) + y \sin (60^\circ) = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow x + \sqrt{3}y = 10$$

36. Here,  $p = 2$  and  $\tan \theta = \frac{5}{12}$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{5}{13} \text{ and } \cos \theta = \frac{12}{13}$$

Hence, the equation of the line is

$$x \cos \theta + y \sin \theta = p$$

$$\Rightarrow 12x + 5y = 26.$$

37. Hence, the co-ordinates of the required points are

$$(x_1 \pm r \cos \theta, y_1 \pm r \sin \theta).$$

Here  $r = 5$ ,  $(x_1, y_1) = (3, 2)$

and  $\tan \theta = \frac{3}{4} \Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{4}{5}, \sin \theta = \frac{3}{5}$

Thus, the points are

$$(x_1 \pm r \cos \theta, y_1 \pm r \sin \theta)$$

$$= \left( 3 \pm 5 \cdot \frac{4}{5}, 2 \pm 5 \cdot \frac{3}{5} \right)$$

$$= (3 \pm 4, 2 \pm 3)$$

$$= (7, 5), (-1, -1)$$

38. Here,  $r = 4\sqrt{2}$ ,  $(x_1, y_1) = (-2, 3)$  and  $\theta = 45^\circ$ .

Hence, the co-ordinates of the points are

$$(x_1 \pm r \cos \theta, y_1 \pm r \sin \theta)$$

$$= \left( -2 \pm 4\sqrt{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, 3 \pm 4\sqrt{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

$$= (-2 \pm 4, 3 \pm 4)$$

$$= (2, 7) \text{ and } (-6, -1)$$

39. Given point  $P$  is  $(3, 4)$ .

Here,  $r = \sqrt{2}$  and  $\theta = 45^\circ$

Let  $Q$  be the new position of  $P$ .

Hence, the co-ordinates of  $Q$  are

$$\left( 3 + \sqrt{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, 4 + \sqrt{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = (4, 5)$$

40. Let the new position of  $B$  is  $C$ .

Here,  $r = AB = AC = \sqrt{(3-2)^2 + (1-0)^2} = \sqrt{2}$  and  $\theta = 45^\circ + 15^\circ = 60^\circ$

Thus, the co-ordinates of  $C$  are

$$(2 + \sqrt{2} \cos(60^\circ), 0 + \sqrt{2} \sin(60^\circ))$$

$$= \left( 2 + \sqrt{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2}, \sqrt{2} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) = \left( 2 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \right)$$

41. Let the point  $P$  be  $(1, 2)$  and the line  $PQ$  makes an angle  $\theta$  with the positive direction of  $x$ -axis.

Here,  $r = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$  and  $(x_1, y_1) = (1, 2)$

Thus, the co-ordinates of  $Q$  are

$$\left( 1 + \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \cos \theta, 2 + \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \sin \theta \right)$$

Since, the point  $Q$  lies on  $x + y = 4$ , so

$$1 + \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \cos \theta + 2 + \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \sin \theta = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \cos \theta + \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \sin \theta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta + \sin \theta = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos \theta + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \theta - \frac{\pi}{4} \right) = \pm \left( \frac{\pi}{6} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{4} \pm \frac{\pi}{6} = 75^\circ, 15^\circ.$$

42.  $R(-2, -1)$ ,  $Q(-1, 2)$  and  $S(1, -2)$

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

44.  $\sqrt{2}$

45. 6

46.  $4\sqrt{2}$

47.  $\sqrt{5}$

48. 5.

49.  $(8, 2)$  and  $(0, -4)$

50. Given line is  $x + \sqrt{3}y + 4 = 0$

(i) slope intercept form is

$$\Rightarrow y = \left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)x + \left(-\frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$$

Thus, slope =  $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

and  $y$ -intercept =  $-\frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}$

(ii) Intercept form of  $x + \sqrt{3}y + 4 = 0$  is

$$\frac{x}{(-4)} + \frac{y}{\left(-\frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}\right)} = 1$$

where  $x$ -intercept = 4 and

$$y\text{-intercept} = 4/\sqrt{3}.$$

(iii) Normal form of  $x + \sqrt{3}y + 4 = 0$  is

$$-x - \sqrt{3}y = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(-\frac{1}{4}\right)x + \left(\frac{-\sqrt{3}}{4}\right)y = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha = 1,$$

where  $\alpha = \pi + \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{3}) = 240^\circ$



51. (i) Let  $(x_1, y_1) = (2, 2)$  and  $(x_2, y_2) = (3, 5)$  and  $a = 2$ ,  $b = 3$ ,  $c = 4$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } \frac{ax_1 + by_1 + c}{ax_2 + by_2 + c} &= \frac{2 \cdot 2 + 3 \cdot 2 + 4}{2 \cdot 3 + 3 \cdot 5 + 4} \\ &= \frac{14}{25} > 0 \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the points  $(2, 2)$  and  $(3, 5)$  lie on the same side of the line  $2x + 3y + 4 = 0$ .

- (ii) Do yourself  
(iii) Do yourself.

52. As we know that, if  $ax_1 + by_1 + c$  and  $c$  have the same sign, then the point  $(x_1, y_1)$  lies on the origin side of the line  $ax_1 + by_1 + c$ .

Here,  $2 > 0$  and

$$ax_1 + by_1 + c = 2 \cdot 2 - 7 + 2 = 6 - 7 = -1 < 0$$

Thus, the point  $(2, -7)$  does not lie on the origin side of the line  $2x + y + 2 = 0$ .

53. Do yourself.

54. Equation of a line parallel to

$$3x + 4y + 5 = 0 \text{ is } 3x + 4y + k = 0.$$

which passes through  $(2, 3)$ .

Therefore,  $6 + 12 + k = 0$

$$\Rightarrow k = -18$$

Hence, the equation of the line is

$$3x + 4y - 18 = 0.$$

55. The co-ordinates of the mid-point of the line joining the points  $(2, 3)$  and  $(4, -1)$  is  $(3, 1)$ .

Equation of any line parallel to  $3x - 4y + 6 = 0$  is

$$3x - 4y + k = 0$$

which is passing through  $(3, 1)$ .

Therefore,  $9 - 4 + k = 0$

$$\Rightarrow k = -5$$

Hence, the equation of the line is

$$3x - 4y - 5 = 0$$

56. The slope of the line joining the points  $(2, 3)$  and  $(3, -1)$  is  $\frac{-1-3}{3-2} = -4$

Equation of the line parallel to the given line and passing through  $(2, 1)$  is

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

$$\Rightarrow y - 1 = -4(x - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x + y = 9$$

57. Do yourself.

58. Equation of any line perpendicular to

$$2x + 3y - 2012 = 0 \text{ is}$$

$$3x - 2y + k = 0$$

which is passing through  $(3, 4)$ .

Therefore,  $9 - 8 + k = 0$

$$\Rightarrow k = -1$$

Hence, the equation of the line is

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

59. Equation of any line perpendicular to  $2x - 3y - 5 = 0$  is  $3x + 2y - k = 0$  which is passing through  $(1, 0)$ .

Therefore,  $3 + 0 + k = 0$

$$\Rightarrow k = -3$$

Hence, the equation of the line is

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

60. The slope of the line joining the points  $(1, 2)$  and  $(3, 5)$

$$\text{is } \frac{5-2}{3-1} = \frac{3}{2}.$$

The mid-point of the line joining the points  $(1, 2)$  and

$$(3, 5) \text{ is } \left( \frac{1+3}{2}, \frac{2+5}{2} \right) = \left( 2, \frac{7}{2} \right).$$

Hence, the equation of the line is

$$y - \frac{7}{2} = -\frac{2}{3}(x - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x + 6y = 29$$

61. Slope of  $BC = \frac{8-5}{3-4} = -3$

Let the altitude through  $A$  is  $AD$ .

Therefore, the slope of  $AD$  is  $\frac{1}{3}$ .

Hence, the equation of the altitude through  $A$  is

$$y - 2 = \frac{1}{3}(x - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 3y + 5 = 0$$

62. The point of intersection of  $2x + y = 8$  and  $x - y = 10$  is  $(6, -4)$ .

Equation of any line perpendicular to

$$3x + 4y + 2012 = 0 \text{ is}$$

$$4x - 3y + k = 0$$

which is passing through  $(6, -4)$ .

Therefore,  $24 + 12 + k = 0 \Rightarrow k = -36$

Hence, the equation of the line is

$$4x - 3y - 36 = 0.$$

63. Hence, the distance of the point  $(4, 5)$  from the straight line  $3x - 5y + 7 = 0$  is

$$\left| \frac{3 \times 4 - 5 \times 5 + 7}{\sqrt{3^2 + 5^2}} \right| = \left| \frac{12 - 25 + 7}{\sqrt{34}} \right| = \frac{6}{\sqrt{34}}.$$

64. Let  $ABC$  be an equilateral triangle, where  $A$  is  $(2, -1)$  and  $BC$  is  $x + y = 2$ .

Let  $AD$  be the length of perpendicular from  $A$  on  $BC$ .

$$\text{Thus, } AD = \left| \frac{2 - 1 - 2}{\sqrt{1^2 + 1^2}} \right| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

Therefore,

$$\sin(60^\circ) = \frac{AD}{AB}$$

$$\Rightarrow AB = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$$

Thus, the length of the side =  $\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$

65. Equation of a straight line, whose intercepts are  $a$  and  $b$  is  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$ .

Given, the length of the perpendicular from the origin  $= p$ .

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|0+0-1|}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}}} = p$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} = \frac{1}{p^2}$$

66. Clearly, both the lines are parallel  
Hence, the required distance

$$= \frac{\left| \frac{11}{2} + 5 \right|}{\sqrt{3^2 + 4^2}} = \frac{|11+10|}{2.5} = \frac{21}{10} = 2\frac{1}{10} \text{ units.}$$

67. Equation of the line  $L$  is  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$ .

After rotation, the line  $L$  becomes,  $\frac{x}{p} + \frac{y}{q} = 1$ .

Therefore, the lengths of perpendicular from the origin to both the lines are same. Thus,

$$\frac{|0+0-1|}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}}} = \frac{|0+0-1|}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{p^2} + \frac{1}{q^2}}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} = \frac{1}{p^2} + \frac{1}{q^2}$$

Hence, the result.

68. As we know that, area of a parallelogram whose sides are  $a_1x + b_1y + d_1 = 0$ ,  $a_2x + b_2y + c_2 = 0$  and  $a_2x + b_2y + d_2 = 0$  is

$$= \frac{|(c_1 - d_1)(c_2 - d_2)|}{|a_1b_2 - a_2b_1|}$$

$$= \frac{|(4a + a) \times (7a - 3a)|}{|(1 \times (-2) - 3 \times 3)|} = \frac{20a^2}{11}$$

Thus,  $m = \frac{20}{11}$ .

Now  $11m + 30 = 20 + 30 = 50$

69. Given four lines are  $ax + by + c = 0$ ,  
 $ax + by - c = 0$ ,  $ax - by + c = 0$   
and  $ax - by - c = 0$ .

Hence, the area =  $\frac{|(c+c)(-c-c)|}{|(a \cdot (-b) - b \cdot a)|}$

$$= \frac{|4c^2|}{|2ab|} = \frac{|2c^2|}{|ab|} = \frac{2c^2}{|ab|}$$

70. Hence, the points of intersection of the given lines is  $(2, 6)$ .

71. As we know that, the three lines  $a_i x + b_i y + c_i = 0$ ,  $i = 1, 2, 3$  are concurrent, if

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & c_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 & c_3 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -3 & 5 \\ 3 & 4 & -7 \\ 9 & -5 & 8 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2(32 - 35) + 3(24 + 63) + 5(-15 - 36)$$

$$= -6 + 261 - 255 = 0$$

Hence, the three lines are concurrent.

72. Equation of any line passing through the point of intersection of the lines

$$x + 3y - 8 = 0 \text{ and } 2x + 3y + 5 = 0 \text{ is}$$

$$(x - 3y + 8) + \lambda(2x + 3y + 5) = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

which is passing through  $(1, 2)$ .

Therefore,  $(1 - 6 + 8) + \lambda(2 + 6 + 5) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = -\frac{3}{13}$$

From Eq. (i), we get

$$(x - 3y + 8) - \frac{3}{13}(2x + 3y + 5) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 13(x - 3y + 8) - 3(2x + 3y + 5) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 7x - 48y + 89 = 0$$

73. On solving  $y = x + 1$  and  $2x + y = 16$ , we get,  
 $x = 5$  and  $y = 6$ .

Thus, the point of concurrency is  $(5, 6)$

Since, the given lines are concurrent, so

$$6 = 5m - 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 5m = 10$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 2$$

Hence, the value of  $m$  is 2.

74. Since the given lines  $ax + y + 1 = 0$ ,  $x + by + 1 = 0$  and  $x + y + c = 0$  are concurrent,

so  $\begin{vmatrix} a & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & b & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & c \end{vmatrix} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} a-1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & b-1 & 1 \\ 1-c & 1-c & c \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (a-1)(c(b-1) - (1-c)) - (1-c)(b-1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow c(a-1)(b-1) - (a-1)(1-c) - (1-c)(b-1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow c(1-a)(1-b) + (1-a)(1-c) + (1-c)(1-b) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{c}{1-c} + \frac{1}{1-b} + \frac{1}{1-a} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + \frac{c}{1-c} + \frac{1}{1-b} + \frac{1}{1-a} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{1-a} + \frac{1}{1-b} + \frac{1}{1-c} = 1$$

75. Given family of lines are  
 $ax + by + c = 0$  ... (i)

and also the given condition is  
 $2a + 3b + 6c = 0$  ... (ii)

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$ax + by - \frac{a}{3} - \frac{b}{2} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a\left(x - \frac{1}{3}\right) + b\left(y - \frac{1}{2}\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(x - \frac{1}{3}\right) + \frac{b}{a}\left(y - \frac{1}{2}\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(x - \frac{1}{3}\right) = 0 \text{ and } \left(y - \frac{1}{2}\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{3} \text{ and } y = \frac{1}{2}$$

78. We have  $4a^2 + 9b^2 - c^2 + 12ab = 0$

$$\Rightarrow (4a^2 + 9b^2 + 12ab) - c^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2a^2 + 3b^2) - c^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2a + 3b + c)(2a + 3b - c) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2a + 3b + c) = 0 \text{ and } (2a + 3b - c) = 0$$

Given family of lines are

$$ax + by + c = 0 \quad \dots (i)$$

and also the given conditions are

$$(2a + 3b + c) = 0 \quad \dots (ii)$$

$$\text{and } (2a + 3b - c) = 0 \quad \dots (iii)$$

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$ax + by - 2a - 3b = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a(x - 2) + b(y - 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 2) + \frac{b}{a}(y - 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2, y = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 2, n = 3$$

From Eqs (i) and (iii), we get

$$ax + by + 2a + 3b = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a(x + 2) + b(y + 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x + 2) + \frac{b}{a}(y + 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -2, y = -3$$

$$\Rightarrow p = -2, q = -3$$

Thus, the value of

$$m + n + p + q + 10 = 2 + 3 - 2 - 3 + 10 = 10$$

81. Let  $m$  be the slope of the given line and the slope of  $3x - y + 5 = 0$  is 3.

Therefore,

$$\tan 45^\circ = \left| \frac{m - 3}{1 + 3m} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{m - 3}{1 + 3m} = \pm 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{m - 3}{1 + 3m} = 1 \text{ and } \frac{m - 3}{1 + 3m} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2m = -4 \text{ and } 4m = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow m = -2 \text{ and } m = \frac{1}{2}$$

82. Therefore,

$$\tan(45^\circ) = \left| \frac{m - \frac{1}{2}}{1 + \frac{m}{2}} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{2m - 1}{2 + m} \right| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2m - 1}{2 + m} = 1 \text{ and } \frac{2m - 1}{2 + m} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 3 \text{ and } m = -\frac{1}{3}$$

Hence, the equation of the lines are

$$y - 2 = 3(x - 3) \text{ and } y - 2 = -\frac{1}{3}(x - 3)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x - y - 7 = 0 \text{ and } x + 3y - 9 = 0$$

83. Let  $ABC$  be an equilateral triangle, where  $A$  is  $(2, 3)$  and  $BC$  is  $x + y = 2$ .

Equation of any line passing through  $(2, 3)$  is

$$y - 3 = m(x - 2).$$

The slope of the line  $x + y = 2$  is  $(-1)$ .

Therefore,

$$\tan(60^\circ) = \left| \frac{m + 1}{1 - m} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{m + 1}{1 - m} = \pm\sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{m + 1}{1 - m} = \sqrt{3} \text{ and } \frac{m + 1}{1 - m} = -\sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow m(\sqrt{3} + 1) = (\sqrt{3} - 1) \text{ and } m(\sqrt{3} + 1) = (\sqrt{3} - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \left( \frac{\sqrt{3} - 1}{\sqrt{3} + 1} \right) \text{ and } m = \left( \frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{\sqrt{3} - 1} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 2 - \sqrt{3} \text{ and } m = 2 + \sqrt{3}$$

Hence, the equations of the line are

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

$$\text{and } y - 3 = (2 + \sqrt{3})(x - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (2 + \sqrt{3})x - y - (2\sqrt{3} + 1) = 0 \text{ and}$$

$$(2 - \sqrt{3})x - y + (2\sqrt{3} - 1) = 0$$

84. Let  $AB: 4x + y = 1,$

$$AC: 3x - 4y + 1 = 0$$

and slope of  $AC$  is  $m$ .

The slope of  $AB = -4$  and the slope of  $AC = 3/4$ .

Let  $\angle ABC = \theta = \angle ACB$

$$\text{Thus, } \left( \frac{\frac{3}{4} - m}{1 + \frac{3}{4}m} \right) = \left( \frac{-4 - \frac{3}{4}}{1 - 4 \cdot \frac{3}{4}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{3 - 4m}{4 + 3m} \right) = \left( \frac{-16 - 3}{4 - 12} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{3 - 4m}{4 + 3m} \right) = \frac{19}{8}$$

$$\Rightarrow 57m + 76 = 24 - 32m$$

$$\Rightarrow 89m = 24 - 76 = -52$$

$$\Rightarrow m = -\frac{52}{89}$$

Hence, the equation of AC is

$$y + 7 = -\frac{52}{89}(x - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 52x + 89y + 519 = 0$$

85. Let PQ line intersects the line  $4x + 3y = 12$  at A and  $4x + 3y = 3$  at B, respectively.

Equation of any line PQ passing through  $(-2, -7)$  is

$$y + 7 = m(x + 2) \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{Thus, } A = \left( \frac{33 - 6m}{4 + 3m}, \frac{20m - 28}{4 + 3m} \right)$$

$$\text{and } B = \left( \frac{24 - 6m}{4 + 3m}, \frac{11m - 28}{4 + 3m} \right)$$

$$\text{Given, } AB = 3 \Rightarrow AB^2 = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{81}{(4 + 3m)^2} + \frac{81m^2}{(4 + 3m)^2} = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow 9 + 9m^2 = 16 + 24m + 9m^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 24m = -7$$

$$\Rightarrow m = -7/24 \text{ and } m = \infty$$

Hence, the line PQ can be  $x + 2 = 0$  and

$$\Rightarrow x + 2 = 0 \text{ and } 7x + 24y + 182 = 0$$

86. Equation of any line passing through  $(2, 3)$  is

$$y - 3 = m(x - 2) \quad \dots(i)$$

Equation (i) is equally inclined with the lines

$$3x - 4y = 7 \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$\text{and } 12x - 5y + 6 = 0 \quad \dots(iii)$$

$$\text{Therefore, } \left( \frac{m - \frac{3}{4}}{1 + \frac{3}{4}m} \right) = - \left( \frac{m - \frac{12}{5}}{1 + \frac{12}{5}m} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{m - \frac{3}{4}}{1 + \frac{3}{4}m} \right) = - \left( \frac{m - \frac{12}{5}}{1 + \frac{12}{5}m} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{4m - 3}{4 + 3m} \right) = \left( \frac{12 - 5m}{5 + 12m} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 63m^2 - 32m - 63 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 63m^2 - 81m + 49m - 63 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9m(7m - 9) + 7(7m - 9) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (7m - 9)(9m + 7) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{9}{7}, -\frac{7}{9}$$

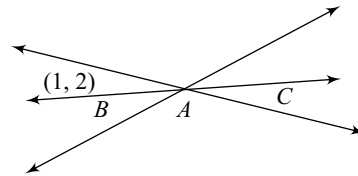
From Eqs (i), we get,

$$y - 3 = \frac{9}{7}(x - 2) \text{ and } y - 3 = -\frac{7}{9}(x - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 9x - 7y + 3 = 0 \text{ and } 7x + 9y = 41$$

which is the equations of the lines.

87.



$$\text{Let } AB: 3x + 4y = 5 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{and } 4x - 3y = 15 \quad \dots(ii)$$

On solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$x = 3 \text{ and } y = 1$$

Thus, the co-ordinates of the point A be  $(3, 1)$ .

Equation of any line BC which passes through the point

$$(1, 2) \text{ is } y - 2 = m(x - 1) \quad \dots(iii)$$

On solving Eqs (i) and (iii), we get the co-ordinate B, i.e.

$$B = \left( \frac{4m - 3}{4m + 3}, \frac{2m + 6}{4m + 3} \right)$$

On solving Eqs (ii) and (iii), we get the co-ordinate C, i.e.

$$C = \left( \frac{21 - 3m}{4 - 3m}, \frac{11m + 8}{4 - 3m} \right)$$

Given condition is  $AB = AC$

$$\Rightarrow AB^2 = AC^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{21 - 3m}{4 - 3m} - 3 \right)^2 + \left( \frac{8 + 11m}{4 - 3m} + 1 \right)^2$$

$$= \left( \frac{4m - 3}{4m + 3} - 3 \right)^2 + \left( \frac{6 + 2m}{4m + 3} + 1 \right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(9 + 6m)^2 + (12 + 8m)^2}{(4 - 3m)^2}$$

$$= \frac{(-8m - 12)^2 + (6m + 9)^2}{(4m + 3)^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow (4m + 3)^2(100m^2 + 300m + 225)$$

$$= (4 - 3m)^2(100m^2 + 300m + 225)$$

$$\Rightarrow (100m^2 + 300m + 225)$$

$$[(4m + 3)^2 - (4 - 3m)^2] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (4m^2 + 12m + 9)[(4m + 3)^2 - (4 - 3m)^2] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2m + 3)^2(m + 7)(7m - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = -\frac{3}{2}, -7, \frac{1}{7}$$

Put  $m = -\frac{3}{2}$  in Eq. (iii), we get

$$y - 2 = -\frac{3}{2}(x - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x + 2y - 7 = 0$$

Clearly, it passes through  $A(3, -1)$ .

Thus, it can not be the equation of  $BC$ .

Put  $m = -7$  in Eq. (iii), we get,

$$y = -7(x - 1) = -7x + 7$$

Thus, the equation of  $BC$  is  $7x + y = 7$ .

Also, put  $m = 1/7$  in Eq. (iii), we get

$$y - 2 = \frac{1}{7}(x - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 7y + 13 = 0$$

Hence, the equations of  $BC$  can be  $x - 7y + 13 = 0$  and  $7x + y = 7$ .

88.  $3x + y + 7 = 0$  and  $x - 3y = 31$ .

Do yourself.

89. Hence, the equations of the bisectors are

$$\left| \frac{3x - 4y + 7}{\sqrt{3^2 + 4^2}} \right| = \left| \frac{12x + 5y - 2}{\sqrt{12^2 + 5^2}} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{3x - 4y + 7}{5} \right) = \pm \left( \frac{12x + 5y - 2}{13} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 13(3x - 4y + 7) = 5(12x + 5y - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 13(3x - 4y + 7) = 5(12x + 5y - 2)$$

and  $13(3x - 4y + 7) = -5(12x + 5y - 2)$

$$\Rightarrow 21x + 77y = 101 \text{ and } 3x - y + 3 = 0$$

90. Hence, the equation of the bisector, containing the origin is

$$\left( \frac{-4x - 3y + 6}{\sqrt{4^2 + 3^2}} \right) = \left( \frac{5x + 12y + 9}{\sqrt{5^2 + 12^2}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{-4x - 3y + 6}{5} \right) = \left( \frac{5x + 12y + 9}{13} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 13(-4x - 3y + 6) = 5(5x + 12y + 9)$$

$$\Rightarrow 7x + 9y = 3$$

91. The given lines are  $-2x - y + 6 = 0$

and  $2x - 4y + 7 = 0$ .

Therefore,  $-2 \cdot 1 - 2 + 6 = -4 + 6 = 2$

and  $2 \cdot 1 - 4 \cdot 2 + 7 = 9 - 8 = 1$

Thus, positive one is the equation of the bisector.

Hence, the equation of bisector is

$$\left( \frac{-2x - y + 6}{\sqrt{2^2 + 1^2}} \right) = \left( \frac{2x - 4y + 7}{\sqrt{2^2 + 4^2}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{-2x - y + 6}{\sqrt{5}} \right) = \left( \frac{2x - 4y + 7}{2\sqrt{5}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(-2x - y + 6) = (2x - 4y + 7)$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x - 2y = 5$$

92. The given lines are  $3x - 4y + 7 = 0$

and  $-12x - 5y + 2 = 0$ .

Now,  $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 = -36 + 20 = -16 < 0$ .

Therefore, negative one is the obtuse-angle bisector.

Hence, the equation of the bisector of the obtuse angle is

$$\left( \frac{3x - 4y + 7}{\sqrt{3^2 + 4^2}} \right) = - \left( \frac{-12x - 5y + 2}{\sqrt{12^2 + 5^2}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{3x - 4y + 7}{5} \right) = - \left( \frac{-12x - 5y + 2}{13} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 21x + 77y = 101$$

93. The given lines are  $-x - y + 3 = 0$  and  $7x - y + 5 = 0$ .

Now,  $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 = -7 + 1 = -6 < 0$ .

Therefore, positive one is the acute-angle bisector.

Hence, the equation of the acute-angle bisector is

$$\left( \frac{-x - y + 3}{\sqrt{1^2 + 1^2}} \right) = \left( \frac{7x - y + 5}{\sqrt{7^2 + 1^2}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{-x - y + 3}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = \left( \frac{7x - y + 5}{5\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 5(-x - y + 3) = (7x - y + 5)$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x - 2y = 5$$

94. The lengths of perpendicular from any point on the line  $7x - 9y + 10 = 0$  to the lines  $3x + 4y = 5$  and  $12x + 5y = 7$  are same if  $7x - 9y + 10 = 0$  is the bisector of

$3x + 4y = 5$  and  $12x + 5y = 7$ .

Hence, the equation of bisectors is

$$\left( \frac{-3x - 4y + 5}{\sqrt{3^2 + 4^2}} \right) = \left( \frac{-12x - 5y + 7}{\sqrt{12^2 + 5^2}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 13(-3x - 4y + 5) = 5(-12x - 5y + 7)$$

$$\Rightarrow 21x - 27y + 30 = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow 7x - 9y + 10 = 0$$

Hence, the result.

95. Let  $ABC$  be a triangle,

where  $AB: x + 1 = 0$ ,  $BC: 3x - 4y = 5$  and  $CA: 5x + 12y = 27$ .

**Case I:** Acute-angle bisector between  $AB$  and  $AC$

The given lines are  $x + 1 = 0$  and  $-3x + 4y + 5 = 0$ .

Now,  $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 = 1 \cdot (-3) + 0 = -3 < 0$ .

Thus, positive one is the acute-angle bisector.

Hence, the acute-angle bisector is

$$\left( \frac{x + 1}{\sqrt{1^2}} \right) = \left( \frac{-3x + 4y + 5}{\sqrt{3^2 + 4^2}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{x + 1}{1} \right) = \left( \frac{-3x + 4y + 5}{5} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 5(x + 1) = (-3x + 4y + 5)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x - y = 5$$

...(i)

**Case II:** The acute-angle bisector between  $BC$  and  $AC$ .

The given lines are  $-3x + 4y + 5 = 0$

and  $-5x - 12y + 27 = 0$ .

Now,  $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 = 15 - 48 = -23 < 0$

Thus, the positive one is the acute-angle bisector.

Hence, the acute-angle bisector is

$$\left( \frac{-3x + 4y + 5}{\sqrt{3^2 + 4^2}} \right) = \left( \frac{-5x - 12y + 27}{\sqrt{5^2 + 12^2}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{-3x + 4y + 5}{5} \right) = \left( \frac{-5x - 12y + 27}{13} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 8y = -5 \quad \dots(\text{ii})$$

On solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$x = \frac{1}{3}, y = \frac{2}{3}.$$

Hence, the in-centre is  $\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}\right)$ .

96. The given lines are  $\sqrt{3}x - y + 3 = 0$  and  $x - \sqrt{3}y + 3\sqrt{3} = 0$

Hence, the equation of bisectors are

$$\left| \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}x - y + 3}{\sqrt{3+1}} \right) \right| = \left| \left( \frac{x - \sqrt{3}y + 3\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{1+3}} \right) \right|$$

and  $(\sqrt{3}x - y + 3) = -(x - \sqrt{3}y + 3\sqrt{3})$

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

$\Rightarrow$  and  $(\sqrt{3} + 1)x + (\sqrt{3} + 1)y = -3(\sqrt{3} + 1)$

$\Rightarrow x + y = 3$  and  $x + y = -3$

Thus, the point  $P$  is  $(3, 0)$  and the point  $Q$  is  $(-3, 0)$

Hence, the length of  $PQ = 6$ .

97. Give lines are  $AB: x + y = 1 \quad \dots(\text{i})$   
and  $CD: x + y = 5 \quad \dots(\text{ii})$

Slope of  $AB = -1 = \tan(135^\circ)$

Since,  $AB$  makes an angle of  $45^\circ$  with  $AC$ , therefore it will make an angle of  $(135^\circ - 45^\circ)$  or  $(135^\circ + 45^\circ)$ , i.e.  $90^\circ$  or  $180^\circ$  with the positive direction of  $x$ -axis.

Thus,  $AB$  is parallel to  $x$ -axis or  $y$ -axis.

Hence,  $x - 2 = 0$  and  $y + 1 = 0$ .

**Case I:** Consider the lines are  $-x - y + 1 = 0$

and  $-x + 2 = 0$

Now,  $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 = 1 + 0 = 1 > 0$

Thus negative one is the acute-angle bisector.

Hence, the equation of the acute-angle bisector of  $\angle BAC$  is

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

$$\Rightarrow (\sqrt{2} + 1)x + y = (2\sqrt{2} + 1) \quad \dots(\text{iii})$$

**Case II:** Consider the lines are  $-x - y + 1 = 0$  and  $y + 1 = 0$

Now,  $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 = 0 - 1 = -1 < 0$

Thus, positive one is the acute-angle bisector.

Hence, the equation of the acute-angle bisector of  $\angle BAC$  is

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

$$\Rightarrow x + (\sqrt{2} + 1)y = (1 - \sqrt{2}) \quad \dots(\text{iv})$$

On solving Eqs (i) and (iii), we get

$$x = 6 + 2\sqrt{2}, y = -1 - 2\sqrt{2}$$

Thus, the co-ordinates of  $C$  can be

$$(6 + 2\sqrt{2}, 1 - 2\sqrt{2})$$

Again, solving Eqs (i) and (iv), we get

$$x = 2 - 2\sqrt{2}, y = 3 + 2\sqrt{2}$$

Thus, The co-ordinates of  $C$  may be

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

98.  $(-1/10, 37/10)$

99. Let the image of the point  $(-8, 12)$  be  $(x_2, y_2)$ .

$$\text{Then } \frac{x_2 + 8}{4} = \frac{y_2 - 12}{7} = - \frac{2(4 \cdot -8 + 7 \cdot 12 + 13)}{(4^2 + 7^2)}$$

$$= \frac{2(-32 + 84 + 13)}{65}$$

$$= \frac{2 \times 65}{65} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x_2 + 8}{4} = 2 \text{ and } \frac{y_2 - 12}{7} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x_2 = 0 \text{ and } y_2 = 28$$

Hence, the image of the point  $(-8, 12)$  is  $(0, 28)$ .

100. Hence, the image of the point  $(3, 4)$  with respect to the line  $y = x$  is  $(4, 3)$ .

101. Let the point  $(4, 2)$  be  $P$  and the point  $(-2, 6)$  be  $Q$ .

Now the mid-point of  $P$  and  $Q$  is  $M(1, 4)$ .

Equation of a line passing through  $(4, 2)$  and  $(-2, 6)$  is

$$y - 2 = \frac{6 - 2}{-2 - 4}(x - 4) = - \frac{2}{3}(x - 4)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3y - 6 = -2x + 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + 3y = 10 \quad \dots(\text{i})$$

Equation of any line perpendicular to Eq. (i) is

$$3x - 2y + k = 0$$

which is passing through  $M(1, 4)$ .

So  $k = 8 - 3 = 5$ .

Hence, the equation of the line is

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

102. Let the point  $M$  be  $(4, 1)$ .

The image of the point  $M(4, 1)$  with respect to the line  $y = x$  be  $P(4, 1)$ .

Now, if the point  $P$  be translated about the line  $x = 2$ , then the new position of  $P$  is  $(4 + 2, 1)$ .

Hence, the co-ordinates of  $Q$  is  $(6, 1)$ .

103. Let the point  $P$  be  $(3, 2)$ .

The image of the point  $P$  with respect to the line  $x = 4$  is  $Q(2 \cdot 4 - 3, 2)$  i.e.  $Q(5, 2)$ .

Let  $Z = 5 + 2i$  and  $R$  be  $Z_1$

Now, by rotation theorem of complex number,

$$\Rightarrow \frac{Z_1 - 0}{Z - 0} = \frac{|Z - 0|}{|Z_1 - 0|} e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{Z_1}{Z} = \frac{|Z_1 - 0|}{|Z - 0|} e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}} = e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}}$$

$$\Rightarrow Z_1 = Z \times e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}} = (5 + 2i) \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow Z_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (5 + 5i + 2i - 2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (3 + 7i)$$

Hence, the co-ordinates of  $R$  are  $\left( \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{7}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$ .

104.

105. Let  $PM: x - 2y + 3 = 0$  be the incident ray and  $MR$  be the reflected ray. Produced  $MQ$  in such a way that  $PM = MQ$ . Now we shall find the image of  $Q$  w.r.t.  $AB$  is  $R$ . Co-ordinates of  $M$  are  $(1, -1)$ .

Let co-ordinates of  $Q$  be  $(3, 0)$  and  $R$  be  $(h, k)$ . Thus,  $R$  is the image of  $Q$  with respect to  $3x - 2y = 5$ .

$$\text{Now } \frac{h-3}{3} = \frac{k-0}{-2} = -\frac{2(3.3+2.0-5)}{(3^2+2^2)} = -\frac{8}{13}$$

$$\Rightarrow h = \frac{15}{13} \quad \text{and} \quad k = \frac{16}{13}$$

Thus, the co-ordinates of  $R$  be  $\left( \frac{15}{13}, \frac{16}{13} \right)$ .

$$\text{Slope of } MR = \frac{29}{2}$$

Therefore, the equation of  $MR$  is

$$y + 1 = \frac{29}{2}(x - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 29x - 2y = 31$$

Hence, the equation of the reflected ray is

$$29x - 2y = 31$$

106. Let  $N$  be the image of  $M$  with respect to  $x$ -axis. Thus  $N$  is  $(5, -3)$

$$\text{Slope of } NQ = \frac{-3-2}{5-1} = -\frac{5}{4}$$

Therefore, the equation  $QN$  is

$$y - 2 = -\frac{5}{4}(x - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 5x + 4y = 13$$

Thus, the co-ordinates of  $P$  be  $\left( \frac{13}{5}, 0 \right)$ .

Hence, the abscissa of the point  $P$  is  $\frac{13}{5}$ .

107. Let  $PM$  be the incident ray and  $QM$  be the reflected ray.

Let  $P(1, 5)$  be any point on the line  $x = 1$

Produce  $PM$  in such a way that  $PM = RM$ , where  $M = (1, 0)$

Clearly,  $R = (1, -5)$ , since, the incident ray is parallel to  $y$ -axis.

Now, image of  $R$  with respect to the line  $x + y = 1$  is  $Q$ .

Let the co-ordinate of  $Q$  be  $(h, k)$ .

$$\text{Now, } \frac{h-1}{1} = \frac{k+5}{1} = \frac{-2(1-5-1)}{(1+1)} = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow h = 6, k = 0$$

Thus, the co-ordinates of  $Q$  is  $(6, 0)$ .

Since, the co-ordinates of  $M$  is  $(1, 0)$  and the co-ordinates of  $Q$  is  $(6, 0)$ , so the equation of the reflected ray is  $y = 0$ .

108. Let  $PM: x - 6y = 8$  be the incident ray

$AB: x + y = 1$  is the mirror,  $MQ$  is the reflected ray and  $MS$  is the refracted ray.

Clearly,  $M$  is  $(2, -1)$

$$\text{Now, } \tan 15^\circ = \left| \frac{m - \frac{1}{6}}{1 + \frac{m}{6}} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow (2 - \sqrt{3}) = \pm \left( \frac{6m - 1}{m + 6} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{6m - 1}{m + 6} \right) = 2 - \sqrt{3} \quad \text{or} \quad \sqrt{3} - 2$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{70 - 37\sqrt{3}}{13} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{37\sqrt{3} - 70}{13}$$

Let the angle between  $x + y = 1$  and the line through  $M(2, -1)$  with the slope

$$m = \frac{70 - 37\sqrt{3}}{13} \quad \text{be } \alpha.$$

$$\text{Then } \tan(\alpha) = \left| \frac{\frac{70 - 37\sqrt{3}}{13} + 1}{1 - \frac{70 - 37\sqrt{3}}{13}} \right| = \left| \frac{83 - 37\sqrt{3}}{37\sqrt{3} - 57} \right|$$

$$= \frac{83 - 37\sqrt{3}}{37\sqrt{3} - 57}$$

and the angle between  $x + y = 1$  and the line through

$M(2, -1)$  with slope  $m = \frac{37\sqrt{3} - 70}{13}$  be  $\beta$ .

$$\text{Then } \tan(\beta) = \left| \frac{\frac{37\sqrt{3} - 70}{13} + 1}{1 - \frac{37\sqrt{3} - 70}{13}} \right| = \left| \frac{37\sqrt{3} - 9}{131 - 37\sqrt{3}} \right|$$

$$= \frac{37\sqrt{3} - 9}{131 - 37\sqrt{3}}$$

Here,  $\tan(\alpha) > \tan(\beta)$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha > \beta$$

Therefore, the slope of the refracted ray is  $\frac{70 - 37\sqrt{3}}{13}$ .

Hence, the equation of the refracted ray is

$$(y + 1) = \left( \frac{70 - 37\sqrt{3}}{13} \right) (x - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 13y + 13 = (70 - 37\sqrt{3})x - 140 + 74\sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow (70 - 37\sqrt{3})x - 13y - 153 + 74\sqrt{3} = 0$$

**LEVEL III**

1. On solving, we get, the co-ordinates of  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$ .

Thus,  $A = (2, 3)$ ,  
 $B = (-1, 1)$   
 and  $C = (-2, 4)$ .

Now, the points  $P$  and  $A$  lie on the same side of the line

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

$$\text{So, } \frac{3 \cdot 0 + \beta + 2}{6 + 3 + 2} > 0 \Rightarrow \beta > -2 \quad \dots(i)$$

Also, the points  $P$  and  $B$  on the same side of the line  $x + 4y = 14$

$$\text{So, } \frac{0 + 4\beta - 14}{-1 + 4 - 14} > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4\beta - 14 < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta < \frac{7}{2} \quad \dots(ii)$$

Again, the points  $P$  and  $C$  lie on the same side of the line

$$3y - 2x = 5$$

$$\text{So, } \frac{3\beta - 5}{12 + 4 - 5} > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta > \frac{5}{3} \quad \dots(iii)$$

From Eqs (i), (ii) and (iii), we get,

$$\frac{5}{3} < \beta < \frac{7}{2}$$

2. We have,

$$3x + 4y = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow 8 = \frac{9 - 3x}{4}$$

and  $y = mx + 1$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{9 - 3x}{4} = mx + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 9 - 3x = 4mx + 4$$

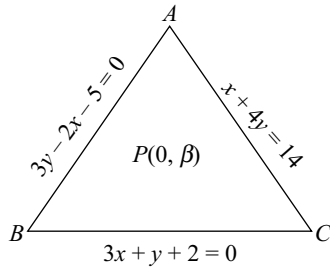
$$\Rightarrow (4m + 3)x = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{5}{(4m + 3)}$$

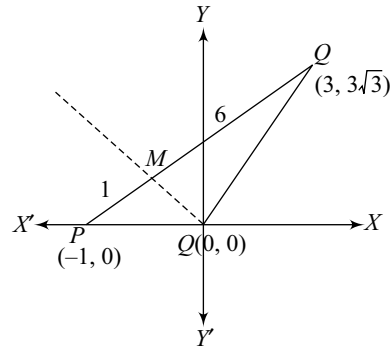
When  $m = -1$ , then  $x$  is  $-5$

When  $m = -2$ , then  $x$  is  $-1$

Hence, the number of integral values of  $m$  is 2 for which  $x$  is also an integer.



3.



Since  $OM$  is the internal bisector of the angle  $PQR$ .

$$\frac{QM}{PM} = \frac{OQ}{OP} = \frac{6}{1}$$

Thus, the co-ordinates of  $M = \left(-\frac{3}{7}, \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{7}\right)$

Therefore, the equation of  $OM$  is

$$y = -\sqrt{3}x$$

$$\Rightarrow y + \sqrt{3}x = 0$$

4. Equation of any line passing through  $(2, 2)$  is

$$y - 2 = m(x - 2)$$

Let the points  $A$  and  $B$  are

$$A = \left(\frac{2m - 2}{m + \sqrt{3}}, -\sqrt{3}\left(\frac{2m - 2}{m + \sqrt{3}}\right)\right)$$

and  $B = \left(\frac{2m - 2}{m - \sqrt{3}}, \sqrt{3}\left(\frac{2m - 2}{m - \sqrt{3}}\right)\right)$

Since the  $\Delta OAB$  is equilateral, so

$$OA = OB = AB$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{2m - 2}{m + \sqrt{3}}\right)^2 + 3\left(\frac{2m - 2}{m + \sqrt{3}}\right)^2$$

$$= \left(\frac{2m - 2}{m - \sqrt{3}}\right)^2 + 3\left(\frac{2m - 2}{m - \sqrt{3}}\right)^2$$

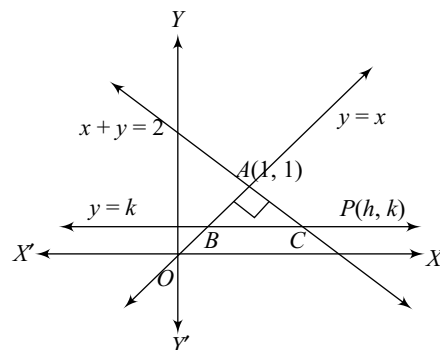
$$\Rightarrow \frac{4}{(m + \sqrt{3})^2} = \frac{4}{(m - \sqrt{3})^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow (m + \sqrt{3})^2 = (m - \sqrt{3})^2$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 0$$

Hence the required equation of the line is  $y = 2$ .

5.





The co-ordinates of  $A, B$  and  $C$  are  $(1, 1), (k, k)$  and  $(2-k, k)$ .

$$\text{Given } \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ k & k & 1 \\ 2-k & k & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 4h^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ k & 0 & 1-k \\ 2-k & 2k-2 & k-1 \end{vmatrix} = 4h^2 \begin{pmatrix} C_2 \rightarrow C_2 - C_1 \\ C_3 \rightarrow C_3 - C_1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1-k \\ 2k-2 & k-1 \end{vmatrix} = 4h^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1-k \\ k-1 & k-1 \end{vmatrix} = 4h^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (k-1)^2 = 4h^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (k-1) = \pm 2h$$

Hence, the locus of  $P$  is  $2x - y + 1 = 0$ .

6. Given lines are  $x + y = |a|$  and  $ax - y = 1$   
 Since two rays intersect in the first quadrant, so the lines should be  $x + y = a$  and  $ax - y = 1$ .  
 On solving, we get, the point of intersection is  $(1, a-1)$   
 Clearly,  $a_0 = 1$ .

7. Let the variable line be  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$  and the co-ordinates of  $O, A, B$  are  $(0, 0), (a, 0), (0, b)$ .

Let the centroid be  $G(\alpha, \beta)$ .

$$\text{Thus, } \alpha = \frac{a}{3}, \beta = \frac{b}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 3\alpha, b = 3\beta$$

It is given that

$$OM = p$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|0+0-1|}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}}} = p$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} = \frac{1}{p^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{(3\alpha)^2} + \frac{1}{(3\beta)^2} = \frac{1}{p^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\alpha^2} + \frac{1}{\beta^2} = \frac{9}{p^2}$$

Hence, the locus of  $G(\alpha, \beta)$  is

$$\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2} = \frac{9}{p^2}$$

8. Let  $z_1 = A(3, 0), z_2 = B(5, 2)$  and  $z_3 = C$   
 We have

$$\frac{z_3 - z_1}{z_2 - z_1} = \frac{|z_3 - z_1|}{|z_2 - z_1|} \times e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z_3 - z_1}{z_2 - z_1} = \frac{|z_3 - z_1|}{|z_2 - z_1|} \times e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}}$$

$$\Rightarrow (z_3 - z_1) = (z_2 - z_1) e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}}$$

$$\Rightarrow z_3 = z_1 + (5 + 2i - 3) \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(i + i)$$

$$\Rightarrow z_3 = z_1 + (2 + 2i) \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(i + i)$$

$$\Rightarrow z_3 = 3 + \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}}(1 + i)^2 = 3 + \sqrt{2}(1 + i)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow z_3 = 3 + 2\sqrt{2}i$$

$$\Rightarrow C = (3, 2\sqrt{2})$$

It is given that  $D$  is the image of  $C$  w.r.t.  $y$ -axis

Thus,  $D = (-3, 2\sqrt{2})$

So,  $x = -3, y = 2\sqrt{2}$

Hence, the value of

$$\begin{aligned} x + y + 7 &= -3 + 2\sqrt{2} + 7 \\ &= 2(2 + \sqrt{2}) \end{aligned}$$

9. Let the line  $L: y = mx + c$  be equally inclined to  $L_1: 3x - 4y = 7$  and  $L_2: 5y - 12x = 6$ .

Since the line  $L = 0$  is equally inclined with the lines  $L_1 = 0$  and  $L_2 = 0$ , so we have

$$\frac{\frac{3}{4} - m}{1 + \frac{3}{4}m} = \frac{m - \frac{12}{5}}{1 + \frac{12}{5}m}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3 - 4m}{4 + 3m} = \frac{5m - 12}{5 + 12m}$$

$$\Rightarrow 15 + 16m - 48m^2 = 15m^2 - 16m - 48$$

$$\Rightarrow 63m^2 - 32m - 63 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 63m^2 - 81m + 49m - 63 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9m(7m - 9) + 7(7m - 9) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (7m - 9)(9m + 7) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{9}{7}, -\frac{7}{9}$$

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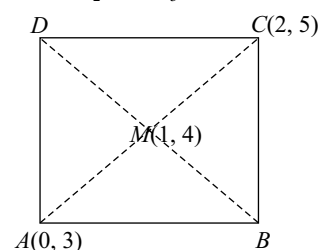
$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{9}{7}, -\frac{7}{9}$$

Hence, the equation of the line is

$$y - 5 = \frac{9}{7}(x - 4) \text{ or } y - 5 = -\frac{7}{9}(x - 4)$$

$$\Rightarrow 9x - 7y = 1 \text{ or } 7x + 9y = 73$$

10. Let  $z_1 = A(3, 0); z_2 = B; z_3 = C(2, 5)$  and  $z_4 = D$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } \frac{z_3 - z_2}{z_1 - z_2} &= \frac{|z_3 - z_2|}{|z_1 - z_2|} \times e^{-i\frac{\pi}{2}} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{z_3 - z_2}{z_1 - z_2} &= \frac{|z_3 - z_2|}{|z_1 - z_2|} \times e^{-i\frac{\pi}{2}} = -i \\ \Rightarrow z_3 - z_2 &= -iz_1 + iz_2 \\ \Rightarrow (1+i)z_2 &= z_3 + iz_1 \\ \Rightarrow z_2 &= \frac{z_3 + iz_1}{1+i} = \frac{2+5i+3i}{1+i} \\ \Rightarrow z_2 &= \frac{2+5i+3i}{1+i} = \frac{2(1+4i)}{1+i} \\ \Rightarrow z_2 &= \frac{2(1+4i)}{1+i} \times \frac{(1-i)}{(1-i)} \\ \Rightarrow z_2 &= \frac{2(1+4i)(1-i)}{2} \\ \Rightarrow z_2 &= 1+3i+4=5+3i \end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $B = (5, 3)$

Let  $D = (\alpha, \beta)$

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{\alpha+5}{2} = 1, \frac{\beta+3}{2} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = -3, \beta = 5$$

Therefore,  $D = (-3, 5)$

11. First we find the equations of the sides of the triangle  $ABC$ , i.e.  $AB$ ,  $BC$  and  $CA$ .

$$AB: y-3 = \frac{3-0}{-2-0}(x-0)$$

$$\Rightarrow -2y+6=3x$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x+2y=6$$

$$AC: y-3 = \frac{3-1}{6-0}(x-0)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2y-6=x$$

$$\Rightarrow x-2y+6=0$$

$$BC: y-0 = \frac{1-0}{6+2}(x+2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 8y=x+2$$

$$\Rightarrow x-8y+2=0$$

**Case I:** The points  $P$  and  $A$  lie on the same side of the line  $BC$

$$\text{So, } \frac{m-8(m+1)+2}{0-24+2} > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-7m-6}{-22} > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 7m+6 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m > -\frac{6}{7}$$

**Case II:** When the points  $P$  and  $B$  lie on the same side of  $AC$

$$\text{So, } \frac{m-2(m+1)+6}{-2-0+6} > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-m+4}{4} > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m < 4$$

**Case III:** When the points  $P$  and  $C$  lie on the same side of  $AB$ .

$$\text{So, } \frac{3m+2(m+1)-6}{18+2-6} > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5m-4}{14} > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m > \frac{4}{5}$$

Hence, the value of  $m$  lies in

$$\frac{4}{5} < m < 4$$

12. Let the line be  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$

It intersects the  $x$ -axis at  $A(a, 0)$  and  $y$ -axis at  $B(0, b)$ . Clearly, the point  $M(h, k)$  is the mid-point of  $A$  and  $B$ .

$$\Rightarrow h = \frac{a+0}{2}, k = \frac{0+b}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 2h, b = 2k$$

Hence, the equation of the line is

$$\frac{x}{2h} + \frac{y}{2k} = 1$$

13. Since the points  $(m, 3)$  and  $(0, 0)$  lie on the opposite sides  $3x+2y-6=0$  and  $x-4y+16=0$ ,

$$\text{so, } \frac{3m+6-6}{0+0-6} < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3m > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m > 0$$

$$\text{Also, } \frac{m-12+16}{0-0+16} < 0$$

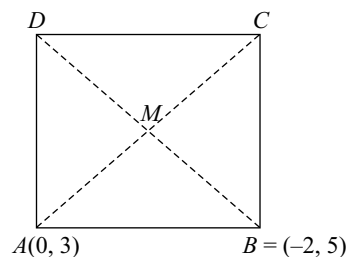
$$\Rightarrow m+4 < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m < -4$$

Hence, the values of  $m$  lies in

$$R - (-4, 0)$$

14. Let  $z_1 = A(0, 3); z_2 = B(-2, 5); z_3 = C$  and  $z_4 = D$



$$\text{Now, } \frac{z_3 - z_2}{z_1 - z_2} = \frac{|z_3 - z_2|}{|z_1 - z_2|} \times e^{-i\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{z_3 - z_2}{z_1 - z_2} &= \frac{|z_3 - z_2|}{|z_1 - z_2|} \times e^{-i\frac{\pi}{2}} = -i \\ \Rightarrow z_3 - z_2 &= -iz_1 + iz_2 \\ \Rightarrow z_3 &= z_2 - iz_2 - iz_1 \\ \Rightarrow z_3 &= -2 + 5i - 2i - 5 + 3 = -4 + 3i \\ \text{Thus, } C &= (4, 3) \\ \text{and } M &= (-2, 3) \\ \text{Let } D &= (\alpha, \beta) \\ \text{Thus, } \frac{\alpha - 2}{2} &= -2, \frac{\beta + 5}{2} = 3 \\ \Rightarrow \alpha &= -2, \beta = 1 \\ \text{Therefore, } D &= (-2, 1) \end{aligned}$$

15 Hence, the co-ordinates of the points are

$$\begin{aligned} (x_1 \pm r \cos \beta, y_1 \pm r \sin \theta) \\ = (2 \pm \sqrt{8} \cos(135^\circ), 1 \pm \sqrt{8} \sin(135^\circ)) \\ = \left( 2 \pm \sqrt{8} \left( -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right), 1 \pm \sqrt{8} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \right) \\ = (2 \mp 2, 1 \pm 2) \\ = (0, 3) \text{ and } (4, -1) \end{aligned}$$

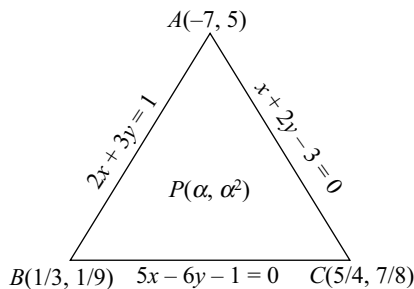
16. Given family of lines be

$$\begin{aligned} (a + b)x + (2a - b)y &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow a(x + 2y) + b(x - y) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (x + 2y) + \frac{b}{a}(x - y) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (x + 2y) + \lambda(x - y) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (x + 2y) = 0, (x - y) &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

On solving, we get the co-ordinates of the fixed point is (0, 0).

Hence, the family of lines passes through a fixed point is (0, 0).

17.



On solving the equations, we get the co-ordinates of A, B and C, respectively.

Now, A and P lie on the same side of the line  $5x - 6y - 1 = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus, } \frac{5\alpha - 6\alpha^2 - 1}{5(-7) - 6(5) - 1} &> 0 \\ \Rightarrow 6\alpha^2 - 5\alpha + 1 &> 0 \\ \Rightarrow (3\alpha - 1)(2\alpha - 1) &> 0 \\ \Rightarrow \alpha < \frac{1}{3} \text{ or } \alpha > \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned} \quad \dots(i)$$

Again, the points P and B lie on the same side of the line  $x + 2y - 3 = 0$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus, } \frac{\alpha + 2\alpha^2 - 3}{\frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{9} - 3} &> 0 \\ \Rightarrow 2\alpha^2 + \alpha - 3 &< 0 \\ \Rightarrow (2\alpha + 3)(\alpha - 1) &< 0 \\ \Rightarrow -\frac{3}{2} < \alpha < 1 \end{aligned} \quad \dots(ii)$$

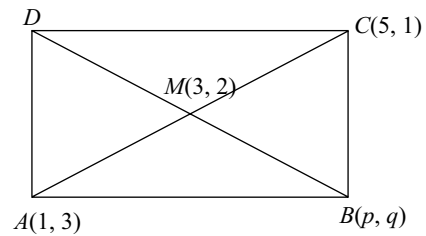
Finally, the points P and C lie on the same side of the line  $2x - 3y - 1 = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus, } \frac{2\alpha + 3\alpha^2 - 1}{2\left(\frac{5}{4}\right) + 3\left(\frac{7}{8}\right) - 1} &> 0 \\ \Rightarrow 3\alpha^2 + 2\alpha - 1 &> 0 \\ \Rightarrow (3\alpha - 1)(\alpha + 1) &> 0 \\ \Rightarrow \alpha < -1 \text{ or } \alpha > \frac{1}{3} \end{aligned} \quad \dots(iii)$$

From Eqs (i), (ii) and (iii), we get

$$\alpha \in \left( -\frac{3}{2}, -1 \right) \cup \left( \frac{1}{2}, 1 \right)$$

18.



Clearly, the mid-point (3, 2) of (1, 3) and (5, 1) lies on the diagonal.

$$\text{So, } 2 = 6 + c$$

$$\Rightarrow c = -4$$

Equation of one diagonal is  $y = 2x - 4$ .

Let  $B = (p, q)$

$$\text{Now, } m(BC) \times m(AB) = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{q-1}{p-5} \right) \times \left( \frac{q-3}{p-1} \right) = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow (q-1)(q-3) = -(p-1)(p-5)$$

$$\Rightarrow q^2 - 4q + 3 = -p^2 + 6p - 5$$

$$\Rightarrow p^2 + q^2 - 6p - 4q + 8 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

Also B lies on the line  $y = 2x - 4$ .

$$\text{So, } q = 2p - 4 \quad \dots(ii)$$

On solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get,

$$p = 2, 4 \text{ and } q = 0, 4$$

Hence, the co-ordinates of the other vertices are (2, 0) and (4, 4).

19. Clearly, the slope of the given line is -1.

Thus,  $\theta = 135^\circ$ .

Therefore, the equation of the other two sides are

$$y - 3 = \tan(135^\circ \pm 60^\circ)(x - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow y - 3 = \tan(195^\circ)(x - 2)$$

or  $y - 3 = \tan(75^\circ)(x - 2)$

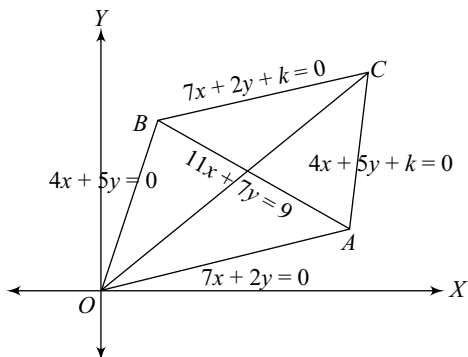
$$\Rightarrow y - 3 = \tan(15^\circ)(x - 2)$$

or  $y - 3 = \cot(15^\circ)(x - 2)$

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

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

20.



On solving  $OA$  and  $AB$ , we get

$$A = \left(-\frac{2}{3}, \frac{7}{3}\right)$$

On solving  $OB$  and  $AB$ , we get

$$B = \left(\frac{5}{3}, -\frac{7}{3}\right)$$

Therefore, the equations of  $BC$  and  $AC$  are

$$7x + 2y = 9, 4x + 5y = 9$$

On solving  $BC$  and  $AC$ , we get,

$$C = (1, 1).$$

Hence, the equation of the other diagonal is  $y = x$ .

21. The reflection of the point  $(1, 2)$  w.r.t.  $x$ -axis is  $(-1, 2)$   
Thus, the equation of line containing the reflected ray is

$$y - 2 = \frac{3 - 2}{5 + 1}(x + 1)$$

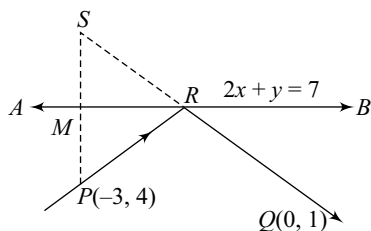
$$\Rightarrow y - 2 = \frac{1}{6}(x + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 6y - 12 = x + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 6y + 13 = 0$$

Hence, the point  $A$  is  $(-13, 0)$ .

22.



Given equation is line  $AB$  is

$$2x + y = 7 \quad \dots(i)$$

Let  $S$  be the image of the point  $P(-3, 4)$ .

Equation of  $PM$  is  $x - 2y + k = 0$  which is passing through  $P(-3, 4)$

So,  $-3 - 8 + k = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow k = 11$

Thus,  $PM$  is  $x - 2y + 11 = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$

Solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get,

$$x = \frac{3}{5}, y = \frac{29}{5}$$

Thus,  $M = \left(\frac{3}{5}, \frac{29}{5}\right)$

Let  $S = (a, b)$

Then  $\frac{3}{5} = \frac{a - 3}{2}$  and  $\frac{29}{5} = \frac{b + 4}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{21}{5} \text{ and } b = \frac{38}{5}$$

Thus,  $S = \left(\frac{21}{5}, \frac{38}{5}\right)$

Therefore, the equation of  $SQ$  is

$$y - 1 = \frac{\frac{38}{5} - 1}{\frac{21}{5} - 0}(x - 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow y - 1 = \frac{33}{21}x$$

$$\Rightarrow 33x - 21y - 21 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 11x - 7y - 7 = 0 \quad \dots(iii)$$

On solving Eqs (ii) and (iii), we get,

$$x = \frac{42}{25}, y = \frac{91}{25}$$

Thus,  $R = \left(\frac{42}{25}, \frac{91}{25}\right)$

23. The incident ray intersects the mirror at  $A(6, 0)$ .  
Let  $B(0, -4)$  be a point on the incident ray.  
The reflection of the point  $B$  w.r.t.  $x$ -axis is  $C(0, 4)$ .  
Hence, the equation of the reflected ray is

$$\frac{x}{6} + \frac{y}{4} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + 3y = 12$$

24. The lines  $|x + y| = 4$  are  
 $x + y = 4, x + y = -4$

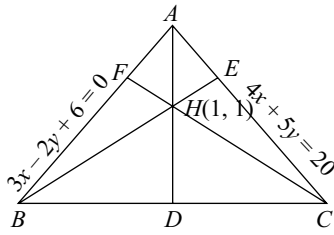
Clearly, both are parallel lines.

Now a line  $y = x$  intersects both the lines at  $(-2, -2)$  and  $(2, 2)$

Thus, if the point  $(a, a)$  lies between the lines, so,  $a > -2$  and  $a < 2$ .

Hence,  $-2 < a < 2$ .

25.



Here, altitude  $AD$  passes through the intersection of  $AB$  and  $AC$ .

Let  $AD: (3x - 2y + 6) + \lambda(4x + 5y - 20) = 0$  which is passing through  $H(1, 1)$

$$\Rightarrow (3 - 2 + 6) + \lambda(4 + 5 - 20) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 7 - 11\lambda = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{7}{11}$$

$$\text{Thus, } (3x - 2y + 6) + \frac{7}{11}(4x + 5y - 20) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 61x + 13y - 74 = 0$$

Consider  $BC: 13x - 61y + k = 0$

Now, altitude  $BE:$

$$\frac{3x - 2y + 6}{3 \cdot 4 - 2 \cdot 5} = \frac{13x - 61y + k}{13 \cdot 4 - 61 \cdot 5}$$

which is passing through  $H(1, 1)$

$$\text{So, } \frac{7}{2} = \frac{k - 48}{52 - 305}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{7}{2} = \frac{k - 48}{-253}$$

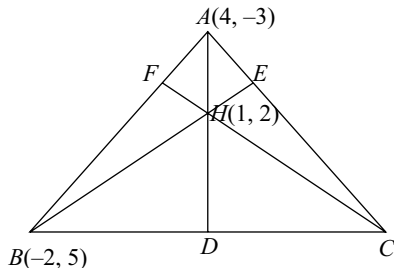
$$\Rightarrow k = 48 - \frac{7}{2} \times 253 = -\frac{1675}{2}$$

Hence, the equation of the  $BC$  is

$$13x - 61y - \frac{1675}{2} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 26x - 122y - 1675 = 0$$

26.



Let  $C = (a, b)$

Now,  $m(AB) \times m(CF) = -1$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5 + 3}{-2 - 4} \times \frac{2 - b}{1 - a} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2 - b}{1 - a} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow 8 - 4b = 3 - 3a$$

$$\Rightarrow 3a - 4b = -5$$

...(i)

Also,  $m(AC) \times m(BE) = -1$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b + 3}{a - 4} \times \frac{2 - 5}{1 + 2} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b + 3}{a - 4} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow a - 4 = b + 3$$

$$\Rightarrow a - b = 7$$

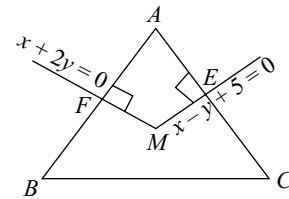
...(ii)

Solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get,

$$a = 33, b = 26$$

Hence, the third vertex is  $C(33, 26)$ .

27.



Let the co-ordinates of  $B$  and  $C$  are  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$  respectively.

Clearly the mid-point of  $A$  and  $B$  and  $A$  and  $C$  lie on the perpendicular bisectors  $x + 2y = 0$  and  $x - y + 5 = 0$ .

$$\text{So, } \frac{x_1 + 1}{2} + 2\left(\frac{y_1 - 2}{2}\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 + 2y_1 - 3 = 0$$

...(i)

$$\text{and } \left(\frac{x_2 + 1}{2}\right) - \left(\frac{y_2 - 2}{2}\right) + 5 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x_2 + y_2 + 13 = 0$$

...(ii)

$$\text{Also, } \left(\frac{y_1 + 2}{x_1 - 1}\right)\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x_1 - y_1 - 4 = 0$$

$$\text{and } \left(\frac{y_2 - 2}{x_2 - 1}\right)(1) = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow x_2 + y_2 + 1 = 0$$

...(iv)

Solving Eqs (i) and (iii), we get the co-ordinates of  $B$ ,

$$\text{i.e. } B = \left(\frac{11}{5}, \frac{2}{5}\right)$$

Solving Eqs (ii) and (iv), we get the co-ordinates of  $C$ ,

$$\text{i.e. } C = (-7, 6)$$

$$\text{Now, } m(BC) = \frac{6 - \frac{2}{5}}{-7 - \frac{11}{5}} = -\frac{28}{46} = -\frac{14}{23}$$

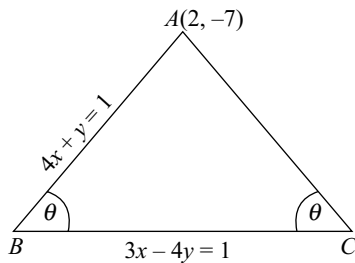
Therefore, the equation of  $BC$  is

$$y - 6 = -\frac{14}{23}(x + 7)$$

$$\Rightarrow 23y - 138 = -14x - 98$$

$$\Rightarrow 14x + 23y - 40 = 0$$

28.



Let  $m$  be the slope of  $AC$ .  
It is given that  $AB = AC$ .  
Clearly  $BC$  is equally inclined with  $AB$  and  $AC$

$$\text{So, } \frac{\frac{3}{4} + 4}{1 + \frac{3}{4} \times (-4)} = \frac{m - \frac{3}{4}}{1 + \frac{3}{4} \cdot m}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{19}{-8} = \frac{4m - 3}{3m + 4}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = -\frac{52}{89}$$

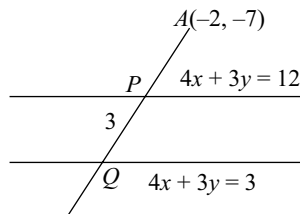
Hence, the equation of  $AC$  is

$$y + 7 = -\frac{52}{89}(x - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 89y + 623 = -52x + 104$$

$$\Rightarrow 52x + 89y + 519 = 0$$

29.



Equation of any line passing through  $A(-2, -7)$  is  $y + 7 = m(x + 2)$ .

Clearly, it is equally inclined to parallel lines with slope  $-4/3$ .

$$\text{So, } \tan(\pm\theta) = \frac{m - \left(-\frac{4}{3}\right)}{1 + m \cdot \left(-\frac{4}{3}\right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \pm\frac{3}{4} = \frac{3m + 4}{3 - 4m}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = -\frac{7}{24} \text{ and } m = \infty$$

Hence, the equation of the required lines are

$$\frac{y + 7}{x + 2} = \infty, y + 7 = -\frac{7}{24}(x + 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x + 2}{y + 7} = \frac{1}{\infty}, 24y + 168 = -7x - 14$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 2 = 0 \text{ and } 7x + 24y + 182 = 0$$

30. Given points are  $A(1, p^2), B(0, 1), C(p, 0)$

$$\text{Area of the triangle} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & p^2 \\ 0 & 1 \\ p & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\Delta = \frac{1}{2}(1 + p^3 - p)$$

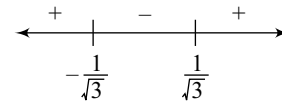
$$\frac{d\Delta}{dp} = \frac{1}{2}(3p^2 - 1)$$

For maximum or minimum,

$$\frac{d\Delta}{dp} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}(3p^2 - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow p = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$



Clearly, its area is minimum at  $p = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ .

31. Clearly, the point  $A$  is  $(3, -1)$

Equation of  $BC$  is  $y - 2 = m(x - 1)$

$$\text{Thus, } \left| \frac{m + \frac{3}{4}}{1 - \frac{3}{4}m} \right| = \tan 45^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{4m + 3}{4 - 3m} \right| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{4m + 3}{4 - 3m} \right) = \pm 1$$

$$\Rightarrow m = -7, \frac{1}{7}$$

Hence, the equation of the line  $BC$  is

$$y - 2 = -7(x - 1) \text{ or } y - 2 = \frac{1}{7}(x - 1)$$

$$x - 7y + 13 = 0 \text{ or } 7x + y - 9 = 0$$

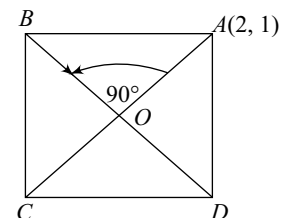
32. Given  $A = (2, 1)$

So,  $z_A = 2 + i$

Then  $z_B = i(2 + i)$   
 $= -1 + 2i$

$B = (-1, 2)$

Therefore,  $C = (-2, -1)$  and  $D = (1, -2)$ , since  $O$  is the origin.



33. Two given lines are  $7x - y + 3 = 0$  and  $x + y - 3 = 0$ .

So the point of intersection is  $(0, 3)$

Let  $m(B) = m$   
 $m(AB) = 7, m(AC) = -1$   
 Clearly,  $\angle ABC = \angle ACB$

Thus,  $\left| \frac{m-7}{1+7m} \right| = \left| \frac{m+1}{1-m} \right|$   
 $\Rightarrow 6m^2 + 16m - 6 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 3m^2 + 8m - 2 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow m = -3, \frac{1}{3}$

Hence, the equation of the  $BC$  is

$$y + 10 = -3(x - 1) \text{ or } y + 10 = \frac{1}{3}(x - 1)$$

$$3x + y - 7 = 0 \text{ or } x - 3y - 31 = 0$$

34. Given lines are  $x + y - 1 = 0$  and  $x + y - 5 = 0$ .

Let the slope of  $BC$  be  $m$ .

So,

$$\tan(\pm 45^\circ) = \frac{m+1}{1-m}$$

$$\frac{m+1}{1-m} = \pm 1$$

$$m = 0, \infty$$

Thus, the equation of  $BC$  may be  $y + 1 = 0$  or  $x - 2 = 0$ .  
 Now, the equation of the bisector of  $\angle ABC$  are

$$\frac{y+1}{1} = \pm \frac{x+y-1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

or  $\frac{x-2}{1} = \pm \frac{x+y-1}{\sqrt{2}}$

The equation of the bisectors of the acute angle in two cases are

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

and  $(\sqrt{2} + 1)x + y = (1 + 2\sqrt{2})$

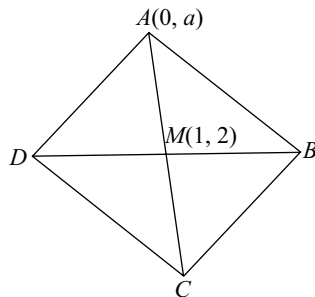
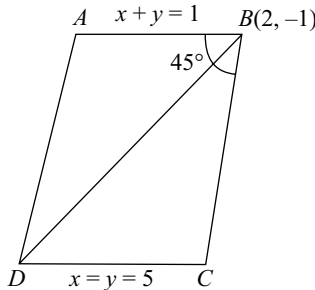
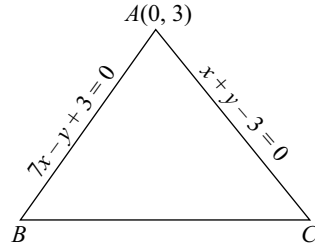
On solving, we get the co-ordinates of  $D$  be

$$(6 + 2\sqrt{2}, -1 - 2\sqrt{2}) \text{ or } (2 - 2\sqrt{2}, 3 + 2\sqrt{2}).$$

35. Let the co-ordinates of  $A$  be  $(0, a)$ .

As the sides of the rhombus are parallel to the line  $y = x + 2$  and  $y = 7x + 3$ , the diagonals of the rhombus are parallel to the bisectors of the angles between the given lines.

Equation of the bisectors of the angles between the lines



$$\frac{x - y + 2}{\sqrt{1+1}} = \pm \frac{7x - y - 3}{\sqrt{49+1}}$$

$$\frac{x - y + 2}{\sqrt{2}} = \pm \frac{7x - y - 3}{5\sqrt{2}}$$

$$5(x - y + 2) = \pm(7x - y - 3)$$

$$2x + 4y = 7, 12x - 6y + 13 = 0$$

Thus, slope of  $MA$  is either 2 or  $-1/2$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a-2}{0-1} = 2 \text{ or } -\frac{1}{2}$$

So,  $a = 0$  or  $\frac{5}{2}$

Hence, the co-ordinates of  $A$  may be

$$(0, 0) \text{ or } \left(0, \frac{5}{2}\right)$$

### LEVEL IV

- Sides are  $x - 3y = 3, 3x - 2y = 16$   
 Diagonals are  $x + 4y = 10, 5x - 8y + 6 = 0$
- Clearly  $B = (-1, 4)$ , since the equation of the bisector in the first quadrant is  $y = x$

Thus,  $AB = \sqrt{25 + 25} = \sqrt{50} = 5\sqrt{2}$

3. We have,

$$\frac{z_3 - z_1}{z_2 - z_1} = \left| \frac{z_3 - z_1}{z_2 - z_1} \right| \times e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z_3 - z_1}{z_2 - z_1} = e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1 + i)$$

$$\Rightarrow z_3 = z_1 + (z_2 - z_1) \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1 + i)$$

$$\Rightarrow z_3 = 2 + (2 + \sqrt{2} + i - 2) \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1 + i)$$

$$\Rightarrow z_3 = 2 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\sqrt{2} + i)(1 + i)$$

$$\Rightarrow z_3 = 2 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\sqrt{2} + i + i\sqrt{2} - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow z_3 = 2 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}[(\sqrt{2} - 1) + i(\sqrt{2} + 1)]$$

$$\Rightarrow z_3 = 2 + \frac{(\sqrt{2} - 1)}{\sqrt{2}} + i \frac{(\sqrt{2} + 1)}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow z_3 = \frac{3\sqrt{2} - 1}{\sqrt{2}} + i \frac{(\sqrt{2} + 1)}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow C = \left( \frac{3\sqrt{2} - 1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{(\sqrt{2} + 1)}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

4. Let  $A = (1, -2)$ .

Thus, the image of  $A$  w.r.t  $x$ -axis is, say,  $B(1, 2)$ .

Thus, the new position of  $B$  is  $C(4, 2)$ .

5. Clearly, the slope of the new line,  $m = \tan(45^\circ) = 1$ .

Hence, the equation of the new line is

$$y - 0 = 1(x - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = x - 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x - y = 2$$

6. Clearly,  $A = (0, 1)$  and

$$m = \tan(45^\circ + 105^\circ) = \tan(150^\circ) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Hence, the equation of the new line is

$$\Rightarrow y - 1 = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(x - 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{3}y - \sqrt{3} = -x$$

$$\Rightarrow x + \sqrt{3}y = \sqrt{3}$$

7. Clearly,  $\tan \theta = 2$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}, \cos \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$$

Hence, the required point

$$= (x_1 + r \cos \theta, y_1 + r \sin \theta)$$

$$= \left(1 + 1 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, 1 + 1 \cdot \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}\right)$$

$$= \left(1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, 1 + \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}\right)$$

8. Thus, the point of intersection of the two given lines is  $(2, -1)$

Let  $Q$  the point where  $P$  moving 2 units along the line  $x + y = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So, } Q &= \left(2 - 2 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, -1 + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) \\ &= (2 - \sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2} - 1) \end{aligned}$$

and  $R$  be the point where the point  $P$  moves 5 units along the line  $x - 2y = 4$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So, } R &= \left(2 + 5 \cdot \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}, -1 + 5 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}\right) \\ &= (2 + 2\sqrt{5}, \sqrt{5} - 1) \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the required distance

$$\begin{aligned} &= QR \\ &= \sqrt{(-\sqrt{2} - 2\sqrt{5})^2 + (\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{5})^2} \\ &= \sqrt{(\sqrt{2} + 2\sqrt{5})^2 + (\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{5})^2} \\ &= \sqrt{2 + 20 + 2 + 5} \\ &= \sqrt{29} \end{aligned}$$

9. Let  $A = (a, 0), B = (b, 6b)$

and  $M(h, k)$  is the mid-point of  $AB$ , where

$$h = \frac{a+b}{2}, k = 3b$$

$$\text{Thus, } a = 2h - \frac{k}{3}, b = \frac{k}{3}$$

We have,  $AB = 2l$

$$\Rightarrow AB^2 = 4l^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (a - b)^2 + 36b^2 = 4l^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(2h - \frac{k}{3} - \frac{k}{3}\right)^2 + 36\left(\frac{k}{3}\right)^2 = 4l^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(2h - \frac{2k}{3}\right)^2 + 4k^2 = 4l^2$$

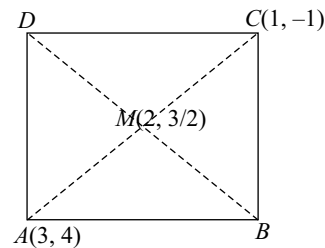
$$\Rightarrow \left(h - \frac{k}{3}\right)^2 + k^2 = l^2$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

$$\left(x - \frac{y}{3}\right)^2 + k^2 = l^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 9x^2 - 6xy + 10y^2 = 9l^2$$

10.



Let  $z_1 = A(3, 4), z_2 = B$  and  $z_3 = C(1, -1)$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{z_3 - z_2}{z_1 - z_2} = \frac{|z_3 - z_2|}{|z_1 - z_2|} \times e^{-i\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z_3 - z_2}{z_1 - z_2} = \frac{|z_3 - z_2|}{|z_1 - z_2|} \times e^{-i\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z_3 - z_2}{z_1 - z_2} = e^{-i\frac{\pi}{2}} = -i$$

$$\Rightarrow z_3 - z_2 = -iz_1 + iz_2$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 + i)z_2 = z_3 + iz_1$$

$$\Rightarrow z_2 = \frac{z_3 + iz_1}{(1 + i)} = \frac{1 - i + i(3 + 4i)}{(1 + i)}$$

$$\Rightarrow z_2 = \frac{-3 + 2i}{(1 + i)}$$

$$\Rightarrow z_2 = \frac{(-3 + 2i)(1 - i)}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow z_2 = \frac{-3 + 3i + 2i + 2}{2} = \frac{-1 + 5i}{2}$$

Thus, the co-ordinates of  $B$  are  $\left(-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{2}\right)$

Let the co-ordinates of  $D$  be  $(\alpha, \beta)$ .

The mid-point of  $AC = M = \left(2, \frac{3}{2}\right)$

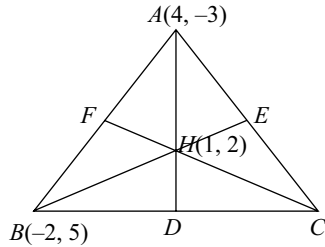
$$\text{Now, } \frac{\alpha - \frac{1}{2}}{2} = 2 \Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{9}{2}$$



and  $\frac{\beta + \frac{5}{2}}{2} = \frac{3}{2} \Rightarrow \beta = \frac{1}{2}$

Hence, the co-ordinates of  $D$  are  $\left(\frac{9}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$ .

11.



First we find the equation of  $BC$  and  $AC$ .

$$m(AD) = \frac{2 + 3}{1 - 4} = -\frac{5}{3}$$

Now,  $m(BC) = \frac{3}{5}$

Thus, the equation of  $BC$  is

$$y - 5 = \frac{3}{5}(x + 2)$$

$$5y - 25 = 3x + 6$$

$$3x - 5y + 31 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

Also,  $m(BE) = \frac{2 - 5}{1 + 2} = -\frac{3}{3} = -1$

$$m(AC) = 1$$

Thus, the equation of  $AC$  is

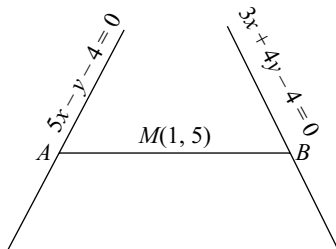
$$y + 3 = (x + 4)$$

$$x - y + 1 = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

On solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get the co-ordinates of  $C$  are (13, 14).

Thus, the third vertex is (13, 14).

12.



Let the points  $A$  and  $B$  be  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$ , respectively.

Thus,  $5x_1 - y_1 - 4 = 0$  and  $3x_2 + 4y_2 - 4 = 0$

Also,  $x_1 + x_2 = 2$  and  $y_1 + y_2 = 10$

Therefore,

$$y_1 + y_2 = 10$$

$$\Rightarrow 5x_1 - 4 + \frac{4 - 3x_2}{4} = 10$$

$$\Rightarrow 20x_1 - 3x_2 = 52$$

On solving,  $20x_1 - 3x_2 = 52$  and  $x_1 + x_2 = 2$ , we get,

$$x_1 = \frac{58}{23} \text{ and } x_2 = -\frac{12}{23}$$

and so  $y_1 = \frac{158}{23}, y_2 = \frac{32}{23}$

Hence, the points  $A$  and  $B$  are

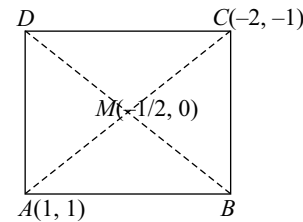
$$\left(\frac{58}{23}, \frac{158}{23}\right) \text{ and } \left(-\frac{12}{23}, \frac{32}{23}\right)$$

Now, slope of  $AB$  is  $= \frac{83}{35}$

Hence, the equation of the line is

$$83x - 35y + 92 = 0$$

13.



Let  $z_1 = A(1, 1), z_2 = B, z_3 = C(-2, -1)$

Now,  $\frac{z_3 - z_2}{z_1 - z_2} = \frac{|z_3 - z_2|}{|z_1 - z_2|} \times e^{-i\frac{\pi}{2}}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z_3 - z_2}{z_1 - z_2} = \frac{|z_3 - z_2|}{|z_1 - z_2|} \times e^{-i\frac{\pi}{2}} = -i$$

$$\Rightarrow z_3 - z_2 = iz_1 + iz_2$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 + i)z_2 = z_3 + iz_1$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 + i)z_2 = -2 - i + i(1 + i)$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 + i)z_2 = -3$$

$$\Rightarrow z_2 = \frac{-3}{(1 + i)} = \frac{-3(1 - i)}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow z_2 = \frac{-3 + 3i}{2} = \left(-\frac{3}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\right)$$

Thus, the co-ordinates of  $B$  are  $\left(-\frac{3}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\right)$ .

Let the co-ordinates of  $D$  be  $(\alpha, \beta)$ .

Now,  $\frac{\alpha - \frac{3}{2}}{2} = -\frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{1}{2}$

and  $\frac{\beta + \frac{3}{2}}{2} = 0 \Rightarrow \beta = -\frac{3}{2}$

Therefore, the co-ordinates of  $D$  be  $\left(\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{3}{2}\right)$ .

Hence, the equation of the other diagonal is

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

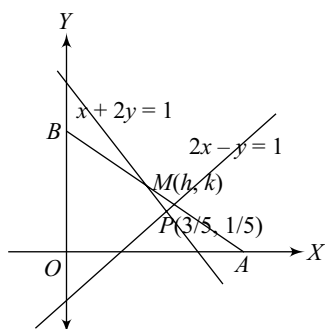
$$\Rightarrow y + \frac{3}{2} = -\frac{3}{2}x + \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3}{2}x + y + \frac{3}{2} - \frac{3}{4} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3}{2}x + y + \frac{3}{4} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x + 4y + 3 = 0$$

14.



Equation of any line passing through the point of intersection of the lines  $x + 2y = 1$  and  $2x - y = 1$  is

$$y - \frac{1}{5} = m\left(x - \frac{3}{5}\right)$$

Clearly, the co-ordinates of  $A$  and  $B$  are

$$\left(\frac{3m-1}{5m}, 0\right) \text{ and } \left(0, \frac{1-3m}{5}\right)$$

Let  $M(h, k)$  be the mid-point of  $AB$

$$\text{Thus, } h = \frac{3m-1}{10m} \text{ and } k = \frac{1-3m}{10}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{1}{3-10h}, m = \frac{1-10k}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{1}{3-10h}, \frac{1}{m} = \frac{3}{1-10k}$$

Eliminating  $m$ , we get

$$\frac{1}{3-10h} \times \frac{3}{1-10k} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (3-10h)(1-10k) = 3$$

Hence, the locus of the mid-point  $M(h, k)$  is  $(3-10x)(1-10y) = 3$

15. The point of intersection of the lines

$$\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1 \text{ and } \frac{x}{b} + \frac{y}{a} = 1 \text{ is } \left(\frac{ab}{a+b}, \frac{ab}{a+b}\right)$$

Thus, the equation of the line passing through

$$\left(\frac{ab}{a+b}, \frac{ab}{a+b}\right) \text{ is}$$

$$y - \frac{ab}{a+b} = m\left(x - \frac{ab}{a+b}\right)$$

Therefore, the co-ordinates of  $A$  and  $B$  are

$$\frac{ab}{a+b}\left(1 - \frac{1}{m}\right) \text{ and } \frac{ab}{a+b}(1-m)$$

Let the mid-point be  $M(h, k)$ .

$$\text{Thus, } h = \frac{ab}{2(a+b)}\left(1 - \frac{1}{m}\right) \text{ and } k = \frac{ab}{2(a+b)}(1-m)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2h(a+b)}{ab} = \left(1 - \frac{1}{m}\right) \text{ and } \frac{2k(a+b)}{ab} = (1-m)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{2h(a+b)}{ab} - 1\right) = -\frac{1}{m} \text{ and } \left(\frac{2k(a+b)}{ab} - 1\right) = -m$$

Eliminating  $m$ , we get

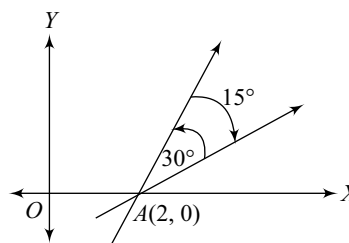
$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{2h(a+b)}{ab} - 1\right)\left(\frac{2k(a+b)}{ab} - 1\right) = 1$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

$$\left(2x - \frac{ab}{a+b}\right)\left(2y - \frac{ab}{a+b}\right) = \frac{ab}{a+b}$$

16. We have,

$$m = \tan(15^\circ) = (2 - \sqrt{3})$$



Hence, the equation of the line is

$$y - 0 = (2 - \sqrt{3})(x - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (2 - \sqrt{3})x - y - 2(2 - \sqrt{3}) = 0$$

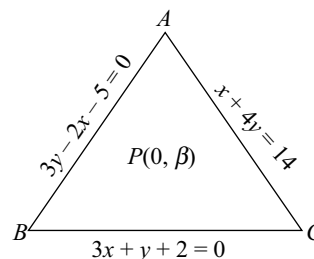
17. Clearly,  $\frac{-3+8-7}{9-32-7} = \frac{-2}{-30} = \frac{1}{15} > 0$

Thus, the points  $(-1, -1)$  and  $(3, 7)$  lie on the same side of the line.

18. On solving, we get the co-ordinates of  $A, B$  and  $C$ .

Thus,  $A = (2, 3), B = (-1, 1)$  and  $C = (-2, 4)$ .

Now, the points  $P$  and  $A$  lie on the same side of the line  $3x + y + 2 = 0$ .



$$\text{So, } \frac{3 \cdot 0 + \beta + 2}{6 + 3 + 2} > 0 \Rightarrow \beta > -2 \quad \dots(i)$$

Also, the points  $P$  and  $B$  on the same side of the line  $x + 4y = 14$

So,  $\frac{0 + 4\beta - 14}{-1 + 4 - 14} > 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 4\beta - 14 < 0$   
 $\Rightarrow \beta < \frac{7}{2}$  ... (ii)

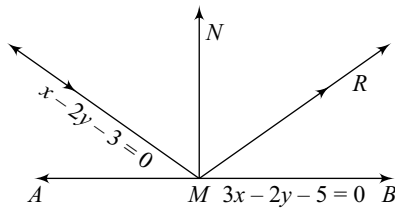
Again, the points  $P$  and  $C$  lie on the same side of the line  $3y - 2x = 5$

So,  $\frac{3\beta - 5}{12 + 4 - 5} > 0$   
 $\Rightarrow \beta > \frac{5}{3}$  ... (iii)

From Eqs (i), (ii) and (iii), we get

$$\frac{5}{3} < \beta < \frac{7}{2}$$

19.



Let incident ray =  $IM$  and reflected ray =  $MR$  and  $MN$  be the normal.

On solving, we get

$$M = (1, -2)$$

Now, slope of  $IM = 1/2$  and slope of  $AB = 3/2$  and slope of  $MN = -2/3$ .

As we know that the normal is equally inclined with the incident ray as well as reflected ray.

Thus,  $\frac{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{2}{3}}{1 - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{3}} = \frac{-\frac{2}{3} - m}{1 - \frac{2}{3} \cdot m}$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{3 + 4}{6 - 2} = \frac{-2 - 3m}{3 - 2m} = \frac{3m + 2}{2m - 3}$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{7}{4} = \frac{2 + 3m}{2m - 3}$   
 $\Rightarrow 14m - 21 = 8 + 12m$   
 $\Rightarrow m = \frac{29}{2}$

Hence, the equation of the reflected ray

$$y + 2 = \frac{29}{2}(x - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2y + 4 = 29x - 29$$

$$\Rightarrow 29x - 2y - 33 = 0$$

20. Equation of any line parallel to  $3x - 4y - 2 = 0$  is  $3x - 4y + k = 0$

Given distance between parallel lines = 4

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|k + 2|}{\sqrt{9 + 16}} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|k + 2|}{5} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow k + 2 = \pm 20$$

$$\Rightarrow k = -2 \pm 20$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 18, -22$$

Hence, the line is  $3x - 4y + 18 = 0$  and  $3x - 4y - 22 = 0$ .

21. Given lines are  $x + y + 1 = 0$  and  $x + y - 1 = 0$

Clearly both are parallel.

Distance between them is  $\sqrt{2}$ .

Thus, the line must be perpendicular to the given lines.

Equation of any line perpendicular to  $x + y + 1 = 0$  is  $x - y + k = 0$  which is passing through  $(-5, 4)$ .

Thus,  $-5 - 4 + k = 0$

$$\Rightarrow k = 9$$

Hence, the equation of the line is  $x - y + 9 = 0$ .

22. Given  $\Delta RPQ = 7$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} x & y & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \\ 6 & 5 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 7$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} x & y & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \\ 6 & 5 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 14$$

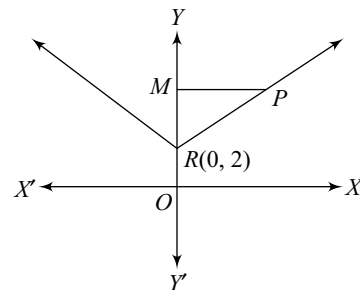
$$\Rightarrow x(1 - 5) - y(3 - 6) + 1(15 - 6) = \pm 14$$

$$\Rightarrow -4x + 3y + 9 = \pm 14$$

$$\Rightarrow -4x + 3y - 5 = 0, -4x + 3y + 23 = 0$$

Clearly, infinite number of points satisfy the point  $R$ .

23.



Clearly, the co-ordinates of  $P$  are

$$\frac{x - 0}{\cos 60^\circ} = \frac{y - 2}{\sin 60^\circ} = 5$$

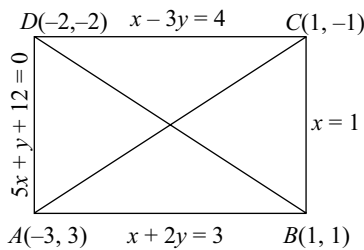
$$x = \frac{5}{2}, y = \frac{4 + 5\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Thus, the co-ordinates of  $M$  are

$$\left( 0, \frac{4 + 5\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$$

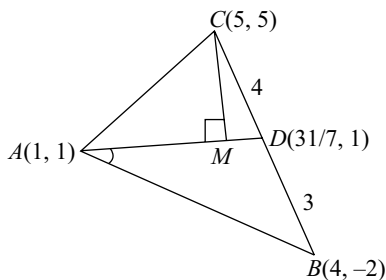
24.

25.



Clearly, the diagonal  $AC$  on the line  $y = -x$  and the diagonal  $BD$  on the line  $y = x$ . Thus, the angle between  $y = x$  and  $y = -x$  is right angled.

26.



Here  $AD$  is the internal bisector of the angle  $\angle BAC$ .

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{AB}{AC} = \frac{BD}{DC}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{BD}{DC} = \frac{AB}{AC} = \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{4\sqrt{2}} = \frac{3}{4}$$

Therefore, the co-ordinates of  $D = \left(\frac{31}{7}, 1\right)$ .

Hence, the equation of  $AD$  is  $y - 1 = 0$

Thus, the equation of the perpendicular from  $C$  on the internal bisector  $AD$  is  $x = 5$ .

27. Let the foot of perpendicular be  $(h, k)$ .

$$\text{Then } \frac{h-2}{1} = \frac{k-4}{1} = -\left(\frac{2+4-1}{1+1}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{h-2}{1} = \frac{k-4}{1} = -\frac{5}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow h = 2 - \frac{5}{2}, k = 4 - \frac{5}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow h = -\frac{1}{2}, k = \frac{3}{2}$$

Hence, the foot of perpendicular is  $\left(-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\right)$ .

28. All the points inside the triangle will lie in the half plane determined by  $ax + by + c \geq 0$  ( $\leq$ ) if all the vertices lie in it.

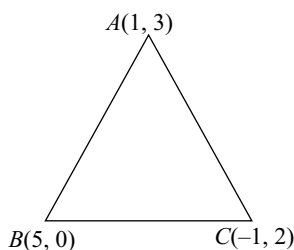
For the first,

$$3x + 2y > 0,$$

$$3(1) + 2(3) = 9 > 0$$

$$3(5) + 2(0) = 15 > 0$$

$$3(-1) + 2(2) = 1 > 0$$



Thus, all the vertices lie in the half plane determined by  $3x + 2y > 0$ .

For the second,

$$2x + y - 13 > 0$$

$$2(1) + 3 - 13 = -8 \leq 0$$

$$2(5) + 0 - 13 = -3 \leq 0$$

$$2(-1) + 2 - 13 = -13 \leq 0$$

Thus, all the vertices do not lie in the half plane determined by  $2x + y - 13 > 0$ .

For the third,

$$2x - 3y - 12 < 0$$

$$2(1) - 3(3) - 12 = -19 \leq 0$$

$$2(5) + 3(0) - 12 = -2 \leq 0$$

$$2(-1) - 3(2) - 12 = -20 \leq 0$$

Thus, all the vertices lie in the half plane determined by  $2x - 3y - 12 < 0$

For the fourth,

$$-2x + y \leq 0$$

$$-2(1) + 3 = 1 \geq 0$$

$$-2(5) + 0 = -10 \leq 0$$

$$-2(-1) + 2 = 4 \geq 0$$

Thus, all the vertices do not lie in the half plane determined by  $-2x + y \leq 0$ .

Hence, all points inside the triangle satisfy the inequalities  $3x + 2y > 0$  and  $2x - 3y - 12 < 0$ .

29. Given  $OE: 3x - 2y + 8 = 0$

$AC$  is perpendicular to  $OE$ .

$$AC: 2x + 3y + k = 0$$

which is passing through  $A(1, -1)$

$$\text{Thus, } 2 - 3 + k = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 1$$

Hence, the equation of  $AC$  is  $2x + 3y + 1 = 0$ .

Let the co-ordinates of  $E$  be  $(a, b)$

$$\text{Thus, } 2a + 3b + 1 = 0$$

$$\text{and } 3a - 2b + 8 = 0$$

On solving, we get,

$$a = -2 \text{ and } b = 1$$

Therefore,  $E = (-2, 1)$

Now,  $E$  is the mid-point of  $A$  and  $C$ .

$$\text{Thus, } C = (-5, 3)$$

Hence, the equation of  $BC$  is

$$\Rightarrow y - 1 = \frac{1-3}{3+5}(x-3)$$

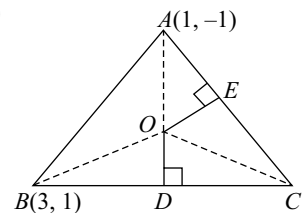
$$\Rightarrow y - 1 = -\frac{1}{4}(x-3)$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 4y - 7 = 0$$

Now,  $D = (-1, 2)$

$OD$  is perpendicular to  $BC$

$$OD: 4x - y + k = 0$$



which is passing through  $D(-1, 2)$

Thus,  $-4 - 2 + k = 0$

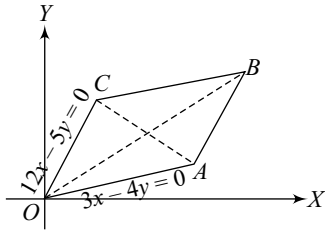
$\Rightarrow k = 6$

Hence, the equation of  $OD$  is  $4x - y + 6 = 0$

Now, we solve the equations  $4x - y + 6 = 0$  and  $3x - 2y + 8 = 0$ , we get,

circumcentre is  $\left(-\frac{4}{5}, \frac{14}{5}\right)$ .

30.



Clearly  $OB$  is the angle bisector of  $\angle AOC$ .

Thus,  $OB: 7y - 9x = 0$

It is given that  $OB = 12$

Let the co-ordinates of  $B$  be  $(h, k)$ .

Now slope of  $OB = \tan \theta = \frac{9}{7}$

$$\frac{\sin \theta}{9} = \frac{\cos \theta}{7} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{130}}$$

Now,  $B = \left(0 + 12 \cdot \frac{7}{\sqrt{130}}, 0 + 12 \cdot \frac{9}{\sqrt{130}}\right)$

$$B = \left(\frac{84}{\sqrt{130}}, \frac{108}{\sqrt{130}}\right)$$

Here  $BC$  is parallel to  $OA$

$BC: 3x - 4y + k = 0$

which is passing through  $B$ .

Thus,  $k = -\frac{180}{\sqrt{130}}$

Hence, the equation of  $BC$  is

$$4y - 3x = \frac{180}{\sqrt{130}}$$

Similarly, we can easily find that the equation of  $AB$  is

$$5y - 12x + \frac{480}{\sqrt{130}} = 0$$

31. The equations of the line which are equally inclined with the axes are

$x + y = a, x - y = a$

It is given that,

$$\frac{3 - 4 - a}{\sqrt{2}} = \pm \frac{1 + 2 - a}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$\Rightarrow -1 - a = \pm(3 - a)$

$\Rightarrow -1 - a = (3 - a), -1 - a = -3 + a$

$\Rightarrow -1 - a = -3 + a$

$\Rightarrow 2a = 2$

$\Rightarrow a = 1$

Hence, the equation of the line is  $x - y - 1 = 0$

32. Given,

$\text{ar}(\Delta) = 8$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 2a & a & 1 \\ a & 2a & 1 \\ a & a & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} 2a & a & 1 \\ a & 2a & 1 \\ a & a & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 16$$

$\Rightarrow 2a(2a - a) + (a^2 - 2a^2) = 16$

$\Rightarrow 2a^2 - a^2 = 16$

$\Rightarrow a^2 = 16$

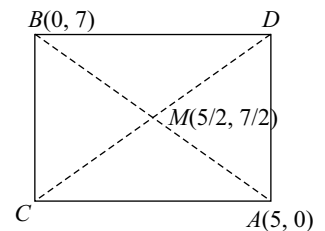
$\Rightarrow a = \pm 4$

33. Clearly slope of  $CD = \frac{5}{7}$

$\tan \theta = \frac{5}{7}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{\sin \theta}{5} = \frac{\cos \theta}{7} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{74}}$

Thus,  $MD = \frac{\sqrt{74}}{2}$



Now,  $D = \left(\frac{5}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{74}}{2} \cos \theta, \frac{7}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{74}}{2} \sin \theta\right)$

$$= \left(\frac{5}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{74}}{2} \times \frac{7}{\sqrt{74}}, \frac{7}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{74}}{2} \times \frac{5}{\sqrt{74}}\right)$$

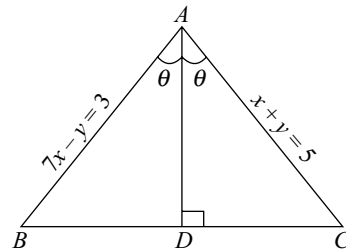
$$= \left(\frac{5}{2} + \frac{7}{2}, \frac{7}{2} + \frac{5}{2}\right) = (6, 6)$$

Now,  $C = \left(\frac{5}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{74}}{2} \cos \theta, \frac{7}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{74}}{2} \sin \theta\right)$

$$= \left(\frac{5}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{74}}{2} \times \frac{7}{\sqrt{74}}, \frac{7}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{74}}{2} \times \frac{5}{\sqrt{74}}\right)$$

$$= \left(\frac{5}{2} - \frac{7}{2}, \frac{7}{2} - \frac{5}{2}\right) = (-1, 1)$$

34.



On solving  $x + y = 5$  and  $7x - y = 3$ , we get the co-ordinates of  $A$ , i.e.  $A = (1, 4)$

Let  $AB = AC = m$

Thus,  $BC = 2m \sin \theta$

Now,  $\text{ar}(\Delta ABC) = 5$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \cdot 2m \sin \theta \cdot m \cos \theta = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 \sin \theta = 10$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 = \frac{10}{\sin 2\theta} = \frac{10}{4/5} = \frac{25}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{5}{\sqrt{2}}$$

Now, slope of  $AC = \tan \varphi = 7$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \varphi = \frac{1}{\sqrt{50}}, \sin \varphi = \frac{7}{\sqrt{50}}$$

$$\text{Thus, } C = \left( 1 \pm \frac{5}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{50}}, 4 \pm \frac{5}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{7}{\sqrt{50}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow C = \left( 1 \pm \frac{1}{2}, 4 \pm \frac{7}{2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow C = \left( \frac{3}{2}, \frac{15}{2} \right) \text{ or } \left( \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

Also, Slope of  $AB = \tan \psi = -1$

$$\cos \psi = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \text{ and } \sin \psi = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\text{Thus, } D = \left( 1 \pm \frac{5}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \left( -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right), 4 \pm \frac{5}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

$$= \left( 1 \mp \frac{5}{2}, 4 \pm \frac{5}{2} \right)$$

$$= \left( -\frac{3}{2}, \frac{13}{2} \right) \text{ or } \left( \frac{7}{2}, \frac{3}{2} \right)$$

Therefore, the four possible equations of  $BC$  are

$$y - \frac{15}{2} = \frac{\frac{2}{3} - \frac{3}{7}}{\frac{2}{2} - \frac{2}{2}} \left( x - \frac{3}{2} \right) = -\frac{3}{2} \left( x - \frac{3}{2} \right),$$

$$= \frac{\frac{15}{3} - \frac{3}{2}}{\frac{2}{2} + \frac{2}{2}} \left( x - \frac{3}{2} \right) = 4 \left( x - \frac{3}{2} \right),$$

$$\Rightarrow y - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{2}}{\frac{2}{2} - \frac{2}{2}} \left( x - \frac{1}{2} \right) = \frac{1}{3} \left( x - \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{and } y - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{13}{3}}{\frac{2}{2} + \frac{2}{2}} \left( x - \frac{1}{2} \right) = -3 \left( x - \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

35. Let  $(h, k)$  be the image of  $(4, 1)$  w.r.t. the line  $y = x - 1$ , i.e.  $x - y - 1 = 0$

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{h-4}{1} = \frac{k-1}{-1} = -2 \left( \frac{4-1-1}{1^2+1^2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{h-4}{1} = \frac{k-1}{-1} = -2$$

$$\Rightarrow h = 2, k = 3$$

Thus, the required image is  $(2, 3)$ .

(ii) Now  $(2, 3)$  becomes  $(2 + 1, 3)$  i.e.,  $(3, 3)$

(iii) Let  $z_1 = 3 + 3i$

$$\text{Then } z_2 = z_1 \times e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}}$$

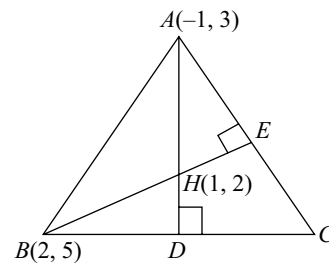
$$\Rightarrow z_2 = (3 + 3i) \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1 + i)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(3 + 3i) \times (1 + i)$$

$$= \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}(1 + i)^2 = \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}i$$

$$= \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}i = \left( 0, \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

36.



To find the equations of  $BC$  and  $AC$ .

$$BC: m(AD) = \frac{2-3}{1+1} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow m(BC) = 2$$

Equation of  $BC$  is

$$y - 5 = 2(x - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x - y + 1 = 0$$

...(i)

$$AC: m(BE) = \frac{2-5}{1-2} = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow m(AC) = -\frac{1}{3}$$

Equation of  $AC$  is

$$y - 3 = -\frac{1}{3}(x + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3y - 9 = -x - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 3y = 8$$

...(ii)

Solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$x = \frac{5}{7}, y = \frac{17}{7}$$

Thus, the co-ordinates of the third vertex are  $\left( \frac{5}{7}, \frac{17}{7} \right)$ .

**Integer Type Questions**

1. Let the line be  $ax + by + c = 0$  ... (i)

Let  $p_1, p_2$  and  $p_3$  are the perpendicular distances from the line (i).

Clearly,  $p_1 + p_2 + p_3 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3a + c}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} + \frac{3b + c}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} + \frac{2a + 2b + c}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3a + c + 3b + c + 2a + 2b + c}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5a + 5b + 3c}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 5a + 5b + 3c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5}{3}a + \frac{5}{3}b + c = 0$$

which passes through a fixed point  $(\frac{5}{3}, \frac{5}{3})$ .

$$\text{Thus, } p = \frac{5}{3}, q = \frac{5}{3}.$$

Hence, the value of

$$\begin{aligned} & 3(p + q) - 2 \\ &= 3\left(\frac{5}{3} + \frac{5}{3}\right) - 2 \\ &= 10 - 2 = 8 \end{aligned}$$

2. Clearly, slope of the line  $2x - 2y + 5 = 0$  is 1, i.e.  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$

Equation of any line passing through (2, 3) and making

an angle  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  is

$$\frac{x - 2}{\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)} = \frac{y - 3}{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)} = r$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x - 2}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} = \frac{y - 3}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} = r$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 2) = (y - 3) = \frac{r}{\sqrt{2}} \quad \dots (i)$$

Thus, any point on the line (i) is

$$\left(2 + \frac{r}{\sqrt{2}}, 3 + \frac{r}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$$

which lies on  $2x - 3y + 9 = 0$

$$\text{So, } 2\left(2 + \frac{r}{\sqrt{2}}\right) - 3\left(3 + \frac{r}{\sqrt{2}}\right) + 9 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{2r}{\sqrt{2}} - \frac{3r}{\sqrt{2}}\right) + 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{r}{\sqrt{2}} = -4$$

$$\Rightarrow r = 4\sqrt{2}$$

Clearly,  $d\sqrt{2} = 4\sqrt{2}$

$$\Rightarrow d = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow d + 2 = 6$$

3. Equation of any line passing through (2, 3) is

$$y - 3 = m(x - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow mx - y = 2m - 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{\left(\frac{2m - 3}{m}\right)} + \frac{y}{(3 - 2m)} = 1$$

It is given that,

$$\frac{1}{2} \times \left(\frac{2m - 3}{m}\right) \times (3 - 2m) = \pm 12$$

$$\Rightarrow (3 - 2m)^2 = \mp 24m$$

$$\Rightarrow 9 - 12m + 4m^2 = \mp 24m$$

$$4m^2 + 12m + 9 = 0, 4m^2 - 36m + 9 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2m + 3)^2 = 0, 4m^2 - 36m + 9 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2m + 3) = 0, 4m^2 - 36m + 9 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = -3/2, D > 0$$

So, the number of lines is 3.

4. We have,

$$3x + 4(mx + 2) = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow (3 + 4m)x = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{(3 + 4m)}$$

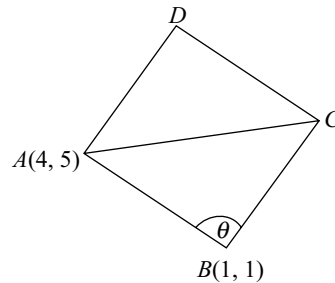
when  $m = -1$ , then  $x = -1$

Thus, the number of integral values of  $m$  is 1.

5. Hence, the required area of the parallelogram

$$= \left| \frac{(1 - 0)(1 - 0)}{\begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix}} \right| = \left| \frac{1}{(-2 + 1)} \right| = 1 \text{ sq. u.}$$

6.



We have

$$AB = \sqrt{(4 - 1)^2 + (5 - 1)^2} = \sqrt{9 + 16} = \sqrt{25} = 5$$

Area of a rhombus =  $2ar$  ( $\Delta ABC$ )

$$= 2\left(\frac{1}{2} \times 5 \times 5 \times \sin \theta\right)$$

$$= 25 \sin \theta$$

Maximum area of a rhombus is 25.

Thus,  $5m = 25$

$$\Rightarrow m = 5$$

7. Here, the rhombus represented by the lines

$$\begin{aligned} x + 2y + 2 &= 0 \\ x + 2y - 2 &= 0 \\ x - 2y + 2 &= 0 \\ x - 2y - 2 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the required area of the rhombus

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{|(2 - (-2))(2 - (-2))|}{\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix}} \\ &= \frac{16}{4} = 4 \text{ sq. u.} \end{aligned}$$

8. Number of lattice point =  $\frac{8(8+1)}{2} = 36$

Clearly,  $m(m+5) = 36$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 + 5m - 36 = 0$$

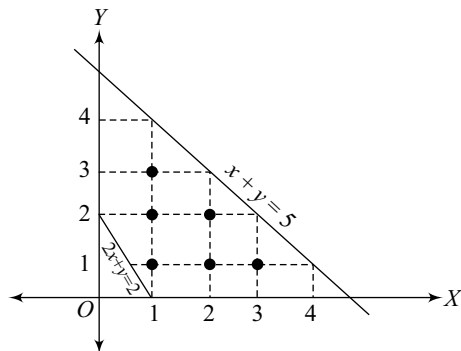
$$\Rightarrow (m+9)(m-4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 4, -9$$

Hence, the value of  $m$  is 4.

9. Given lines are

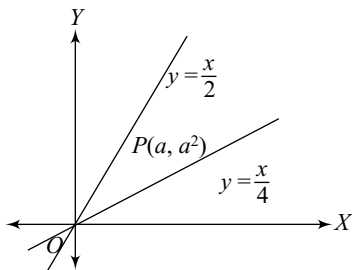
$$2x + y = 6, x + y = 9, x = 0 \text{ and } y = 0.$$



From the above figure, it is clear that the number of IIT points is 6.

10. Given lines are  $2y = x$  and  $4y = x$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{x}{2} \text{ and } y = \frac{x}{4}$$



$$\text{We have } a - \frac{a^2}{4} > 0 \text{ and } a - \frac{a^2}{2} < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (4a - a^2) < 0 \text{ and } (2a - a^2) > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (a^2 - 4a) < 0 \text{ and } (a^2 - 2a) > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a(a - 4) < 0 \text{ and } a(a - 2) > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 < a < 4 \text{ and } a < 0, a > 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 < a < 4$$

$$\Rightarrow a \in (2, 4) = (p, q)$$

Hence, the value of  $(p + q + 1)$

$$= 2 + 4 + 1$$

$$= 7$$

**Previous Years' JEE-Advanced Examinations**

1. Let the third vertex be  $(x, y)$  i.e.  $(x, x + 3)$ .

$$\text{It is given that } \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & -2 \\ x & x+3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}(4x - 4) = \pm 5$$

$$\Rightarrow (4x - 4) = \pm 10$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x = 4 \pm 10$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x = 14, -6$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{7}{2}, -\frac{3}{2}$$

Thus, the co-ordinates of the third vertex be

$$\left(\frac{7}{2}, \frac{13}{2}\right) \text{ or } \left(-\frac{3}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\right)$$

2. Let the equation of  $DC$  is  $4x + 7y + k = 0$  which is passing through  $(1, 1)$ . Thus,  $k = -11$ .

Hence, the equation of  $DC$  is  $4x + 7y - 11 = 0$

Clearly  $BC$  is perpendicular to  $AB$ .

Let the equation of  $BC$  is  $7x - 4y + k = 0$  which is passing through  $(1, 1)$ .

So,  $k = -3$

Hence, the equation of  $DC$  is  $7x - 4y - 3 = 0$ .

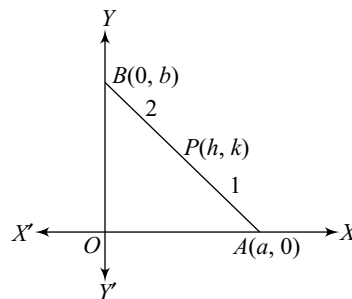
Also,  $AD$  is parallel to  $DC$

Let the equation of  $DC$  is  $7x - 4y + k = 0$  which is passing through  $(-3, 1)$

So,  $k = 25$

Thus, the equation of  $DC$  is  $7x - 4y + 25 = 0$ .

3.





Here,  $h = \frac{2a+0}{2+1} = \frac{2a}{3}, k = \frac{b+0}{2+1} = \frac{b}{3}$

$\Rightarrow a = \frac{3h}{2}, b = 3k$

It is given that,  $AB = l$

$\Rightarrow \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} = l$

$\Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 = l^2$

$\Rightarrow \frac{9}{4}h^2 + 9k^2 = l^2$

$\Rightarrow 9h^2 + 36k^2 = 4l^2$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$9x^2 + 36y^2 = 4l^2$

4.

5. Here,  $a_1 = 1, b_1 = -2$  and  $a_2 = 4, b_2 = -3$

Now,  $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 = 4 + 16 = 10$

Thus, the obtuse-angle bisector is

$\frac{x-2y+4}{\sqrt{1+4}} = \frac{4x-3y+2}{\sqrt{16+9}}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{x-2y+4}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{4x-3y+2}{5}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{x-2y+4}{1} = \frac{4x-3y+2}{\sqrt{5}}$

$\Rightarrow (4x-3y+2) = \sqrt{5}(x-2y+4)$

$\Rightarrow (4-\sqrt{5})x - (3-2\sqrt{5})y + (2-4\sqrt{5}) = 0$

6. Let  $A = (-a, -b), B = (0, 0), C = (a, b)$

Now,  $m(AB) = \frac{b}{a} = m(BC)$

Thus, the points  $A, B$  and  $C$  are collinear.

7. Let  $A = (-a, -b), B = (0, 0), C = (a, b)$  and  $D = (a^2, ab)$

Now,  $m(AB) = \frac{b}{a} = m(BC) = m(BC)$

Thus, the points  $A, B, C$  and  $D$  are collinear.

8. Equation of any line perpendicular to  $5x - y = 1$  is  $x + 5y - k = 0$

Let it intersects the  $x$ -axis at  $(k, 0)$  and  $y$ -axis at  $(0, \frac{k}{5})$

Thus,  $\frac{1}{2} \times k \times \frac{k}{5} = 5$

$\Rightarrow k^2 = 50$

$\Rightarrow k = \pm 5\sqrt{2}$

Hence, the equation of the line  $L$  is

$x + 5y = \pm 5\sqrt{2}$

9. Now, consider the lines  $x + 2y = 3, 2x + 3y = 4$  and  $4x + 5y = 6$ .

Now,  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & 3 & -4 \\ 4 & 5 & -6 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} (R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1) \\ (R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2) \end{matrix}$

$= 0$

Thus, the above three lines are concurrent.

10. Reflection of the point  $(4, 1)$  w.r.t. the line  $y = x$  is  $(1, 4)$ .

After transformation of 2 units along the positive direction of  $x$ -axis, it becomes  $(3, 4)$ .

Let  $z_1 = 3 + 4i$  and the final position of the point is  $z_2$ .

Thus,  $z_2 = z_1 \times e^{i\frac{\pi}{4}} = z_1 \times \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + i \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$

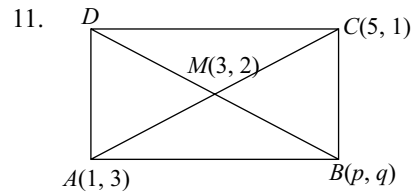
$\Rightarrow z_2 = (3 + 4i) \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1 + i)$

$\Rightarrow z_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times (3 + 4i) \times (1 + i)$

$\Rightarrow z_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times (3 + 4i + 3i - 4)$

$\Rightarrow z_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times (-1 + 7i)$

$\Rightarrow z_2 = \left( -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{7}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$



Clearly, the mid-point of  $(1, 3)$  and  $(5, 1)$  is  $(3, 2)$  lies on the diagonal.

So,  $2 = 6 + c$

$\Rightarrow c = -4$

Equation of one diagonal is  $y = 2x - 4$ .

Let  $B = (p, q)$

Now,  $m(BC) \times m(AB) = -1$

$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{q-1}{p-5} \right) \times \left( \frac{q-3}{p-1} \right) = -1$

$\Rightarrow (q-1)(q-3) = -(p-1)(p-5)$

$\Rightarrow q^2 - 4q + 3 = -p^2 + 6p - 5$

$\Rightarrow p^2 + q^2 - 6p - 4q + 8 = 0$  ... (i)

Also  $B$  lies on the line  $y = 2x - 4$ .

So,  $q = 2p - 4$  ... (ii)

On solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get,

$p = 2, 4$  and  $q = 0, 4$

Hence, the co-ordinates of the other vertices are  $(2, 0)$  and  $(4, 4)$ .

12. Given line is  $ax + by + c = 0$  ... (i)

and  $2a + 3b + 4c = 0$

$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}a + \frac{3}{4}b + c = 0$  ... (ii)

Subtracting Eqs (ii) from (i), we get

$a \left( x - \frac{1}{2} \right) + b \left( y - \frac{3}{4} \right) = 0$

$\Rightarrow \left( x - \frac{1}{2} \right) + \frac{b}{a} \left( y - \frac{3}{4} \right) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right) = 0, \left(y - \frac{3}{4}\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{2}, y = \frac{3}{4}$$

Thus, the point is concurrent at  $\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{4}\right)$ .

13. Clearly, the given lines intersect at (2, -2), (-2, 2) and (1, 1).

Let  $P = (2, -2)$ ,  $Q = (-2, 2)$  and  $R = (1, 1)$

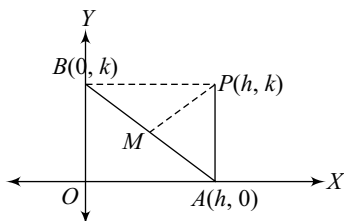
$$\therefore PQ = \sqrt{16+16} = 4\sqrt{2}$$

$$\text{Thus, } PR = \sqrt{1+9} = \sqrt{10}$$

$$\text{and } QR = \sqrt{9+1} = \sqrt{10}.$$

So,  $P, Q$  and  $R$  form an isosceles triangle.

14. Given  $AB = c$



Let  $AB: \frac{x}{h} + \frac{y}{k} = 1$  ... (i)

and  $PM: y - k = \frac{h}{k}(x - h)$  ... (ii)

On solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$x = \frac{h^3}{h^2 + k^2} = \frac{h^3}{c^2} \text{ and } y = k + \frac{k}{h} \left( \frac{h^3}{c^2} - h \right)$$

Thus,  $x = \frac{h^3}{c^2}$  and  $y = \frac{k^3}{c^2}$

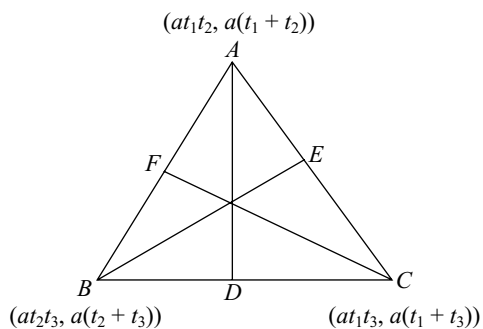
Now,  $x^{2/3} + y^{2/3} = \left(\frac{h^3}{c^2}\right)^{2/3} + \left(\frac{k^3}{c^2}\right)^{2/3}$

$$\Rightarrow x^{2/3} + y^{2/3} = \frac{h^2 + k^2}{c^{4/3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^{2/3} + y^{2/3} = \frac{c^2}{c^{4/3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^{2/3} + y^{2/3} = c^{2/3}$$

- 15.



First we find the equations of  $AD$  and  $BE$ .

Now,  $m(BC) = \frac{1}{t_3}$

$$\Rightarrow m(AD) = t_3$$

Thus,  $AD$  is  $y - a(t_1 + t_2) = -t_3x + at_1t_2t_3$

Similarly,  $BE$  is  $y - a(t_2 + t_3) = -t_1x + at_1t_2t_3$

On solving the equations of  $AD$  and  $BE$ , we get

$$x = -a, y = a(t_1 + t_2 + t_3 + t_1t_2t_3)$$

Thus, the required orthocentre is

$$(-a, a(t_1 + t_2 + t_3 + t_1t_2t_3)).$$

16. The point of intersection of the lines  $x + 2y = 10$  and

$$2x + y + 5 = 0 \text{ is } \left(-\frac{20}{3}, \frac{25}{3}\right).$$

Clearly, the line  $5x + 4y = 0$  passes through the point

$$\left(-\frac{20}{3}, \frac{25}{3}\right).$$

17. Given the co-ordinates of  $A, B, C$  and  $P$  are (6, 3), (-3, 5), (4, -2) and (x, y).

Now,  $\text{ar}(\Delta PBC)$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} x & y & 1 \\ -3 & 5 & 1 \\ 4 & -2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} |7x + 7y - 14|$$

$$= \frac{7}{2} |x + y - 2|$$

$$\text{ar}(\Delta ABC) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 6 & 3 & 1 \\ -3 & 5 & 1 \\ 4 & -2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} |42 + 21 - 14| = \frac{49}{2}$$

Thus,  $\frac{\text{ar}(\Delta PBC)}{\text{ar}(\Delta ABC)} = \frac{\frac{7}{2} |x + y - 2|}{\frac{49}{2}}$

$$= \frac{|x + y - 2|}{7}$$

18. Two given lines are  $7x - y + 3 = 0$  and  $x + y - 3 = 0$ . So

the point of intersection

is (0, 3).

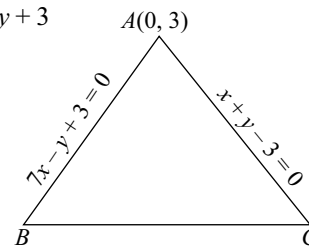
Let  $m(BC) = m$

$$m(AB) = 7,$$

$$m(AC) = -1$$

Clearly,  $\angle ABC = \angle ACB$

Thus,  $\left| \frac{m - 7}{1 + 7m} \right| = \left| \frac{m + 1}{1 - m} \right|$



$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow 6m^2 + 16m - 6 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow 3m^2 + 8m - 2 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow m &= -3, \frac{1}{3} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the equation of the BC is

$$y + 10 = -3(x - 1) \text{ or } y + 10 = \frac{1}{3}(x - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x + y - 7 = 0 \text{ or } x - 3y - 31 = 0.$$

19. Given  $a, b, c$  are in AP.

$$\Rightarrow 2b = a + c$$

Now,  $ax + by + c = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow 2ax + 2by + 2c &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow 2ax + (a + c)y + 2c &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow a(2x + y) + c(y + 2) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (2x + y) + \frac{c}{a}(y + 2) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (2x + y) = 0, (y + 2) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow x = -1, y = -2 \end{aligned}$$

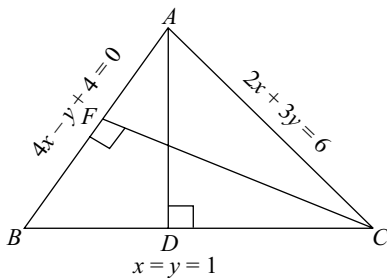
Thus, the given straight line passes through a fixed point is  $(-1, -2)$ .

20. Three given lines are concurrent, if

$$\begin{vmatrix} p & q & r \\ q & r & p \\ r & p & q \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow -(p^3 + q^3 + r^3 - 3pqr) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (p^3 + q^3 + r^3 - 3pqr) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (p + q + r)(p^2 + q^2 + r^2 - pq - qr - rp) &= 0 \\ \therefore (p + q + r) = 0, (p^2 + q^2 + r^2 - pq - qr - rp) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (p + q + r) = 0, p^2 + q^2 + r^2 = pq + qr + rp &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

21.



On solving the given equation, we get

$$A = \left(-\frac{3}{7}, \frac{16}{7}\right), B = \left(-\frac{3}{5}, \frac{4}{5}\right) \text{ and } C = (-3, 4)$$

Equation of AD is

$$y - \frac{16}{7} = \left(x + \frac{3}{7}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 7x - 7y + 19 = 0$$

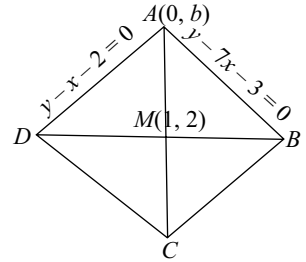
Equation of BC is

$$y - 4 = \frac{1}{4}(x + 3)$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 4y - 13 = 0$$

On solving AD and BC, we get the orthocentre is  $\left(\frac{3}{7}, \frac{22}{7}\right)$ , which lies in the first quadrant.

22. Since the sides of the rhombus are parallel to the lines  $y = x + 2$  and  $y = 7x + 3$ , so its diagonals are parallel to the bisectors of the angles between these lines.



$$\text{Thus, } \left(\frac{y - x - 2}{\sqrt{1 + 1}}\right) = \pm \left(\frac{y - 7x - 3}{\sqrt{1 + 49}}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{y - x - 2}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = \pm \left(\frac{y - 7x - 3}{5\sqrt{2}}\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow 5(y - x - 2) &= \pm (y - 7x - 3) \\ \Rightarrow 2x + 4y - 7 &= 0 \text{ or } 12x - 6y + 13 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the slope of AM is 2 or  $-\frac{1}{2}$

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{b - 2}{0 - 1} = 2 \text{ or } -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow b = 0 \text{ or } \frac{5}{2}$$

Hence, the possible co-ordinates of A are

$$(0, 0) \text{ or } \left(0, \frac{5}{2}\right)$$

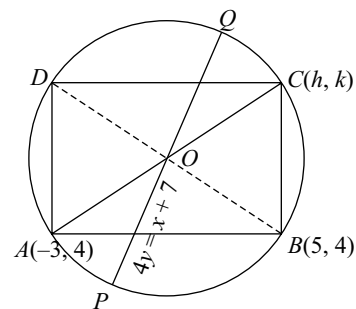
23. Given  $\begin{vmatrix} x_1 & y_1 & 1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & 1 \\ x_3 & y_3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & 1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & 1 \\ a_3 & b_3 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & y_1 & 1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & 1 \\ x_3 & y_3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & 1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & 1 \\ a_3 & b_3 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

Thus, areas are the same.

But it is not sure that it will be congruent.

24.



Let  $C = (h, k)$ .

Slope of AB = 0 and BC is perpendicular to AB.

$$\text{Thus, } h - 5 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow h = 5$$

Clearly the mid-point of AC lies on the given diameter PQ.

Thus,  $4\left(\frac{k+4}{2}\right) = \frac{h-3}{2} + 7 = 8$

$\Rightarrow k = 0$

Therefore  $C$  is  $(5, 0)$

So,  $BC = 4$  and  $AB = 8$

Hence, the area of the rectangle  $ABCD$  is  
 $= AB \times BC = 8 \times 4 = 32$  sq. u.

25.

26. All the points inside the triangle will lie in the half plane determined by  $ax + by + c \geq 0$

if all the vertices lie in it.

For the first,

$3x + 2y > 0,$

$3(1) + 2(3) = 9 > 0$

$3(5) + 2(0) = 15 > 0$

$3(-1) + 2(2) = 2 > 0$

Thus, all the vertices lie in the half plane determined by  $3x + 2y > 0$ .

For the second,

$2x + y - 13 > 0$

$2(1) + 3 - 13 = -8 \leq 0$

$2(0) + 0 - 13 = -13 \leq 0$

$2(-1) + 2 - 13 = -13 \leq 0$

Thus, all the vertices do not lie in the half plane determined by  $2x + y - 13 > 0$ .

For the third,

$2x - 3y - 12 < 0$

$2(1) - 3(3) - 12 = -19 \leq 0$

$2(5) - 3(0) - 12 = -2 \leq 0$

$2(-1) - 3(2) - 12 = -20 \leq 0$

Thus, all the vertices lie in the half plane determined by  $2x - 3y - 12 \leq 0$ .

For the fourth,

$-2x + y \leq 0$

$-2(1) + 3 = 1 \geq 0$

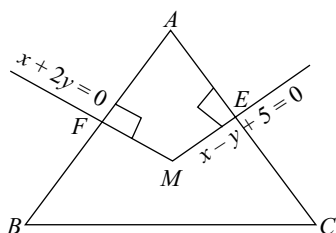
$-2(5) + 0 = -10 \leq 0$

$-2(-1) + 2 = 4 \geq 0$

Thus, all the vertices do not lie in the half plane determined by  $-2x + y \leq 0$ .

Hence, all points inside the triangle satisfy the inequalities  $3x + 2y \geq 0$  and  $2x - 3y - 12 \leq 0$ .

27.



Let the co-ordinates of  $B$  and  $C$  are  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$ , respectively.

Clearly the mid-point of  $A$  and  $B$  and  $A$  and  $C$  lie on the perpendicular bisectors  $x + 2y = 0$  and  $x - y + 5 = 0$ .

So,  $\frac{x_1+1}{2} + 2\left(\frac{y_1-2}{2}\right) = 0$

$\Rightarrow x_1 + 2y_1 - 13 = 0$  ... (i)

and  $\left(\frac{x_2+1}{2}\right) - \left(\frac{y_2-2}{2}\right) + 5 = 0$

$\Rightarrow x_2 - y_2 + 13 = 0$  ... (ii)

Also,  $\left(\frac{y_1+2}{x_1-1}\right)\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) = -1$

$\Rightarrow 2x_1 - y_1 - 4 = 0$

and  $\left(\frac{y_2-2}{x_2-1}\right)(1) = -1$

$\Rightarrow x_2 + y_2 + 1 = 0$  ... (iv)

Solving Eqs (i) and (iii), we get the co-ordinates of  $B$ ,

i.e.  $B = \left(\frac{11}{5}, \frac{2}{5}\right)$

Solving Eqs (ii) and (iv), we get the co-ordinates of  $C$ .

i.e.  $C = (-7, 6)$

Now,  $m(BC) = \frac{6 - \frac{2}{5}}{-7 - \frac{11}{5}} = -\frac{28}{46} = -\frac{14}{23}$ .

Therefore, the equation of  $BC$  is

$y - 6 = -\frac{14}{23}(x + 7)$

$\Rightarrow 23y - 138 = 14x - 98$

$\Rightarrow 14x + 23y - 40 = 0$

28 The slope of

$\left(0, \frac{8}{3}\right)$  and  $(1, 3)$  and  $(1, 3)$  and  $(82, 30)$

are same. So the given points are collinear.

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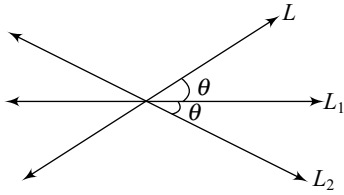
29. We know that two lines  $a_1x + b_1y + c_1 = 0$  and  $a_2x + b_2y + c_2 = 0$  cut the co-ordinate axes in concyclic points if  $a_1a_2 = b_1b_2$ .

Here,  $a_1a_2 = -\frac{19}{2} \times \frac{17}{9} = -\frac{243}{18}$

and  $b_1b_2 = -\frac{19}{3} \times \frac{17}{6} = -\frac{243}{18}$

Thus, the given lines cut the co-ordinate axes in concyclic points.

30. According to the question, the required line passes through the point of intersection of  $L_1$  and  $L_2$ .



Equation of any line passing through the point of intersection of  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  is

$$L_1 + \lambda L_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow ax + by + c + \lambda(lx + my + n) = 0$$

Here,  $L_1$  is equally inclined with  $L$  and  $L_2$ , thus

$$\frac{m_3 - m_1}{1 + m_1 m_3} = \frac{m_1 - m_2}{1 + m_1 m_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\frac{a + \lambda l}{b + \lambda m} - \frac{a}{b}}{1 + \left(\frac{a + \lambda l}{b + \lambda m}\right)\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)} = \frac{\frac{a}{b} - \frac{l}{m}}{1 + \left(\frac{a}{b}\right)\left(\frac{l}{m}\right)}$$

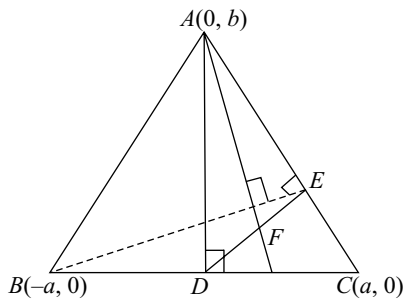
$$\Rightarrow \frac{am - bl}{al + bm} = \frac{\lambda(bl - am)}{a^2 + b^2 + \lambda(bm + al)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = -\frac{a^2 + b^2}{al + bm + 1}$$

Hence, the equation of the required line is

$$ax + by + c - \frac{a^2 + b^2}{al + bm + 1}(lx + my + n) = 0$$

31.



Let the co-ordinates of  $A, B$  and  $C$  are  $(0, b), (-a, 0)$  and  $(a, 0)$ , respectively and  $D$  as origin.

Equation of  $AC$  is  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$

Consider the co-ordinates of  $E$  be  $\left(t, b\left(1 - \frac{t}{a}\right)\right)$ .

Now,  $m(DE) = \frac{b\left(1 - \frac{t}{a}\right) - 0}{t - 0} = \frac{b(a - t)}{at}$

and  $m(AC) = -\frac{b}{a}$

Since  $DE \perp AC$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b(a - t)}{at} \times \left(-\frac{b}{a}\right) = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow b^2(a - t) = a^2t$$

$$\Rightarrow t = \frac{ab^2}{a^2 + b^2}$$

Thus, the co-ordinates of  $E$  are

$$\left(\frac{ab^2}{a^2 + b^2}, \frac{a^2b}{a^2 + b^2}\right)$$

and the co-ordinates of  $F$  are

$$\left(\frac{ab^2}{2(a^2 + b^2)}, \frac{a^2b}{2(a^2 + b^2)}\right)$$

Now, slope of  $AF = -\left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{ab}\right)$

and slope of  $BE = -\left(\frac{ab}{a^2 + b^2}\right)$

Clearly,  $AF \perp BE$ .

32. Clearly, the point  $A$  is  $(3, -1)$ .

Equation of  $BC$  is  $y - 2 = m(x - 1)$

Thus,  $\left|\frac{m + \frac{3}{4}}{1 - \frac{3}{4}m}\right| = \tan 45^\circ$

$$\Rightarrow \left|\frac{4m + 3}{4 - 3m}\right| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{4m + 3}{4 - 3m}\right) = \pm 1$$

$$\Rightarrow m = -7, \frac{1}{7}$$

Hence, the equation of the line  $BC$  is

$$y - 2 = -7(x - 1) \text{ or } y - 2 = \frac{1}{7}(x - 1)$$

$$x - 7y + 13 = 0 \text{ or } 7x + y - 9 = 0.$$

33. Let  $L: \frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$

After rotation through a given angle is

$$L: \frac{x}{p} + \frac{y}{q} = 1$$

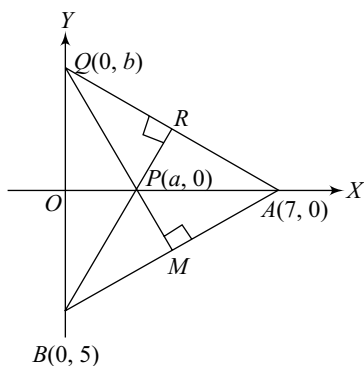
So, the distance from the origin of both the lines will be the same.

Thus,  $\left|\frac{0 + 0 - 1}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}}}\right| = \left|\frac{0 + 0 - 1}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{p^2} + \frac{1}{q^2}}}\right|$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{p^2} + \frac{1}{q^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}\right) = \left(\frac{1}{p^2} + \frac{1}{q^2}\right)$$

34.



Equation of  $AB$  is  $\frac{x}{7} + \frac{y}{-5} = 1$

Equation of  $PQ$  is  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$

Here,  $PQ$  is perpendicular to  $AB$ .

Thus,  $-\frac{b}{a} \times \frac{5}{7} = -1$

$\Rightarrow \frac{b}{7} = \frac{a}{5} = k$  (say)

Therefore, the equation of  $BP$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} - \frac{y}{5} = 1$$

$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{5k} - \frac{y}{5} = 1$

$\Rightarrow x - ky = 5k$  ... (i)

Similarly, the equation of  $AQ$  is

$$\frac{x}{7} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$$

$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{7} + \frac{y}{7k} = 1$

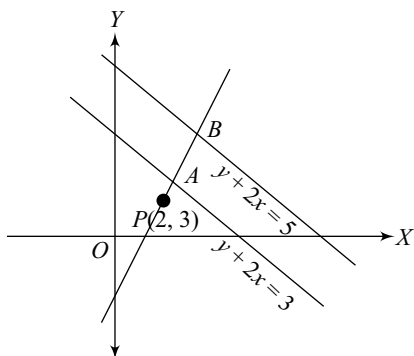
$\Rightarrow kx + y = 7k$  ... (ii)

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$\left(\frac{x}{y+5}\right)x + y = 7\left(\frac{x}{y+5}\right)$$

$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 7x + 5y = 0$

35.



Equation of any line through  $P$  is

$$y - 3 = m(x - 2) \quad \dots(i)$$

The line (i) intersects the given lines at  $A$  and  $B$ , respectively.

Thus, the co-ordinates of  $A$  and  $B$  are

$$A = \left(\frac{2m}{m+2}, \frac{6-m}{m+2}\right)$$

and  $B = \left(\frac{2m+2}{m+2}, \frac{m-6}{m+2}\right)$

It is given that,  $AB = 2$

$\Rightarrow AB^2 = 4$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{2m+2-2m}{m+2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{m-6-6+m}{m+2}\right)^2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{2}{m+2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{2m-12}{m+2}\right)^2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{m+2}\right) + \left(\frac{m-6}{m+2}\right)^2 = 1$$

$\Rightarrow 1 + (m-6)^2 = (m+2)^2$

$\Rightarrow 1 + m^2 - 12m + 36 = m^2 + 4m + 4$

$\Rightarrow 16m = 33 \Rightarrow m = \frac{33}{16}$

Hence, the equation of the line is

$$y - 3 = \frac{33}{16}(x - 2)$$

$\Rightarrow 16y - 48 = 33x - 6$

$\Rightarrow 33x - 16y = 66 - 48 = 18$

36. Let the variable line be  $ax + by + c = 0$ .

Given  $\frac{(2a+c)}{\sqrt{a^2+b^2}} + \frac{(2b+c)}{\sqrt{a^2+b^2}} + \frac{(a+b+c)}{\sqrt{a^2+b^2}} = 0$

$\Rightarrow (2a+c) + (2b+c) + (a+b+c) = 0$

$\Rightarrow 3(a+b+c) = 0$

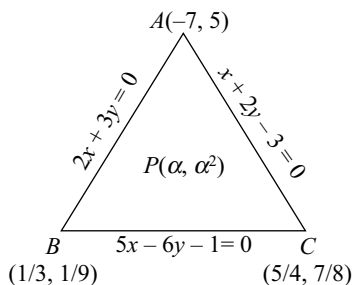
$\Rightarrow (a+b+c) = 0$

Thus, the line  $ax + by + c = 0$  passes through the point  $(1, 1)$ .

37.  $|x| + |y| = 1$

Clearly, the locus is a square.

38.



On solving the equations, we get the co-ordinates of  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$ , respectively.

Now,  $A$  and  $P$  lie on the same side of the line

$$5x - 6y - 1 = 0$$

Thus,  $\frac{5\alpha - 6\alpha^2 - 1}{5(-7) - 6(5) - 1} > 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 6\alpha^2 - 5\alpha + 1 > 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (3\alpha - 1)(2\alpha - 1) > 0$   
 $\Rightarrow \alpha < \frac{1}{3}$  or  $\alpha > \frac{1}{2}$  ... (i)

Again, the points  $P$  and  $B$  lie on the same side of the line  $x + 2y - 3 = 0$ .

Thus,  $\frac{\alpha + 2\alpha^2 - 3}{\frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{9} - 3} > 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 2\alpha^2 + \alpha - 3 < 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (2\alpha + 3)(\alpha - 1) < 0$   
 $\Rightarrow -\frac{3}{2} < \alpha < 1$  ... (ii)

Finally, the points  $P$  and  $C$  lie on the same side of the line  $2x - 3y - 1 = 0$

Thus,  $\frac{2\alpha + 3\alpha^2 - 1}{2\left(\frac{5}{4}\right) + 3\left(\frac{7}{8}\right) - 1} > 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 3\alpha^2 + 2\alpha - 1 > 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (3\alpha - 1)(\alpha + 1) > 0$   
 $\Rightarrow \alpha < -1$  or  $\alpha > \frac{1}{3}$  ... (iii)

From Eqs (i), (ii) and (iii), we get

$$\alpha \in \left(-\frac{3}{2}, -1\right) \cup \left(\frac{1}{2}, 1\right)$$

39. Let  $BD$  is the angle bisector of the  $\angle ABC$ .

Now,  $\frac{AD}{DC} = \frac{BA}{BC} = \frac{\sqrt{36 + 64}}{\sqrt{16 + 9}} = \frac{10}{5} = \frac{2}{1}$

Thus, the co-ordinates of  $D$  are  $\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}\right)$

Therefore, the equation of  $BD$  is

$$(y - 1) = \frac{1}{7}(x - 5)$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 7y + 2 = 0$$

40. Equation of any line passing through  $A$  is

$$\frac{x + 5}{\cos \theta} = \frac{y + 4}{\sin \theta} = r_1, r_2, r_3$$

Let  $AB = r_1, AC = r_2, AD = r_3$   
 Clearly, the point  $(r_1 \cos \theta - 5, r_1 \sin \theta - 4)$  lies on the line  $x + 3y + 2 = 0$

So,  $(r_1 \cos \theta - 5) + 3(r_1 \sin \theta - 4) + 2 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow r_1 = \frac{15}{\cos \theta + 3 \sin \theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{15}{r_1} = (\cos \theta + 3 \sin \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{15}{AB} = (\cos \theta + 3 \sin \theta)$$

Similarly,  $\frac{10}{AC} = 2 \cos \theta + \sin \theta$

and  $\frac{6}{AD} = \cos \theta - \sin \theta$

It is given that

$$\left(\frac{15}{AB}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{10}{AC}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{6}{AD}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (\cos \theta + 3 \sin \theta)^2 + (2 \cos \theta + \sin \theta)^2 = (\cos \theta - \sin \theta)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 \cos^2 \theta + 9 \sin^2 \theta + 12 \sin \theta \cos \theta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2 \cos \theta + 3 \sin \theta)^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2 \cos \theta + 3 \sin \theta) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = -\frac{2}{3}$$

Hence, the equation of the required line is

$$y + 4 = -\frac{2}{3}(x + 5)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3y + 12 = -2x - 10$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + 3y + 22 = 0$$

41. As we know that the point of intersection of any two perpendicular sides of a triangle is also called ortho-centre.

Given lines are  $xy = 0$  and  $x + y = 1$   
 $\Rightarrow x = 0, y = 0$  and  $x + y = 1$

42. Ans.  $(m^2 - 1)x - my + b(m^2 + 1) + am = 0$

43. The given lines are  $x + 3y = 4$  and  $6x - 2y = 7$  which are mutually perpendicular to each other. Thus,  $PQRS$  must be a rhombus.

44. Equation of  $PS$  is  $2x + 9y = 22$ .

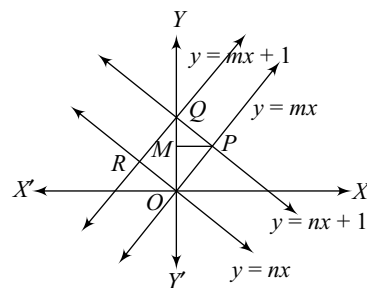
Equation of any line parallel to  $PS$  is  $2x + 9y + k = 0$

Which is passing through  $(1, -1)$

So,  $k = 7$

Hence, the equation of the required line is  $2x + 9y + 7 = 0$ .

- 45.
- 46.
- 47.



Area of a parallelogram  $OPQR$   
 $= 2$  (ar of  $\Delta OPQ$ )

$$= 2 \times \frac{1}{2} \times OQ \times PM$$

$$= OQ \times PM$$

$$= \frac{1}{|m - n|}$$

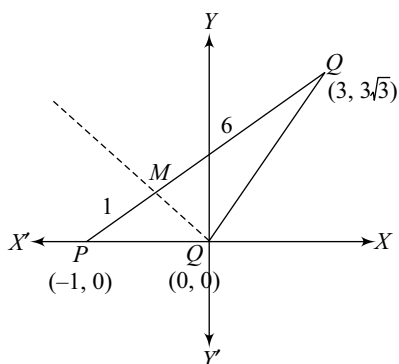
48. We have  $3x + 4mx + 4 = 9$   
 $\Rightarrow x(3 + 4m) = 5$   
 $\Rightarrow x = \frac{5}{(3 + 4m)}$

When  $m = -1$ , then  $x = -5$

When  $m = -2$ , then  $x = -1$

Thus, the number of possible integral values of  $m$  is 2.

49.



Since  $OM$  is the internal bisector of  $\angle PQR$ .

$$\frac{QM}{PM} = \frac{OQ}{OP} = \frac{6}{1}$$

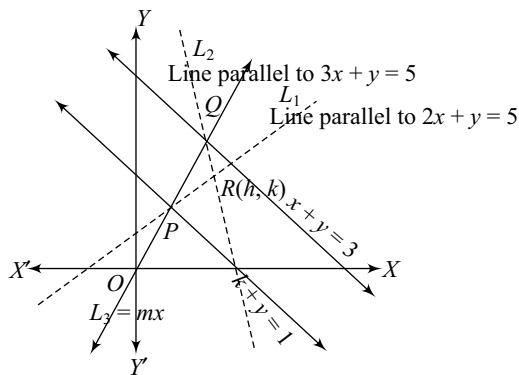
Thus, the co-ordinates of  $M = \left(-\frac{3}{7}, \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{7}\right)$

Therefore, the equation of  $OM$  is

$$y = -\sqrt{3}x$$

$$\Rightarrow y + \sqrt{3}x = 0$$

50.



Let  $L: y = mx$

Then the co-ordinates of  $P$  and  $Q$  are

$$P = \left(\frac{1}{m+1}, \frac{m}{m+1}\right) \text{ and}$$

$$Q = \left(\frac{3}{m+1}, \frac{3m}{m+1}\right)$$

Equation of the lines  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  are

$$L_1: 2x - y = \frac{2-m}{m+1}$$

$$L_2: 3x + y = \frac{9+3m}{m+1}$$

Let the co-ordinates of  $R$  be  $(h, k)$

$$\text{Thus, } h = \frac{11+2m}{5(m+1)}, k = \frac{12+9m}{5(m+1)}$$

Eliminating  $m$  from the above relations, we get

$$5h - 15k + 25 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow h - 3k + 5 = 0$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$x - 3y + 5 = 0$$

51. Equation of any line passing through  $(8, 2)$  is

$$y - 2 = m(x - 8)$$

Put  $y = 0$ ,  $m(x - 8) = -2$ .

$$\Rightarrow (x - 8) = -\frac{2}{m}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 8 - \frac{2}{m}$$

Thus,  $OP = 8 - \frac{2}{m}$

Put  $x = 0$ , then  $y = 2 - 8m$

Thus,  $OQ = 2 - 8m$

$$\text{Let } S = OP + OQ = \left(8 - \frac{2}{m}\right) + (2 - 8m)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dS}{dm} = \frac{2}{m^2} - 8$$

For maximum or minimum,

$$\frac{dS}{dm} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{m^2} - 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \pm \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{d^2S}{dm^2} = -\frac{2}{m^3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{d^2S}{dm^2}\right)_{m=-\frac{1}{2}} = 16 > 0$$



Thus, the sum will provide us the least value.  
The least value is  $= 8 + 4 + 2 + 4 = 18$ .

52. Equation of any line passing through  $(2, 2)$  is  
 $y - 2 = m(x - 2)$

Let the points  $A$  and  $B$  are

$$A = \left( \frac{2m-2}{m+\sqrt{3}}, -\sqrt{3} \left( \frac{2m-2}{m+\sqrt{3}} \right) \right)$$

and  $B = \left( \frac{2m-2}{m-\sqrt{3}}, \sqrt{3} \left( \frac{2m-2}{m-\sqrt{3}} \right) \right)$

Since the triangle  $OAB$  is equilateral, so  
 $OA = OB = AB$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{2m-2}{m+\sqrt{3}} \right)^2 + 3 \left( \frac{2m-2}{m+\sqrt{3}} \right)^2 = \left( \frac{2m-2}{m-\sqrt{3}} \right)^2 + 3 \left( \frac{2m-2}{m-\sqrt{3}} \right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{4}{(m+\sqrt{3})^2} = \frac{4}{(m-\sqrt{3})^2}$$

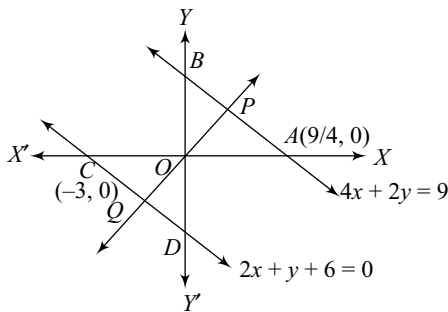
$$\Rightarrow (m+\sqrt{3})^2 = (m-\sqrt{3})^2$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 0$$

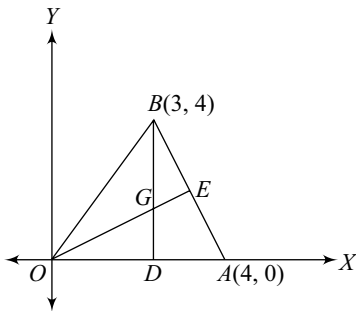
Hence the required equation of the line is  $y = 2$ .

53. Triangles  $OPA$  and  $OQC$  are similar.

Thus,  $\frac{OP}{OQ} = \frac{OA}{OC} = \frac{9/4}{3} = \frac{3}{4}$



54. Equation of the altitude  $BD$  is  $x = 3$ .



Slope of  $AB$  is  $\frac{4-0}{3-4} = -4$

and Slope of  $OE$  is  $\frac{1}{4}$ .

Equation of  $OE$  is  $y = \frac{1}{4}x$

Thus the line  $BD$  and  $OE$  meet in  $\left( 3, \frac{3}{4} \right)$

Hence, the centroid is  $\left( 3, \frac{3}{4} \right)$ .

55. Let the point  $P$  be  $(x, y)$

Given

$$\sqrt{(x-a_1)^2 + (y-b_1)^2} = \sqrt{(x-a_2)^2 + (y-b_2)^2}$$

$$(x-a_1)^2 + (y-b_1)^2 = (x-a_2)^2 + (y-b_2)^2$$

$$a_1^2 - 2a_1x + b_1^2 - 2b_1y = a_2^2 - 2a_2x + b_2^2 - 2b_2y$$

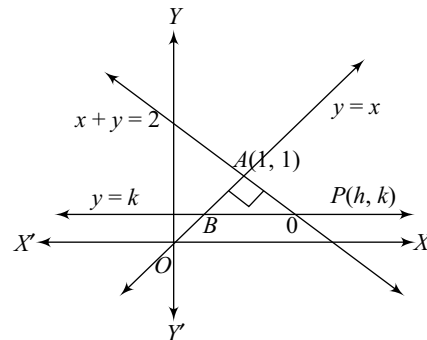
$$a_1^2 - a_2^2 + b_1^2 - b_2^2 = 2(a_1 - a_2)x + 2(b_1 - b_2)y$$

$$(a_1 - a_2)x + (b_1 - b_2)y = \frac{1}{2}(a_1^2 - a_2^2 + b_1^2 - b_2^2)$$

Thus, the value of  $c$  is  $\frac{1}{2}(a_2^2 - a_1^2 + b_2^2 - b_1^2)$ .

56. Ans. (a)

57.



The co-ordinates of  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$  are  $(1, 1)$ ,  $(k, k)$  and  $(2-k, k)$ .

Given  $\frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ k & k & 1 \\ 2-k & k & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 4h^2$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ k & 0 & 1-k \\ 2-k & 2k-2 & k-1 \end{vmatrix} = 4h^2 \begin{matrix} C_2 \rightarrow C_2 - C_1 \\ C_3 \rightarrow C_3 - C_1 \end{matrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1-k \\ 2k-2 & k-1 \end{vmatrix} = 4h^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1-k \\ k-1 & k-1 \end{vmatrix} = 4h^2$$

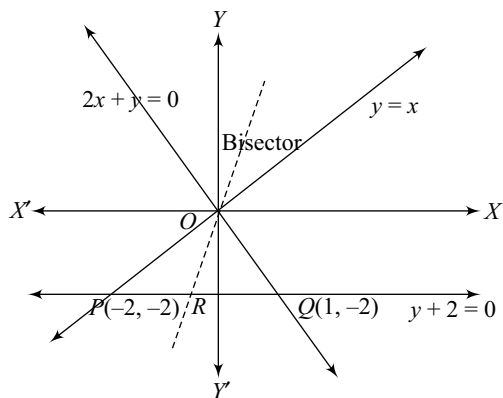
$$\Rightarrow (k-1)^2 = 4h^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (k-1) = \pm 2h$$

Hence, the locus of  $P$  is  $2x - y + 1 = 0$ .

58. Ans.  $a_0 = 1$

59.



In  $\Delta OPQ$ ,  $\frac{PR}{RQ} = \frac{OP}{OQ} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{5}}$

But statement II is false.

60. (a) The point of intersection  $L_1: x + 3y - 5 = 0$  and  $L_3: 5x + 2y - 12 = 0$  is  $P(2, 1)$ .

If  $L_1, L_2$  and  $L_3$  are concurrent, the point  $P$  must satisfy  $L_2 = 0$

Thus,  $6 - k - 1 = 0$   
 $k = 5$ .

- (b) Let  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  are parallel.

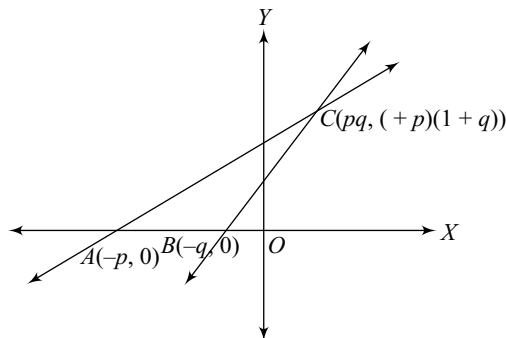
Then  $\frac{1}{3} = \frac{3}{-k} \Rightarrow k = -9$

Again, let  $L_2$  and  $L_3$  are parallel.

Then  $\frac{3}{5} = \frac{-k}{2} \Rightarrow k = -\frac{6}{5}$ .

- (c) For  $k \neq 5, -9, -\frac{6}{5}$  they will form a triangle.  
 (d) For  $k = 5, -9, -\frac{6}{5}$  they will not form a triangle.

64.



Intersection point of  $y = 0$  with first line is  $A(-p, 0)$   
 Intersection point of  $y = 0$  with second line is  $B(-q, 0)$   
 Intersection point of the two lines is

$C(pq, (p + 1)(q + 1))$

Altitude from  $C$  to  $AB$  is  $x = pq$

Altitude from  $B$  to  $AC$  is

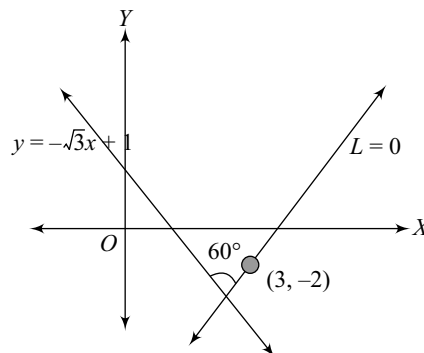
$y = -\frac{q}{1+q}(x + p)$

On solving, we get,

$x = pq$  and  $y = -pq$

Thus, the locus of the orthocentre is  $x + y = 0$  which is a straight line.

62.



Equation of a line passing through  $(3, -2)$  is  $(y + 2) = m(x - 3)$

It is given that,

$\tan(60^\circ) = \left| \frac{m + \sqrt{3}}{1 - m\sqrt{3}} \right|$

$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{m + \sqrt{3}}{1 - m\sqrt{3}} \right| = \sqrt{3}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{m + \sqrt{3}}{1 - m\sqrt{3}} = \pm\sqrt{3}$

$\Rightarrow (m + \sqrt{3}) = \pm\sqrt{3}(1 - m\sqrt{3})$

$\Rightarrow m = 0, m = \sqrt{3}$

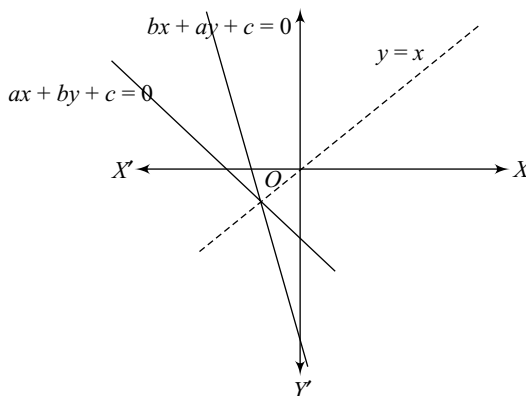
Hence, the equation is

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

$\Rightarrow \sqrt{3}x - y - (2 + 3\sqrt{3}) = 0$

$\Rightarrow y - \sqrt{3}x + (2 + 3\sqrt{3}) = 0$

63.



Clearly, the point of intersection of the lines  $ax + by + c = 0$  and  $bx + ay + c = 0$  lie on the line  $y = x$ . Let the point be  $(r, r)$ .

Given  $\sqrt{(r - 1)^2 + (r - 1)^2} < 2\sqrt{2}$

$\Rightarrow \sqrt{2(r - 1)^2} < 2\sqrt{2}$

$\Rightarrow \sqrt{2}|(r - 1)| < 2\sqrt{2}$

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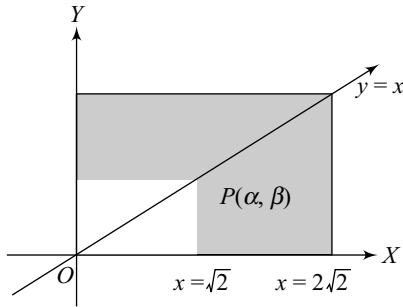
$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow & |(r-1)| < 2 \\ \Rightarrow & -2 < (r-1) < 2 \\ \Rightarrow & -1 < r < 3 \end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $(-1, -1)$  lies on the opposite side of origin for both lines.

Therefore,  $-a - b + c < 0$

$$\Rightarrow a + b - c > 0$$

64.



Coordinate Geometry Booster

Given  $2 \leq d_1(P) + d_2(P) \leq 4$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \leq \left| \frac{\alpha - \beta}{\sqrt{2}} \right| + \left| \frac{\alpha + \beta}{\sqrt{2}} \right| \leq 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\sqrt{2} \leq |\alpha - \beta| + |\alpha + \beta| \leq 4\sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\sqrt{2} \leq 2\alpha \leq 4\sqrt{2}, \text{ when } \alpha > \beta, \text{ for } P(\alpha, \beta)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{2} \leq \alpha \leq 2\sqrt{2}.$$

$$\text{Area of the region} = (2\sqrt{2})^2 - (\sqrt{2})^2$$

$$= 8 - 2$$

$$= 6$$

# Pair of Straight Lines

## CONCEPT BOOSTER

### 1. INTRODUCTION

A pair of lines is the locus of a point moving on two lines.  
Let the two lines be

$$a_1x + b_1y + c_1 = 0$$

and  $a_2x + b_2y + c_2 = 0$

The joint equation of the given equations is

$$(a_1x + b_1y + c_1)(a_2x + b_2y + c_2) = 0$$

and conversely if joint equation of two lines be

$$(a_1x + b_1y + c_1)(a_2x + b_2y + c_2) = 0,$$

then their separate equations will be

$$a_1x + b_1y + c_1 = 0 \text{ and } a_2x + b_2y + c_2 = 0$$

**Notes:**

1. In order to find the joint equation of two lines make RHS of equation of the straight lines to zero and then multiply the equations.
2. In order to find the separate equations of two lines, when their joint equation is given. Simply factorize the joint equation and reduces into two linear factors.

### 2. HOMOGENEOUS EQUATION

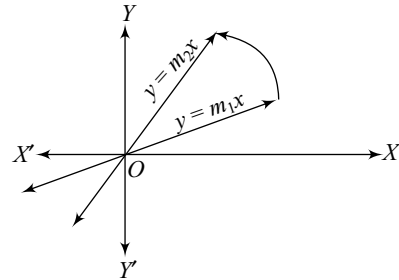
In an equation, if the degree of each term throughout the equation is same, it is known as homogeneous equation.

Thus  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 0$  is a homogeneous equation of 2nd degree and  $ax^3 + 2hx^2y + by^3 = 0$  is a homogeneous equation of degree 3.

### 3. PAIR OF STRAIGHT LINES THROUGH THE ORIGIN

#### Theorem

Any homogeneous equation of 2nd degree in  $x$  and  $y$  represents two straight lines which are passing through the origin.



A homogeneous equation of 2nd degree in  $x$  and  $y$  is  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow y^2 + \left(\frac{2h}{b}\right)x + \frac{a}{b}x^2 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow y &= \frac{-\left(\frac{2h}{b}\right)x \pm x\sqrt{\frac{4h^2}{b^2} - \frac{4a}{b}}}{2} \\ &= \left(-\left(\frac{h}{b}\right) \pm \sqrt{\frac{h^2}{b^2} - \frac{a}{b}}\right)x \\ &= \left(-\left(\frac{h}{b}\right) \pm \sqrt{\frac{h^2 - ab}{b^2}}\right)x \\ &= \left(\frac{-h \pm \sqrt{h^2 - ab}}{b}\right)x \\ &= \left(\frac{-h + \sqrt{h^2 - ab}}{b}\right)x \text{ or } \left(\frac{-h - \sqrt{h^2 - ab}}{b}\right)x \\ \Rightarrow (y - m_1x)(y - m_2x) &= 0, \\ \text{where } m_1 + m_2 &= -\frac{2h}{b} \text{ and } m_1 \cdot m_2 = \frac{a}{b} \\ \Rightarrow y - m_1x &= 0 \text{ or } y - m_2x = 0 \\ \text{both of which are pass through the origin.} \end{aligned}$$

**4. ANGLE BETWEEN THE LINES REPRESENTED BY  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 0$**

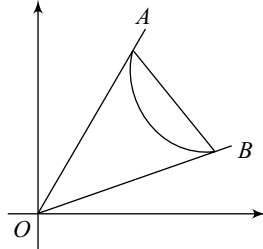
Let the lines are represented by  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 0$

are  $y - m_1x = 0$  and  $y - m_2x = 0$

where  $m_1 + m_2 = -\frac{2h}{b}$

and  $m_1 \cdot m_2 = \frac{2a}{b}$

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between them.



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } \tan \theta &= \left| \frac{m_1 - m_2}{1 + m_1 m_2} \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{\sqrt{(m_1 + m_2)^2 - 4m_1 m_2}}{1 + m_1 m_2} \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{\sqrt{\frac{4h^2}{b^2} - 4 \frac{a}{b}}}{1 + \frac{a}{b}} \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{2\sqrt{h^2 - ab}}{a + b} \right| \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $\theta = \tan^{-1} \left( \left| \frac{2\sqrt{h^2 - ab}}{a + b} \right| \right)$ .

(i) *Condition of parallelism*

In this case,  $\theta = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow h^2 = ab$

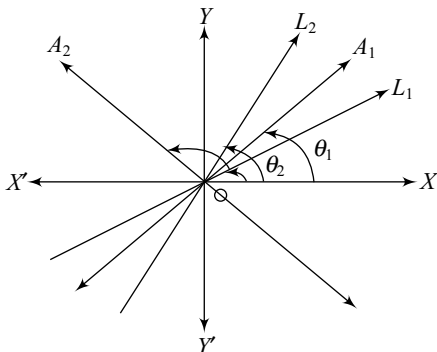
(ii) *Condition of perpendicularity*

In this case,  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$   
 $\Rightarrow a + b = 0$

(iii) *Condition of coincidency*

In this case also,  $\theta = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow h^2 = ab$ .

**5. BISECTORS OF ANGLES BETWEEN THE LINES REPRESENTED BY  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 0$**



Let the given equation represents the straight lines

$$y - m_1x = 0 \text{ and } y - m_2x = 0$$

Then  $m_1 + m_2 = -\frac{2h}{b}$ ,  $m_1 m_2 = \frac{a}{b}$ .

The equation of the bisectors of the angles between the given straight lines are

$$\frac{y - m_1x}{\sqrt{1 + m_1^2}} = \frac{y - m_2x}{\sqrt{1 + m_2^2}}$$

and  $\frac{y - m_1x}{\sqrt{1 + m_1^2}} = -\frac{y - m_2x}{\sqrt{1 + m_2^2}}$

The joint equation of the bisectors is

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{y - m_1x}{\sqrt{1 + m_1^2}} - \frac{y - m_2x}{\sqrt{1 + m_2^2}} \right) \left( \frac{y - m_1x}{\sqrt{1 + m_1^2}} + \frac{y - m_2x}{\sqrt{1 + m_2^2}} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{y - m_1x}{\sqrt{1 + m_1^2}} \right)^2 = \left( \frac{y - m_2x}{\sqrt{1 + m_2^2}} \right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (y - m_1x)^2(1 + m_2^2) = (y - m_2x)^2(1 + m_1^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 + m_2^2)(y^2 - 2m_1xy + m_1^2x^2)$$

$$= (1 + m_1^2)(y^2 - 2m_2xy + m_2^2x^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (m_1^2 - m_2^2)(x^2 - y^2)$$

$$+ 2(m_1m_2 - 1)(m_1 - m_2)xy = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (m_1 + m_2)(x^2 - y^2) + 2(m_1m_2 - 1)xy = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( -\frac{2h}{b} \right)(x^2 - y^2) + 2 \left( \frac{a}{b} - 1 \right)xy = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( -\frac{2h}{b} \right)(x^2 - y^2) = -2 \left( \frac{a}{b} - 1 \right)xy$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2 - y^2}{a - b} = \frac{xy}{h}$$

which is the required equation of bisectors of the lines represented by

$$ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 0$$

**6. GENERAL EQUATION OF 2ND DEGREE IS  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$**

**Theorem**

The general equation of 2nd degree is

$$ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$$

which represents a pair of straight lines if

$$abc + 2fgh - af^2 - bg^2 - ch^2 = 0.$$

**Proof:** The general equation of 2nd degree is

$$ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\Rightarrow by^2 + 2(hx + f)y + (ax^2 + 2gx + c) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{-2(hx + f) \pm \sqrt{4(hx + f)^2 - 4b(ax^2 + 2gx + c)}}{2b}$$

$$= \frac{-(hx + f) \pm \sqrt{(h^2 - ab)x^2 + 2(gh - af)x + (g^2 - ac)}}{b}$$

Equation (i) represents two straight lines if LHS of Eq (i) can be resolved into two linear factors, therefore the expression under the square root should be a perfect square.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Hence, } & 4(gh - af)^2 - 4(h^2 - ab)(g^2 - ac) = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & g^2h^2 + a^2f^2 - 2afgh - h^2g^2 + abg^2 + ach^2 - a^2bc = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & a(af^2 + bg^2 + ch^2 - 2fgh - abc) = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & abc + 2fgh - af - bg - ch^2 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

which is the required condition.

**Result 1**

The lines represented by

$$ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$$

are parallel if

$$\Delta = abc + 2fgh - af^2 - bg^2 - ch^2 = 0$$

and  $h^2 - ab = 0$

**Result 2**

The lines represented by

$$ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$$

are perpendicular if

$$\Delta = abc + 2fgh - af^2 - bg^2 - ch^2 = 0$$

and  $a + b = 0$ .

**Result 3**

The point of intersection of the lines represented by

$$ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$$

is obtained by

$$\frac{\delta f}{\delta x} = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{\delta f}{\delta y} = 0$$

i.e.  $2ax + 2hy + 2g = 0$

$\Rightarrow ax + hy + g = 0$

and  $2hx + 2by + 2f = 0$

$\Rightarrow hx + by + f = 0$

**Result 4**

The point of intersection of the lines represented by

$$ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$$

is  $\left( \sqrt{\frac{f^2 - bc}{h^2 - ab}}, \sqrt{\frac{g^2 - ac}{h^2 - ab}} \right)$

or  $\left( \frac{bg - hf}{h^2 - ab}, \frac{af - gh}{h^2 - ab} \right)$

**Result 5**

The angle between the lines represented by

$$ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left| \frac{2\sqrt{h^2 - ab}}{(a + b)} \right|$$

**Result 6**

The lines represented by

$$ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$$

will be coincident if

$$h^2 - ab = 0, g^2 - ac = 0 \text{ and } f^2 - bc = 0$$

**Result 7**

The pair of bisectors of the lines represented by

$$ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

is

$$\frac{(x - \alpha)^2 - (y - \beta)^2}{(a - b)} = \frac{(x - \alpha)(x - \beta)}{h},$$

where  $(\alpha, \beta)$  be the point of intersection of the pair of straight lines represented by Eq. (i).

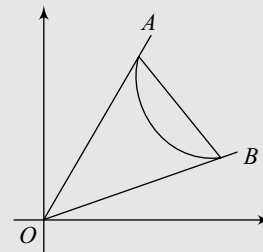
**Result 8**

The combined equation of the straight lines joining the origin to the points of intersection of a second degree curve

$$ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$$

and a straight line  $lx + my + n = 0$  is

$$\begin{aligned} & ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2gx \left( \frac{lx + my}{-n} \right) \\ & + 2fy \left( \frac{lx + my}{-n} \right) + c \left( \frac{lx + my}{-n} \right)^2 = 0 \end{aligned}$$



After simplification, the above equation will be reduced to  $Ax^2 + 2Hxy + By^2 = 0$  and it will represent two straight lines, which are passing through the origin.

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between them, then

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left| \frac{2\sqrt{H^2 - AB}}{A + B} \right|$$

**EXERCISES**

**LEVEL I**

**(Problems Based on Fundamentals)**

**ABC OF PAIR OF STRAIGHT LINES**

1. Find the joint equation of the lines  $x - y + 2 = 0$  and  $2x + y + 4 = 0$ .

2. Find the joint equation of the lines  $x = y$  and  $x + y = 1$ .
3. Find the separate equations of the lines represented by  $x^2 - 3xy + 2y^2 = 0$ .
4. Find the separate equations of the lines represented by  $x^2 - y^2 + 2y - 1 = 0$ .
5. Find the straight lines which are represented by  $x^2 + 5xy + 6y^2 = 0$ .

- Find the area of the triangle formed by the lines  $y^2 - 5xy + 6y^2 = 0$  and  $y = 6$ .
- Find the orthocentre of the triangle formed by the lines  $xy = 0$  and  $x + y = 2$ .
- Find the circumcentre of the triangle formed by the lines  $xy - x - y + 1 = 0$  and  $x + y = 4$ .
- Find the angle between the lines represented by  $2013x^2 + 2014xy - 2013y^2 = 0$ .
- Find the angles between the lines represented by  $2x^2 - 4\sqrt{3}xy + 6y^2 = 0$ .
- Find the angle between the lines represented by  $x^2 + 4xy + y^2 = 0$ .

**BISECTORS OF THE LINES**

- Find the equation of the bisectors of the angle between the lines represented by  $3x^2 + 5xy + 4y^2 = 0$ .
- If  $y = mx$  is one of the bisectors of the lines  $x^2 + 4xy + y^2 = 0$ , find the value of  $m$ .
- Prove that the lines  $9x^2 + 14xy + 16y^2 = 0$  are equally inclined to the lines  $3x^2 + 2xy + 4y^2 = 0$ .
- Prove that the bisectors of the angle between the lines  $ax^2 + acxy + cy^2 = 0$  and  $\left(2013 + \frac{1}{c}\right)x^2 + xy + \left(2013 + \frac{1}{a}\right)y^2 = 0$  are always same.
- If pairs of straight lines  $x^2 - 2pxy - y^2 = 0$  and  $x^2 - 2qxy - y^2 = 0$  be such that each pair bisects the angle between the other pair, prove that  $pq = -1$ .

**GENERAL EQUATION OF A STRAIGHT LINE**

- For what values of  $m$ , does the equation  $mx^2 - 5xy - 6y^2 + 14x + 5y + 4 = 0$  represents two straight lines?
- For what value of  $\lambda$ , does the equation  $12x^2 - 10xy + 2y^2 + 11x - 5y + \lambda = 0$  represents a pair of straight lines?
- If  $\lambda x^2 + 10xy + 3y^2 - 15x - 21y + 18 = 0$  represents a pair of straight lines, find the value of  $\lambda$ .
- Find the separate equation of lines represented by  $x^2 - 5xy + 4y^2 + x + 2y - 2 = 0$
- Prove that the equation  $x^2 - 2\sqrt{3}xy + 3y^2 - 3x + 3\sqrt{3}y - 4 = 0$  represents two parallel straight lines and also find the distance between them.
- Find the equation of the straight lines passing through the point (1, 1) and parallel to the lines represented by the equation  $x^2 - 5xy + 4y^2 + x + 2y - 2 = 0$ .
- If the equation  $3x^2 + 5xy - py^2 + 2x + 3y = 0$  represents two perpendicular straight lines, then find the value of  $p + 2010$ .
- Prove that the equation  $16x^2 + 24xy + 9y^2 + 40x + 30y - 75 = 0$  represents two parallel straight lines.

- Find the point of intersection of the lines represented by  $x^2 - 5xy + 4y^2 + x + 2y - 2 = 0$ .
- Find the point of intersection of the straight lines represented by the equation  $3x^2 - 2xy - 8y^2 - 4x + 18y - 7 = 0$
- Find the point of intersection of the straight lines is given by the equation  $3y^2 - 8xy - 3x^2 - 29x + 3y - 18 = 0$
- If the equation  $12x^2 + 7xy - py^2 - 18x + qy + 6 = 0$  represents two perpendicular lines, then find the values of  $p$  and  $q$ .
- Prove that the four lines given by  $3x^2 + 8xy - 3y^2 = 0$  and  $3x^2 + 8xy - 3y^2 + 2x - 4y - 1 = 0$  form a square.
- Find the angle between the lines represented by  $3x^2 - 2xy - 8y^2 - 4x + 18y - 7 = 0$
- Find the angle between the lines represented by  $x^2 - 5xy + 4y^2 + x + 2y - 2 = 0$
- If the angle between the lines represented by  $2x^2 + 5xy + 3y^2 + 7y + 4 = 0$  is  $\tan^{-1}(m)$ , then find  $m$ .
- Prove that the lines represented by  $x^2 - 8xy + 16y^2 + 2x - 8y + 1 = 0$  is coincident
- Find the equation of bisectors of the lines represented by  $x^2 - 5xy + 2y^2 + x + 2y - 2 = 0$ .
- Find the angle between the lines joining the origin to the points of intersection of the straight line  $y = 3x + 2$  with the curve  $x^2 + 2xy + 3y^2 + 4x + 8y - 11 = 0$ .
- Find the equation of the straight lines joining the origin to the points of intersection of the line  $y = mx + c$  and the curve  $x^2 + y^2 = b^2$ .
- Find the equation of the straight lines joining the origin to the points of intersection of the line  $lx + my = 1$  and the curve  $y^2 = 4bx$ .
- Find the equation of bisectors of the angles represented by the lines  $12x^2 - 10xy + 2y^2 + 9x + 2y - 12 = 0$ .
- Prove that the lines joining the origin to the points of intersection of the line  $3x - 2y = 1$  and the curve  $3x^2 + 5xy - 3y^2 + 2x + 3y = 0$  are perpendicular to each other.
- If the equation  $ax^2 - 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  represents two straight lines, prove that the product of the perpendiculars drawn from the origin to the lines is  $\frac{c}{\sqrt{(a-b)^2 + 4h^2}}$ .
- Find the value of  $m$ , if the lines joining the origin and the point of intersection of  $y = mx + 1$  and  $x^2 + 3y^2 = 1$  perpendicular to one another.

**LEVEL II****(Mixed Problems)**

- The orthocentre of the triangle formed by the lines  $xy = 0$  and  $2x + 3y = 6$  is  
(a) (1, 1) (b) (0, 0) (c) (1, 2) (d) (2, 1)
- The orthocentre of the triangle formed by the lines  $xy - x - y + 1 = 0$  and  $3x + 4y = 12$  is  
(a) (1,1) (b) (0, 0) (c) (2,2) (d) (3,3)
- The image of the pair of lines represented by  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 0$  by the line mirror  $y = 0$  is  
(a)  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 0$  (b)  $ax^2 + 2hxy - by^2 = 0$   
(c)  $ax^2 - 2hxy + by^2 = 0$  (d)  $ax^2 - 2hxy - by^2 = 0$
- The image of the pair of lines represented by  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 0$  by the line mirror  $x = 0$  is  
(a)  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 0$  (b)  $ax^2 + 2hxy - by^2 = 0$   
(c)  $ax^2 - 2hxy + by^2 = 0$  (d)  $ax^2 - 2hxy - by^2 = 0$
- The point of intersection of the two lines given by  $2x^2 - 5xy + 2y^2 + 3x + 3y + 1 = 0$  is  
(a)  $\left(-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$  (b)  $\left(\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\right)$   
(c)  $\left(-\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}\right)$  (d)  $\left(\frac{1}{3}, -\frac{1}{3}\right)$
- If the equation  $12x^2 + 7xy - py^2 - 18x + qy + 6 = 0$  represents two perpendicular lines, the value of  $p + q + 7$  is  
(a) 15 (b) 20 (c) 25 (d) 30
- The angle between the lines  $x^2 + 4xy + y^2 = 0$  is  
(a)  $\pi/2$  (b)  $\pi/6$  (c)  $\pi/3$  (d)  $\pi/4$
- The angle between the lines given by  $x^2 + 2013xy - y^2 = 0$  is  
(a)  $\pi/2$  (b)  $\pi/6$  (c)  $\pi/3$  (d)  $\pi/4$
- The area of the triangle formed by the lines  $y^2 - 9xy + 18x^2 = 0$  and  $y = 9$  is  
(a) 27/4 (b) 31/4 (c) 18/5 (d) 27
- If  $x^2 - 3xy + \lambda y^2 + 3x - 5y + 2 = 0$  represents a pair of straight lines, the value of  $\lambda$  is  
(a) 1 (b) 4 (c) 3 (d) 2
- If the equation  $2x^2 - 3xy - ay^2 + x + by - 1 = 0$  represents two perpendicular lines, then  $a + b + 2$  is  
(a) 2 (b) 5 (c) 6 (d) 3
- If  $xy + x + y + 1 = 0$  and  $x + ay - 3 = 0$  are concurrent, the value of  $a + 10$  is  
(a) 5 (b) 7 (c) 6 (d) 4
- The circumcentre of the triangle formed by the lines  $xy + 2x + 2y + 4 = 0$  and  $x + y + 2 = 0$  is  
(a) (0, 0) (b) (-1, -1) (c) (-1, -2) (d) (-2, -2)
- The distance between the pair of parallel lines  $9x^2 - 24xy + 16y^2 - 12x + 16y - 12 = 0$  is  
(a) 5 (b) 8 (c) 8/5 (d) 5/8
- If one of the lines given by  $6x^2 - xy + 4cy^2 = 0$  is  $3x + 4y = 0$ , then the value of  $c$  is  
(a) 1 (b) -1 (c) -3 (d) 5

**LEVEL III****(Problems for JEE Advanced)**

- Find the internal angles of the triangle formed by the pair of the straight lines  $x^2 - 4xy + y^2 = 0$  and the straight line  $x + y + 4\sqrt{6} = 0$ . Give the co-ordinates of the vertices of the triangle so formed and also the area of the triangle. **[Roorkee, 1983]**
- From a point  $A(1, 1)$ , straight lines  $AL$  and  $AM$  are drawn at right angles to the pair of straight lines  $3x^2 + 7xy + 2y^2 = 0$ . Find the equations of the pair of straight lines  $AL$  and  $AM$ . Also find the area of the quadrilateral  $ALOM$ , where  $O$  is the origin of co-ordinates. **[Roorkee, 1984]**
- The base of a triangle passes through a fixed point  $(f, g)$  and its sides are, respectively, bisected at right angles by the lines  $y^2 - 8xy - 9x^2 = 0$ . Determine the locus of its vertex. **[Roorkee, 1985]**
- Show that the four straight lines given by  $12x^2 + 7xy + 12y^2 = 0$  and  $12x^2 + 7xy - 12y^2 - x + 7y - 1 = 0$  lie along the sides of a square. **[Roorkee, 1986]**
- The distance between the two parallel lines given by the equation  $x^2 + 2\sqrt{3}xy + 3y^2 - 3x - 3\sqrt{3}y - 4 = 0$  is  
(a) 3/2 units (b) 2 units  
(c) 5/2 units (d) 3 units **[Roorkee, 1989]**
- Pair of straight lines perpendicular to each other are represented by  
(a)  $2x^2 = 2y(x + y)$  (b)  $x^2 + y^2 + 3 = 0$   
(c)  $2x^2 = y(2x + y)$  (d)  $x^2 = 2(x - y)$  **[Roorkee, 1990]**
- If one of the lines represented by  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 0$  bisects the angle between positive directions of the axes, then  $a, b, h$  satisfy the relation  
(a)  $a + b = 2|h|$  (b)  $(a + b)^2 = 4h^2$   
(c)  $a - b = 2|h|$  (d)  $(a - b)^2 = 4h^2$  **[Roorkee, 1992]**
- Show that all the chords of the curve  $3x^2 - y^2 - 2x + 4y = 0$  which subtend a right angle at the origin are concurrent. Does this result also hold for the curve  $3x^2 + 3y^2 - 2x + 4y = 0$ ? **[Roorkee Main, 1992]**
- A pair of straight lines drawn through the origin form with the line  $2x + 3y = 6$  an isosceles triangle right angled at the origin. Find the equation of the pair of straight lines and the area of the triangle correct to two places of decimals. **[Roorkee Main, 1993]**
- The distance between the two parallel lines given by the equation is  
(a) 3/2 units (b) 2 units  
(c) 5/2 units (d) 3 units **[Roorkee, 1994]**
- Mixed term  $xy$  is to be removed from the general equation of the second degree  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ . One should rotate the axes through an angle given by  $\tan(2\theta)$  equal to



(a)  $\frac{a-b}{2h}$  (b)  $\frac{2h}{a+b}$  (c)  $\frac{a+b}{2h}$  (d)  $\frac{2h}{a-b}$

[Roorkee, 1996]

12. What is the conditions for the second degree polynomials in  $x$  and  $y$  to represent a pair of straight lines  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ ? [Roorkee, 1997]
13. A variable line  $L$  passing through the point  $B(2, 5)$  intersects the lines  $2x^2 - 5xy + 2y^2 = 0$  at  $P$  and  $Q$ . Find the locus of the point  $R$  on  $L$  such that distances  $BP, BR$  and  $BQ$  are in harmonic progression.

[Roorkee Main, 1998]

**LEVEL IV****(Tougher Problems for JEE Advanced)**

1. Find the area of the triangle formed by the pair of lines  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 0$  and the lines  $lx + my = 1$ .
2. If  $(\alpha, \beta)$  be the centroid of the triangle whose sides are the lines  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 0$  and  $lx + my = 1$ , prove that 
$$\frac{\alpha}{bl - hm} = \frac{\beta}{am - hl} = \frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{bl^2 - 2hlm + am^2}$$
3. A triangle has the lines  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 0$  for two of its sides and the point  $(l, m)$  for its orthocentre. Prove that the third side has the equation  $(a + b)(lx + my) = am^2 - 2h/m + b^2$
4. If the equation  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  represents a pair of straight lines, prove that the distance between the lines  $= 2\sqrt{\frac{g^2 - ac}{a(a+b)}}$ .
5. Prove that two of the four lines represented by the joint equation  $ax^4 + bx^3y + cx^2y^2 + dxy^3 + ay^4 = 0$  will bisect the angles between the other two if  $c + 6a = 0$  and  $b + d = 0$ .
6. Find the new equation of the curve  $4(x - 2y + 1)^2 + 9(2x + y + 2)^2 = 25$ , if the lines  $2x + y + 2 = 0$  and  $x - 2y + 1 = 0$  are taken as the new  $x$  and  $y$  axes, respectively.
7. The lines  $x^2 - 3xy + 2y^2 = 0$  are shifted parallel to themselves so that their point of intersection comes to  $(1, 1)$ . Find the combined equation of the lines in the new position.
8. If the straight lines represented by  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  are equidistant from the origin, prove that  $f^4 - g^4 = c(bf^2 - ag^2)$
9. If the lines joining the origin and the point of intersection of the curves  $a_1x^2 + 2h_1xy + b_1y^2 + 2g_1x = 0$  and  $a_2x^2 + 2h_2xy + b_2y^2 + 2g_2x = 0$  are mutually perpendicular, prove that  $g_1(a_1 + b_1) = g_2(a_2 + b_2)$ .

10. If one of the lines denoted by the line pair  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 0$  bisects the angle between the co-ordinate axes, prove that  $(a + b)^2 = 4h^2$

**Integer Type Questions**

1. If  $ax^3 - 9x^2y - xy^2 + 4y^3 = 0$  represents three straight lines such that two of them are perpendicular, then find the sum of the values of  $a$ .
2. If the curve  $(\tan^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta)x^2 - 2xy \tan \theta + (\sin^2 \theta)y^2 = 0$  represents two straight lines, which makes angles  $\theta_1$  and  $\theta_2$  with the  $x$ -axis, find  $(\tan \theta_1 - \tan \theta_2)$ .
3. If pairs of straight lines  $x^2 - 2pxy - y^2 = 0$  and  $x^2 - 2qxy - y^2 = 0$  be such that each pair bisects the angle between the other pair, find the value of  $(pq + 4)$ .
4. If two of the lines represented by  $ax^4 - 10x^3y + 12x^2y^2 - 20xy^3 + ay^4 = 0$  bisects the angle between the other two, find the value of  $a$ .
5. If the equation  $4x^2 + 10xy + my^2 + 5x + 10y = 0$  represents a pair of straight lines, find  $m$ .

**Comprehensive Link Passages****Passage I**

Let the lines represented by  $2x^2 - 5xy + 2y^2 = 0$  be the two sides of a parallelogram and the line  $5x + 2y = 1$  be one of its diagonals. Then

1. the one of the sides of the parallelogram passing through the origin is  
 (a)  $x - 2y = 0$  (b)  $x + 2y = 0$   
 (c)  $x - 3y = 0$  (d)  $x + 3y = 0$
2. the equation of the other diagonal is  
 (a)  $x - 2y = 0$  (b)  $11x - 10y = 0$   
 (c)  $10x - 11y = 0$  (d)  $10x + 11y = 0$
3. the area of the parallelogram is  
 (a)  $\frac{1}{36}$  sq. u. (b)  $\frac{1}{54}$  sq. u.  
 (c)  $\frac{1}{72}$  sq. u. (d)  $\frac{1}{96}$  sq. u.

**Passage II**

A general equation of 2nd degree is

$$8x^2 + 8xy + 2y^2 + 26x + 13y + 15 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

Then

1. the given Eq. (i) represents two straight lines, which are  
 (a)  $2x + y + 5 = 0, 4x + 2y + 3 = 0$   
 (b)  $x + 2y + 5 = 0, 2x + 4y + 3 = 0$   
 (c)  $2x - y + 5 = 0, 4x - 2y + 3 = 0$   
 (d)  $x - 2y + 5 = 0, 2x - 4y + 3 = 0$
2. the given Eq. (i) represents  
 (a) two perpendicular lines  
 (b) two parallel lines  
 (c) two intersecting lines  
 (d) none of these

3. the distance between the lines is

- (a)  $\frac{7}{2\sqrt{5}}$  (b)  $\frac{5}{2\sqrt{7}}$  (c)  $\frac{2}{5\sqrt{7}}$  (d)  $\frac{5}{7\sqrt{2}}$

**Matrix Match  
(For JEE-Advanced Examination Only)**

1. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	The separate equations of $x^2 - y^2 + 2y - 1 = 0$ are	(P)	$x - 2 = 0,$ $y - 2 = 0$
(B)	The separate equations of $x^2 - y^2 + 4x + 4 = 0$ are	(Q)	$x - y = 0,$ $x + y + 1 = 0$
(C)	The separate equations of $x^2 - x - y^2 - y = 0$ are	(R)	$x - y + 1 = 0$ $x + y - 1 = 0$
(D)	The separate equations of $xy - 2x - 2y + 4 = 0$ are	(S)	$x + y + 2 = 0$ $x - y + 2 = 0$

2. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	The joint equation of the lines $x = y$ and $x = -y$ is	(P)	$xy - 3y - 2x + 6 = 0$
(B)	The joint equation of the lines $x = 2$ and $y = 3$ is	(Q)	$x^2 + y^2 = 0$
(C)	The joint equation of the lines $x = y$ and $x = 1 - y$ is	(R)	$x^2 - y^2 + 4y - 4 = 0$
(D)	The joint equation of the lines $x + y - 2 = 0$ and $x - y + 2 = 0$ is	(S)	$x^2 - y^2 - x + y = 0$

3. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	The orthocentre of the triangle formed by the lines $xy = 0$ and $x + y = 2013$ is	(P)	$(11/2, 9/2)$
(B)	The orthocentre of the triangle formed by the lines $x^2 - y^2 + 4y - 4 = 0$ and $y + 2014 = 0$ is	(Q)	$(-2, -2)$
(C)	The circumcentre of the triangle formed by the lines $xy - y = 0$ and $x + y = 10$ is	(R)	$(0, 2)$
(D)	The circumcentre of the triangle formed by the lines $xy - x - y + 1 = 0$ and $x + y + 4 = 0$ is	(S)	$(0, 0)$

4. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	The image of the pair of lines represented by $2x^2 + 3xy + 3y^2 = 0$ with respect to the line mirror $y = 0$ is	(P)	$24x^2 + 10xy + y^2 = 0$
(B)	The image of the pair of lines represented by $x^2 + 5xy + 6y^2 = 0$ with respect to the line mirror $x = 0$ is	(Q)	$2x^2 - 3xy + 3y^2 = 0$
(C)	The image of the pair of lines represented by $x^2 + 10xy + 24y^2 = 0$ with respect to the line $y = x$ is	(R)	$x^2 - 5xy + 6y^2 = 0$

**Questions asked in Previous Years' JEE-Advanced Examinations**

1. Show that all chords of the curve  $3x^2 - y^2 - 2x + 4y = 0$ , which subtend a right angle at the origin, passes through a fixed point. Find the co-ordinates of the fixed point.

[IIT-JEE, 1991]

*No questions asked in between 1992 to 1993.*

2. The equations to a pair of opposite sides of a parallelogram are  $x^2 - 5x + 6 = 0$  and  $y^2 - 6y + 5 = 0$ . The equations to its diagonals are

- (a)  $x + 4y = 12$  and  $y = 4x - 7$   
 (b)  $4x + y = 13$  and  $4y = x - 7$   
 (c)  $4x + y = 13$  and  $y = 4x - 7$   
 (d)  $y - 4x = 13$  and  $y + 4x = 7$

[IIT-JEE, 1994]

*No questions asked in between 1995 to 1998.*

3. Let  $PQR$  be a right angled isosceles triangle, right angled at  $P(2, 1)$ . If the equation of the line  $QR$  is  $2x + y = 3$ , the equations representing the pair of lines  $PQ$  and  $PR$  is

- (a)  $3x^2 - 3y^2 + 8xy + 20x + 10y + 25 = 0$   
 (b)  $3x^2 - 3y^2 + 8xy - 20x - 10y + 25 = 0$   
 (c)  $3x^2 - 3y^2 + 8xy + 10x + 15y + 20 = 0$   
 (d)  $3x^2 - 3y^2 - 8xy - 10x - 15y - 20 = 0$

[IIT-JEE, 1999]

*No questions asked in 2000.*

4. Let  $2x^2 + y^2 - 3xy = 0$  be the equations of a pair of tangents drawn from the origin  $O$  to a circle of radius 3 with centre in the first quadrant. If  $A$  is one of the points of contact, find the length of  $OA$ .

[IIT-JEE, 2001]

*No questions asked in between 2002 to 2003.*

5. The area of the triangle formed by the angle bisectors of the pair of lines  $x^2 - y^2 + 2y - 1 = 0$  and the line  $x + y = 3$  (in sq units) is

(a) 1      (b) 2      (c) 3      (d) 4

[IIT-JEE, 2004]

*No questions asked in between 2005 to 2007.*

6. Let  $a$  and  $b$  be non-zero real numbers. Then the equation  $(ax^2 + by^2 + c)(x^2 - 5xy + 6y^2) = 0$  represents

(a) four straight lines, when  $c = 0$  and  $a, b$  are of the same signs.

(b) two straight lines and a circle, when  $a = b$ , and  $c$  is of sign opposite to  $a$ .

(c) two straight lines and a hyperbola, when  $a$  and  $b$  are of the same sign and  $c$  is of sign opposite to  $a$ .

(d) a circle and an ellipse, when  $a$  and  $b$  are of the same sign and  $c$  is of sign opposite to that of  $a$ .

[IIT-JEE, 2008]

*No questions asked in between 2009 to 2014.*

## ANSWERS

### LEVEL I

- $2x^2 - y^2 - xy + 8x - 2y + 8 = 0$
- $x^2 - y^2 - x + y = 0$
- $x - y = 0$  and  $x - 2y = 0$
- $x + y - 1 = 0$  and  $x - y + 1 = 0$
- $(x + 2y) = 0$  and  $(x + 3y) = 0$
- 3
- (0, 0)
- (2, 2)
- $90^\circ$
- $0^\circ$
- $60^\circ$
- $5x^2 - 2xy - 5y^2 = 0$
- $(\sqrt{3} - 2)$  and  $(-\sqrt{3} - 2)$
- $ac(x^2 - y^2) - 2(a - c)xy = 0$
- $pq = -1$
- $m = 6$
- $x - y - 1 = 0, x - 4y + 2 = 0$
- $5/2$
- $x - y = 0$  and  $x - 4y + 3 = 0$
- 2013
- (2, 1)
- (1, 1)
- $q = 1, -23/2$
- $\theta = \tan^{-1}(2)$
- $\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)$
- $m = \frac{1}{5}$
- $5x^2 - 2xy - 5y^2 - 18x + 24y + 11 = 0$
- $7x^2 - 2xy - y^2 = 0$
- $(c^2 - b^2m^2)x^2 + 2b^2mxy + (c^2 - b^2)y^2 = 0$
- $4blx^2 + 4bmxy - y^2 = 0$
- $\frac{(x - 14)^2 - (y - 69/2)^2}{\left(14 - \frac{69}{2}\right)} = \frac{(x - 14)(y - 69/2)}{-5}$
- $\pm\sqrt{3}$

### LEVEL II

- (b)
- (a)
- (a)
- (c)
- (d)
- (b)
- (a)
- (a)
- (a)
- (d)
- (b)
- (c)
- (b)
- (c)
- (c)

### LEVEL III

- $16\sqrt{3}$  sq. units.; triangle is equilateral
- $7/10$
- (c)
- (a)
- (d)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> part: Not Concurrent
- $5(x^2 - y^2) - 24xy = 0$ ; 2. 77
- (c)
- (d)
- $abc + 2fgh - af^2 - bg^2 - ch^2 = 0$
- $17x - 10y = 0$

### LEVEL IV

- $\frac{\sqrt{h^2 - ab}}{(am^2 - 2hlm + bl^2)}$
- $4x^2 = 9y^2 = 5$
- $x^2 - 3xy + 2y^2 + x - y = 0$

#### INTEGER TYPE QUESTIONS

- 1
- 2
- 3
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#### COMPREHENSIVE LINK PASSAGE

- Passage I: 1. (a) 2. (b) 3. (c)  
Passage II: 1. (a) 2. (b) 3. (a)

**MATRIX MATCH**

- (A) → (R); (B) → (S);  
(C) → (Q); (D) → (P)
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**QUESTIONS ASKED IN IIT-JEE EXAMINATIONS**

- (1, -2)
- (c)
- (b)
- $(9 + 3\sqrt{10})$  units.
- (b)
- (b)

**HINTS AND SOLUTIONS**

**LEVEL I**

- Hence, the joint equation of the given lines is  
 $(x - y + 2)(2x + y + 4) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 2x^2 - y^2 - xy + 8x - 2y + 8 = 0$
- Hence, the joint equation of the lines is  
 $(x - y)(x + y - 1) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x^2 - y^2 - x + y = 0$
- The given equation is  
 $x^2 - 3xy + 2y^2 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x^2 - xy - 2xy + 2y^2 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x(x - y) - 2y(x - y) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (x - y)(x - 2y) = 0$   
 Hence, the separate equations of the given lines are  
 $x - y = 0$  and  $x - 2y = 0$ .
- The given equation is  
 $x^2 - y^2 + 2y - 1 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x^2 - (y^2 - 2y + 1) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x^2 - (y - 1)^2 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (x + y - 1)(x - y + 1) = 0$   
 Hence, the separate equations of the given lines are  
 $x + y - 1 = 0$  and  $x - y + 1 = 0$ .
- The given equation  $x^2 + 5xy + 6y^2 = 0$  can be written as  
 $(x + 2y)(x + 3y) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (x + 2y) = 0$  and  $(x + 3y) = 0$   
 Hence, the required lines are  
 $(x + 2y) = 0$  and  $(x + 3y) = 0$
- The given equation of the lines  
 $y^2 - 5xy + 6x^2 = 0$   
 can be reduced to  $y = 2x$  and  $y = 3x$ .  
 Then,  $A = (2, 6)$  and  $B = (3, 6)$   
 Hence, the area of the triangle  $OAB$  is  

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 6 \\ 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{1}{2}(18 - 12) = 3 \text{ sq. u.}$$
- The equation  $xy = 0$  gives to  $x = 0$  and  $y = 0$ .  
 Clearly,  $OAB$  is a right-angled triangle and right angle at  $O$ .

- As we know that the point of intersection of two perpendicular sides of a triangle is known as the orthocentre of the triangle.  
 Hence, the orthocentre is  $(0, 0)$ .
- The given equation  $xy - x - y + 1 = 0$  can be reduced to  
 $(x - 1)(y - 1) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x - 1 = 0$  and  $y - 1 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x = 1$  and  $y = 1$ .  
 Here,  $ABC$  be a right-angled triangle and right angled at  $A$ .  
 As we know that, the mid-point of the hypotenuse is the circumcentre of the right-angle triangle.  
 Now, the mid-point of  $BC$  is  $(2, 2)$ .  
 Hence, the circumcentre is  $(2, 2)$ .
  - Here,  $a = 2013$ ,  $b = -2013$  and  $h = -1007$ . Since,  
 $a + b = 2013 - 2013 = 0$ , so the angle between the lines is  $90^\circ$ .
  - Here,  $a = 2$ ,  $b = 6$  and  $h = -2\sqrt{3}$ .  
 Now,  $h^2 - ab = 12 - 12 = 0$ .  
 Hence, the angle between them is  $0^\circ$ .
  - Here,  $a = 1$ ,  $b = 1$  and  $h = 2$ .  
 Let  $\theta$  be the angle between them, then

$$\begin{aligned} \tan(\theta) &= \left( \frac{2\sqrt{h^2 - ab}}{a + b} \right) \\ &= \left( \frac{2\sqrt{4 - 1}}{1 + 1} \right) = \sqrt{3} = \tan \frac{\pi}{3} \\ \Rightarrow \theta &= \frac{\pi}{3} \end{aligned}$$

- Hence, the angle between them is  $60^\circ$ .
- The given equation is  $3x^2 - 5xy + 4y^2 = 0$   
 Here,  $a = 3$ ,  $b = 4$  and  $h = -5/2$   
 Hence, the equation of the bisector is  

$$\frac{x^2 - y^2}{a - b} = \frac{xy}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2 - y^2}{3 - 4} = \frac{xy}{-(5/2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow -(x^2 - y^2) = -\frac{2}{5}xy$$

$$\Rightarrow 5x^2 - 2xy - 5y^2 = 0$$

13. Since  $y = mx$  is one of the bisector of the given lines  $x^2 + 4xy + y^2 = 0$ , then  $y = mx$  will satisfy the given lines.

$$\text{Therefore, } x^2 + 4mx^2 + m^2x^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + 4m + m^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 + 4m + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (m + 2)^2 = (\sqrt{3})^2$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \pm\sqrt{3} - 2$$

Hence, the values of  $m$  are

$$(\sqrt{3} - 2) \text{ and } (-\sqrt{3} - 2)$$

14. The given pair of lines are

$$9x^2 + 14xy + 16y^2 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{and } 3x^2 + 2xy + 4y^2 = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

The two pairs will be equally inclined if the two pairs of the straight lines have the same bisectors.

The equation of the bisectors of the angle between the lines represented by  $9x^2 + 14xy + 16y^2 = 0$  is

$$\frac{x^2 - y^2}{9 - 16} = \frac{xy}{7}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + xy - y^2 = 0$$

The equation of the bisector of the angle between the lines represented by  $3x^2 + 2xy + 4y^2 = 0$  is

$$\frac{x^2 - y^2}{3 - 4} = \frac{xy}{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + xy - y^2 = 0$$

Hence, the pair of lines of Eq. (i) are equally inclined to the pair of lines of Eq. (ii).

15. The given equations of the lines are

$$ax^2 + acxy + cy^2 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

and

$$\left(2013 + \frac{1}{c}\right)x^2 + xy + \left(2013 + \frac{1}{a}\right)y^2 = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

The equation of bisectors of Eq. (i) is

$$\frac{x^2 - y^2}{a - c} = \frac{xy}{\sqrt{3} - 2/2}$$

$$\Rightarrow ac(x^2 - y^2) = 2(a - c)xy$$

$$\Rightarrow ac(x^2 - y^2) - 2(a - c)xy = 0$$

Also, the equation of bisectors of Eq. (ii) is

$$\frac{x^2 - y^2}{\left(2013 + \frac{1}{c}\right) - \left(2013 + \frac{1}{a}\right)} = \frac{xy}{1/2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{ac(x^2 - y^2)}{(a - c)} = 2xy$$

$$\Rightarrow ac(x^2 - y^2) = 2(a - c)xy$$

$$\Rightarrow ac(x^2 - y^2) - 2(a - c)xy = 0$$

Hence, the result.

16. From the problem, it is clear that, the bisectors of the angles between the lines given by

$$x^2 - 2pxy - y^2 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{is } x^2 - 2qxy - y^2 = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

The equation of the bisectors of Eq. (i) is

$$\frac{x^2 - y^2}{1 - (-1)} = \frac{xy}{-q}$$

$$\Rightarrow qx^2 + 2xy + qy^2 = 0 \quad \dots(iii)$$

Here, Eqs (ii) and (iii) are identical.

Thus, comparing the co-efficients, we get

$$\frac{1}{-q} = \frac{-2p}{-2} = \frac{-1}{q}$$

$$\Rightarrow pq = -1$$

Hence, the result.

17. The given equation is

$$mx^2 - 5xy - 6y^2 + 14x + 5y + 4 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

Here,  $a = m$ ,  $h = -5/2$ ,  $b = -6$ ,  $g = 7$ ,  $f = 5/2$  and  $c = 4$ .

The Eq. (i) represents a pair of straight lines if

$$abc - 2fgh - af^2 - bg^2 - ch^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -24m - \frac{175}{2} - \frac{25}{4}m + 294 - 25 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -\left(24m + \frac{25}{4}m\right) = \frac{175}{2} - 269$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{121}{4}m = -\frac{363}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 6$$

Hence, the value of  $m$  is 6.

18. Given equation is

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

$$(x - y)(x - 4y) + x + 2y - 2 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

The joint equation can be written as

$$(x - y + c_1)(x - 4y + c_2) = 0$$

$$(x - y)(x - 4y) + (c_1 + c_2)x - (4c_1 + c_2)y + c_1c_2 = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Comparing Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$(c_1 + c_2) = 1, (4c_1 + c_2) = -2, c_1c_2 = -2$$

Solving, we get

$$c_1 = -1, c_2 = 2$$

Hence, the separate equations of the lines are

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

19. The given equation is

$$x^2 - 2\sqrt{3}xy + 3y^2 - 3x + 3\sqrt{3}y - 4 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

Here,  $a = 1$ ,  $b = 3$  and  $h = -\sqrt{3}$

Now,  $h^2 - ab = 3 - 3 = 0$

Thus, the given equation represents two parallel straight lines.

Equation (i) can be reduced to

$$(x - \sqrt{3}y)^2 - 3(x - \sqrt{3}y) - 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 - 3m - 4 = 0, \text{ where } m = (x - \sqrt{3}y)$$

$$\Rightarrow (m - 4)(m + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 4 \text{ and } m = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow x - \sqrt{3}y - 4 = 0$$

$$\text{and } x - \sqrt{3}y + 1 = 0$$

$$\text{Hence, the required distance} = \frac{|1 + 4|}{\sqrt{1 + 3}} = \frac{5}{2}.$$

20. The given equation is

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

$$\Rightarrow (x - y)(x - 4y) + x + 2y - 2 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

Thus, the Eq. (i) represents two parallel straight lines, whose joint equation is

$$(x - y + \lambda)(x - 4y - \mu) = 0$$

which is passing through (1, 1).

Therefore,  $\lambda = 0$  and  $\mu = 3$

Hence, the parallel lines are

$$x - y = 0 \text{ and } x - 4y + 3 = 0.$$

21. The given equation is

$$3x^2 + 5xy - py^2 + 2x + 3y = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

Since, the Eq. (i) represents two perpendicular straight lines,

$$\text{so, } a + b = 0$$

$$\text{co-efficients of } x^2 + \text{co-efficients of } y^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 - p = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow p = 3$$

Hence, the value of  $p + 2010 = 2013$ .

22. Here,  $a = 16$ ,  $h = 12$  and  $b = 9$

$$\text{Now, } h^2 - ab = 144 - 144 = 0$$

Hence, it represents two parallel straight lines.

23. The given equation is

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

$$\text{Now, } \frac{\delta f}{\delta x} = 0 \Rightarrow 2x - 5y + 1 = 0$$

$$\text{and } \frac{\delta f}{\delta y} = 0 \Rightarrow 8y - 5x + 2 = 0$$

Solving, we get,  $x = 2$  and  $y = 1$

Hence, the required point of intersection is (2, 1).

24. The given equation is

$$3x^2 - 2xy - 8y^2 - 4x + 18y - 7 = 0$$

Here,  $a = 3$ ,  $h = -1$ ,  $b = -8$ ,  $g = -2$ ,  $f = 9$  and  $c = -7$ .

$$\text{Therefore, } h^2 - ab = 1 + 24 = 25, \text{ } bg - hf = 16 + 9 = 25, \text{ } af - gh = 27 - 2 = 25$$

Hence, the point of intersection is

$$\begin{aligned} &= \left( \frac{bg - hf}{h^2 - ab}, \frac{af - gh}{h^2 - ab} \right) \\ &= \left( \frac{25}{25}, \frac{25}{25} \right) = (1, 1) \end{aligned}$$

25. Do yourself

26. Clearly  $12 - p = 0$

$$\Rightarrow p = 12$$

Also, the given represents a pair of straight lines if

$$\begin{vmatrix} a & h & g \\ h & b & f \\ g & f & c \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} 12 & \frac{7}{2} & -9 \\ \frac{7}{2} & -12 & \frac{q}{2} \\ -9 & \frac{q}{2} & 6 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow q = 1, -23/2$$

27. We have,

$$3x^2 + 8xy - 3y^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x^2 + 9xy - xy - 3y^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x(x + 3y) - y(x + 3y) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x + 3y)(3x - y) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x + 3y) = 0, (3x - y) = 0$$

$$\text{Also, } 3x^2 + 8xy - 3y^2 + 2x - 4y - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x + 3y)(3x - y) + 2x - 4y - 1 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

The joint equation of the above equation can be written as

$$(x + 3y + c_1)(3x - y + c_2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (x + 3y)(3x - y) + (3c_1 + c_2)x - (c_1 - 3c_2)y + c_1c_2 = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Comparing Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$(3c_1 + c_2) = 2, (c_1 - 3c_2) = 4, c_1c_2 = -1$$

Solving, we get

$$c_1 = 1, c_2 = -1$$

Thus, the separate equations are

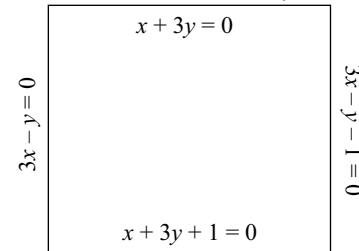
$$x + 3y + 1 = 0 \text{ and } 3x - y - 1 = 0$$

Therefore, the four lines are

$$x + 3y = 0, 3x - y = 0$$

$$x + 3y + 1 = 0 \text{ and } 3x - y - 1 = 0$$

$$A(0, 0) \qquad B(3/10, -1/10)$$



$$D(-1/10, -3/10) \qquad C(1/5, -2/5)$$

Clearly,  $\angle BAD = 90^\circ$

$$\text{and } AB = AD = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}$$

Thus, ABCD is a square

28. We have,

$$\begin{aligned}\tan \theta &= \left( \frac{2\sqrt{h^2 - ab}}{a + b} \right) \\ &= \left| \frac{2\sqrt{1 + 24}}{3 - 8} \right| = \left| \frac{2 \times 5}{-5} \right| = 2\end{aligned}$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}(2)$$

29. The given equation is

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

Here,  $a = 1$ ,  $h = -5/2$ ,  $b = 4$ ,  $g = 1/2$ ,  $f = 1$ ,  $c = -2$ .

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between them.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Then, } \tan \theta &= \left( \frac{2\sqrt{h^2 - ab}}{a + b} \right) \\ &= \left( \frac{2\sqrt{\frac{25}{4} - 4}}{1 + 4} \right) = \frac{3}{5}\end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)$$

Hence, the angle between them is  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)$ .

32. We have

$$\begin{aligned}\tan \theta &= \left( \frac{2\sqrt{h^2 - ab}}{a + b} \right) \\ \Rightarrow &= \left( \frac{2\sqrt{\frac{25}{4} - 6}}{2 + 3} \right) = \frac{2 \cdot \frac{1}{2}}{5} = \frac{1}{5}\end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{5}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1}(m) = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{5}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{1}{5}$$

33. The given equation is

$$x^2 - 8xy + 16y^2 + 2x - 8y + 1 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

Here,  $a = 1$ ,  $h = -4$ ,  $b = 16$ ,  $g = 1$ ,  $f = -4$  and  $c = 1$ .

Now,  $h^2 - ab = 16 - 16 = 0$ ,

$$g^2 - ac = 1 - 1 = 0 \text{ and}$$

$$f^2 - bc = 16 - 16 = 0$$

Hence, the Eq. (i) represents two coincident straight lines.

34. The given equation is

$$x^2 - 5xy + 2y^2 + x + 2y - 2 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{\delta f}{\delta x} = 0 \Rightarrow 2x - 5y + 1 = 0$$

$$\text{and } \frac{\delta f}{\delta y} = 0 \Rightarrow -5x + 4y + 2 = 0$$

Solving, we get

$$x = 2 \text{ and } y = 1.$$

Therefore, the point of intersection is (2, 1).

Hence, the equation of bisector is

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{(x - \alpha)^2 - (y - \beta)^2}{(a - b)} &= \frac{(x - \alpha)(x - \beta)}{h} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{(x - 2)^2 - (y - 1)^2}{(1 - 2)} &= \frac{(x - 2)(y - 1)}{(-5/2)}\end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow 5x^2 - 2xy - 5y^2 - 18x + 24y + 11 = 0$$

which is a homogeneous equation of 2<sup>nd</sup> degree.

35. The equation of the straight line is

$$y = 3x + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{y - 3x}{2} = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of the given curve is

$$x^2 + 2xy + 3y^2 + 4x + 8y - 11 = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Making the Eq. (ii) homogeneous in the second degree in  $x$  and  $y$  by means of Eq. (i), we get

$$\begin{aligned}x^2 + 2xy + 3y^2 + 4\left(\frac{y - 3x}{2}\right)x \\ + 8\left(\frac{y - 3x}{2}\right)y - 11\left(\frac{y - 3x}{2}\right)^2 = 0\end{aligned}$$

On simplification, we get

$$7x^2 - 2xy - y^2 = 0$$

which is the required equation of the line joining the origin to the points of intersection of lines (i) and (ii).

Here,  $a = 7$ ,  $h = -1$  and  $b = -1$

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between them.

$$\text{Then, } \tan \theta = \left( \frac{2\sqrt{h^2 - ab}}{a + b} \right)$$

$$= \left( \frac{2\sqrt{1 + 7}}{7 - 1} \right) = \frac{2\sqrt{8}}{6} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}\right)$$

36. The equation of the straight line is

$$y = mx + c$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{y - mx}{c} \right) = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of the given curve is

$$x^2 + y^2 = b^2 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Making the Eq. (ii) homogeneous of the second degree in  $x$  and  $y$  by means of Eq. (i), we get

$$x^2 + y^2 = b^2 \left( \frac{y - mx}{c} \right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow c^2(x^2 + y^2) = b^2(y - mx)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (c^2 - b^2m^2)x^2 + 2b^2mxy + (c^2 - b^2)y^2 = 0$$

which is the required equation of the straight lines joining the origin to the point of intersection of the lines (i) and (ii).

37. The given line is

$$lx + my = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{lx + my}{1} \right) = 1$$

The given curve is

$$y^2 = 4bx \quad \dots(ii)$$

Making the Eq. (ii) homogeneous of the second degree in  $x$  and  $y$  by means of Eq. (i), we get

$$y^2 = 4bx(lx + my)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4blx^2 + 4bmx y - y^2 = 0$$

38. The given curve is

$$12x^2 - 10xy + 2y^2 + 9x + 2y - 12 = 0$$

Now,  $\frac{\delta f}{\delta x} = 0$  gives  $24x - 10y + 9 = 0$

and  $\frac{\delta f}{\delta y} = 0$  gives  $5x - 2y - 1 = 0$

Solving, we get

$$x = 14, y = \frac{69}{2}$$

Hence, the equation of the bisectors is

$$\frac{(x - a)^2 - (y - b)^2}{(a - b)} = \frac{(x - a)(y - b)}{h}$$

$$\frac{(x - 14)^2 - (y - 69/2)^2}{\left(14 - \frac{69}{2}\right)} = \frac{(x - 14)(y - 69/2)}{-5}$$

39. The given curve is

$$3x^2 + 5xy - 3y^2 + 2x + 3y = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of the straight line is

$$3x - 2y = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Making the Eq. (i) homogeneous of the second degree in  $x$  and  $y$  by means of Eq. (ii), we get

$$3x^2 + 5xy - 3y^2 + (2x + 3y)(3x - 2y) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9x^2 + 10xy - 9y^2 = 0$$

clearly, they are mutually perpendicular to each other.

40. Let  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c$

$$= (lx + my + n)(l_1x + m_1y + n_1)$$

$$= ll_1x^2 + mm_1y^2 + (lm_1 + l_1m)xy + (ln_1 + l_1n)x + (mn_1 + nm_1)y + nn_1$$

Comparing the co-efficients, we get

$$ll_1 = a, mm_1 = b, nn_1 = c, (lm_1 + ml_1) = 2h,$$

$$(ln_1 + nl_1) = 2g, (mn_1 + nm_1) = 2f$$

Let  $p_1$  and  $p_2$  be the length of perpendicular from the origin.

$$\text{Thus, } p_1 p_2 = \frac{n}{\sqrt{l^2 + m^2}} \times \frac{n_1}{\sqrt{l_1^2 + m_1^2}}$$

$$= \frac{nn_1}{\sqrt{(l^2 + m^2)(l_1^2 + m_1^2)}}$$

$$= \frac{nn_1}{\sqrt{l^2 l_1^2 + m^2 m_1^2 + l^2 m_1^2 + l_1^2 m^2}}$$

$$= \frac{nn_1}{\sqrt{l^2 l_1^2 + m^2 m_1^2 + (l m_1 + l_1 m)^2 - 2ll_1 mm_1}}$$

$$= \frac{c}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + 4h^2 - 2ab}}$$

$$= \frac{c}{\sqrt{(a - b)^2 + 4h^2}}$$

41. Given curve is  $x^2 + 3y^2 = 1$  ... (i)

and given line is  $y = mx + 1$  ... (ii)

Making the Eq. (i) homogeneous of the second degree in  $x$  and  $y$  by means of Eq. (ii), we get

$$x^2 + 3y^2 = (y - mx)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 3y^2 = y^2 + m^2x^2 - 2mxy$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 - m^2)x^2 + 2mxy + 2y^2 = 0$$

Clearly,  $(1 - m^2) + 2 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \pm\sqrt{3}$$

Hence, the value of  $m$  is  $\pm\sqrt{3}$

### LEVEL III

1. We have  $x^2 - 4xy + y^2 = 0$

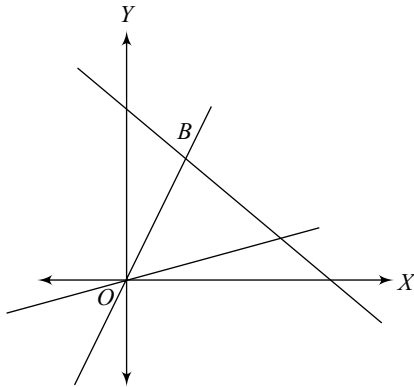
$$\Rightarrow y^2 - 4x.y + x^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{4x \pm \sqrt{16x^2 - 4x^2}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{4x \pm 2\sqrt{3}x}{2} = (2 \pm 2\sqrt{3})x$$

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





Thus

$$OB : y = (2 + 2\sqrt{3})x \text{ and } OA : y = (2 - 2\sqrt{3})x$$

and  $AB : x + y + 4\sqrt{6} = 0$

Clearly, the angle between  $OA$  and  $OB$  is  $\frac{\pi}{3}$ .

Solving, we get

$$O = (0, 0), A = \left( \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{2 - \sqrt{3}}, \frac{8\sqrt{2}(1 - \sqrt{3})}{(2 - \sqrt{3})} \right)$$

and  $B = \left( -\frac{4\sqrt{2}}{2 + \sqrt{3}}, \frac{8\sqrt{2}(1 + \sqrt{3})}{(2 + \sqrt{3})} \right)$

Hence, the area of the

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta OAB &= \frac{1}{2}[64(1 + \sqrt{3}) + 64(1 - \sqrt{3})] \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(64 + 64) \\ &= 64 \text{ sq. u.} \end{aligned}$$

Also, the angle between  $OA$  and  $AB$  is  $\frac{\pi}{3}$ .

and also the angle between  $OB$  and  $AB$  is  $\frac{\pi}{3}$ .

Hence, the triangle is equilateral.

2. Given lines are  $3x^2 + 7xy + 2y^2 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 3x^2 + 6xy + xy + 2y^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x(x + 2y) + (x + 2y) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x + 2y)(3x + y) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x + 2y) = 0, (3x + y) = 0$$

Thus, the equation of  $AL$  and  $AM$  are

$$2x - y + \lambda = 0, 3x - y + \mu = 0$$

which is passing through  $A(1, 1)$

$$\lambda = -1, \mu = -2$$

Hence, the equations of  $AL$  and  $AM$  are

$$2x - y - 1 = 0, 3x - y - 2 = 0$$

Solving, we get

$$L = \left( -\frac{1}{5}, \frac{3}{5} \right) \text{ and } M = \left( \frac{2}{5}, -\frac{1}{5} \right)$$

Hence, the area of the quadrilateral  $ALMO$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -\frac{1}{5} & \frac{3}{5} \\ 0 & 0 \\ \frac{2}{5} & -\frac{1}{5} \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{3 + 1 + 2 + 1}{5} \right) = \frac{7}{10} \text{ sq. u.} \end{aligned}$$

3. Given lines are

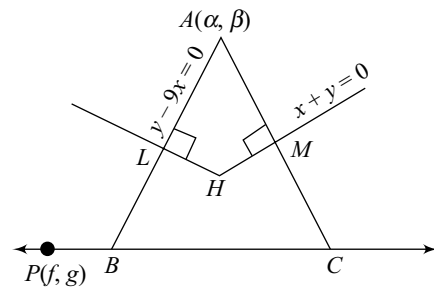
$$y^2 - 8xy - 9x^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 - 9xy + xy - 9x^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y(y - 9x) + x(y - 9x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (y + x)(y - 9x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (y + x) = 0, (y - 9x) = 0$$



Equations of  $AB$  and  $AC$  are

$$x + 9y = (\alpha + 9\beta) \text{ and } x - y = (\alpha + \beta)$$

Here,  $B$  and  $C$  are the images of  $A$  w.r.t. the lines  $y = 9x$  and  $y = -x$

$$\text{So, } C = (-\beta, -\alpha) \text{ and } B = \left( \frac{9\beta - 40\alpha}{41}, \frac{40\beta + 9\alpha}{41} \right)$$

Now,  $P, B$  and  $C$  are collinear, so,

$$\begin{vmatrix} f & g & 1 \\ \frac{9\beta - 40\alpha}{41} & \frac{40\beta + 9\alpha}{41} & 1 \\ -\beta & -\alpha & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} f & g & 1 \\ (9\beta - 40\alpha) & (40\beta + 9\alpha) & 41 \\ \beta & \alpha & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} f & g & 1 \\ (9\beta - 40\alpha) & (40\beta + 9\alpha) & 41 \\ (f + \beta) & (g + \alpha) & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} (9\beta - 40\alpha) & (40\beta + 9\alpha) \\ (f + \beta) & (g + \alpha) \end{vmatrix} - 41 \begin{vmatrix} f & g \\ (f + \beta) & (g + \alpha) \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (g + \alpha)(9\beta - 40\alpha) - (f + \beta)(40\beta + 9\alpha) - 41(f\alpha - g\beta) = 0$$

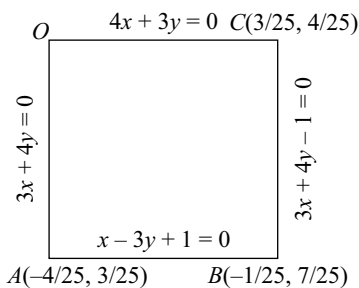
$$\Rightarrow 40(\alpha^2 + \beta^2) + 10(4g + 5f)\alpha + 10(4f - 5g)\beta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4(\alpha^2 + \beta^2) + (4g + 5f)\alpha + (4f - 5g)\beta = 0$$

Hence, the locus of  $A(\alpha, \beta)$  is

$$4(x^2 + y^2) + (4g + 5f)x + (4f - 5g)y = 0$$

4. The equations of the four sides are  
 $(3x + 4y) = 0$ ,  $4x - 3y = 0$ ,  
 $(3x + 4y - 1) = 0$  and  $4x - 3y + 1 = 0$



Clearly, the angle between  $OA$  and  $AB$  is  $90^\circ$ .

and  $OA = AB = \frac{1}{5}$

So,  $ABCD$  is a square.

5. We have  
 $x^2 + 2\sqrt{3}xy + 3y^2 - 3x - 3\sqrt{3}y - 4 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (x + \sqrt{3}y)^2 - 3(x + \sqrt{3}y) - 4 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow a^2 - 3a - 4 = 0$ ,  $a = (x + \sqrt{3}y)$   
 $\Rightarrow a^2 - 3a - 4 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (a - 4)(a + 1) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow a = -1, 4$

Thus, the parallel lines are

$$x + \sqrt{3}y - 4 = 0, x + \sqrt{3}y + 1 = 0$$

Hence, the distance between them is

$$= \left| \frac{1 - (-4)}{\sqrt{1 + 3}} \right| = \frac{5}{2}$$

6. We have  $2x^2 = 2y(x + y)$   
 $2x^2 - 2xy - 2y^2 = 0$   
 Now,  $a + b$   
 Co-eff of  $x^2 +$  Co-eff of  $y^2$   
 $= 2 - 2$   
 $= 0$   
 Hence, the result.
7. Given lines are  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 0$   
 The line bisects the axes is  $y = x$ .

So,  $ax^2 + 2hx \cdot x + bx^2 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow ax^2 + 2hx^2 + bx^2 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow a + 3h + b = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow a + b = -2h$   
 $\Rightarrow (a + b)^2 = (-2h)^2$   
 $\Rightarrow (a + b)^2 = 4h^2$

8. Let  $lx + my = 1$  be any chord of the curve  $3x^2 - y^2 - 2x + 4y = 0$ .

Let the equation of the pair of straight lines and passing through the point of intersections of the chord and the curve is given by

$$(3x^2 - y^2) - (2x + 4y)(lx + my) = 0$$

$$(3 - 2l)x^2 + (4m - 1)y^2 - (2m + 4l)xy = 0$$

Since the chord subtends a right angle at the origin, so

$$(3 - 2l) + (4m - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 - 2l + 4m = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - l + 2m = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow l - 2m = 0$$

which shows that all such chords pass through a fixed point  $(1, -2)$  and hence are concurrent.

If we repeat the process for the curve  $3x^2 + 3y^2 - 2x + 4y = 0$ , we get

$$(3 - 2l) + (3 + 4m) = 0$$

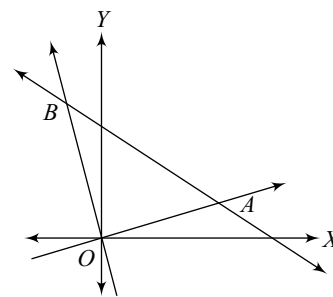
$$\Rightarrow (6 - 2l + 4m) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (3 - l + 2m) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow l - 2m = 3$$

which shows that such chords  $lx + my = 1$  are not concurrent.

9.



Suppose the lines  $OA$  and  $OB$  are

$$y = m_1x, y = m_2x \text{ respectively.}$$

Here,  $OA = OB$  and  $\angle AOB = 90^\circ$

So,  $\angle OAB = 45^\circ = \angle OBA$

Thus,

$$\tan(45^\circ) = \frac{m_1 + \frac{2}{3}}{1 - \frac{2}{3}m_1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3m_1 + 2}{3 - 2m_1} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (3m_1 + 2) = (3 - 2m_1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 5m_1 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow m_1 = \frac{1}{5}$$

Also,  $\tan(135^\circ) = \frac{m_2 + \frac{2}{3}}{1 - \frac{2}{3}m_2}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3m_2 + 2}{3 - 2m_2} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow 3m_2 + 2 = -3 - 2m_2$$

$$\Rightarrow m_2 = -5$$

Hence, the equations of the pair of straight lines

$$(y + 5x)\left(y - \frac{1}{5}x\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (y + 5x)(5y - x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 5(x^2 - y^2) - 24xy = 0$$

Solving, we get

the co-ordinates of  $A$  and  $B$  as

$$A = \left( \frac{30}{13}, \frac{6}{13} \right); B = \left( -\frac{6}{13}, \frac{30}{13} \right)$$

Thus, the area of the triangle  $OAB$  is

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ \frac{30}{13} & \frac{6}{13} \\ \frac{6}{13} & \frac{30}{13} \\ 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{900 + 36}{169} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{936}{169} = \frac{469}{169} = 2.76 \text{ sq. u.} \end{aligned}$$

10. See Q. 15  
 11. Let the axes be rotated through an angle  $\theta$  so that  $x \rightarrow x \cos \theta - y \sin \theta$  and  $y \rightarrow x \sin \theta + y \cos \theta$

Given curve is

$$\begin{aligned} &ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0 \\ \Rightarrow &a(x \cos \theta - y \sin \theta)^2 + a(x \sin \theta + y \cos \theta)^2 \\ &\quad + 2h(x \cos \theta - y \sin \theta)(x \sin \theta + y \cos \theta) \\ &\quad + 2g(x \cos \theta - y \sin \theta) + 2f(x \sin \theta + y \cos \theta) \\ &\quad = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow (b - a) \sin 2\theta + 2h \cos 2\theta = 0$$

Remove the term  $xy$ , we get

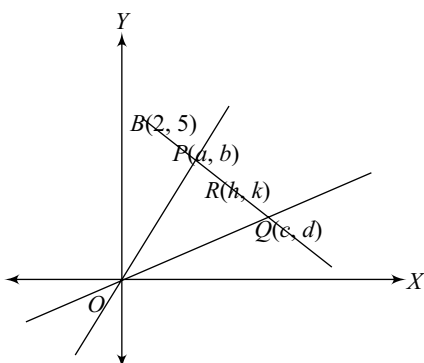
$$\begin{aligned} &(-a \sin 2\theta + b \sin 2\theta) + 2h(\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta) = 0 \\ \Rightarrow &(b - a) \sin 2\theta + 2h \cos 2\theta = 0 \\ \Rightarrow &\tan(2\theta) = \frac{2h}{a - b} \end{aligned}$$

12. A general equation of 2nd degree represents a pair of straight lines if

$$abc + 2fgh - af^2 - bg^2 - ch^2 = 0$$

13. We have,

$$\begin{aligned} &2x^2 - 5xy + 2y^2 = 0 \\ \Rightarrow &2x^2 - 4xy - xy + 2y^2 = 0 \\ \Rightarrow &2x(x - 2y) - y(x - 2y) = 0 \\ \Rightarrow &(x - 2y)(2x - y) = 0 \\ \Rightarrow &(x - 2y) = 0, (2x - y) = 0 \\ \Rightarrow &x = 2y \text{ and } y = 2x \end{aligned}$$



Let  $P = (a, b)$ ,  $Q = (c, d)$  and  $R = (h, k)$

and  $RB = r$ ,  $PB = r_1$  and  $QB = r_2$

So,  $P = (2 + r_1 \cos \theta, 5 + r_1 \sin \theta)$

and  $Q = (2 + r_2 \cos \theta, 5 + r_2 \sin \theta)$

and  $R = (2 + r \cos \theta, 5 + r \sin \theta)$

Since  $P$  lies on  $y = 2x$ ,

$$\text{so, } \frac{1}{r_1} = 2 \cos \theta - \sin \theta$$

Also,  $Q$  lies on  $x = 2y$

$$\text{So, } \frac{1}{r_2} = \frac{\cos \theta - 2 \sin \theta}{8}$$

It is given that  $\frac{2}{r} = \frac{1}{r_1} + \frac{1}{r_2}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{r} = \frac{17 \cos \theta - 10 \sin \theta}{8}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{r} = \frac{17}{8} \left( \frac{h-2}{r} \right) - \frac{10}{8} \left( \frac{k-5}{r} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 16 = 17h - 34 - 10k + 50$$

$$\Rightarrow 17h - 10k = 0$$

Hence, the locus of  $R$  is  $17x - 10y = 0$ .

### LEVEL IV

1. Let three lines be

$$y = m_1x, y = m_2x, lx + my = 1$$

where  $m_1 + m_2 = -\frac{2h}{b}$ ,  $m_1m_2 = \frac{a}{b}$

Thus area of a triangle  $OAB$ , where

$$O = (0, 0), A = \left( \frac{1}{l + mm_1}, \frac{m_1}{l + mm_1} \right)$$

$$\text{and } B = \left( \frac{1}{l + mm_2}, \frac{m_2}{l + mm_2} \right)$$

is

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{l + mm_1} & \frac{m_1}{l + mm_1} \\ \frac{1}{l + mm_2} & \frac{m_2}{l + mm_2} \\ 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{(m_2 - m_1)}{(l + mm_1)(l + mm_2)} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\sqrt{(m_1 + m_2)^2 - 4m_1m_2}}{l^2 + (m_1 + m_2)lm + (m_1m_2)m^2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\sqrt{\frac{4h^2}{b^2} - \frac{4a}{b}}}{l^2 - \frac{2h}{b}lm + \frac{a}{b}m^2} \right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{2\sqrt{h^2 - ab}}{bl^2 - 2hlm + am^2} \right) \\
 &= \left( \frac{\sqrt{h^2 - ab}}{bl^2 - 2hlm + am^2} \right) \text{sq. u}
 \end{aligned}$$

2. Let three lines be

$$y = m_1x, y = m_2x, \text{ and } lx + my = 1$$

where  $m_1 + m_2 = -\frac{2h}{b}, m_1m_2 = \frac{a}{b}$

Thus, the points  $O, A$  and  $B$  are

$$O = (0, 0), A = \left( \frac{1}{l + mm_1}, \frac{m_1}{l + mm_1} \right)$$

and  $B = \left( \frac{1}{l + mm_2}, \frac{m_2}{l + mm_2} \right)$

Therefore,  $\alpha = \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{1}{l + mm_1} + \frac{1}{l + mm_2} \right)$

and  $\beta = \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{m_1}{l + mm_1} + \frac{m_2}{l + mm_2} \right)$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{2l + (m_1 + m_2)m}{(l + mm_1)(l + mm_2)} \right)$$

and  $\beta = \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{(m_1 + m_2)l + 2(m_1m_2)m}{(l + mm_1)(l + mm_2)} \right)$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{2}{3} \left( \frac{bl - hm}{bl^2 - 2hlm + am^2} \right)$$

and  $\beta = \frac{2}{3} \left( \frac{am - hl}{bl^2 - 2hlm + am^2} \right)$

Thus,

$$\frac{\alpha}{(bl - hm)} = \frac{\beta}{(am - hl)} = \frac{2}{3} \left( \frac{1}{bl^2 - 2hlm + am^2} \right)$$

Hence, the result.

3. Let the lines be  $y = m_1x$  and  $y = m_2x$

where  $m_1 + m_2 = -\frac{2h}{b}, m_1m_2 = \frac{a}{b}$

Equation of  $OA$  is  $y = m_1x$

$BE$  is perpendicular to  $OA$

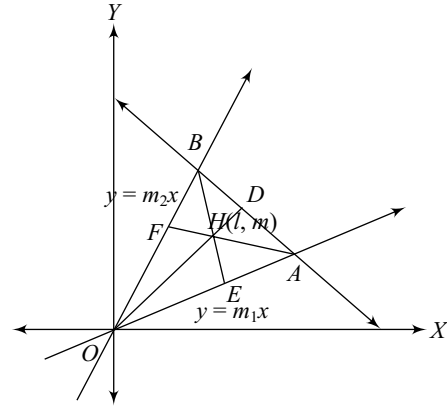
So,  $BE: x + m_1y + \lambda_1 = 0$  which is passing through  $H(l, m)$ , we get

$$l + mm_1 + \lambda_1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_1 = -(l + mm_1)$$

Thus,  $BE: x + m_1y - (l + mm_1) = 0$

Similarly,  $AF: x + m_2y - (l + mm_2) = 0$



Solving  $OA$  and  $AF$ , we get

$$A = \left( \frac{l + mm_2}{1 + m_1m_2}, \frac{m_1(l + mm_2)}{1 + m_1m_2} \right)$$

Solving  $OB$  and  $BE$ , we get

$$B = \left( \frac{l + mm_1}{1 + m_1m_2}, \frac{m_2(l + mm_1)}{1 + m_1m_2} \right)$$

Equation of  $AB$  is  $lx + my + \lambda_3 = 0$  which is passing through  $A$ .

$$\text{So, } l \left( \frac{l + mm_2}{1 + m_1m_2} \right) + m \left( \frac{m_1(l + mm_2)}{1 + m_1m_2} \right) + \lambda_3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{l^2 + lm(m_2 + m_1) + m^2m_1m_2}{1 + m_1m_2} \right) + \lambda_3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_3 = - \left( \frac{l^2 + lm(m_2 + m_1) + m^2m_1m_2}{1 + m_1m_2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_3 = - \left( \frac{l^2 - \left( \frac{2h}{b} \right)lm + \frac{a}{b}m^2}{1 + \frac{a}{b}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_3 = - \left( \frac{bl^2 - 2hlm + am^2}{a + b} \right)$$

Hence, the equation of the third side  $AB$  is

$$lx + my - \left( \frac{bl^2 - 2hlm + am^2}{a + b} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (lx + my)(a + b) = (bl^2 - 2hlm + am^2)$$

Hence, the result.

4. Given equation is

$$ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

Equation (i) represents a pair of parallel straight lines

$$lx + my + n_1 = 0 \text{ and } lx + my + n_2 = 0$$

Thus,  $(lx + my + n_1)(lx + my + n_2)$

$$= ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c$$

Comparing, the co-efficients, we get

$$a = l^2, b = m^2, n_1n_2 = c$$

and  $h = lm, l(n_1 + n_2) = 2g, m(n_1 + n_2) = 2f$

Hence, the distance between the lines

$$\begin{aligned} &= \left| \frac{n_1 - n_2}{\sqrt{l^2 + m^2}} \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{\sqrt{(n_1 + n_2)^2 - 4n_1n_2}}{\sqrt{l^2 + m^2}} \right| \\ &= 2\sqrt{\frac{g^2 - ac}{a(a+b)}} \end{aligned}$$

6. We have

$$4(x - 2y + 1)^2 + 9(2x + y + 2)^2 = 25$$

$$\Rightarrow 4X^2 + 9Y^2 = 25,$$

$$\text{where } X = x - 2y + 1,$$

$$Y = 2x + y + 2$$

which represents an ellipse.

7. Given lines are  $x^2 - 3xy + 2y^2 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow (x - y)(x - 2y) = 0$$

Let the equation of the lines be

$$(x - y + \lambda)(x - 2y + \mu) = 0$$

which is passing through (1, 1), i.e.

$$(1 - 1 + \lambda)(1 - 2 + \mu) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 - 1 + \lambda) = 0, (1 - 2 + \mu) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 0, \mu = -1$$

Hence, the combine equation is

$$(x - y)(x - 2y + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - y)(x - 2y) + (x - y) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 3xy + 2y^2 + x - y = 0$$

8. Given equation is

$$ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

Let the lines represented by Eq. (i) be

$$l_1x + m_1y + n_1 = 0 \text{ and } l_2x + m_2y + n_2 = 0$$

We have

$$ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c$$

$$= (l_1x + m_1y + n_1)(l_2x + m_2y + n_2)$$

Comparing the co-efficients, we get

$$l_1l_2 = a, m_1m_2 = b, n_1n_2 = c$$

$$l_1n_2 + l_2n_1 = 2g, l_1m_2 + l_2m_1 = 2h$$

and  $m_1n_2 + m_2n_1 = 2f,$

Since they are equidistant from the origin, so

$$\frac{n_1}{\sqrt{l_1^2 + m_1^2}} = \frac{n_2}{\sqrt{l_2^2 + m_2^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow n_1^2(l_2^2 + m_2^2) = n_2^2(l_1^2 + m_1^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow n_1^2l_2^2 - n_2^2l_1^2 = n_2^2m_1^2 - n_1^2m_2^2$$

$$\Rightarrow n_1^2l_2^2 - n_2^2l_1^2 = n_2^2m_1^2 - n_1^2m_2^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (n_1l_2 - n_2l_1)(n_1l_2 + n_2l_1)$$

$$= (n_2m_1 - n_1m_2)(n_2m_1 + n_1m_2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (n_1l_2 - n_2l_1)(2g) = (n_2m_1 - n_1m_2)(2f)$$

$$\Rightarrow (n_1l_2 - n_2l_1)^2(g^2) = (n_2m_1 - n_1m_2)^2(f^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow [(n_1l_2 + n_2l_1)^2 - 4n_1n_2l_1l_2(g^2)]$$

$$= (n_2m_1 + n_1m_2)^2 - 4m_1m_2n_1n_2(f^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (4g^2 - 4ac)g^2 = (4f^2 - 4bc)f^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (g^2 - ac)g^2 = (f^2 - bc)f^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (g^4 - g^2ac) = (f^4 - f^2bc)$$

$$\Rightarrow f^4 - g^4 = c(f^2b - g^2a)$$

Hence, the result.

9. Given curves are

$$a_1x^2 + 2h_1xy + b_1y^2 + 2g_1x = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{and } a_2x^2 + 2h_2xy + b_2y^2 + 2g_2x = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Multiplying Eq. (i) by  $g_1$  and Eq. (ii) by  $g_2$ , we get

$$a_1g_1x^2 + 2g_1h_1xy + b_1g_1y^2 + 2g_1^2x = 0 \quad \dots(iii)$$

$$\text{and } a_2g_2x^2 + 2h_2g_2xy + b_2g_2y^2 + 2g_2^2x = 0 \quad \dots(iv)$$

Subtracting Eq. (iii) and Eq. (iv), we get

$$(a_1g_1 - a_2g_2)x^2 + 2(g_1h_1 - g_2h_2)xy + (b_1g_1 - b_2g_2)y^2 = 0$$

These lines will be right angles to each other if

$$(a_1g_1 - a_2g_2) + (b_1g_1 - b_2g_2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (a_1g_1 + b_1g_1) + (a_2g_2 + b_2g_2)$$

$$\Rightarrow g_1(a_1 + b_1) = g_2(a_2 + b_2)$$

10. Given lines are  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 0$ .

The line bisects the axes is  $y = x$ .

$$\text{So, } ax^2 + 2hx \cdot x + bx^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow ax^2 + 2hx^2 + bx^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a + 2h + b = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a + b = -2h$$

$$\Rightarrow (a + b)^2 = (-2h)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (a + b)^2 = 4h^2$$

### Integer Type Questions

1. As we know that if  $ax^3 + bx^2y + cxy^2 + dy^3 = 0$  represents two perpendicular lines then

$$a^2 + ac + bd + d^2 = 0$$

$$a^2 - a - 36 + 16 = 0$$

$$a^2 - a - 20 = 0$$

$$(a - 5)(a + 4) = 0$$

$$a = 5, -4$$

Hence, the sum of the values of  $a$  is 1.

2. Let  $m_1 = \tan \theta_1$  and  $m_2 = \tan \theta_2$

$$\text{Now, } m_1 + m_2 = -\frac{2h}{b} = \frac{2 \tan \theta}{\sin^2 \theta}$$

$$\text{and } m_1m_2 = \frac{\tan^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta}{\sin^2 \theta}$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} & \tan \theta_1 - \tan \theta_2 \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{4 \tan^2 \theta}{\sin^4 \theta} - \frac{4(\tan^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta)}{\sin^2 \theta}} \\ &= \frac{2}{\sin^2 \theta} \sqrt{\tan^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta (\tan^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta)} \\ &= \frac{2 \sin \theta}{\sin^2 \theta} \sqrt{\sec^2 \theta - (\tan^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta)} \\ &= \frac{2}{\sin \theta} \sqrt{1 - \cos^2 \theta} \\ &= \frac{2}{\sin \theta} \times \sin \theta \\ &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

3. From the problem, it is clear that, the bisectors of the angles between the lines given by

$$x^2 - 2pxy - y^2 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

and  $x^2 - 2qxy - y^2 = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$

The equation of the bisectors of line (i) is

$$\frac{x^2 - y^2}{1 - (-1)} = \frac{xy}{-q}$$

$$\Rightarrow -qx^2 + 2xy + qy^2 = 0 \quad \dots(iii)$$

Here, Eqs (ii) and (iii) are identical.

Thus, comparing the co-efficients, we get

$$\frac{1}{-q} = \frac{-2p}{-2} = \frac{-1}{q}$$

$$\Rightarrow pq = -1$$

Hence, the value of  $pq + 4$  is 3.

4. As we know that

$$ax^4 + bx^3y + cx^2y^2 + dx^3 + ay^4 = 0$$

bisects the angle between the other two

then  $6a + c + b + d = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 6a - 10 + 12 - 20 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 6a = 18$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 3.$$

5. We have

$$\begin{vmatrix} a & h & g \\ h & b & f \\ g & f & c \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 5 & 5/2 \\ 5 & m & 5 \\ 5/2 & 5 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5}{2} \left( 25 - \frac{5m}{2} \right) - 5 \left( 20 - \frac{25}{2} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{125}{2} - \frac{25m}{4} - 100 + \frac{125}{2} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 125 - \frac{25m}{4} - 100 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 25 - \frac{25m}{4} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 25 = \frac{25m}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 4$$

**Previous Years' JEE-Advanced Examinations**

1. Let the equation of the chord be  $lx + my = 1$

The joint equation of the curve

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

be  $lx + my = 1$  to the origin is

$$3x^2 - y^2 - (2x - 4y)(lx + my) = 0$$

$$(3 - 2l)x^2 + (4l - 2m)xy + (4m - 1)y^2 = 0$$

which subtends a right angle at the origin, if co-efficient of  $x^2 + x$  co-efficient of  $y^2 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 3 - 2l + 4m - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow l - 2m = 1$$

Now,  $lx + my = 1$

$$\Rightarrow lx + my = l - 2m$$

$$\Rightarrow l(x - 1) + m(y + 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 1) + \frac{m}{l}(y + 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 1) + \lambda(y + 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 1) = 0, (y + 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -1, y = -2$$

Hence, the chord passes through the fixed point is  $(1, -2)$ .

No questions asked in between 1992 to 1993.

2. The sides of the parallelogram are

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

$$(x - 2)(x - 3) = 0 \text{ and } (y - 1)(y - 5) = 0$$

$$x = 2, x = 3 \text{ and } y = 1, y = 5$$

Thus, the angular points are

$$A = (2, 1), B = (2, 5), C = (3, 5), D = (3, 1)$$

Equation of the diagonal AC is

$$(y - 2) = \left( \frac{5 - 1}{3 - 2} \right) (x - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow (y - 2) = 4(x - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 4x - 7$$

Equation of the diagonal BD is

$$(y - 5) = \left( \frac{1 - 5}{3 - 2} \right) (x - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (y - 5) = -4(x - 2)$$

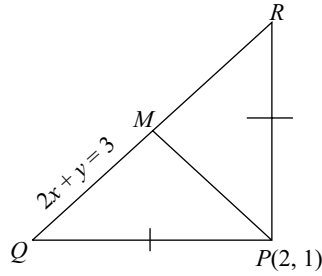
$$\Rightarrow 4x + y = 13.$$

3. Ans. (b)

Clearly, the slope of  $PM$  is  $-1/2$

Here,  $PM$  is equally inclined with  $PQ$  and  $PR$ .

Let the slope of  $PQ$  be  $m$ , then the slope of  $PR$  will be  $-1/m$ .



$$\text{Thus, } \frac{m - \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)}{1 + m\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)} = \frac{-\frac{1}{2} - \left(-\frac{1}{m}\right)}{1 + \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{1}{m}\right)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{2m+1}{2-m} &= \frac{2-m}{2m+1} \\ \Rightarrow (2m+1)^2 &= (2-m)^2 \\ \Rightarrow 4m^2+4m+1 &= 4-4m+m^2 \\ \Rightarrow 3m^2+8m-3 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow 3m^2+9m-m-3 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow 3m(m+3)-1(m+3) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (m+3)(3m-1) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow m &= -3, \frac{1}{3} \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the equations of  $PQ$  and  $PR$  are

$$y-1 = -3(x-2), y-1 = \frac{1}{3}(x-2)$$

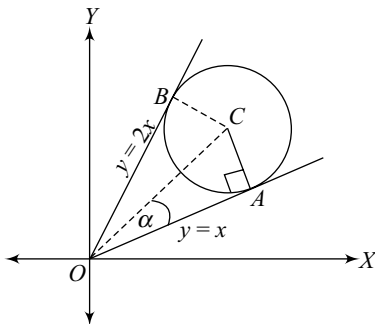
$$\Rightarrow (y-1) = -3(x-2), 3(y-1) = (x-2)$$

Hence, the joint equation of  $PQ$  and  $PR$  is

$$\begin{aligned} \{3(x-2) + (y-1)\} \{(x-2) - 3(y-1)\} &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow 3(x-2)^2 - 3(y-1)^2 + 8(x-2)(y-1) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow 3x^2 - 3y^2 + 8xy - 20x - 10y + 25 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

4. Given equations of tangents are

$$\begin{aligned} 2x^2 + y^2 - 3xy &= 0 \\ (2x-y)(x-y) &= 0 \\ y = x, y = 2x \end{aligned}$$



Let  $2\alpha$  be the angle between these pair of tangents.

$$\text{Then } \tan(2\alpha) = \left| \frac{m_2 - m_1}{1 + m_1 m_2} \right| = \frac{2-1}{1+2} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan(2\alpha) = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{2 \tan \alpha}{1 - \tan^2 \alpha} &= \frac{1}{3} \\ \Rightarrow 6 \tan \alpha &= 1 - \tan^2 \alpha \\ \Rightarrow \tan^2 \alpha + 6 \tan \alpha - 1 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \tan(\alpha) &= \frac{-6 \pm \sqrt{36+4}}{2} \\ \Rightarrow \tan(\alpha) &= -3 \pm \sqrt{10} \\ \Rightarrow \tan(\alpha) &= \sqrt{10} - 3 \end{aligned}$$

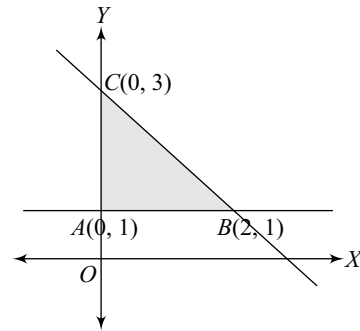
Since  $0 < \alpha < \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} \tan \alpha &= \frac{CA}{OA} = \frac{3}{OA} \\ \Rightarrow OA &= \frac{3}{\tan \alpha} \\ \Rightarrow OA &= \frac{3}{\sqrt{10} - 3} \\ \Rightarrow OA &= 3(\sqrt{10} + 3) \\ \Rightarrow OA &= 9 + 3\sqrt{10} \end{aligned}$$

5. Equation of the angle bisectors of

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 - y^2 + 2y - 1 = 0 \text{ is} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{x^2 - (y-1)^2}{1+1} &= \frac{x(y-1)}{0} \\ \Rightarrow x(y-1) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow x = 0 \text{ and } (y-1) &= 0 \end{aligned}$$



Hence, the area of the

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta ABC &= \frac{1}{2} \times AB \times AC \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times 2 = 2 \text{ sq. units} \end{aligned}$$

6. Given curve is

$$\begin{aligned} (ax^2 + bx^2 + c)(x^2 - 5xy + 6y^2) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (ax^2 + bx^2 + c) = 0, (x^2 - 5xy + 6y^2) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (ax^2 + by^2 + c) = 0, (x-2y)(x-3y) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (ax^2 + by^2 + c) = 0, (x-2y) = 0, (x-3y) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 = \frac{c}{a}, (x-2y) = 0, (x-3y) &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

which represents two straight lines and a circle.

CONCEPT BOOSTER

1. INTRODUCTION

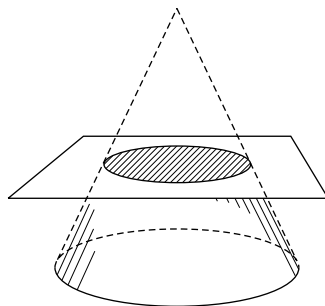
The word ‘circle’ is derived from the Greek word *kirkos* which means a circle, from the base *ker* which means to turn or bend. The origins of the words ‘circus’ and ‘circuit’ are closely related.

The circle has been known since before the beginning of recorded history. Natural circles would have been observed, such as the Moon, Sun, and a short plant stalk blowing in the wind on sand, which forms a circle-like shape in the sand. The circle is the basis for the wheel, which, with related inventions such as gears, made much of modern civilisations possible. In mathematics, the study of the circle has helped the development of geometry, astronomy, and calculus.

2. MATHEMATICAL DEFINITIONS

Definition 1

The intersection of a right circular cone and a plane is a circle, in which the plane is perpendicular to the axis or parallel to the base of the cone.



Definition 2

A circle is a conic section whose eccentricity is zero.

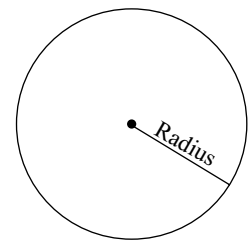
Definition 3

A conic  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  represents a circle if

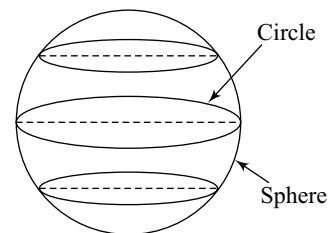
- (i)  $a = b$ ,
- (ii)  $h = 0$ , and
- (iii)  $\Delta \neq 0$ , where  $\Delta = abc + 2fgh - af^2 - bg^2 - ch^2$

Definition 4

It is the locus of a point which moves in a plane in such a way that its distance from a fixed point is always the same. The fixed point is called the *centre* and the distance between the point and the centre is known as the *radius* of the circle.



Definition 5



In 3D geometry, the section of a sphere by a plane is a circle.

Definition 6

Let  $z$  be a complex number and  $a$  be a positive real number. If  $|z| = a$ , the locus of  $z$  is a circle.

Definition 7

Let  $z$  be a complex number and  $a \in R^+$ ,  $b \in R$ . If  $|z - b| = a$ , the locus of  $z$  will be a circle, with the centre at  $b$  and the radius  $a$ .

Definition 8

Let  $z_1, z_2$  and  $z_3$  be three non-zero complex numbers such that  $\left| \frac{z - z_1}{z - z_2} \right| = k$ , where  $k \neq 1$ . The locus of  $z$  is a circle.

Definition 9

Let  $z, z_1$  and  $z_2$  be three non-zero complex numbers such that  $|z - z_1|^2 + |z - z_2|^2 = |z_1 - z_2|^2$ . The locus of  $z$  is a circle with the centre at  $\left( \frac{z_1 + z_2}{2} \right)$  and the radius  $\frac{1}{2} |z_1 - z_2|$ .



**Definition 10**

Let  $z, z_1$  and  $z_2$  be three non-zero complex numbers such that

$$\arg\left(\frac{z - z_2}{z - z_1}\right) = \frac{\pi}{2}, \text{ the locus of } z \text{ is a circle.}$$

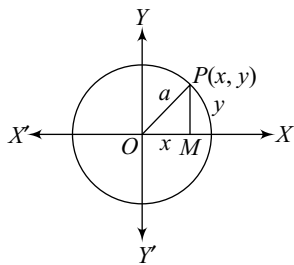
**Definition 11**

Let  $z, z_1$  and  $z_2$  be three non-zero complex numbers such that

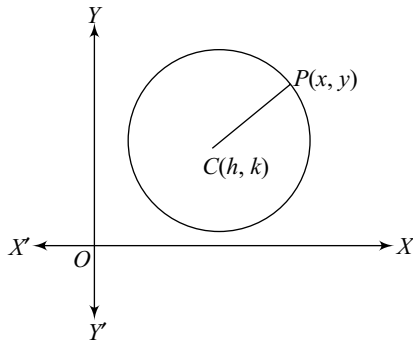
$$\arg\left(\frac{z - z_2}{z - z_1}\right) = \alpha, \text{ where } \alpha \neq 0, \pi. \text{ The locus of } z \text{ is a circle.}$$

**3. STANDARD EQUATION OF A CIRCLE**

- (i)  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ , where the centre is  $(0, 0)$  and the radius is  $a$ .



- (ii)  $(x - h)^2 + (y - k)^2 = a^2$ , where the centre is  $(h, k)$  and the radius is 'a'.



**4. GENERAL EQUATION OF A CIRCLE**

The general equation of a circle is  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ , where the centre is  $(-g, -f)$  and the radius is  $\sqrt{g^2 + f^2 - c}$ .

As we know that the equation any of circle, when centre of a circle is not the origin, is

$$\begin{aligned} &(x - h)^2 + (y - k)^2 = a^2 \\ \Rightarrow &x^2 - 2hx + h^2 + y^2 - 2ky + k^2 = a^2 \\ \Rightarrow &x^2 + y^2 - 2hx - 2ky + h^2 + k^2 - a^2 = 0 \\ \Rightarrow &x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0, \\ &\text{where } h = -g, k = -f \text{ and } c = h^2 + k^2 - a^2 \\ \Rightarrow &x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0, \\ &\text{where } h = -g, k = -f \text{ and} \\ &a = \sqrt{h^2 + k^2 - c} = \sqrt{g^2 + f^2 - c} \end{aligned}$$

**5. NATURE OF THE CIRCLE**

The nature of the circle depends on its radius.

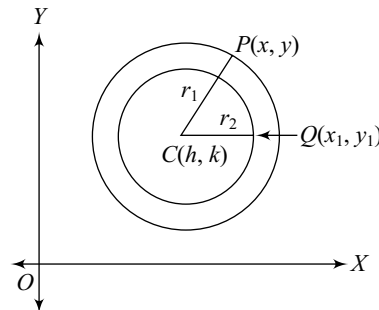
Let the equation of a circle is  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  and its radius is  $\sqrt{g^2 + f^2 - c}$ .

- (i) If  $(g^2 + f^2 - c) > 0$ , it represents a real circle.
- (ii) If  $(g^2 + f^2 - c) < 0$ , it represents a virtual circle or an imaginary circle.
- (iii) If  $(g^2 + f^2 - c) = 0$ , it represents a point circle.

**6. CONCENTRIC CIRCLES**

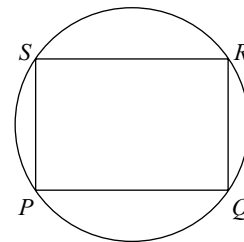
Two circles having the same centre, say  $(h, k)$  and different radii, say  $r_1$  and  $r_2$  respectively, are called concentric circles.

Thus,  $(x - h)^2 + (y - k)^2 = r_1^2$   
and  $(x_1 - h)^2 + (y_1 - k)^2 = r_2^2$   
are two concentric circles.



**7. CONCYCLIC POINTS**

If  $P, Q, R$  and  $S$  lie on the same circle, the points  $P, Q, R$  and  $S$  are known as concyclic points.



**8. PARAMETRIC EQUATION OF A CIRCLE**

If the radius of a circle, whose centre is the origin, makes an angle  $\theta$  with the positive direction of  $x$ -axis, then  $\theta$  is called a parameter and  $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$ .

- (i) If the equation of a circle be  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ , its parametric equations are  
 $x = a \cos \theta, y = a \sin \theta$ ,  
where  $\theta$  is a parameter.
- (ii) If the equation of a circle be  $(x - h)^2 + (y - k)^2 = a^2$ , its parametric equations are  
 $x = h + a \cos \theta, y = k + a \sin \theta$ ,  
where  $\theta$  is a parameter.

**9. DIAMETRIC FORM OF A CIRCLE**

The equation of a circle, when the end-points  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$  of a diameter are given is

$$(x - x_1)(x - x_2) + (y - y_1)(y - y_2) = 0.$$

**10. EQUATION OF A CIRCLE PASSING THROUGH THREE NON-COLLINEAR POINTS**

Let the equation of a circle be

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

If three points  $(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2), (x_3, y_3)$  lie on a circle, then

$$x_1^2 + y_1^2 + 2gx_1 + 2fy_1 + c = 0,$$

$$x_2^2 + y_2^2 + 2gx_2 + 2fy_2 + c = 0 \text{ and}$$

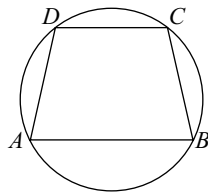
$$x_3^2 + y_3^2 + 2gx_3 + 2fy_3 + c = 0.$$

Eliminating  $g, f$  and  $c$ , we get

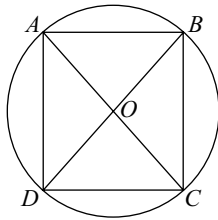
$$\begin{vmatrix} x^2 + y^2 & x & y & 1 \\ x_1^2 + y_1^2 & x_1 & y_1 & 1 \\ x_2^2 + y_2^2 & x_2 & y_2 & 1 \\ x_3^2 + y_3^2 & x_3 & y_3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

**11. CYCLIC QUADRILATERAL**

If all the vertices of a quadrilateral lie on a circle, the quadrilateral is called a cyclic quadrilateral and the four vertices are known as concyclic points.



**12. CONDITION FOR CONCYCLIC POINTS**



If  $A, B, C$  and  $D$  are concyclic points, then

$$OA \cdot OD = OB \cdot OC,$$

where  $O$  is the point of intersection of the chords  $AD$  and  $BC$ , and  $O$  is not the centre of a circle.

If the lines  $a_1x + b_1y + c_1 = 0$  and  $a_2x + b_2y + c_2 = 0$  cut the  $x$ -axis and  $y$ -axis in four concyclic points, then

$$a_1a_2 = b_1b_2.$$

Two conics

$$a_1x^2 + 2h_1xy + b_1y^2 + 2g_1x + 2f_1y + c_1 = 0$$

and  $a_2x^2 + 2h_2xy + b_2y^2 + 2g_2x + 2f_2y + c_2 = 0$

will intersect each other in four concyclic points, if

$$\frac{a_1 - b_1}{a_2 - b_2} = \frac{h_1}{h_2}.$$

**13. INTERCEPTS MADE ON THE AXES BY A CIRCLE**

Let the circle be  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ . Then the

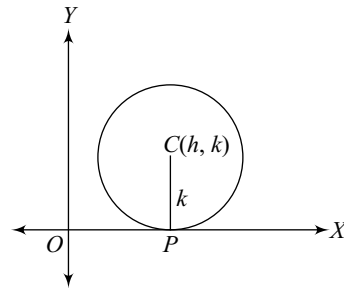
(i) length of  $x$ -intercept =  $2\sqrt{g^2 - c}$

(ii) length of  $y$ -intercept =  $2\sqrt{f^2 - c}$ .

**14. DIFFERENT FORMS OF A CIRCLE**

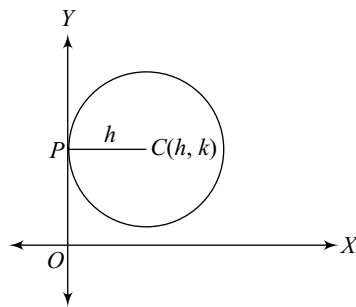
(i) When the circle touches the  $x$ -axis

The equation of a circle is  $(x - h)^2 + (y - k)^2 = k^2$ .



(ii) When the circle touches the  $y$ -axis

The equation of a circle is  $(x - h)^2 + (y - k)^2 = h^2$ .

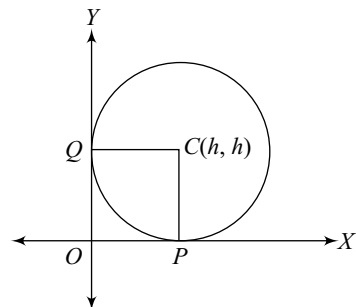


(iii) When the circle touches both the axes

The equation of a circle is

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

or  $(x - k)^2 + (y - k)^2 = k^2$

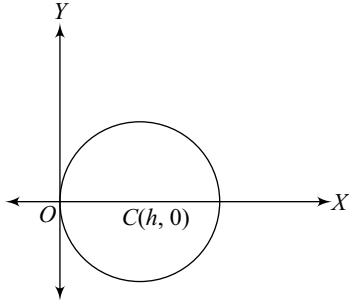


- (iv) **When the circle passes through the origin and the centre lies on x-axis**

The equation of a circle is

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

or  $x^2 + y^2 - 2hx = 0$

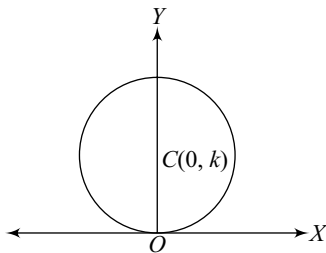


- (v) **When the circle passes through the origin and the centre lies on y-axis**

The equation of a circle is

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

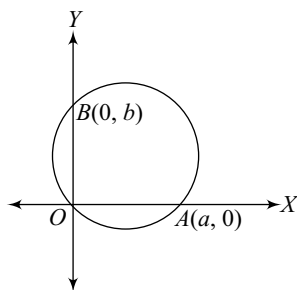
or  $x^2 + y^2 - 2ky = 0$



- (vi) **When the circle passes through the origin and has intercepts a and b on the x and y axes respectively**

The equation of the circle is

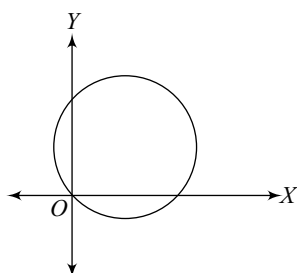
$$x^2 + y^2 - ax - by = 0$$



- (vii) **When the circle passes through the origin**

The equation of the circle is

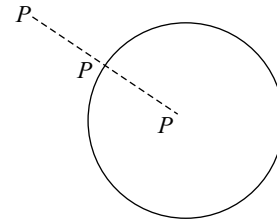
$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy = 0$$



### 15. POSITION OF A POINT WITH RESPECT TO A CIRCLE

- (i) A point  $(x_1, y_1)$  lies outside, on and inside of a circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ , if

$$x_1^2 + y_1^2 - a^2 > 0, = 0, < 0$$



- (ii) A point  $(x_1, y_1)$  lies outside, on and inside of a circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ , if  $x_1^2 + y_1^2 + 2gx_1 + 2fy_1 + c > 0, = 0, < 0$ .

### 16. SHORTEST AND LARGEST DISTANCE OF A CIRCLE FROM A POINT

Let  $P(x_1, y_1)$  be any point and the circle be

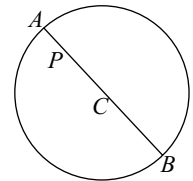
$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0.$$

**Case I:** When  $P$  lies inside the circle.

Draw a line through  $P$  passing through the centre and intersects the circle at  $A$  and  $B$ , respectively.

Shortest distance,  $PA = CA - CP$

Longest distance,  $PB = CP + CB$ .

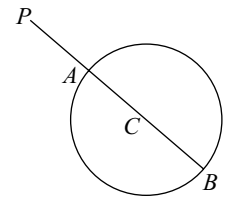


**Case II:** When  $P$  lies outside on the circle.

Draw a line through  $P$  passing through the centre and intersects the circle at  $A$  and  $B$ , respectively.

Shortest distance =  $PA = CP - CA$

Longest distance =  $PB = CP + CB$

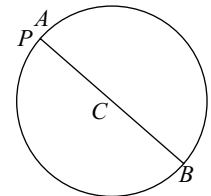


**Case III:** When  $P$  lies on the circle

Draw a line through  $P$  passing through the centre and intersects the circle at  $A$  and  $B$ , respectively.

Shortest distance = 0

Longest distance,  $PB = 2$  radius.



### 17. INTERSECTION OF A LINE AND A CIRCLE

Let the circle be  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  ... (i)

and the line be  $y = mx + c$  ... (ii)

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$x^2 + (mx + c)^2 = a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 + m^2)x^2 + 2mcx + (c^2 - a^2) = 0$$

- (i) The line  $y = mx + c$  will intersect the circle in two distinct points, if

$$D > 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow 4m^2c^2 - 4(1+m^2)(c^2 - a^2) &> 0 \\ \Rightarrow m^2c^2 - [c^2 + m^2c^2 - a^2(1+m^2)] &> 0 \\ \Rightarrow c^2 - a^2(1+m^2) &> 0 \\ \Rightarrow a^2(1+m^2) &> c^2 \\ \Rightarrow a^2 &> \frac{c^2}{(1+m^2)} \\ \Rightarrow a &> \frac{|c|}{\sqrt{(1+m^2)}} \\ \Rightarrow \text{radius} &> \text{the length of the perpendicular from the} \\ &\text{origin to the line } y = mx + c. \end{aligned}$$

(ii) The line  $y = mx + c$  will intersect the circle in two coincident points if

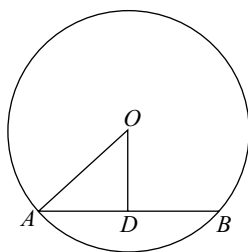
$$\begin{aligned} D &= 0. \\ \Rightarrow 4m^2c^2 - 4(1+m^2)(c^2 - a^2) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow m^2c^2 - (1+m^2)(c^2 - a^2) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow c^2 = a^2(1+m^2) \\ \Rightarrow a^2 &= \frac{c^2}{(1+m^2)} \\ \Rightarrow a &= \frac{|c|}{\sqrt{(1+m^2)}} \\ \Rightarrow \text{radius} &= \text{the length of the perpendicular from the} \\ &\text{centre of a circle to the line } y = mx + c. \end{aligned}$$

(iii) The line  $y = mx + c$  will not intersect the circle if

$$\begin{aligned} D &< 0 \\ \Rightarrow 4m^2c^2 - 4(1+m^2)(c^2 - a^2) &< 0 \\ \Rightarrow m^2c^2 - [c^2 + m^2c^2 - a^2(1+m^2)] &< 0 \\ \Rightarrow c^2 - a^2(1+m^2) &< 0 \\ \Rightarrow a^2(1+m^2) &< c^2 \\ \Rightarrow a^2 &< \frac{c^2}{(1+m^2)} \\ \Rightarrow a &< \frac{|c|}{\sqrt{(1+m^2)}} \\ \Rightarrow \text{radius} &< \text{the length of the perpendicular from the} \\ &\text{origin to the line } y = mx + c. \end{aligned}$$

### 18. LENGTH OF INTERCEPT CUT OFF FROM A LINE BY A CIRCLE

The length of the intercept cut off from the line  $y = mx + c$  by the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  is  $2 \times \sqrt{\left(\frac{a^2(1+m^2) - c^2}{(1+m^2)}\right)}$ .



**Proof:** We have,

$$OD = \frac{c}{\sqrt{1+m^2}}$$

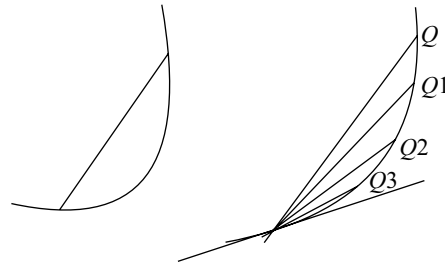
$$\begin{aligned} \text{In } \triangle AOD, AD^2 &= OA^2 - OD^2 \\ &= a^2 - \frac{c^2}{(1+m^2)} \\ &= \frac{a^2(m^2+1) - c^2}{(1+m^2)} \\ \Rightarrow AD &= \sqrt{\frac{a^2(m^2+1) - c^2}{(1+m^2)}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus, the length of the intercept} &= AB \\ &= 2AD \\ &= 2 \times \sqrt{\frac{a^2(m^2+1) - c^2}{(1+m^2)}} \end{aligned}$$

### 19. TANGENT AND SECANT

If a line intersects the curve in two coincident points, it is called a tangent and if a line intersects the curve in two distinct points, it is called a secant.

Here,  $PT$  is a tangent and  $MN$  a secant.



### Different forms of the Equations of Tangents

#### 1. Point form

(i) The equation of tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  at  $(x_1, y_1)$  is  $xx_1 + yy_1 = a^2$ .

**Proof:** Let  $C$  be the centre of the circle.

Now slope of  $CP$

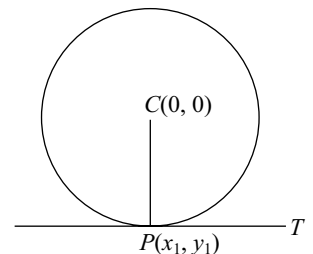
$$= \frac{y_1 - 0}{x_1 - 0} = \frac{y_1}{x_1}$$

Here,  $PT$  is the perpendicular to  $CP$ .

Thus, slope of  $PT = -\frac{x_1}{y_1}$ .

Hence, the equation of the tangent is

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow y - y_1 &= -\frac{x_1}{y_1}(x - x_1) \\ \Rightarrow yy_1 - y_1^2 &= -xx_1 + x_1^2 \\ \Rightarrow xx_1 + yy_1 &= x_1^2 + y_1^2 = a^2 \end{aligned}$$



- (ii) The equation of tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  at  $(x_1, y_1)$  is  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx_1 + 2fy_1 + c = 0$ .

**Proof:** Let  $C(-g, -f)$  be the centre of the circle.

Now, slope of  $CP = \frac{y_1 + f}{x_1 + g}$ .

Here,  $PT$  is the perpendicular to  $CP$ .

Thus, slope of  $PT = -\frac{x_1 + g}{y_1 + f}$ .

Hence, the equation of the tangent at  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$(y - y_1) = -\frac{x_1 + g}{y_1 + f}(x - x_1)$$

$$\Rightarrow xx_1 + yy_1 + g(x + x_1) + f(y + y_1) + c = 0.$$

**Note:** The equation of the tangent to the 2nd degree curve  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  is  $axx_1 + h(xy_1 + x_1y) + byy_1 + g(x + x_1) + f(y + y_1) + c = 0$

In order to find out the equation of tangent to any 2nd degree curve, the following points must be kept in your mind

- $x^2$  is replaced by  $xx_1$ ,
- $y^2$  is replaced by  $yy_1$ ,
- $xy$  is replaced by  $\frac{xy_1 + x_1y}{2}$ ,
- $x$  is replaced by  $\frac{x + x_1}{2}$ ,
- $y$  is replaced by  $\frac{y + y_1}{2}$ ,

and  $c$  will remain  $c$ .

This method is applicable only for a 2nd degree conic.

**2. Parametric form**

The equation of a tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  at  $(a \cos \theta, a \sin \theta)$  is  $x \cos \theta + y \sin \theta = a$

**Proof:** The equation of the chord joining the points  $(a \cos \theta, a \sin \theta)$  and  $(a \cos \phi, a \sin \phi)$  is

$$x \cos\left(\frac{\theta + \phi}{2}\right) + y \sin\left(\frac{\theta + \phi}{2}\right) = a \cos\left(\frac{\theta - \phi}{2}\right).$$

The equation of the tangent to the circle

$$(x - h)^2 + (y - k)^2 = a^2 \text{ at } (h + a \cos \theta, k + a \sin \theta) \text{ is } (x - h)\cos \theta + (y - k)\sin \theta = a$$

**Condition of tangency**

The line  $y = mx + c$  will be a tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  if  $c^2 = a^2(1 + m^2)$ .

**Proof:** The line  $y = mx + c$  will be a tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  if radius = the length of perpendicular from the centre of a circle to the line  $y = mx + c$ .

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{|c|}{\sqrt{1 + m^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 = \frac{c^2}{(1 + m^2)}$$

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

which is the required condition.

**3. Slope form**

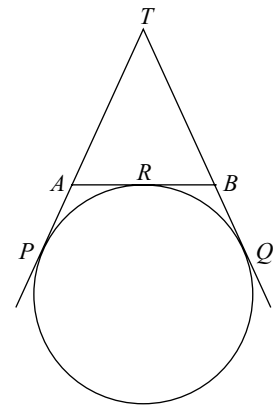
The equation of tangent with slope  $m$  to a circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  is  $y = mx \pm a\sqrt{1 + m^2}$  and the co-ordinates of the point of contact are

$$\left( \pm \frac{am}{\sqrt{1 + m^2}}, \mp \frac{a}{\sqrt{1 + m^2}} \right)$$

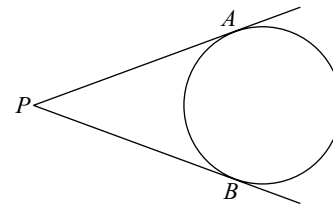
**Note:** Equation of any tangent to the circle can be considered as  $y = mx + a\sqrt{1 + m^2}$ .

**Number of tangents**

- (i) If a point lies outside of a circle, the two tangents can be drawn. Here,  $TP$  and  $TQ$  are two tangents.
- (ii) If a point lies on the circle, then one tangent can be drawn. Here,  $ARB$  be a tangent.
- (iii) If a point lies inside the circle, then no tangent can be drawn.



**Tangents from a point to a circle**



Let the point be  $(x_1, y_1)$  and the circle be  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ .

The equation of any tangent from a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  to a circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  is

$$(y - y_1) = m(x - x_1) \tag{i}$$

The line (i) will be the tangent to the given circle if the length of the perpendicular from the centre of a circle = radius of a circle

$$\left| \frac{(mx_1 - y_1)}{\sqrt{1 + m^2}} \right| = a$$

$$\Rightarrow (mx_1 - y_1)^2 = a^2(1 + m^2)$$

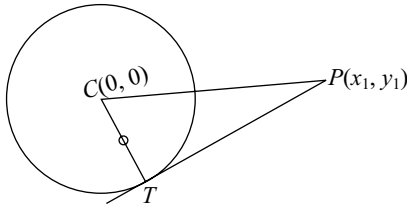
$$\Rightarrow m^2x_1^2 - 2mx_1y_1 + y_1^2 = a^2 + a^2m^2$$

which is a quadratic in  $m$ , gives two values of  $m$ .

Put those values of  $m$  in Eq (i), we get the required equations of tangents.

**Length of tangent from a point to a circle**

- (i) The length of the tangent from a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  is  $\sqrt{x_1^2 + y_1^2 - a^2}$ .



- (ii) The length of the tangent from a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  is  $\sqrt{x_1^2 + y_1^2 + 2gx_1 + 2fy_1 + c}$ .

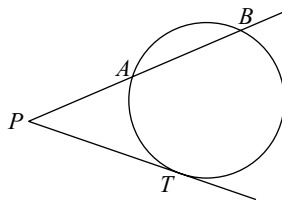
**Power of a point with respect to a circle**

The power of a point  $P$  with respect to any circle is

$$PA \cdot PB$$

From the geometry, we can write

$$PA \cdot PB = PT^2$$



Thus, the power of a point is the square of the length of the tangent to a circle from that point.

- (i) The power of a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  with respect to a circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  is  $(x_1^2 + y_1^2 - a^2)$ .
- (ii) The power of a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  with respect to a circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  is  $(x_1^2 + y_1^2 + 2gx_1 + 2fy_1 + c)$ .

**Pair of tangents**

- (i) The equation of a pair of tangents to a circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  from a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$SS_1 = T^2,$$

where  $S \equiv x^2 + y^2 - a^2$ ;

$$S_1 \equiv x_1^2 + y_1^2 - a^2; T \equiv xx_1 + yy_1 - a^2.$$

- (ii) The equation of a pair of tangents to a circle

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

$$SS_1 = T^2,$$

where  $S \equiv x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c$ ;  $S_1$

$$\equiv x_1^2 + y_1^2 + 2gx_1 + 2fy_1 + c$$

$$T \equiv xx_1 + yy_1 + g(x + x_1) + f(y + y_1) + c$$

- (iii) The angle between the pair of tangents from  $(x_1, y_1)$  to

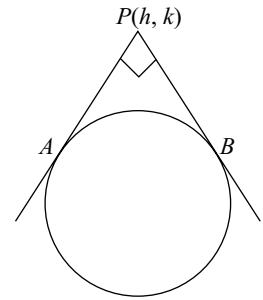
the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  is

$$2 \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{a}{\sqrt{S_1}} \right), \text{ where } S_1 = x_1^2 + y_1^2 - a^2.$$

**20. DIRECTOR CIRCLE**

The locus of the point of intersection of two perpendicular tangents to a circle is known as the director circle. It is a concentric circle having radius  $\sqrt{2}$  times the radius of the original circle.

The equation of the director circle to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  is  $x^2 + y^2 = 2a^2$ .

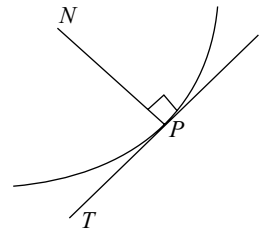


**21. NORMAL**

If a line is perpendicular to the point of contact to the tangent is called a normal.

The relation between tangent and normal is

$$m(T) \times m(N) = -1.$$



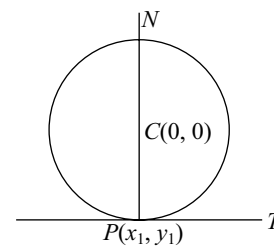
**Different Forms of the Equation of Normals**

**1. Point form**

- (i) The equation of a normal to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  at

$$(x_1, y_1) \text{ is } \frac{x}{x_1} = \frac{y}{y_1}.$$

**Proof:** Let  $PT$  be a tangent and  $PN$  be a normal. Clearly  $PN$  must be a perpendicular to  $PT$ .



Equation of tangent at  $P$  is

$$xx_1 + yy_1 = a^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

Equation of normal at  $P$  is

$$xy_1 - yx_1 + k = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

which is passing through  $(0, 0)$

Therefore,  $k = 0$ .

Hence, the equation of the normal is  $xy_1 - yx_1 + k = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{x_1} = \frac{y}{y_1}$$

- (ii) The equation of a normal to the circle

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0 \text{ at } (x_1, y_1) \text{ is}$$

$$\frac{x - x_1}{x_1 + g} = \frac{y - y_1}{y_1 + f}$$

**Proof:** As we know that the normal always passes through the centre of a circle.

Thus, the equation of the normal at  $P$  to the circle

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

$$y - y_1 = \frac{y_1 + f}{x_1 + g}(x - x_1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x - x_1}{x_1 + g} = \frac{y - y_1}{y_1 + f}$$

(iii) The equation of a normal to a conic

$$ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$$

at  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$\frac{x - x_1}{ax_1 + hy_1 + g} = \frac{y - y_1}{hx_1 + by_1 + f}$$

**2. Parametric form**

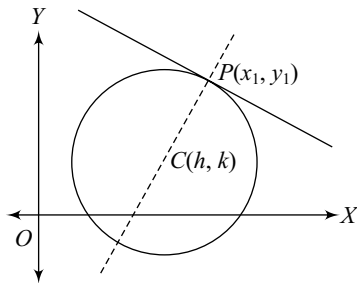
The equation of the normal to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  at

$$(a \cos \theta, a \sin \theta) \text{ is } \frac{x}{\cos \theta} = \frac{y}{\sin \theta}$$

**3. Slope form**

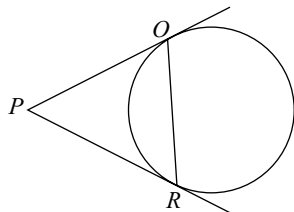
The equation of a normal to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  is  $y = mx$ .

**4. Normal always passes through the centre of the circle**



**5. Line  $y = mx + c$  will be a normal to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  if  $c = 0$ .**

**22. CHORD OF CONTACT**



From any external point, two tangents can be drawn to a given circle. The chord joining the points of contact of the two tangents is called the chord of contact of tangents.

Here,  $QR$  is the chord of contact of tangents.

(i) The equation of the chord of contact of tangents drawn from a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  is

$$xx_1 + yy_1 = a^2.$$

(ii) The equation of the chord of contact of tangents drawn from a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  to the circle

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

$$\text{is } xx_1 + yy_1 + g(x + x_1) + f(y + y_1) + c = 0$$

(iii) The chord of contact exists only when if the point  $P$  not lies inside of the circle.

(iv) The length of the chord of contact,  $T_1T_2 = \frac{2LR}{\sqrt{R^2 + L^2}}$ , where  $R$  = radius and  $L$  = length of tangent.

(v) Area of the triangle formed by the pair of tangents and its chord of contact =  $\frac{RL^2}{R^2 + L^2}$ .

(vi) Tangents of the angle between the pair of tangents from the point  $(x_1, y_1) = \frac{2RL}{L^2 - R^2}$ .

(vii) Equation of the circle circumscribing the triangle  $\Delta PT_1T_2$  is

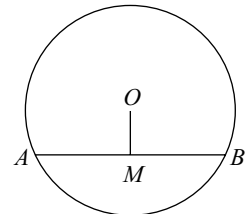
$$(x - x_1)(x + g) + (y - y_1)(y + f) = 0$$

(viii) The distance between the chord of contact of tangents to  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  from the origin and the point  $(g, f)$  is

$$\frac{|g^2 + f^2 - c|}{2\sqrt{g^2 + f^2}}$$

**23. CHORD BISECTED AT A GIVEN POINT**

(i) The equation of the chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  bisected at a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  is given by  $T = S_1$ , where  $S_1 \equiv x_1^2 + y_1^2 - a^2$  and  $T \equiv xx_1 + yy_1 - a^2$ .



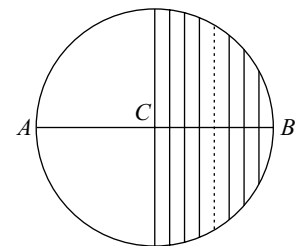
(ii) The equation of the chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  bisected at a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  is given by  $T = S_1$ , where  $S_1 \equiv x_1^2 + y_1^2 + 2gx_1 + 2fy_1 + c$  and  $T \equiv xx_1 + yy_1 + g(x + x_1) + f(y + y_1) + c$

**24. DIAMETER OF A CIRCLE**

The locus of the mid-points of a system of parallel chords of a circle is known as diameter of the circle.

The diameter of a circle always passes through the centre of a circle and perpendicular to the parallel chords.

Let the circle be  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  and parallel chord be  $y = mx + c$ .



Equation of any diameter to the given circle is perpendicular to the given parallel chord is  $my + x + \lambda = 0$  which passes through the centre of a circle.

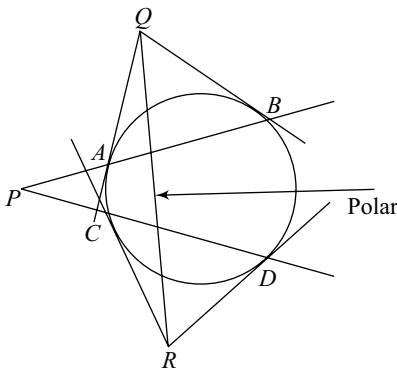
Thus  $0 + 0 + \lambda = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow \lambda = 0$

Hence, the required equation of the diameter is  $x + my = 0$ .

### 25. POLE AND POLAR

If from a point  $P$ , any straight line is drawn to meet the circle in  $Q$  and  $R$  and if tangents to the circle at  $Q$  and  $R$  meet in  $T$ , the locus of  $T$  is called the polar of  $P$  with respect to the circle.

The point  $P$  is known as the pole of its polar.

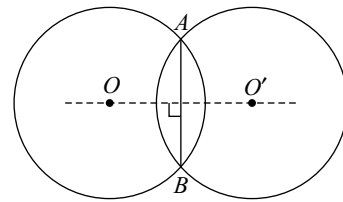


Polar of a circle exists only when the point  $P$  lies either outside or inside of the given circle.

- (i) The equation of a polar of the point  $(x_1, y_1)$  with respect to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  is  $xx_1 + yy_1 = a^2$
- (ii) The equation of polar of the point  $(x_1, y_1)$  with respect to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  is  $xx_1 + yy_1 + g(x + x_1) + f(y + y_1) + c = 0$ .
- (iii) If a point  $P$  lies outside of a circle, then the polar and the chord of contact of this point  $P$  are the same straight line.
- (iv) If a point  $P$  lies on the circle, then the polar and the tangent to the circle at  $P$  are the same straight line.
- (v) The pole of a line  $lx + my + n = 0$  with respect to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  is  $\left(-\frac{a^2l}{n}, -\frac{a^2m}{n}\right)$ .
- (vi) If the polar of a point  $P$  with respect to a circle passes through  $Q$ , then the polar of  $Q$  with respect to the circle will pass through  $P$ . Here, the points  $P$  and  $Q$  are called the conjugate points.
- (vii) **Conjugate Points:** Two points are said to be conjugate points with respect to a circle, if the polar of either passes through the other.
- (viii) If the pole of a line  $L_1$  with respect to a circle lies on another line  $L_2$ , then the pole of the other line  $L_2$  with respect to the same circle will lie on the first line  $L_1$ . Here, the lines  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  are conjugate lines.

- (ix) **Conjugate lines:** Two straight lines are said to be conjugate lines if the pole of either lies on the other.
- (x) If the lines  $a_1x + b_1y + c_1 = 0$  and  $a_2x + b_2y + c_2 = 0$  are conjugate to each other with respect to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = c^2$ , then  $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 = \frac{c_1c_2}{r^2}$ .
- (xi) If  $O$  be the centre of a circle and  $P$  be any point,  $OP$  is perpendicular to the polar of  $P$ .
- (xii) If  $O$  be the centre of a circle and  $P$  be any point, then if  $OP$  (produced, if it is necessary) meet the polar of  $P$  in  $Q$ , then  $OP \cdot OQ = (\text{radius})^2$ .

### 26. COMMON CHORD OF TWO CIRCLES



The chord joining the points of intersection of two given circles is called their common chord.

The equation of the common chord between two circles is  $S_1 - S_2 = 0$

$\Rightarrow 2(g_1 - g_2)x + 2(f_1 - f_2)y = c_1 - c_2$ ,  
 where  $S_1 \equiv x^2 + y^2 + 2g_1x + 2f_1y + c_1 = 0$   
 and  $S_2 \equiv x^2 + y^2 + 2g_2x + 2f_2y + c_2 = 0$

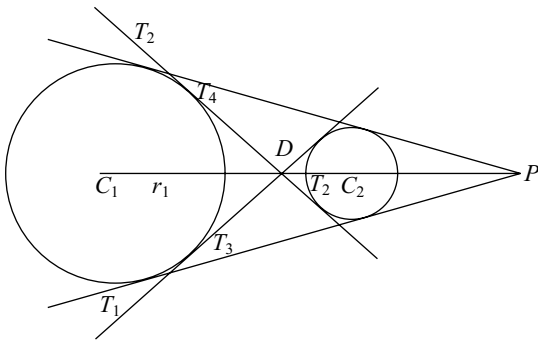
- (i) The length of the common chord =  $PQ = 2 \cdot PM = 2\sqrt{(C_1P)^2 - (C_1M)^2}$ , where  $C_1P =$  radius of the circle  $S_1 = 0$  and  $C_1M =$  Length of the perpendicular from  $C_1$  on the common chord  $PQ$ .
- (ii) The common chord  $PQ$  of two circles becomes of the maximum length, when it is a diameter of the smaller one between them.
- (iii) If the circle on the common chord be a diameter, then the centre of the circle passing through  $P$  and  $Q$  lie on the common chord of the two circles.
- (iv) If the circle  $S_1 = 0$ , bisects the circumference of the circle  $S_2 = 0$ , then their common chord will be the diameter of the circle  $S_2 = 0$ .

### 27. INTERSECTION BETWEEN TWO CIRCLES

Let the two circles be  $(x - \alpha)^2 + (y - \beta)^2 = r_1^2$  and  $(x - \gamma)^2 + (y - \delta)^2 = r_2^2$ , where centres are  $C_1(\alpha, \beta)$  and  $C_2(\gamma, \delta)$  and radii are  $r_1$  and  $r_2$ , respectively.



(i) When two circles do not intersect



Then  $C_1C_2 > r_1 + r_2$   
 Thus four common tangents can be drawn.  
 Let  $P$  be the point of intersection of two transverse tangents and  $D$  be the point of intersection of two direct common tangents.  
 Then the co-ordinates of  $P$  and  $D$  are

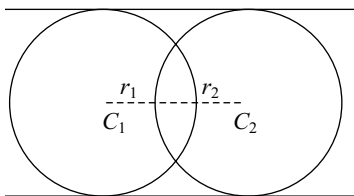
$$\left( \frac{r_1x_2 + r_2x_1}{r_1 + r_2}, \frac{r_1y_2 + r_2y_1}{r_1 + r_2} \right) = (h, k)$$

and

$$\left( \frac{r_1x_2 - r_2x_1}{r_1 - r_2}, \frac{r_1y_2 - r_2y_1}{r_1 - r_2} \right) = (\lambda, \mu)$$

respectively  
 The equation of the transverse common tangents is  $(y - k) = m_1(x - h)$  and the equation of direct common tangent is  $(y - \mu) = m_2(x - \lambda)$ .  
 Now values of  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  can be obtained from the length of the perpendicular from the centre  $C_1$  or  $C_2$  on the tangent is equal to  $r_1$  or  $r_2$ . Put two values of  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  on the common tangent equations, then we get the required results.

(ii) When two circles intersect

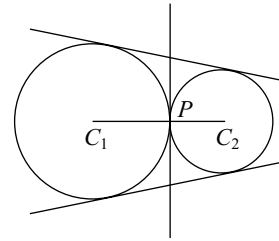


Then  $|r_1 - r_2| < C_1C_2 < r_1 + r_2$   
 Thus two common tangents can be drawn.  
 Let two direct common tangents intersect at  $D$  externally in the ratio  $r_1 : r_2$ .  
 Then the co-ordinates of  $D$  are

$$\left( \frac{r_1x_2 - r_2x_1}{r_1 - r_2}, \frac{r_1y_2 - r_2y_1}{r_1 - r_2} \right) = (h, k)$$

Hence the equation of the direct common tangent is  $y - k = m(x - h)$ .  
 Now values of  $m$  can be obtained from the length of the perpendicular from the centre  $C_1$  or  $C_2$  on the tangent is equal to  $r_1$  or  $r_2$ .  
 Put two values of  $m$  on the common tangent equation, then we get the required equation of direct common tangents.

(iii) When two circles touch each other externally



Then  $C_1C_2 = r_1 + r_2$   
 Thus three common tangents can be drawn.  
 Let the point of contact be  $P$ .  
 Then the co-ordinates of  $P$  are

$$\left( \frac{r_1x_2 + r_2x_1}{r_1 + r_2}, \frac{r_1y_2 + r_2y_1}{r_1 + r_2} \right)$$

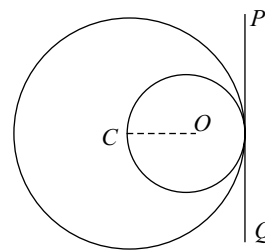
Hence the equation of the common transverse tangent is  $S_1 - S_2 = 0$  which is the same as the equation of the common chord.  
 Let two direct common tangents intersect at  $D$  externally in the ratio  $r_1 : r_2$ .

Then the co-ordinates of  $D$  are

$$\left( \frac{r_1x_2 - r_2x_1}{r_1 - r_2}, \frac{r_1y_2 - r_2y_1}{r_1 - r_2} \right) = (h, k)$$

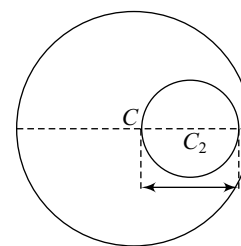
Hence the equation of the direct common tangent is  $(y - k) = m(x - h)$ .  
 Now values of  $m$  can be obtained from the length of perpendicular from the centre  $C_1$  or  $C_2$  on the tangent is equal to  $r_1$  or  $r_2$ . Put two values of  $m$  on the common tangent equation, then we get the required equation of direct common tangents.

(iv) When two circles touch each other internally



Then  $C_1C_2 = |r_1 - r_2|$   
 Thus, only one tangent can be drawn.  
 Equation of the common transverse tangent is  $S_1 - S_2 = 0$ .

(v) When one circle lies inside the other one



Then  $C_1C_2 > |r_1 - r_2|$   
 Thus, no common tangent can be drawn.

- (vi) The direct common tangents meet at a point which divides the line joining the centres of the circles externally in the ratio of their radii.
- (vii) Transverse common tangents meet at a point which divides the line joining the centres of the circles internally in the ratio of their radii.
- (viii) The length of an external common tangent and internal common tangent to the two circles is given by the length of external common tangent

$$L_{\text{ex}} = \sqrt{d^2 - (r_2 - r_1)^2}$$

and the length of internal common tangent

$$L_{\text{in}} = \sqrt{d^2 - (r_2 + r_1)^2},$$

(it is applicable only when  $d > r_1 + r_2$ )

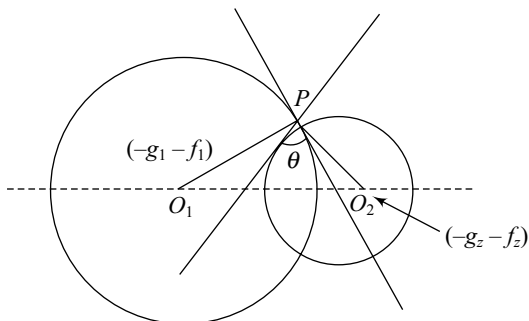
Where  $d$  is the distance between the centres of two circles and  $r_1$  and  $r_2$  are the radii of two circles where  $C_1C_2 = d$ .

### 29. ANGLE OF INTERSECTION OF TWO CIRCLES

Let the two circles be

$$S_1: x^2 + y^2 + 2g_1x + 2f_1y + c_1 = 0$$

$$S_2: x^2 + y^2 + 2g_2x + 2f_2y + c_2 = 0$$



Let  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  are the centres of the given circles and  $r_1$  and  $r_2$  are the radii of the circles.

Thus  $C_1 = (-g_1, -f_1)$  and  $C_2 = (-g_2, -f_2)$

$$r_1 = \sqrt{g_1^2 + f_1^2 - c_1},$$

and  $r_2 = \sqrt{g_2^2 + f_2^2 - c_2}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } d = C_1C_2 &= \sqrt{(g_1 - g_2)^2 + (f_1 - f_2)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{g_1^2 + g_2^2 + f_1^2 + f_2^2 - 2(g_1g_2 + f_1f_2)} \end{aligned}$$

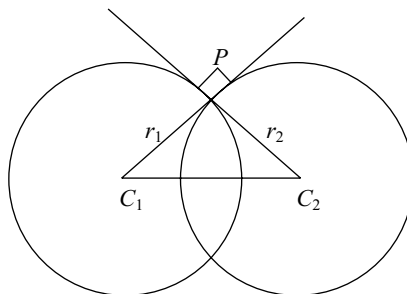
$$\text{In } \triangle C_1PC_2, \cos \alpha = \left( \frac{r_1^2 + r_2^2 - d^2}{2r_1r_2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos(180^\circ - \theta) = \left( \frac{r_1^2 + r_2^2 - d^2}{2r_1r_2} \right)$$

### Orthogonal Circles

If the angle between two circles is  $90^\circ$ , then the circles are said to be orthogonal circles.

### Condition of Orthogonality



Here,  $\theta = 90^\circ$ , then

$$\Rightarrow \frac{r_1^2 + r_2^2 - d^2}{2r_1r_2} = 0$$

$$r_1^2 + r_2^2 - d^2 = 0$$

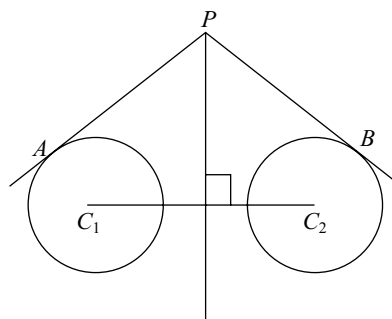
$$\Rightarrow r_1^2 + r_2^2 = d^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow g_1^2 + f_1^2 - c_1 + g_2^2 + f_2^2 - c_2 \\ = g_1^2 + f_1^2 + g_2^2 + f_2^2 - 2(g_1g_2 + f_1f_2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(g_1g_2 + f_1f_2) = c_1 + c_2$$

which is the required condition.

### 30. RADICAL AXIS



The radical axis of two circles is the locus of a point which moves in a plane in such a way that the lengths of the tangents drawn from it to the two circles are same.

Consider

$$S_1: x^2 + y^2 + 2g_1x + 2f_1y + c_1 = 0$$

and  $S_2: x^2 + y^2 + 2g_2x + 2f_2y + c_2 = 0$

Let  $P(x_1, y_1)$  be a point such that  $PA = PB$

Thus,  $PA^2 = PB^2$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow x_1^2 + y_1^2 + 2g_1x_1 + 2f_1y_1 + c_1 \\ = x_1^2 + y_1^2 + 2g_2x_1 + 2f_2y_1 + c_2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(g_1 - g_2)x + 2(f_1 - f_2)y = c_2 - c_1$$

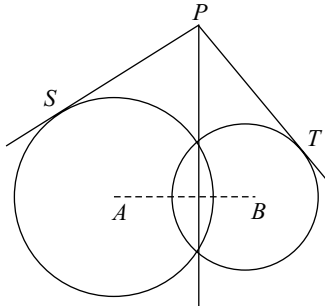
### 31. PROPERTIES OF THE RADICAL AXIS

- (i) **The radical axis and common chord are identical.**

Since the radical axis and common chord of two circles  $S_1 = 0$  and  $S_2 = 0$  are the same straight line  $S_1 - S_2 = 0$ , they are identical.

The only difference is that, the common chord exists only if the circles intersect in two real points, while the radical axis exists for all pair of circles irrespective of their position.

- (ii) **The radical axis is perpendicular to the straight line which joins the centres of the circles.**



Consider

$$S_1 : x^2 + y^2 + 2g_1x + 2f_1y + c_1 = 0$$

and  $S_2 : x^2 + y^2 + 2g_2x + 2f_2y + c_2 = 0$

Here,  $A(-g_1, -f_1)$  and  $B(-g_2, -f_2)$  are the centres of the circles.

Now the slope of  $AB = \frac{f_1 - f_2}{g_1 - g_2}$ .

Equation of the radical axis is

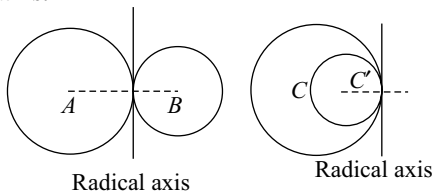
$$2(g_1 - g_2)x + 2(f_1 - f_2)y = c_2 - c_1.$$

$\therefore$  Slope of the radical axis is  $-\frac{g_1 - g_2}{f_1 - f_2}$ .

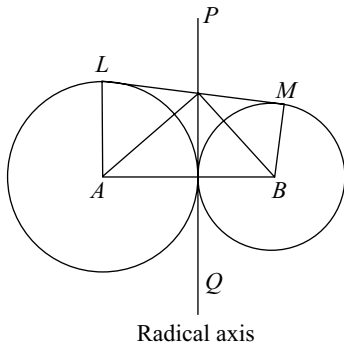
Clearly the product of their slopes is  $-1$ .

Hence  $AB$  and radical axis are perpendicular to each other.

- (iii) **If two circles touch each other externally or internally, the common tangents itself becomes the radical axis.**



- (iv) **The radical axis bisects common tangents of two circles.**



In this case the radical axis bisects the common tangent

- (v) **The radical axis of three circles taken in pairs are concurrent.**

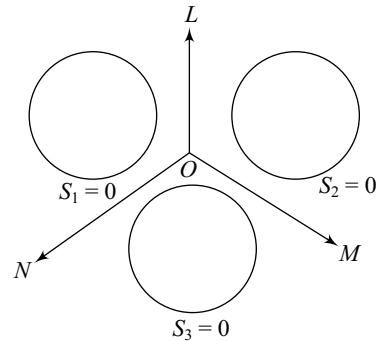
Let

$$S_1 : x^2 + y^2 + 2g_1x + 2f_1y + c_1 = 0,$$

$$S_2 : x^2 + y^2 + 2g_2x + 2f_2y + c_2 = 0$$

and

$$S_3 : x^2 + y^2 + 2g_3x + 2f_3y + c_3 = 0$$



Now  $S_1 - S_2 : 2(g_1 - g_2)x + 2(f_1 - f_2)y = c_2 - c_1$

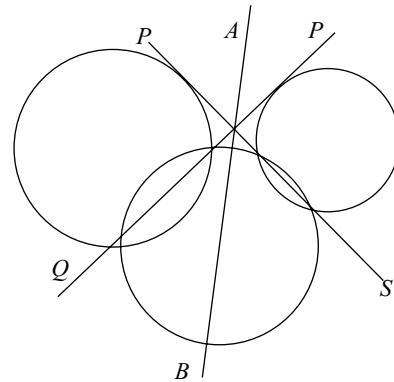
$$S_2 - S_3 : 2(g_2 - g_3)x + 2(f_2 - f_3)y = c_3 - c_2$$

$$S_3 - S_1 : 2(g_3 - g_1)x + 2(f_3 - f_1)y = c_1 - c_3$$

Adding we get, both the sides are identical.

Thus three radical axes are concurrent.

- (vi) **If two circles cut a third circle orthogonally, the radical axis of the two circles will pass through the centre of the third circle.**



Let  $S_1 : x^2 + y^2 + 2g_1x + 2f_1y + c_1 = 0, \dots(i)$

$$S_2 : x^2 + y^2 + 2g_2x + 2f_2y + c_2 = 0 \dots(ii)$$

and  $S_3 : x^2 + y^2 + 2g_3x + 2f_3y + c_3 = 0 \dots(iii)$

Since (i) and (ii) both cut (iii) orthogonally, then

$$2(g_1g_3 + f_1f_3) = c_1 + c_3$$

$$2(g_2g_3 + f_2f_3) = c_2 + c_3$$

Subtracting, we get

$$2g_3(g_1 - g_2) + 2f_3(f_1 - f_2) = c_1 - c_2 \dots(iv)$$

Also radical axis of (i) and (ii) is

$$S_1 - S_2 : 2(g_1 - g_2)x + 2(f_1 - f_2)y = c_2 - c_1$$

Since it will pass through the centre of third circle, so we get

$$-2g_3(g_1 - g_2) - 2f_3(f_1 - f_2) = -c_1 + c_2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2g_3(g_1 - g_2) + 2f_3(f_1 - f_2) = c_1 - c_2$$

which is identical with (iv).

- (vii) **Radical axis need not always pass through the mid-point of the line joining the centres of the two circles.**

It will pass through the mid-point of the line joining the centres of the two circles only if they have equal radii.

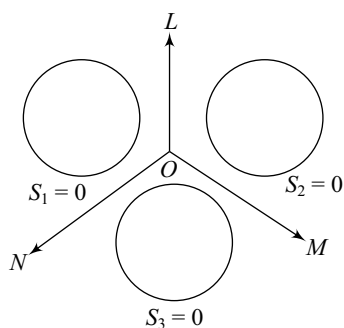
- (viii) The centre of a variable circle orthogonal to two fixed circles lies on the radical axis of two circles.

- (ix) If two circles are orthogonal, then the polar of a point  $P$  on the first circle with respect to the second circle passes through the point  $Q$ , which is the other end of the diameter through  $P$ .

Hence the locus of a point which moves in such a way that, its polars with respect to the circles  $S_1 = 0$ ,  $S_2 = 0$  and  $S_3 = 0$  are concurrent in a circle which is orthogonal to all the three circles.

- (x) Pairs of circles which do not have radical axis are concurrent.
- (xi) A system of circles, every two of which have the same radical axis, is called a coaxial system.

### 32. RADICAL CENTRE



The radical axes of three circles, taken in pairs, meet at a point, which is called their radical centre.

Let  $S_1: x^2 + y^2 + 2g_1x + 2f_1y + c_1 = 0,$

$S_2: x^2 + y^2 + 2g_2x + 2f_2y + c_2 = 0$

and  $S_3: x^2 + y^2 + 2g_3x + 2f_3y + c_3 = 0$

Equations of three radical axes are

$$S_1 - S_2: 2(g_1 - g_2)x + 2(f_1 - f_2)y = c_2 - c_1$$

$$S_2 - S_3: 2(g_2 - g_3)x + 2(f_2 - f_3)y = c_3 - c_2$$

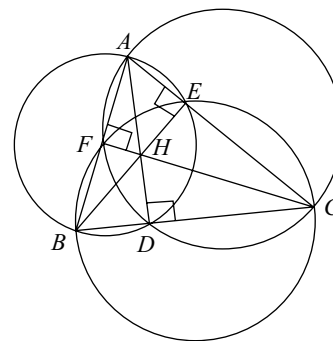
and

$$S_3 - S_1: 2(g_3 - g_1)x + 2(f_3 - f_1)y = c_1 - c_3$$

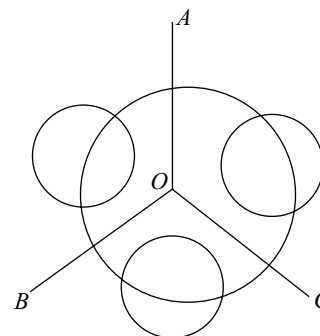
Solving the three equations of radical axes, we get the required radical centre.

#### Properties of the Radical Centres

- The radical centre of the three circles described on the sides of a triangle as diameters is the orthocentre of the triangle.

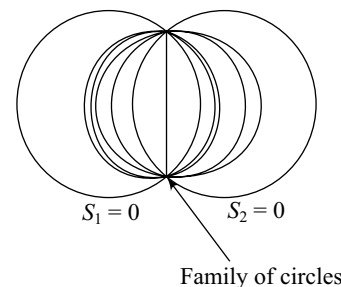


- The radical centre of the three given circles will be the centre of a fourth circle, which cuts all the three circles orthogonally and the radius of the fourth circle is the length of the tangent drawn from the radical centre of the three given circles to any of these circles.

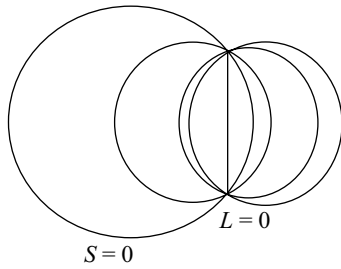


Let the fourth circle be  $(x - h)^2 + (y - k)^2 = r^2$ , where  $(h, k)$  is the centre of the circle and  $r$  be the radius. The centre of the circle is the radical centre of the given circles and  $r$  is the length of the tangent from  $(h, k)$  to any of the given three circles.

### 33. FAMILY OF CIRCLES



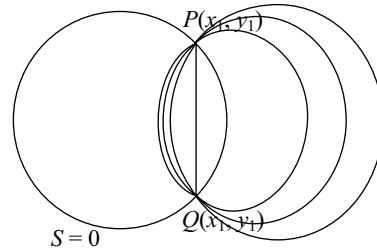
- The equation of the family of circles passing through the point of intersection of two given circles  $S_1 = 0$  and  $S_2 = 0$  is given by  $S_1 + \lambda S_2 = 0$ , where  $\lambda$  is a parameter and  $\lambda \neq -1$ .
- The equation of the family of circles passing through the point of intersection of a circle  $S = 0$  and a line  $L = 0$  is given by  $S + \lambda L = 0$ , where  $\lambda$  is a parameter.



- The equation of the family of circles touching the circle  $S = 0$  and the line  $L = 0$  is  $S + \lambda L = 0$ , where  $\lambda$  is a parameter.
- The equation of the family of circles passing through the two given points  $P(x_1, y_1)$  and  $Q(x_2, y_2)$  can be written in the form

$$(x - x_1)(x - x_2) + (y - y_1)(y - y_2)$$

$$+ \lambda \begin{vmatrix} x & y & 1 \\ x_1 & y_1 & 1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$



## EXERCISES

### LEVEL I

#### (Problems Based on Fundamentals)

##### ABC OF CIRCLES

- Find the centre and the radius of the circles
  - $x^2 + y^2 = 16$
  - $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 15 = 0$
  - $x^2 + y^2 - x - y = 0$
- 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.
- Find the equation of the circle concentric with the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 6y - 5 = 0$  and passing through the point  $(-2, -7)$ .
- Find the equation of the circle passing through the point of intersection of  $x + 3y = 0$  and  $2x - 7y = 0$  and whose centre is the point of intersection of lines  $x + y + 1 = 0$  and  $x - 2y + 4 = 0$ .
- Find the equation of the circle touching the lines  $4x - 3y = 30$  and  $4x - 3y + 10 = 0$  having the centre on the line  $2x + y = 0$ .
- Let the equation of a circle is  $x^2 + y^2 - 16x - 24y + 183 = 0$ . Find the equation of the image of this circle by the line mirror  $4x + 7y + 13 = 0$ .
- Find the area of an equilateral triangle inscribed in the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ .
- A circle has radius 3 units and its centre lies on the line  $y = x - 1$ . Find the equation of the circle if it passes through  $(7, 3)$ .
- Find the point  $P$  on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y + 9 = 0$  such that  $\angle POX$  is minimum, where  $O$  is the origin and  $OX$  is the  $x$ -axis.
- Find the equation of the circle when the end-points of a diameter are  $(2, 3)$  and  $(6, 9)$ .
- Find the equation of a circle passing through  $(1, 2)$ ,  $(4, 5)$  and  $(0, 9)$ .

- Find the equation of a circle passing through the points  $(1, 2)$  and  $(3, 4)$  and touching the line  $3x + y = 5$ .
- Find the length of intercepts to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 10y + 8 = 0$ .
- Find the length of  $y$ -intercept to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - x - y = 0$ .
- Show that the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2ax - 2ay + a^2 = 0$  touches both the co-ordinate axes.

##### POSITION OF A POINT WITH RESPECT TO A CIRCLE

- Discuss the position of the points  $(1, 2)$  and  $(6, 0)$  with respect to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 2y - 11 = 10$ .
- If the point  $(\lambda, -\lambda)$  lies inside the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 2y - 8 = 0$ , then find range of  $\lambda$ .

##### SHORTEST AND LONGEST DISTANCE OF A CIRCLE FROM A POINT

- Find the shortest and the longest distance from the point  $(2, -7)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 14x - 10y - 151 = 0$

##### INTERSECTION OF A LINE AND A CIRCLE

- Prove that the line  $y = x + 2$  touches the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 2$ . Find its point of contact.
- Find the equation of the tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  parallel to the line  $3x + 2y + 5 = 0$ .
- Find the equation of the tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  perpendicular to the line  $4x + 3y = 0$ .
- Find the equation of the tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 3 = 0$ , which makes an angle of  $60^\circ$  with the positive direction of  $x$ -axis.
- If a tangent is equally inclined with the co-ordinate axes to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ , find its equation.
- Find the equation of the tangents to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$  through  $(7, 1)$ .

**TANGENT TO A CIRCLE**

25. If the centre of a circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  is translated 2 units parallel to the line  $x + y = 4$  where  $x$  increases, find its equation.
26. Find the equation of the tangents to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  at  $x = 2$ .
27. Find the equation of the tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 16$  at  $y = 4$ .
28. Find the points of intersection of the line  $4x - 3y = 10$  and the circle.
29. Find the equation of the pair of tangents drawn to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 4y = 0$  from  $(0, 1)$ .
30. Find the equation of the common tangent to the curves  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  and  $y^2 = 4(x - 2)$ .
31. Find the shortest distance between the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  and the line  $y = x - 8$ .

**LENGTH OF THE TANGENT TO A CIRCLE**

32. Find the length of the tangent from the point  $(2, 3)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ .
33. Find the length of the tangent from any point on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = b^2$ .
34. Find the length of the tangent from any point on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2011x + 2012y + 2013 = 0$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2011x + 2012y + 2014 = 0$ .

**POWER OF A POINT W.R.T A CIRCLE**

35. Find the power of a point  $(2, 5)$  with respect to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 16$ .
36. If a point  $P(1, 2)$  is rotated about the origin in an anti-clockwise sense through an angle of  $90^\circ$  say at  $Q$ , then find the power of a point  $Q$  with respect to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ .

**PAIR OF TANGENTS**

37. Find the equation of the tangent from the point  $(1, 2)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ .
38. Find the equation of the tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 3 = 0$  from the point  $(2, 3)$ .
39. Find the angle between the tangent from the point  $(3, 5)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ .
40. If a point  $(1, 2)$  is translated 2 units through the positive direction of  $x$ -axis and then tangents drawn from that point to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ , find the angle between the tangents.

**DIRECTOR CIRCLE**

41. Find the locus of the point of intersection of two perpendicular tangents to a circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ .
42. Tangents are drawn from an arbitrary point on the line  $y = x + 1$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ . If those tangents are orthogonal to each other, find the locus of that point.
43. Tangents are drawn from any point on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 20$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 10$ . Find the angle between their tangents.

44. Find the equation of the director circle to each of the following given circles.

- (i)  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x = 0$
- (ii)  $x^2 + y^2 + 10y + 24 = 0$
- (iii)  $x^2 + y^2 + 16x + 12y + 99 = 0$
- (iv)  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ .
- (v)  $x^2 + y^2 - ax - by = 0$ .

**NORMAL AND NORMALCY**

45. Find the equation of the normal to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  at  $x = 2$ .
46. Find the equation of the normal to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 4y + 4 = 0$  at  $(-2, 1)$ .
47. Find the equation of a normal to a circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y + 4 = 0$ , which is parallel to the line  $y = x - 3$ .
48. Find the equation of the normal to a circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 12y + 99 = 0$ , which is perpendicular to the line  $2x - 3y + 10 = 0$ .

**CHORD OF CONTACT**

49. Find the equation of the chord of contact of the tangents drawn from  $(5, 3)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ .
50. Find the co-ordinates of the point of intersection of the tangents at the points where the line  $2x + y + 12 = 0$  meets the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 3y - 1 = 0$ .
51. Find the condition that the chord of contact from an external point  $(h, k)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  subtends a right angle at the centre.
52. Tangents are drawn from the point  $(h, k)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ . Prove that the area of the triangle formed by the tangents and their chord of contact is  $a \left( \frac{(h^2 + k^2 - a^2)^{3/2}}{(h^2 + k^2)} \right)$ .
53. The chord of contact of 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  $x^2 + y^2 = c^2$  such that  $b^m = a^n c^p$ , where  $m, n, p \in \mathbb{N}$ , find the value of  $m + n + p + 10$ .

**CHORD BISECTED AT A POINT**

54. Find the equation of the chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ , which is bisected at the point  $(-2, 3)$ .
55. Find the equation of the chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 8y - 11 = 0$ , whose mid-point is  $(1, -1)$ .
56. Find the locus of the middle points of the chords of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  which pass through the fixed point  $(h, k)$ .
57. Find the locus of the mid-point of a chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  which subtend a right angle at the centre.
58. Let  $AB$  be a chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  such that  $A = (\sqrt{3}, 1)$ . If the chord  $AB$  makes an angle of  $90^\circ$  about the origin in anti-clockwise direction, then find the co-ordinates of  $B$ .
59. Let  $CD$  be a chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  such that  $C = (2\sqrt{2}, 1)$ . If the chord  $CD$  makes an angle of  $60^\circ$

about the centre of the circle in clockwise direction, find the co-ordinates of  $D$ .

60. Find the locus of the mid-points of the chords of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  which are parallel to the line  $2012x + 2013y + 2014 = 0$ .
61. Find the locus of the mid-points of the chords of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y = 0$ , which are perpendicular to the line  $4x + 5y + 10 = 0$ .

#### COMMON CHORD OF TWO CIRCLES

62. Find the lengths of the common chord of the circles  $x^2 + y^2 + 3x + 5y + 4 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + 5x + 3y + 4 = 0$ .
63. Find the equation of the circle whose diameter is the common chord of the circles  
 $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 3y + 1 = 0$   
 and  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 3y + 2 = 0$ .

#### INTERSECTION OF TWO CIRCLES

64. Find the number of tangents between the given circles  
 (i)  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x = 0$   
 (ii)  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 6y + 12 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 4y + 12 = 0$   
 (iii)  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 6y + 9 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 6y + 9 = 0$   
 (iv)  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 4y = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 2y = 0$   
 (v)  $x^2 + y^2 = 64$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 4y + 4 = 0$   
 (vi)  $x^2 + y^2 - 2(1 + \sqrt{2})x - 2y + 1 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y + 1 = 0$ .
65. Find all the common tangents to the circles  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y + 9 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + 6x - 2y + 1 = 0$ .
66. If two circles  $x^2 + y^2 + c^2 = 2$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + c^2 = 2by$  touches each other externally, prove that  $\frac{1}{a^2} = \frac{1}{b^2} + \frac{1}{c^2}$ .
67. If two circles  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 6y + n^2 = 0$ , where  $n$  is any integer, have exactly two common tangents, find the number of possible values of  $n$ .

#### ORTHOGONAL CIRCLES

68. Find the angle at which the circles  $x^2 + y^2 + x + y = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + x - y = 0$  intersect.
69. If the circles  $x^2 + y^2 + 2a_1x + 2b_1y + c_1 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + a_2x + b_2y + c_2 = 0$  intersect orthogonally, prove that  $a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 = c_1 + c_2$ .
70. If two circles  $2x^2 + 2y^2 - 3x + 6y + k = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 10y + 16 = 0$  cut orthogonally, find the value of  $k$ .
71. A circle passes through the origin and centre lies on the line  $y = x$ . If it cuts the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y + 18 = 0$  orthogonally, find its equation.
72. Find the locus of the centres 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.
73. If a circle passes through the point  $(a, b)$  and cuts the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  orthogonally, find the locus of its centre.

74. Two circles having radii  $r_1$  and  $r_2$  intersect orthogonally, find the length of the common chord.

#### RADICAL AXIS

75. Find the radical axis of the two circles  
 $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 6y + 9 = 0$   
 and  $x^2 + y^2 + 3x + 8y + 10 = 0$
76. Find the image of a point  $(2, 3)$  with respect to the radical axis of two circles  $x^2 + y^2 + 8x + 2y + 10 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - y - 8 = 0$ .
77. Find the radical centre of the three circles  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ ,  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 15 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + 10y + 24 = 0$ .
78. Find the equation of a circle which cuts orthogonally every member of the circles  
 $x^2 + y^2 - 3x - 6y + 14 = 0$ ,  
 $x^2 + y^2 - x - 4y + 8 = 0$   
 and  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 6y + 9 = 0$
79. Find the equation of the circle passing through the points of intersection of the circles  
 $x^2 + y^2 + 13x - 3y = 0$   
 and  $2x^2 + 2y^2 + 4x - 7y - 25 = 0$   
 and the point  $(1, 1)$ .
80. If the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 3y + 1 = 0$  cuts the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 3y + 2 = 0$  in two points, say  $A$  and  $B$ , find the equation of the circle as  $AB$  as a diameter.
81. Find the equation of the smallest circle passing through the intersection of the line  $x + y = 1$  and the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ .
82. Find the equation of the circle, which is passing through the point of intersection of the circles  
 $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 2y + 4 = 0$   
 and  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 4y - 6 = 0$   
 and its centre lies on the line  $y = x$ .
83. Find the circle whose diameter is the common chord of the circles  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 3y + 1 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 3y + 2 = 0$ .

### LEVEL II

#### (Mixed Problems)

1. The equation  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  represents a circle if  
 (a)  $a = b, c = 0$  (b)  $a = b, h = 0$   
 (c)  $a = b, g = 0$  (d)  $a = b, f = 0$
2. The equation of the circle passing through the points  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(1, 0)$  and  $(0, 1)$  is  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 + x + y = 0$  (b)  $x^2 + y^2 - x + y = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 - x - y = 0$  (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - x = 0$
3. The equation  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 6y + 13 = 0$  represents a  
 (a) point (b) circle  
 (c) pair of straight lines (d) a pair of coincident lines
4. The circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 7y + 12 = 0$  cuts an intercept on  $y$ -axis is  
 (a) 7 (b) 4 (c) 3 (d) 1

5. The equation of the diameter of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 2y - 8 = 0$  is  
 (a)  $x + 3y = 0$  (b)  $x = 3y$   
 (c)  $x = 2y$  (d)  $x + 2y = 0$ .
6. The length of the tangent drawn from any point on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 6y + 4 = 0$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 6y + 11 = 0$  is  
 (a) 4 (b)  $\sqrt{7}$  (c)  $\sqrt{15}$  (d)  $\sqrt{17}$
7. The value of  $c$  for which the points  $(2, 0)$ ,  $(0, 1)$ ,  $(0, 5)$  and  $(0, c)$  are concyclic, is  
 (a) 1 (b) 2 (c) 3 (d) 4
8. The equation of a circle passing through the origin is  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 6y = 0$ , the equation of the diameter is  
 (a)  $x = y$  (b)  $3x + 2y = 0$   
 (c)  $y = 3x$  (d)  $3x - 4y = 0$
9. The equation of the common chord of the circles  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 6y = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 4y - 12 = 0$  is  
 (a)  $x + y + 6 = 0$  (b)  $x - y + 6 = 0$   
 (c)  $x - y - 6 = 0$  (d)  $-x + y + 6 = 0$
10. The circumcentre of the triangle whose vertices are  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(2, 0)$  and  $(0, 2)$  is  
 (a)  $(1, 2)$  (b)  $(2, 2)$   
 (c)  $(1, 1)$  (d)  $(-2, -2)$
11. If the lines  $a_1x + b_1y + c_1 = 0$  and  $a_2x + b_2y + c_2 = 0$  cut the  $x$ -axis and  $y$ -axis in four concyclic points, then  
 (a)  $a_1a_2 = b_1b_2$  (b)  $a_1b_1 = a_2b_2$   
 (c)  $a_1b_2 = a_2b_1$  (d) None
12. If the circles  $x^2 + y^2 + 2g_1x + 2f_1y = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + 2g_2x + 2f_2y = 0$  touch each other, then  
 (a)  $g_1g_2 + f_1f_2 = 0$  (b)  $g_1g_2 = f_1f_2$   
 (c)  $g_1f_2 = f_1g_2$  (d) None
13. Any point on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 4y + 4 = 0$  can be taken as  
 (a)  $(2 + 2 \cos \theta, 2 + 2 \sin \theta)$   
 (b)  $(2 - 2 \cos \theta, 2 - 2 \sin \theta)$   
 (c)  $(2 - 2 \cos \theta, 2 + 2 \sin \theta)$   
 (d)  $(2 + 2 \cos \theta, 2 - 2 \sin \theta)$
14. The equation of the chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$  whose mid-point is  $(2, -5)$  is  
 (a)  $3x - 2y = 11$  (b)  $2x - 3y = 13$   
 (c)  $2x + 3y = 10$  (d)  $3x + 2y = 11$
15. The value of  $\lambda$  for which the line  $3x - 4y = \lambda$  touches the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 16$  is  
 (a) 4 (b) 20 (c) 15 (d) 10
16. The locus of the point of intersection of two perpendicular tangents to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 1006$  is  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 = 2012$  (b)  $x^2 + y^2 = 2020$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 = 2010$  (d)  $x^2 + y^2 = 2000$
17. The equation of the normal to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y + 1 = 0$ , which is parallel to the line  $2x + 4y = 3$  is  
 (a)  $x + 2y = 3$  (b)  $x + 2y + 3 = 0$   
 (c)  $2x + 4y = -3$  (d) none
18. The image of the centre of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y + 1 = 0$  to the line mirror  $y = x$  is  
 (a)  $(1, 3)$  (b)  $(3, 1)$  (c)  $(1, -3)$  (d)  $(-3, 1)$
19. The length of the common chord of the circles  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 3y + 1 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + 3x + 2y + 1 = 0$  is  
 (a)  $3\sqrt{2}$  (b)  $\frac{1}{3\sqrt{2}}$  (c)  $\frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}$  (d)  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}$
20. The number of common tangents to the circles  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 8y - 23 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 10y + 19 = 0$  is  
 (a) 4 (b) 2 (c) 3 (d) 1
21. The angle between the tangents drawn from the origin to the circle  $(x - 7)^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 25$  is  
 (a)  $\pi/3$  (b)  $\pi/6$  (c)  $\pi/2$  (d)  $\pi/4$
22. The ends of a quadrant of a circle have the co-ordinates  $(1, 3)$  and  $(3, 1)$ , the centre of such a circle is  
 (a)  $(1, 1)$  (b)  $(2, 2)$  (c)  $(2, 6)$  (d)  $(4, 4)$
23. The line  $2x - y + 1 = 0$  is a tangent to the circle at the point  $(2, 5)$  and the centre of the circles lies on  $x - 2y = 4$ . The radius of the circle is  
 (a)  $3\sqrt{5}$  (b)  $5\sqrt{3}$  (c)  $2\sqrt{5}$  (d)  $5\sqrt{2}$
24. Two circles of radii 4 cm and 1 cm touch each other externally and  $\theta$  is the angle contained by their direct common tangents. Then  $\sin \theta$  is  
 (a)  $24/25$  (b)  $12/25$  (c)  $3/4$  (d) None
25. The locus of poles whose polar with respect to  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  always pass through  $(k, 0)$  is  
 (a)  $kx - a^2 = 0$  (b)  $kx + a^2 = 0$   
 (c)  $ky + a^2 = 0$  (d)  $ky - a^2 = 0$
26. 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)  $x^2 + y^2 - ax - by - \frac{a^2 + b^2}{8} = 0$
27. From  $(3, 4)$ , chords are drawn to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x = 0$ . The locus of the mid-points of the chords is  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 - 5x - 4y + 6 = 0$   
 (b)  $x^2 + y^2 + 5x - 4y + 6 = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 - 5x + 4y + 6 = 0$   
 (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - 5x - 4y - 6 = 0$
28. The lines  $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1) \pm a\sqrt{1 + m^2}$  are tangents to the same circle. The radius of the circle is  
 (a)  $a/2$  (b)  $a$  (c)  $2a$  (d) none
29. The centre of the smallest circle touching the circles  $x^2 + y^2 - 2y - 3 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 18y + 93 = 0$  is  
 (a)  $(3, 2)$  (b)  $(4, 4)$  (c)  $(2, 7)$  (d)  $(2, 5)$
30. The ends of the base of an isosceles triangle are at  $(2, 0)$  and  $(0, 1)$  and the equation of one side is  $x = 2$ , the orthocentre of the triangle is  
 (a)  $\left(\frac{3}{4}, \frac{3}{2}\right)$  (b)  $\left(\frac{5}{4}, 1\right)$  (c)  $\left(\frac{3}{4}, 1\right)$  (d)  $\left(\frac{4}{3}, \frac{7}{12}\right)$



31. A rhombus is inscribed in the region common to two circles  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 12 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 12 = 0$  with two of its vertices on the line joining the centres of the circles. Then the area of the rhombus is  
 (a)  $8\sqrt{3}$  sq. units (b)  $4\sqrt{3}$  sq. units  
 (c)  $16\sqrt{3}$  sq. units (d) none
32. The angle between the two tangents from the origin to the circles  $(x - 7)^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 25$  is  
 (a)  $\pi/4$  (b)  $\pi/3$  (c)  $\pi/2$  (d) None.
33. The equation of the circle having normal at  $(3, 3)$  as the straight line  $y = x$  and passing through the point  $(2, 2)$  is  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 - 5x + 5y + 12 = 0$   
 (b)  $x^2 + y^2 + 5x - 5y + 12 = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 - 5x - 5y - 12 = 0$   
 (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - 5x - 5y + 12 = 0$
34. In a right triangle  $ABC$ , right angled at  $A$ , on the leg  $AC$  as diameter, a semi-circle is described. If the chord joining  $A$  with the point of intersection  $D$  of the hypotenuse and the semicircle, 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)  $\frac{AB \cdot AD}{\sqrt{AB^2 - AD^2}}$
35. If the circle  $C_1 : x^2 + y^2 = 16$  intersects another circle  $C_2$  of radius 5 in such a manner that the common chord is of maximum length and has a slope  $3/4$ , the co-ordinates of the centre of  $C_2$  are  
 (a)  $\left(\pm \frac{9}{5}, \pm \frac{12}{5}\right)$  (b)  $\left(\pm \frac{9}{5}, \mp \frac{12}{5}\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(\pm \frac{12}{5}, \pm \frac{9}{5}\right)$  (d)  $\left(\pm \frac{12}{5}, \mp \frac{9}{5}\right)$
36. Two lines  $p_1x + q_1y + r_1 = 0$  and  $p_2x + q_2y + r_2 = 0$  are conjugate lines with respect to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  if  
 (a)  $p_1p_2 + q_1q_2 = r_1r_2$  (b)  $p_1p_2 + q_1q_2 + r_1r_2 = 0$   
 (c)  $a^2(p_1p_2 + q_1q_2) = r_1r_2$  (d)  $(p_1p_2 + q_1q_2) = a^2r_1r_2$
37. If a circle passing through the point  $(a, b)$  cuts the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = k^2$  orthogonally, the equation of the locus of its centre is  
 (a)  $2ax + 2by - (a^2 + b^2 + k^2) = 0$   
 (b)  $2ax + 2by - (a^2 - b^2 - k^2) = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 - 3ax - 4by - (a^2 + b^2 - k^2) = 0$   
 (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - 2ax - 3by - (a^2 - b^2 - k^2) = 0$ .
38. Consider the circle  
 $S : x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 4y + 4 = 0$ .  
 If another circle of radius  $r$  less than the radius of the circle  $S$  is drawn, touching the circle  $S$ , and the co-ordinates axes, the value of  $r$  is  
 (a)  $3 - 2\sqrt{2}$  (b)  $4 - 2\sqrt{2}$   
 (c)  $7 - 4\sqrt{2}$  (d)  $6 - 4\sqrt{2}$
39. The distance between the chords of contact of tangents to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  from the origin and the point  $(g, f)$  is  
 (a)  $\sqrt{g^2 + f^2}$  (b)  $\frac{\sqrt{g^2 + f^2 - c}}{2}$   
 (c)  $\frac{g^2 + f^2 - c}{2\sqrt{g^2 + f^2}}$  (d)  $\frac{\sqrt{g^2 + f^2 - c}}{2\sqrt{g^2 + f^2}}$
40. The locus of the centres of the circles which cuts 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)  $9x + 10y + 7 = 0$ .
41. The locus of the centres of the circles such that the point  $(2, 3)$  is the mid-point of the chord  $5x + 2y + 16 = 0$  is  
 (a)  $2x - 5y + 11 = 0$  (b)  $2x + 5y - 11 = 0$   
 (c)  $2x + 5y + 11 = 0$  (d) None.
42. The locus of the mid-points of the chords of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y - 12 = 0$  which subtends an angle of  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  radians at its circumcentre 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)  $(x + 2)^2 + (y + 3)^2 = 18.75$
43. If two chords of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - ax - by = 0$  drawn from the point  $(a, b)$  is divided by the  $x$ -axis in the ratio  $2 : 1$  is  
 (a)  $a^2 > 3b^2$  (b)  $a^2 < 3b^2$   
 (c)  $a^2 > 4b^2$  (d)  $a^2 < 4b^2$
44. The angle at which the circles  $(x - 1)^2 + y^2 = 10$  and  $x^2 + (y - 2)^2 = 5$  intersect is  
 (a)  $\pi/6$  (b)  $\pi/4$  (c)  $\pi/3$  (d)  $\pi/2$
45. Two congruent circles with centres at  $(2, 3)$  and  $(5, 6)$  which intersect at right angles has radius equal to  
 (a)  $2\sqrt{2}$  (b) 3 (c) 4 (d) none
46. A circle of radius unity is centred at origin. Two particles start moving at the same time from the point  $(1, 0)$  and moves around the circle in opposite direction. One of the particle moves counter-clockwise with constant speed  $v$  and the other moves clockwise with constant speed  $3v$ . After leaving  $(1, 0)$ , the two particles meet first at a point  $P$  and continue until they meet next at point  $Q$ . Then the co-ordinates of the point  $Q$  are  
 (a)  $(1, 0)$  (b)  $(0, 1)$  (c)  $(0, -1)$  (d)  $(-1, 0)$
47. The value of  $c$  for which the set  $\{(x, y) : x^2 + y^2 + 2x \leq 1\} \cap \{(x, y) : x - y + c \geq 0\}$  contains only one point in common is  
 (a)  $(-\infty, -1] \cup [3, \infty)$  (b)  $\{-1, 3\}$   
 (c)  $\{-3\}$  (d)  $\{-1\}$
48. A circle is inscribed into a rhombus  $ABCD$  with one angle  $60^\circ$ . The distance from the centre of the circle to the nearest vertex is equal to 1. If  $P$  be 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
49.  $P$  is a point  $(a, b)$  in the first quadrant. If the two circles which pass through  $P$  and touch both the co-ordinates axes cut at right angles, then

- (a)  $a^2 - 6ab + b^2 = 0$       (b)  $a^2 + 2ab - b^2 = 0$   
 (c)  $a^2 - 4ab + b^2 = 0$       (d)  $a^2 - 8ab + b^2 = 0$
50. The range of value of  $a$  such that the angle  $\theta$  between the pair of tangents drawn from the point  $Q(a, 0)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$  satisfies  $\pi/2 < \theta < \pi$  is  
 (a)  $(1, 2)$       (b)  $(1, \sqrt{2})$   
 (c)  $(-\sqrt{2}, -1)$       (d)  $(-\sqrt{2}, -1) \cup (1, \sqrt{2})$
51. Three concentric circles of which the biggest is  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$  have their radii in AP. If the line  $y = x + 1$  cuts all the circles in real and distinct points the interval in which the common difference of AP will lie is  
 (a)  $\left(0, \frac{1}{4}\right)$       (b)  $\left(0, \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(0, \frac{2 - \sqrt{2}}{4}\right)$       (d) none
52. A tangent is a point on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  intersects a concentric circle  $C$  at two points  $P$  and  $Q$ . The tangents to the circle  $C$  at  $P$  and  $Q$  meet at a point on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = b^2$ , the equation of the circle is  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 = ab$       (b)  $x^2 + y^2 = (a - b)^2$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 = (a + b)^2$       (d)  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2 + b^2$
53.  $AB$  is the diameter of a semicircle  $k$ ,  $C$  is an arbitrary point on the semicircle (other than  $A$  or  $B$ ) and  $S$  is the centre of the circle inscribed in triangle  $ABC$ , then the measure of  
 (a)  $\angle ASB$  changes as  $C$  moves on  $k$   
 (b)  $\angle ASB = 135$  for all  $C$   
 (c)  $\angle ASB = 150$  for all  $C$   
 (d)  $\angle ASB$  is the same for all positions of  $C$ , but  $r$  cannot be determined without knowing the radius.
54. Tangents are drawn to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$  at the points, where it is met by the circles  $x^2 + y^2 - (\lambda + 6)x + (8 - 2\lambda)y - 3 = 0$ ,  $\lambda$  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)  $x - 2y + 10 = 9$       (d)  $2x + y - 10 = 0$
55. Given  $\frac{1}{x} + \frac{b}{y} = 1$  and  $ax + by = 1$  are two variable lines  $a$  and  $b$  being the parameters connected by the relation  $a^2 + b^2 = ab$ . The locus of the point of intersection has the equation  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 + xy - 1 = 0$       (b)  $x^2 + y^2 - xy + 1 = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 + xy + 1 = 0$       (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - xy - 1 = 0$
56.  $B$  and  $C$  are two fixed points having co-ordinates  $(3, 0)$  and  $(-3, 0)$  respectively. If the vertical angle  $BAC$  is  $90^\circ$ , the locus of the centroid of the  $\Delta ABC$  has the equation  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$       (b)  $x^2 + y^2 = 2$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 = 1/9$       (d)  $x^2 + y^2 = 4/9$ .
57. If  $\left(1, \frac{1}{a}\right)$ ;  $\left(b, \frac{1}{b}\right)$ ;  $\left(c, \frac{1}{c}\right)$  and  $\left(d, \frac{1}{d}\right)$  are four distinct points on a circle of radius 4 units, then  $abcd$  is equal to  
 (a) 4      (b)  $\frac{1}{4}$       (c) 1      (d) 10
58. The triangle formed by the lines  $x + y = 0$ ,  $x - y = 0$  and  $lx + my = l$ . If  $l$  and  $m$  vary subject to the condition  $l^2 + m^2 = 1$ , the locus of its circumcentre is  
 (a)  $(x^2 - y^2)^2 = x^2 + y^2$       (b)  $(x^2 + y^2)^2 = x^2 - y^2$   
 (c)  $(x^2 + y^2) = 4x^2y^2$       (d)  $(x^2 + y^2)^2 = x^2 - y^2$
59. Tangents are drawn to a unit circle at the origin from each point on the line  $2x + y = 4$ . Then the equation to the locus of the mid-point of the chord of contact is  
 (a)  $2(x^2 + y^2) = x + y$       (b)  $2(x^2 + y^2) = x + 2y$   
 (c)  $4(x^2 + y^2) = 2x + y$       (d) none
60.  $ABCD$  is a square of unit area. A circle is tangent to two sides of  $ABCD$  and passes through exactly one of its vertices. The radius of the circle is  
 (a)  $2 - \sqrt{2}$       (b)  $\sqrt{2} - 1$       (c)  $\frac{1}{2}$       (d)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$
61. A pair of tangents are drawn to a unit circle with centre at the origin and these tangents intersect at  $A$  enclosing an angle of  $60^\circ$ . The area enclosed by these tangents and the arc of the circle is  
 (a)  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} - \frac{\pi}{6}$       (b)  $\sqrt{3} - \frac{\pi}{3}$   
 (c)  $\frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}$       (d)  $\sqrt{3}\left(1 - \frac{\pi}{6}\right)$ .
62. Two circles are drawn through the points  $(1, 0)$  and  $(2, -1)$  to touch the axis of  $y$ . They intersect at angle  
 (a)  $\cot^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)$       (b)  $\cot^{-1}\left(\frac{4}{5}\right)$   
 (c)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$       (d)  $\tan^{-1}(1)$
63. If the line  $x \cos \theta + y \sin \theta = 2$  is the equation of transverse common tangent to the circles  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 6\sqrt{3}x - 6y + 20 = 0$ , the value of  $\theta$  is  
 (a)  $5\pi/6$       (b)  $2\pi/3$       (c)  $\pi/3$       (d)  $\pi/6$
64. A circle of constant radius  $a$  passes through the origin  $O$  and cuts the axis of co-ordinates in points  $P$  and  $Q$ , the equation of the locus of the foot of perpendicular from  $O$  to  $PQ$  is  
 (a)  $(x^2 + y^2)\left(\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2}\right) = 4a^2$   
 (b)  $(x^2 + y^2)^2\left(\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2}\right) = a^2$   
 (c)  $(x^2 + y^2)^2\left(\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2}\right) = 4a^2$   
 (d)  $(x^2 + y^2)\left(\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2}\right) = a^2$ .
65. A square is inscribed in the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 4y + 3 = 0$ . Its sides are parallel to the co-ordinate axes. Then one vertex of the square is  
 (a)  $(1 + \sqrt{2}, -2)$       (b)  $(1 - \sqrt{2}, -2)$   
 (c)  $(1, -2 + \sqrt{2})$       (d) none

66. The point of contact of the tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 5$  at the point  $(1, -2)$  which touches the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 6y + 20 = 0$ , is  
 (a)  $(2, -1)$  (b)  $(3, -1)$   
 (c)  $(4, -1)$  (d)  $(5, -1)$
67. The centre of the circle passing through the point  $(0, 1)$  and touching the curve  $y = x^2$  at  $(2, 4)$  is  
 (a)  $(-16/5, 27/10)$  (b)  $(-16/7, 53/10)$   
 (c)  $(-16/5, 53/10)$  (d) none
68. The locus of the mid-points of the chords of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y - 10 = 0$  which passes through the origin is the circle  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 + x + 3y = 0$  (b)  $x^2 + y^2 - x + 3y = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 + x - 3y = 0$  (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - x - 3y = 0$
69. The equation of the circle through the points of intersection of  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ ,  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y + 1 = 0$  and touching the line  $x + 2y = 0$  is  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 + x + 2y = 0$  (b)  $x^2 + y^2 - x + 2y = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 - x - 2y = 0$  (d)  $2(x^2 + y^2) - x - 2y = 0$
70.  $y - x + 1 = 0$  is the equation of the normal at  $\left(3 + \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$  to which of the following circles?  
 (a)  $\left(x - 3 - \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 + \left(y - \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 = 9$   
 (b)  $\left(x - 3 - \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 + y^2 = 6$   
 (c)  $(x - 3)^2 + y^2 = 6$   
 (d)  $(x - 3)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 9$
71. The radical axis of two circles whose centres lie along  $x$  and  $y$  axes is  
 (a)  $ax - by - \left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{4}\right) = 0$   
 (b)  $2g^2x + 2f^2y - \left(\frac{g^2 + f^2}{4}\right) = 0$   
 (c)  $gx + fy = g^4 + f^4$   
 (d)  $2gx - 2fy + g^2 - f^2 = 0$
72. A circle has its centre in the first quadrant and passes through the points of intersection of the lines  $x = 2$  and  $y = 3$ . If it makes intercepts of 3 and 4 units on these lines respectively, its equation is  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 - 3x - 5y + 8 = 0$   
 (b)  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y + 13 = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 8y + 23 = 0$   
 (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 9y + 30 = 0$
73. The radius of the circle passing through the points  $(1, 2)$ ,  $(5, 2)$  and  $(5, -2)$  is  
 (a)  $5\sqrt{2}$  (b)  $2\sqrt{5}$  (c)  $3\sqrt{2}$  (d)  $2\sqrt{2}$
74. Lines are drawn from the point  $(-2, -3)$  to meet the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 10y + 1 = 0$ . The length of the line that meets the circle at two coincident point is  
 (a)  $4\sqrt{3}$  (b) 16 (c) 48 (d) Cannot be calculated unless coincident points are given
75. The equation of the circle, which touches both the axes and the straight line  $4x + 3y = 6$  in the first quadrant and lies below it is  
 (a)  $4(x^2 + y^2) - 4x - 4y + 1 = 0$   
 (b)  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 6y + 9 = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - y + 9 = 0$   
 (d)  $(x^2 + y^2 - x - 6y) + 4 = 0$
76. Circles are drawn through the point  $(2, 0)$  to cut the intercepts of length 5 units on the  $x$ -axis. If their centres lie in the first quadrant, their equation is  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 - 9x + 2ky + 14 = 0$   
 (b)  $3x^2 + 3y^2 + 27x - 2ky + 42 = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 - 9x - 2ky + 14 = 0$   
 (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - 2kx - 9y + 14 = 0$ , where  $k$  is a positive real number.
77. If the tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 5$  at  $(1, -2)$  touches the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 6y + 20 = 0$  at the point  
 (a)  $(2, -1)$  (b)  $(3, -1)$   
 (c)  $(4, -1)$  (d)  $(5, -1)$
78. The centre of the circle passing through the point  $(0, 1)$  and touching the curve  $y = x^2$  at  $(2, 4)$  is  
 (a)  $(-16/5, 27/10)$  (b)  $(-16/7, 53/10)$   
 (c)  $(-16/5, 53/10)$  (d) none
79. If the lines  $2x - 4y = 9$  and  $6x - 12y + 7 = 0$  touch a circle, the radius of the circle is  
 (a)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{5}$  (b)  $\frac{17}{6\sqrt{5}}$  (c)  $\frac{2\sqrt{5}}{3}$  (d)  $\frac{17}{3\sqrt{5}}$
80. If the co-ordinates at one end of a diameter of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 4y + c = 0$  are  $(-3, 2)$ , the co-ordinates of the other end are  
 (a)  $(5, 3)$  (b)  $(6, 2)$  (c)  $(1, -8)$  (d)  $(11, 2)$
81. If a circle is inscribed in an equilateral triangle of side  $a$ , the area of the square inscribed in the circle is  
 (a)  $a^2/6$  (b)  $a^2/3$  (c)  $2a^2/5$  (d)  $2a^2/3$
82. The equations of lines joining the origin to the point of intersection of circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 3$  and the line  $x + y = 2$  is  
 (a)  $y - (3 + 2\sqrt{2})x = 0$  (b)  $x - (3 + 2\sqrt{2})y = 0$   
 (c)  $x - (3 - 2\sqrt{2})y = 0$  (d)  $y - (3 - 2\sqrt{2})x = 0$
83. Two circles  $x^2 + y^2 - 10x + 16 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$  intersect each other at two distinct points if  
 (a)  $r < 2$  (b)  $r > 8$   
 (c)  $2 < r < 8$  (d)  $2 \leq r \leq 8$
84. If the equations of the tangents drawn from the origin to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2rx - 2hy + h^2 = 0$  are perpendicular, then  
 (a)  $h = r$  (b)  $h^2 = r^2$   
 (c)  $h = -r$  (d)  $r^2 + h^2 = 1$
85. If a circle  $C$  and  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$  are orthogonal and have radical axis parallel to  $y$ -axis, then  $C$  is  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 - 1 + x = 0$  (b)  $x^2 + y^2 - 1 - x = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 + 1 - y = 0$  (d)  $x^2 + y^2 + 1 + x = 0$

86. The equation of the line meeting the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ , two points at equal distances  $d$  from a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  on the circumference is
- (a)  $xx_1 + yy_1 - a^2 + \frac{1}{2d^2} = 0$   
 (b)  $xx_1 - yy_1 - a^2 + \frac{1}{2d^2} = 0$   
 (c)  $xx_1 + yy_1 + a^2 - \frac{1}{2d^2} = 0$   
 (d)  $xx_1 + yy_1 - a^2 - \frac{1}{2d^2} = 0$
87. The equations of the tangents drawn from the origin to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2rx - 2hy + h^2 = 0$  are
- (a)  $x = 0$  (b)  $y = 0$   
 (c)  $(h^2 - r^2)x - 2rhy = 0$  (d)  $(h^2 - r^2)x + 2rhy = 0$
88. Two circles  $x^2 + y^2 = 6$  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
- (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) none
89. The equation of the circle passing through  $(1, 1)$  and the points of intersection of  $x^2 + y^2 + 13x - 3y = 0$  and  $2x^2 + 2y^2 + 4x - 7y - 25 = 0$  is
- (a)  $4x^2 + 4y^2 - 30x - 10y - 25 = 0$   
 (b)  $4x^2 + 4y^2 + 30x - 13y - 25 = 0$   
 (c)  $4x^2 + 4y^2 - 17x - 10y - 25 = 0$   
 (d) none
90. The centre of the circle passing through the point  $(0, 1)$  and touching the curve  $y = x^2$  at  $(2, 4)$  is
- (a)  $\left(-\frac{16}{5}, \frac{27}{10}\right)$  (b)  $\left(-\frac{16}{7}, \frac{53}{10}\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(-\frac{16}{5}, \frac{53}{10}\right)$  (d) none
91.  $AB$  is a diameter of a circle and  $C$  is any point on the circumference of the circle. Then
- (a) the area of the triangle  $ABC$  is maximum when it is isosceles.  
 (b) the area of the triangle  $ABC$  is minimum when it is isosceles.  
 (c) the area of the triangle  $ABC$  is minimum when it is isosceles.  
 (d) None
92. The locus of the mid-point of a chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ , which subtends a right angle at the origin is
- (a)  $x + y = 2$  (b)  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 = 2$  (d)  $x + y = 1$
93. If a circle passes through the point  $(a, b)$  and cuts the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 2$  orthogonally, then the equation of the locus of its centre is
- (a)  $2ax + 2by - (a^2 + b^2 + k^2) = 0$   
 (b)  $2ax + 2by - (a^2 - b^2 + k^2) = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 - 3ax - 4by + (a^2 + b^2 - k^2) = 0$   
 (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - 2ax - 3by + (a^2 + b^2 - k^2) = 0$
94. The equation of the tangents drawn from the origin to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2rx - 2hy + h^2 = 0$  are
- (a)  $x = 0$  (b)  $y = 0$   
 (c)  $(h^2 - r^2)x - 2rhy = 0$  (d)  $(h^2 - r^2)x + 2rhy = 0$
95. If 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)  $2 < r < 8$  (b)  $r < 2$   
 (c)  $r = 2$  (d)  $r > 2$
96. The lines  $2x - 3y = 5$  and  $3x - 4y = 7$  are diameters of a circle of area 154 sq. units. Then the equation of the circle is
- (a)  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y - 62 = 0$   
 (b)  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y - 47 = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2y - 47 = 0$   
 (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2y - 62 = 0$
97. The centre of a circle passing through the points  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(1, 0)$  and touching the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  is
- (a)  $(3/2, 1/2)$  (b)  $(1/2, 3/2)$   
 (c)  $(1/2, 1/2)$  (d)  $(1/2, 1/\sqrt{2})$
98. 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)  $y^2 - 10x + 6y + 14 = 0$
99. The circles  $x^2 + y^2 - 10x + 16 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$  intersect each other in distinct points if
- (a)  $r < 2$  (b)  $r > 8$   
 (c)  $2 < r < 8$  (d)  $2 \leq r \leq 8$
100. The angle between a pair of tangents drawn from a point  $P$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y + 9 \sin^2 \alpha + 13 \cos^2 \alpha = 0$  is  $2\alpha$ . Then the locus of  $P$  is
- (a)  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y + 4 = 0$   
 (b)  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y - 9 = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y - 4 = 0$   
 (d)  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y + 9 = 0$
101. The number of common tangents to the circles  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 8y - 24 = 0$  is
- (a) 0 (b) 1 (c) 3 (d) 4
102. Let  $A_0A_1A_2A_3A_4A_5$  be a regular hexagon inscribed in a unit circle. Then the product of the lengths of the line segments  $A_0A_1$ ,  $A_0A_2$  and  $A_0A_4$  is
- (a)  $3/4$  (b)  $3\sqrt{3}$   
 (c) 3 (d)  $3\sqrt{3}/2$
103. If two distinct chords, drawn from the point  $(p, q)$  on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = px + qx$ , where  $pq \neq 0$  are bisected by the  $x$ -axis, then
- (a)  $p^2 = q^2$  (b)  $p^2 = 8q^2$   
 (c)  $p^2 < 8q^2$  (d)  $p^2 > 8q^2$
104. The triangle  $PQR$  is inscribed in the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ . If  $Q$  and  $R$  have co-ordinates  $(3, 4)$  and  $(-4, 3)$ , respectively, then  $\angle QPR$  is
- (a)  $\pi/2$  (b)  $\pi/3$  (c)  $\pi/4$  (d)  $\pi/6$ .

105. If the circles  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 2ky + b = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + 2ky + k = 0$  intersect orthogonally, then  $k$  is  
 (a) 2 or  $-3/2$  (b)  $-2$  or  $-3/2$   
 (c) 2 or  $3/2$  (d)  $-2$  or  $3/2$
106. Let  $AB$  be a chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$  subtending right angle at the centre, the locus of the centroid of the triangle  $PAB$  as  $P$  moves on the circle is  
 (a) a parabola (b) a circle  
 (c) an ellipse (d) a pair of straight lines
107. Let  $PQ$  and  $RS$  be tangents at the extremities of the diameter  $PR$  of a circle of radius  $r$ . If  $PS$  and  $RQ$  intersect a point  $x$  on the circumference of the circle, then  $2r$  equals  
 (a)  $\sqrt{PQ \cdot RS}$  (b)  $\frac{PQ + RS}{2}$   
 (c)  $\frac{2PQ + RS}{PQ + RS}$  (d)  $\sqrt{\frac{PQ^2 + RS^2}{2}}$
108. If the tangent at the point  $P$  on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 6y = 2$  meets the straight line  $5x - 2y + 6 = 0$  at a point  $Q$  on the  $y$ -axis, the length of  $PQ$  is  
 (a) 4 (b)  $2\sqrt{5}$  (c) 5 (d)  $2\sqrt{5}$
109. If  $a > 2b > 0$ , 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  $(x - a)^2 + y^2 = b^2$  is  
 (a)  $\frac{2b}{\sqrt{a^2 - 4b^2}}$  (b)  $\frac{\sqrt{a^2 - 4b^2}}{2a}$   
 (c)  $\frac{2b}{a - 2b}$  (d)  $\frac{b}{a - 2b}$
110. The centre of the circle inscribed in a square formed by the 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)
111. If one of the diameters of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y + 6 = 0$  is a chord to the circle with centre (2, 1), the radius of the circle is  
 (a)  $\sqrt{3}$  (b)  $\sqrt{2}$  (c) 3 (d) 2
112. A circle is given by  $x^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 1$ , another circle  $C$  touches it externally and also the  $x$ -axis, the locus of its centre is  
 (a)  $\{(x, y) : x^2 = 4y\} \cup \{(x, y) : y \leq 0\}$   
 (b)  $\{(x, y) : x^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 4\} \cup \{(x, y) : y \leq 0\}$   
 (c)  $\{(x, y) : x^2 = y\} \cup \{(0, y) : y < 0\}$   
 (d)  $\{(x, y) : x^2 = y\} \cup \{(0, y) : y \leq 0\}$
113. The tangent to the curve  $y = x^2 + 6$  at a point  $P(1, 7)$  touches the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 16x + 12y + c = 0$  at a point  $Q$ . Then the co-ordinates of  $Q$  are  
 (a)  $(-6, -7)$  (b)  $(-10, -15)$   
 (c)  $(-9, -13)$  (d)  $(-6, -11)$
114. Let  $ABCD$  be a quadrilateral with area 18, with side  $AB$  parallel to the side  $CD$  and  $AB = 2CD$ . Let  $AD$  be a perpendicular to  $AB$  and  $CD$ . If a circle is drawn inside the quadrilateral  $ABCD$  touching all the sides, then its radius is  
 (a) 3 (b) 2 (c)  $3/2$  (d) 1
115. Tangents drawn from the point  $P(1, 8)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 4y - 11 = 0$  touch the circle at  $A$  and  $B$ . The equation of the circumcircle of the 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)  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 4y + 19 = 0$
116. Two parallel chords of a circle of radius 2 are at a distance  $\sqrt{3} + 1$  apart. If the chords subtend, angles of  $\frac{\pi}{k}$  and  $\frac{2\pi}{k}$  at the centre, where  $k > 0$ , the value of  $[k]$  is, where  $[ \ ] = \text{GIF}$   
 (a) 1 (b) 2 (c) 3 (d) 4
117. The circle passing through the point  $(-1, 0)$  and touching the  $y$ -axis at  $(0, 2)$ , also passes through the point  
 (a)  $(-\frac{3}{2}, 0)$  (b)  $(-\frac{5}{2}, 2)$   
 (c)  $(-\frac{3}{2}, \frac{5}{2})$  (d)  $(-4, 0)$

### LEVEL III

#### (Problems for JEE Advanced)

- Find the number of points with integral co-ordinates that are interior to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 16$ .
- If the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  cuts each of the circles  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ ,  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 8y + 10 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 4y - 2 = 0$  at the extremities of a diameter, find the equation of the circle.
- The equations of four circles are  $(x \pm a)^2 + (y \pm a)^2 = a^2$ . Find the radius of a circle which touches all the four circles.
- 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 ...
- If a chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 8$  makes equal intercepts of length  $a$  on the co-ordinate axes, then  $|a| < \dots$
- The equation of a circle and a line are  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 2y + 12 = 0$  and  $x - 2y - 1 = 0$ . Determine whether the line is a chord or a tangent or does not meet the circle at all.
- If the circles  $(x - a)^2 + (y - b)^2 = c^2$  and  $(x - b)^2 + (y - a)^2 = c^2$  touch each other, find the value of  $a$ .
- Find the locus of the mid-points of the chords of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y - 12 = 0$ , which subtends an angle of  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  radians at its circumference.
- Find the equation of a circle, which touches the axis of  $y$  at  $(0, 3)$  and cuts an intercept of 8 units on the axis of  $x$ .
- Find the distance between the chord of contact of tangents to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  from the origin and the point  $(g, f)$ .
- If  $(1 + \alpha x)^n = 1 + 8x + 24x^2 + \dots$  and a line through  $P(\alpha, n)$  cuts the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  in  $A$  and  $B$ , then  $PA \cdot PB = \dots$

12. The circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  cuts the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 3y - 5 = 0$  in  $A$  and  $B$ , the centre of the circle  $AB$  as diameter is ...
13. Find the length of the tangents from any point of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + d = 0$ , ( $d > c$ ).
14. Find the equation of the circle whose diameter is the chord  $x + y = 1$  of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ .
15. Find the equation of the image of the circle  $(x - 3)^2 + (y - 2)^2 = 1$  by the line mirror  $x + y = 19$ .
16. Two circles  $(x - 1)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = r^2$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 2y + 8 = 0$  intersect in two distinct points, prove that  $2 < r < 8$ .
17. If exactly two real tangents can be drawn to the circles  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 8y + \lambda = 0$ , prove that  $0 < \lambda < 24$ .
18. Two vertices of an equilateral triangle are  $(-1, 0)$  and  $(1, 0)$  and its third vertex lies above the  $x$ -axis. Prove that the equation of the circumcircle is  $x^2 + y^2 - \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}y - 1 = 0$ .
19. Find the equation of the circumcircle of the triangle formed by the lines  $y + \sqrt{3}x = 6$ ,  $y - \sqrt{3}x = 6$  and  $y = 0$ .
20. If the equation of incircle of an equilateral triangle is  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y + 4 = 0$ , prove that the equation of the circumcircle of the triangle is  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y - 23 = 0$ .
21. If a square is inscribed in the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  of radius  $r$ , prove that the length of its side is  $r\sqrt{2}$ .
22. If  $r$  be the radius, prove that the area of the equilateral triangle inscribed in the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  is  $\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{4} \times r^2$ .
23. Prove that the equation of a circle with centre at the origin and passing through the vertices of an equilateral triangle whose median is of length  $3a$  is  $x^2 + y^2 = 4a^2$ .
24. A circle is inscribed in an equilateral triangle of side  $a$ . Prove that the area of any square inscribed in the circle is  $(a^2, 6)$ .
25. Find the co-ordinates of the point on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 12x + 4y + 30 = 0$  which is farthest from the origin.
26. A diameter of  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y + 6 = 0$  is a chord to the circle with centre  $(2, 1)$ , find the radius of it.
27. Prove that angle between two tangents from the origin to the circle  $(x - 7)^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 25$  is  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ .
28. Prove that the tangents are drawn from the point  $(4, 3)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y = 0$  are inclined at an angle is  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ .
29. Find the number of tangents that can be drawn from the point  $(0, 1)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y = 0$ .
30. Prove that the locus of the point of intersection of tangents to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  at the points whose parametric angles differ by  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  is  $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{4a^2}{3}$ .
31. Prove that the area of the triangle formed by positive axis and the normal and the tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  at  $(1, \sqrt{3})$  is  $2\sqrt{3}$ .

### LEVEL IV

#### (Tougher Problems for JEE Advanced)

1. A circle of diameter 13 m with centre  $O$  coinciding with the origin of co-ordinates axes has diameter  $AB$  on the  $x$ -axis. If the length of the chord  $AC$  be 5 m, find the following:  
 (i) Equations of the pair of lines  $BC$  and  $BC'$ .  
 (ii) The area of the smaller portion bounded between the circle and the chord  $AC$ .  
**[Roorkee, 1983]**
2. A circle I of radius 5 m is having its centre  $A$  at the origin of the co-ordinate axes. Two circles II and III with centres at  $B$  and  $C$  and radii 3 and 4 m, respectively, touch the circle I and also touch the  $x$ -axis to the right of  $A$ . Find the equations of any two common tangents to the circles II and III.  
**[Roorkee, 1983]**
3. Find the equation of a circle which is co-axial with the circles  $2x^2 + 2y^2 - 2x + 6y - 3 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 2y + 1 = 0$   
**[Roorkee, 1984]**
4. Find the condition such that the four points in which the circles  $x^2 + y^2 + ax + by + c = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + a'x + b'y + c' = 0$  are intersected by the straight lines  $Ax + By + C = 0$  and  $A'x + B'y + C' = 0$ , respectively lie on another circle.  
**[Roorkee, 1986]**
5. Obtain the equation of the straight lines passing through the point  $A(2, 0)$  and making an angle of  $45^\circ$  with the tangent  $A$  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  $A$ .  
**[Roorkee, 1987]**
6. A circle has radius 3 units and its centre lies on the line  $y = x - 1$ . Find the equation of this circle if it passes through  $(7, 3)$ .  
**[Roorkee, 1988]**
7. Find the equation of the circles passing through the point  $(2, 8)$  touching the lines  $4x - 3y - 24 = 0$  and  $4x + 3y - 42 = 0$  and having  $x$  co-ordinate of the centre of the circle less than or equal to 8.  
**[Roorkee, 1989]**
8. The abscissa of two points  $A$  and  $B$  are the roots of the equation  $x^2 + 2x - a^2 = 0$  and the ordinates are the roots of the equation  $y^2 + 4y - b^2 = 0$ . Find the equation of the circle with  $AB$  as its diameter. Also find the co-ordinates of the centre and the length of the radius of the circle.  
**[Roorkee, 1989]**

9. The point of contact of the tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 5$  at the point  $(1, -2)$  which touches the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 6y + 20 = 0$ , is  
 (a)  $(2, -1)$  (b)  $(3, -1)$   
 (c)  $(4, -1)$  (d)  $(5, -1)$   
**[Roorkee, 1989]**
10. The centre of the circle passing through the point  $(0, 1)$  and touching the curve  $y = x^2$  at  $(2, 4)$  is  
 (a)  $(-16/5, 27/10)$  (b)  $(-16/7, 53/10)$   
 (c)  $(-16/5, 53/10)$  (d) none
11. The locus of the mid-points of the chords of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y - 10 = 0$  which passes through the origin is the circle  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 + x + 3y = 0$  (b)  $x^2 + y^2 - x + 3y = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 + x - 3y = 0$  (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - x - 3y = 0$   
**[Roorkee, 1989]**
12. The equation of the circle through the points of intersection of  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y + 1 = 0$  and touches the line  $x + 2y = 0$  is  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 + x + 2y = 0$  (b)  $x^2 + y^2 - x + 2y = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 - x - 2y = 0$  (d)  $2(x^2 + y^2) - x - 2y = 0$   
**[Roorkee, 1989]**
13.  $y - x + 3 = 0$  is the equation of the normal at  $\left(3 + \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$  to which of the following circles?  
 (a)  $\left(x - 3 - \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 + \left(y - \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 = 9$   
 (b)  $\left(x - 3 - \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 + y^2 = 9$   
 (c)  $(x - 3)^2 + y^2 = 6$   
 (d)  $(x - 3)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 9$  **[Roorkee, 1990]**
14. The radical axis of two circles whose centres lie along  $x$  and  $y$  axes is  
 (a)  $ax - by - \left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{4}\right) = 0$   
 (b)  $2g^2x + 2f^2y - \left(\frac{f^2 + g^2}{4}\right) = 0$   
 (c)  $gx + fy = g^4 + f^4$   
 (d)  $2gx - 2fy + g^2 - f^2 = 0$  **[Roorkee, 1990]**
15. Find the equations of the circle having the lines  $x + 2xy + 3x + 6y = 0$  as its normals and having size just sufficient to contain the circle  $x(x - 4) + y(y - 3) = 0$ .  
**[Roorkee Main, 1990]**
16. A circle has its centre in the first quadrant and passes through the points of intersection of the lines  $x = 2$  and  $y = 3$ . If it makes intercepts of 3 and 4 units on these lines respectively, its equation is  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 + 3x - 5y + 8 = 0$   
 (b)  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y + 13 = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 8y + 23 = 0$   
 (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 9y + 30 = 0$  **[Roorkee, 1991]**
17. The radius of the circle passing through the points  $(1, 2)$ ,  $(5, 2)$  and  $(5, -2)$  is  
 (a)  $5\sqrt{2}$  (b)  $2\sqrt{5}$  (c)  $3\sqrt{2}$  (d)  $2\sqrt{2}$   
**[Roorkee, 1991]**
18. Find the equations of the circle passing through the points  $A(4, 3)$  and  $B(2, 5)$  and touching the axis of  $y$ . Also find the point  $P$  on the  $y$ -axis such that the angle  $APB$  has largest magnitude.  
**[Roorkee Main, 1991]**
19. Find the radius of the smallest circle which touches the straight line  $3x - y = 6$  at  $(1, -3)$  and also touches the line  $y = x$ . Compute up to one place of decimal only.  
**[Roorkee Main, 1991]**
20. Lines are drawn from the point  $(-2, -3)$  to meet the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 10y + 1 = 0$ . The length of the line that meets the circle at two coincident points is  
 (a)  $4\sqrt{3}$  (b) 16  
 (c) 48  
 (d) Cannot be calculated unless coincident points are given  
**[Roorkee, 1992]**
21. The equation of the circle which touches both the axes and the straight line  $4x + 3y = 6$  in the first quadrant and lies below it, is  
 (a)  $4(x^2 + y^2) - 4x - 4y + 1 = 0$   
 (b)  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 6y + 9 = 0$   
 (c)  $49(x^2 + y^2) - 420(x + y) + 900 = 0$   
 (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - x - 6 + 4 = 0$  **[Roorkee, 1992]**
22. Circles are drawn through the point  $(2, 0)$  to cut intercepts of length 5 units on the  $x$ -axis. If their centres lie in the first quadrant, their equation is  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 - 9x + 2ky + 14 = 0$   
 (b)  $3x^2 + 3y^2 + 27x - 2ky + 42 = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 - 9x - 2ky + 14 = 0$   
 (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - 2kx - 9y + 14 = 0$   
 where  $k$  is a positive real number. **[Roorkee, 1992]**
23. From a point  $P$ , tangents are drawn to the circles  $x^2 + y^2 + x - 3 = 0$ ,  $3x^2 + 3y^2 - 5x + 3y = 0$  and  $4x^2 + 4y^2 + 8x + 7y + 9 = 0$  are of equal lengths. Find the equation of the circle through  $P$  which touches the line  $x + y = 5$  at the point  $(6, -1)$ .  
**[Roorkee Main, 1992]**
24. Find the equation of the system of co-axial circles that are the tangent at  $(\sqrt{2}, 4)$  to the locus of the point of intersection of mutually perpendicular tangents to the conic  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ .  
**[Roorkee Main, 1993]**
25. If the tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 5$  at  $(1, -2)$  touches the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 6y + 20 = 0$  at the point  
 (a)  $(2, -1)$  (b)  $(3, -1)$   
 (c)  $(4, -1)$  (d)  $(5, -1)$   
**[Roorkee, 1994]**
26. The centre of the circle passing through the point  $(0, 1)$  and touching the curve  $y = x^2$  at  $(2, 4)$  is  
 (a)  $(-16/5, 27/10)$  (b)  $(-16/7, 53/10)$   
 (c)  $(-16/5, 53/10)$  (d) none  
**[Roorkee, 1994]**

27. Find 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 normal.

[Roorkee Main, 1994]

28. If the lines  $2x - 4y = 9$  and  $6x - 12y + 7 = 0$  touch a circle, the radius of the circle is

- (a)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{5}$       (b)  $\frac{17}{6\sqrt{5}}$       (c)  $\frac{2\sqrt{5}}{3}$       (d)  $\frac{17}{3\sqrt{5}}$

[Roorkee, 1995]

29. If the co-ordinates at one end of a diameter of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 4y + c = 0$  are  $(-3, 2)$ , the co-ordinates of the other end are

- (a)  $(5, 3)$                       (b)  $(6, 2)$   
(c)  $(1, -8)$                       (d)  $(11, 2)$

[Roorkee, 1995]

30. If a circle is inscribed in an equilateral triangle of side  $a$ , the area of the square inscribed in the circle is

- (a)  $\frac{a^2}{6}$       (b)  $\frac{a^2}{3}$       (c)  $\frac{2a^2}{5}$       (d)  $\frac{2a^2}{3}$

[Roorkee, 1995]

31. The equations of lines joining the origin to the point of intersection of circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 3$  and the line  $x + y = 2$  is

- (a)  $y - (3 + 2\sqrt{2})x = 0$       (b)  $x - (3 + 2\sqrt{2})y = 0$   
(c)  $x - (3 - 2\sqrt{2})y = 0$       (d)  $y - (3 - 2\sqrt{2})x = 0$

[Roorkee, 1995]

32. From a point on the line  $4x - 3y = 6$ , tangents are drawn to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 4y + 4 = 0$  which make an angle of  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{24}{7}\right)$  between them. Find the co-ordinates of all such points and the equations of tangents.

[Roorkee Main, 1995]

33. Two circles  $x^2 + y^2 - 10x + 16 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$  intersect each other at two distinct points if

- (a)  $r < 2$                       (b)  $r > 8$   
(c)  $2 < r < 8$                       (d)  $2 \leq r \leq 8$

[Roorkee, 1996]

34. A tangent is drawn from the point  $(4, 0)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 8$  touches at a point  $A$  in the first quadrant. Find the co-ordinates of another point  $B$  on the circle such that  $AB = 4$ .

[Roorkee Main, 1996]

35. If the equations of the tangents drawn from the origin to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2rx - 2hy + h^2 = 0$  are perpendicular, then

- (a)  $h = r$                       (b)  $h^2 = r^2$   
(c)  $h = -r$                       (d)  $h^2 + r^2 = 1$

[Roorkee, 1997]

36. If a circle  $C$  and  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$  are orthogonal and have radical axis parallel to  $y$ -axis, then  $C$  is

- (a)  $x^2 + y^2 - 1 + x = 0$       (b)  $x^2 + y^2 - 1 - x = 0$   
(c)  $x^2 + y^2 + 1 - y = 0$       (d)  $x^2 + y^2 + 1 + x = 0$

[Roorkee, 1997]

37. The equation of the line meeting the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ , two points at equal distances  $d$  from a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  on the circumference is

- (a)  $xx_1 + yy_1 - a^2 + \frac{1}{2d^2} = 0$   
(b)  $xx_1 - yy_1 - a^2 + \frac{1}{2d^2} = 0$   
(c)  $xx_1 + yy_1 + a^2 - \frac{1}{2d^2} = 0$   
(d)  $xx_1 + yy_1 - a^2 + \frac{1}{2d^2} = 0$

[Roorkee, 1998]

38. The equations of the tangents drawn from the origin to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2rx - 2hy + h^2 = 0$  are

- (a)  $x = 0$                       (b)  $y = 0$   
(c)  $(h^2 - r^2)x - 2rhy = 0$       (d)  $(h^2 - r^2)x + 2rhy = 0$

[Roorkee, 1998]

39. 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.

[Roorkee Main, 1998]

40. Extremities of a diagonal of a rectangle are  $(0, 0)$  and  $(4, 3)$ . Find the equations of the tangents to the circum-circle of the rectangle which are parallel to this diagonal.

[Roorkee Main, 2000]

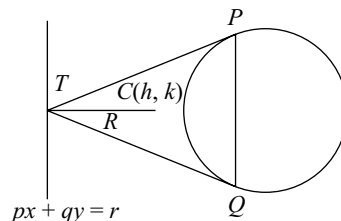
41. Find the point on the straight line  $y = 2x + 11$  which is nearest to the circle  $16(x^2 + y^2) + 32x - 8y - 50 = 0$ .

[Roorkee Main, 2000]

42. A circle of radius 2 units rolls on the outer side of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x = 0$ , touching it externally. Find the locus of the centre of this outer circle. Also find the equations of the common tangents of the two circles when the line joining the centres of the two circles makes an angle of  $60^\circ$  with  $x$ -axis.

[Roorkee Main, 2000]

43.



Tangents  $TP$  and  $TQ$  are drawn from a point  $T$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ . If the point  $T$  lies on the line  $px + qy = r$ , find the locus of the centre of the circumference of the triangle  $TPQ$ .

[Roorkee Main, 2001]

44. Find the equation of the circle which passes through the points of intersection of circles  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y + 6 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 6y + 6 = 0$  and intersects the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 6y + 6 = 0$  orthogonally.

[Roorkee Main, 2001]



**Integer Type Questions**

- Find the number of common tangents between the circles  $x^2 + y^2 = 10$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 8y = 0$ .
- If the equations  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 2ky + 6 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + 2ky + k = 0$  intersect orthogonally, find the number of values of  $k$ .
- If  $\left(m_i, \frac{1}{m_i}\right), i = 1, 2, 3, 4$  are four distinct points on a circle, find the value of  $(m_1 m_2 m_3 m_4 + 4)$ .
- If the circumference of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 8y - q = 0$  is bisected by the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 22y + p = 0$ , find the value of  $\left(\frac{p+q}{10} + 2\right)$ .
- 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 such that  $n < r < m$  where  $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$ , find the value of  $(m - n)$ .
- If a straight line through  $P(-2\sqrt{2}, 2\sqrt{2})$  making an angle of  $135^\circ$  with  $x$ -axis cuts the circle  $x = 4 \cos \theta, y = 4 \sin \theta$  in points  $A$  and  $B$  respectively, find the length of the segment  $AB$ .
- If a circle passes through the point of intersection of the co-ordinate axes with the lines  $\lambda x - y + 1 = 0$  and  $x - 2y + 3 = 0$ , find the integral value of  $\lambda$ .
- Find the radius of the circumcircle of the triangle formed by the lines  $y + \sqrt{3}x = 6, y - \sqrt{3}x = 6$  and  $y = 0$ .
- If the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y + \lambda = 0$  touches the axis of  $x$ , find the value of  $\lambda$ .
- If the straight lines  $y = m_1 x + c_1$  and  $y = m_2 x + c_2$  meet the co-ordinate axes in concyclic points, find the value of  $(m_1 m_2 + 4)$ .

**Comprehensive Link Passage**

**Passage 1**

If  $7l^2 - 9m^2 + 8l + 1 = 0$  and we have to find the equation of circle having  $lx + my + 1 = 0$  is a tangent and we can adjust the given condition as

$$16l^2 + 8l + 1 = 9(l^2 + m^2) \text{ or } (4l + 1)^2 = 9(l^2 + m^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{(4l + 1)}{\sqrt{l^2 + m^2}} \right| = 3$$

Thus centre of a circle =  $(4, 0)$  and radius =  $3$ .

Also when two non-parallel lines touching a circle, the centre of circle lies on angle bisector of lines.

- If  $16m^2 - 8l - 1 = 0$ , the equation of a circle having  $lx + my + 1 = 0$  is a tangent is
  - $x^2 + y^2 + 8x = 0$
  - $x^2 + y^2 - 8x = 0$
  - $x^2 + y^2 + 8y = 0$
  - $x^2 + y^2 - 8y = 0$
- If  $4l^2 - 5m^2 + 6l + 1 = 0$ , the centre and the radius of the circle, which have  $lx + my + 1 = 0$  as a tangent, is
  - $(0, 4); \sqrt{5}$
  - $(4, 0); \sqrt{5}$
  - $(0, 3); \sqrt{5}$
  - $(3, 0); \sqrt{5}$

- If  $16l^2 + 9m^2 = 24lm + 6l + 8m + 1$  and if  $S$  be the equation of the circle having  $lx + my + 1 = 0$  as a tangent, when the equation of director circle of  $S$  is
  - $x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 8y = 25$
  - $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 8y = 25$
  - $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 8y = 25$
  - $x^2 + y^2 + 6x - 8y = 25$

**Passage II**

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

$\sqrt{3}x + y = 6$  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  $C$  are on the same side  $PQ$ .

- The equation of the circle  $C$  is
  - $(x - 2\sqrt{3})^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 1$
  - $(x - 2\sqrt{3})^2 + \left(y - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = 1$
  - $(x - \sqrt{3})^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 1$
  - $(x - \sqrt{3})^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 1$
- Points  $E$  and  $F$  are given by
  - $\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\right), (\sqrt{3}, 0)$
  - $\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right), (\sqrt{3}, 0)$
  - $\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\right), \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$
  - $\left(\frac{3}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right), \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$
- The equation of the sides  $QR, PR$  are
  - $y = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}x + 1, y = -2\sqrt{3}x + 1$
  - $y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}x + 1; y = 0$
  - $y = \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)x + 1; y = \left(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)x - 1$
  - $y = \sqrt{3}x, y = 0$

**Passage III**

The equation of the tangent and the normal to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  at  $(x_1, y_1)$  are

tangent :  $xx_1 + yy_1 + g(x + x_1) + f(y + y_1) + c = 0$

Normal:  $\frac{x - x_1}{x_1 + g} = \frac{y - y_1}{y_1 + f}$ .

Clearly, the normal always passes through the centre of the circle.

- The equation of the tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 6y - 12 = 0$  at  $(1, 1)$  is
  - $3x + 4y = 7$
  - $3x - 4y = 7$
  - $-3x + 4y = 7$
  - $-3x - 4y = 7$
- The tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 5$  at  $(1, -2)$  also touches the circle
  - $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 6y - 20 = 0$
  - $x^2 + y^2 + 8x + 6y - 20 = 0$

- (c)  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 6y + 20 = 0$   
 (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 9y + 20 = 0$
3. The area of the triangle formed by the positive  $x$ -axis, the normal and the tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  at  $(1, \sqrt{3})$  is  
 (a)  $3\sqrt{3}$  s.u. (b)  $2\sqrt{3}$  s.u.  
 (c)  $4\sqrt{3}$  s.u. (d)  $5\sqrt{3}$  s.u.
4. The extremities of a diagonal of a rectangle are  $(-4, 4)$  and  $(6, -1)$ . A circle circumscribes the rectangle and cuts an intercept  $AB$  on the  $y$ -axis. The area of the triangle formed by  $AB$  and the tangents to the circle at  $A$  and  $B$  is  
 (a)  $\frac{363}{8}$  s.u. (b)  $\frac{365}{8}$  s.u.  
 (c)  $\frac{363}{4}$  s.u. (d)  $\frac{365}{4}$  s.u.
5. The equation of the normal to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 5x + 2y - 48 = 0$  at the point  $(5, 6)$  is  
 (a)  $14x + 5y = 10$  (b)  $14x - 5y = 40$   
 (c)  $5x - 14y = 40$  (d) none
6. If the normal to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 4y - 50 = 0$  is parallel to the line  $3x + 4y + 5 = 0$ , the equation of the normal is  
 (a)  $3x + 4y + 1 = 0$  (b)  $3x + 4y = 2$   
 (c)  $3x - 4y = 1$  (d)  $3x + 4y + 2 = 0$

**Passage IV**

Let  $P(x_1, y_1)$  be a point lying inside the circle  $S: x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ . If the tangents from  $P$  to the circle  $S = 0$  at  $A$  and  $B$ , then  $AB$  is called the chord of contact.

The equation of the chord of contact is

$$xx_1 + yy_1 + g(x + x_1) + f(y + y_1) + c = 0.$$

Let the tangents  $PA$  and  $PB$  are drawn from  $P(0, -2)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 4y = 0$ .

- The equation of the chord of contact is  
 (a)  $x - 4y + 4 = 0$  (b)  $x - 3y - 3 = 0$   
 (c)  $x + 4y + 4 = 0$  (d)  $x + 5y + 6 = 0$ .
- The length of the chord  $AB$  is  
 (a)  $2\sqrt{\frac{60}{17}}$  (b)  $2\sqrt{\frac{65}{17}}$  (c)  $2\sqrt{\frac{12}{17}}$  (d)  $2\sqrt{\frac{37}{17}}$
- The area of a triangle  $PAB$  is  
 (a)  $12\sqrt{\frac{5}{17}}$  (b)  $12\sqrt{\frac{7}{17}}$  (c)  $12\sqrt{\frac{11}{17}}$  (d)  $6\sqrt{\frac{5}{17}}$
- The area of a quadrilateral  $PACB$ , where  $C$  is the centre of the circle, is  
 (a)  $2\sqrt{15}$  (b)  $3\sqrt{15}$  (c)  $4\sqrt{15}$  (d)  $5\sqrt{15}$
- The angle between  $PA$  and  $PB$  is  
 (a)  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{4\sqrt{15}}{7}\right)$  (b)  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{8\sqrt{15}}{7}\right)$   
 (c)  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{16\sqrt{15}}{7}\right)$  (d)  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{6\sqrt{15}}{7}\right)$

6. 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  $a, b, c$  are in  
 (a) AP (b) GP (c) HP (d) AGP

**Passage V**

The line  $y = mx + c$  will be a tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  if  $c = \pm a\sqrt{1 + m^2}$ .

The equation of any tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  can be considered as  $y = mx + a\sqrt{1 + m^2}$  and the co-ordinates of the points of contact are  $\left(\pm \frac{am}{\sqrt{1 + m^2}}, \mp \frac{a}{\sqrt{1 + m^2}}\right)$  and the length of the tangent from the point  $P(x_1, y_1)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  is  $\sqrt{x_1^2 + y_1^2 + 2gx_1 + 2fy_1 + c}$ .

- The equation of tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 2y = 0$  from the point  $P(1, -2)$  is  
 (a)  $x - 2y - 5 = 0$  (b)  $x + 2y + 5 = 0$   
 (c)  $x - 2y = 0$  (d)  $y - 3x = 0$
- The equation of the tangents from the origin to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y = 0$  is  
 (a)  $3x - 4y = 0$  (b)  $4x - 3y = 0$   
 (c)  $3x + 4y = 0$  (d)  $4x + 3y = 0$ .
- The length of the tangent from any point on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2009x - 2010y + 2012 = 0$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2009x - 2010y + 2020 = 0$  is  
 (a)  $2\sqrt{2}$  (b)  $3\sqrt{2}$  (c)  $5\sqrt{2}$  (d)  $\sqrt{2}$
- If the angle between a pair of tangents from a point  $P$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y + 13 \cos^2\alpha + 9 \sin^2\alpha = 0$  is  $2\alpha$ . Then the equation of the locus of  $P$  is  
 (a)  $(x + 2)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 1$   
 (b)  $(x - 2)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 1$   
 (c)  $(x - 2)^2 + (y + 3)^2 = 1$   
 (d)  $(x + 2)^2 + (y + 3)^2 = 1$
- Tangents  $PA$  and  $PB$  are drawn from  $P(-1, 2)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y + 2 = 0$ . The area of a triangle  $PAB$  is  
 (a)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$  (b)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$  (c)  $\frac{2\sqrt{3}}{5}$  (d)  $\frac{4\sqrt{3}}{5}$

**Passage VI**

The equation of the chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  bisected at the point  $(x_1, y_1)$  is  $T = S_1$ , i.e.  $xx_1 + yy_1 - a^2 = x_1^2 + y_1^2 - a^2$ .

- The equation of the chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 10y - 9 = 0$  bisected at the point  $(-2, 4)$  is  
 (a)  $5x - 9y + 40 = 0$  (b)  $5x - 9y + 46 = 0$   
 (c)  $3x - 4y + 46 = 0$  (d)  $4x - 5y + 46 = 0$ .
- The locus of the mid-point of a chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ , which subtends a right angle at the origin is  
 (a)  $x + y = 1$  (b)  $x + y = 2$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  (d)  $x^2 + y^2 = 2$

3. The equation of the locus of the mid-points of the chords of the circle  $4x^2 + 4y^2 - 12x + 4y + 1 = 0$  that subtends an angle of  $\frac{2\pi}{3}$  at its centre is
- (a)  $16(x^2 + y^2) - 48x + 16y + 31 = 0$   
 (b)  $16(x^2 + y^2) - 16x + 48y + 31 = 0$   
 (c)  $16(x^2 + y^2) - 16x - 48y + 31 = 0$   
 (d)  $16(x^2 + y^2) - 16x - 48y - 31 = 0$
4. If two distinct chords, drawn from the point  $(p, q)$  on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = px + qy$  (where  $pq \neq 0$ ) are bisected by the  $x$ -axis, then
- (a)  $p^2 = q^2$  (b)  $p^2 = 8q^2$   
 (c)  $p^2 > 8q^2$  (d)  $p^2 < 8q^2$
5. Let a circle be given by  $2x(x - a) + 2y(y - b) = 0$ , ( $a, b \neq 0$ ). If two chords are bisected by the  $x$ -axis, can be drawn to the circle from the point  $\left(a, \frac{b}{2}\right)$
- (a)  $a^2 > b^2$  (b)  $a^2 > 2b^2$   
 (c)  $a^2 < 2b^2$  (d)  $a^2 < b^2$
6. The locus of the mid-points of the chords of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ , which subtend right angle at the point  $(c, 0)$  is
- (a)  $2(x^2 + y^2) - 2cx = a^2 - c^2$   
 (b)  $2(x^2 + y^2) - 2cx = a^2 + c^2$   
 (c)  $2(x^2 + y^2) + 2cx = a^2 + c^2$   
 (d)  $2(x^2 + y^2) + 2cx = a^2 - c^2$

**Passage VII**

The equation of the family of circles passing through the point of intersection of two given circles  $S_1 = 0$  and  $S_2 = 0$  is given by  $S_1 + \lambda S_2 = 0$ ,  $\lambda \neq -1$ , where  $\lambda$  is a parameter.

The equation of the family of circles passing through the point of intersection of circle  $S = 0$  and a line  $L = 0$  is given by  $S + \lambda L = 0$ , where  $\lambda$  is a parameter. The equation of the family of circles touching the circle  $S = 0$  and the line  $L = 0$  at their point of contact  $P$  is  $S + \lambda L = 0$ , where  $\lambda$  is a parameter.

1. 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  $2(x^2 + y^2) + 4x - 7y - 25 = 0$  is
- (a)  $4(x^2 + y^2) + 30x - 13y = 25$   
 (b)  $4(x^2 + y^2) - 30x - 13y = 25$   
 (c)  $4(x^2 + y^2) - 30x + 13y = 25$   
 (d)  $4(x^2 + y^2) + 30x + 13y = 25$
2. 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  $y = x$  is
- (a)  $7(x^2 + y^2) - 10(x + y) = 12$   
 (b)  $7(x^2 + y^2) - 10(x - y) = 12$   
 (c)  $7(x^2 + y^2) + 10(x - y) = 12$   
 (d)  $7(x^2 + y^2) + 10(x + y) = 12$
3. The equation of the circle through the points of intersection of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y + 4 = 0$  and the line  $x + 2y = 4$  which touches the line  $x + 2y = 0$  is
- (a)  $x^2 + y^2 - x - 2y = 0$  (b)  $x^2 + y^2 + x - 2y = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 + x + 2y = 0$  (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - x + 2y = 0$

4. The equation of the circle whose diameter is the common chord of the circles  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 3y + 1 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 3y + 2 = 0$  is
- (a)  $2(x^2 + y^2) + 2x + 6y + 1 = 0$   
 (b)  $2(x^2 + y^2) + 3x + 6y + 1 = 0$   
 (c)  $2(x^2 + y^2) + 2x + 5y + 1 = 0$   
 (d)  $2(x^2 + y^2) + x + 6y + 1 = 0$

**Matrix Match**  
**(For JEE-Advanced Examination Only)**

1. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	If the shortest and the longest distance from the point $(10, 7)$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 2y - 2 = 0$ are $L$ and $M$ respectively, then	(P)	$L + M = 10$
(B)	If the shortest and the longest distance from the point $(3, -6)$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 16x - 12y - 125 = 0$ are $L$ and $M$ respectively, then	(Q)	$L + M = 20$
(C)	If the shortest and the longest distance from the point $(6, -6)$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 6y - 12 = 0$ are $L$ and $M$ respectively, then	(R)	$L + M = 30$
		(S)	$M - L = 10$
		(T)	$M - L = 26$

2. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	The radius of the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y = 0$ is	(P)	2
(B)	The radius of the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 4y + 4 = 0$ is	(Q)	4
(C)	The radius of the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 10y + 30 = 0$ is	(R)	$\sqrt{2}$
(D)	The radius of the circle $2(x^2 + y^2) - 4x - 6y + 16 = 0$ is	(S)	3
(E)	The radius of the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 10x = 0$ is	(T)	5

3. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	The point $(\lambda, \lambda + 2)$ lies inside the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ , the value of $\lambda$ can be	(P)	-1
(B)	The point $(\lambda, \lambda + 2)$ lies outside the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y = 0$ , the value of $\lambda$ can be	(Q)	-1/2
(C)	If both the equations $x^2 + y^2 + 2\lambda\lambda + 4 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 4\lambda\lambda + 8 = 0$ represent real circles, the value of $\lambda$ can be	(R)	3/2
		(S)	3
		(T)	5

4. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	If the straight lines $y = a_1x + b$ and $y = a_2x + b$ , ( $a_1 \neq a_2$ ) and $b \in R$ meet the co-ordinate axes in concyclic points, then	(P)	$a_1^2 + a_2^2 = 4$
(B)	If the chord of contact of the tangents drawn from any point on $x^2 + y^2 = a_1^2$ to $x^2 + y^2 = b^2$ touches the circle $x^2 + y^2 = a_2^2$ , where ( $a_1 \neq a_2$ ), then	(Q)	$a_1 + a_2 = 3$
		(R)	$a_1a_2 = b$
		(S)	$a_1a_2 = 1$
(C)	If the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 2a_1x + b = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + 2a_2x + b = 0$ where $a_1 \neq a_2$ and $b \in R$ cuts orthogonally, then	(T)	$a_1a_2 = b^2$

5. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	The lines $3x - 4y + 4 = 0$ and $6x - 8y - 7 = 0$ are the tangents to a circle, its radius is	(P)	2
(B)	The radius of the circle inscribed in the triangle formed by the lines $x = 0$ , $y = 0$ and $4x + 3y = 24$ is	(Q)	$3/4$
(C)	The radius of the circle $3x(x - 2) + 3y(y + 1) = 4$ is	(R)	7
(D)	The lines $2x - 3y = 5$ and $3x - 4y = 7$ are the diameters of a circle of area 154 s.u., its radius is	(S)	$\sqrt{\frac{31}{12}}$

6. Match the following Columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	The length of the tangents from any point on the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 6y + 2008 = 0$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 6y + 2012 = 0$ is	(P)	$3/\sqrt{2}$
		(Q)	2
(B)	The lengths of the common chord of the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 3y + 1 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + 3x + 2y + 1 = 0$ is	(R)	1
(C)	The number of tangents which can be drawn from the point (2, 3) to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 13$ is	(S)	$5/3$
(D)	The radius of the circle $ax^2 + (2a - 3)y^2 - 4x - 7 = 0$ is	(T)	$4/3$

7. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	Number of common tangents to the circles $x^2 + y^2 - 2x = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 + 6x - 6y + 2 = 0$ is	(P)	1
(B)	Number of common tangents to the circles $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 10y + 4 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 12y - 55 = 0$ is	(Q)	2
(C)	Number of common tangents to the circles $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 8y - 4 = 0$ is	(R)	3
(D)	Number of common tangents to the circles $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 8y + 13 = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 2y + 6 = 0$ is	(S)	0

8. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	If $\left(a, \frac{1}{a}\right), \left(b, \frac{1}{b}\right), \left(c, \frac{1}{c}\right)$ and $\left(d, \frac{1}{d}\right)$ are four distinct points on a circle of radius 2012 units, the value of $abcd$ is	(P)	2
(B)	If a circle passes through the point of intersection of axes with the lines $\lambda x - y + 1 = 0$ and $x - 2y + 3 = 0$ , then the value of $\lambda$ is	(Q)	1
		(R)	-5
(C)	If the curves $ax^2 + 4xy + 2y^2 + x + y + 5 = 0$ and $ax^2 + 6xy + 5y^2 + 2x + 3y + 8 = 0$ intersect at four concyclic points, the value of $a$ is	(S)	-4
		(T)	3

9. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	If one of the diameters of the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y + 6 = 0$ is a chord to the circle with centre (2, 1), the radius of the circle is	(P)	7
		(Q)	9
(B)	If the tangent at the point $P$ on the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 6y = 2$ meets the straight line $5x - 2y + 6 = 0$ at a point $Q$ on the $y$ -axis, the length of $PQ$ is	(R)	5
		(S)	2
(C)	If the angle between the tangents from a point $P$ to the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y + 4 \cos^2 \alpha + 9 = 0$ is $2\alpha$ , the radius of the locus of $P$ is	(T)	3

10. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	The locus of the point of intersection of two perpendicular tangents to a circle $x^2 + y^2 = 10$ is	(P)	$x^2 + y^2 - 10x - 25 = 0$
(B)	The equation of the director circle of the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 10x = 0$ is	(Q)	$x^2 + y^2 - 6y + 1 = 0$
(C)	The equation of the director circle of the circle $x^2 + y^2 - 6y + 5 = 0$ is	(R)	$x^2 + y^2 = 20$

### Questions asked in Previous Years' JEE-Advanced Examinations

- Find the equation of the circle which passes through the point  $(2, 0)$  and whose centre is the limit of the point of intersection of the lines  $3x + 5y = 1$ ,  $(2 + c)x + 5c^2y = 1$  as  $c$  tends to 1. **[IIT-JEE, 1979]**
- Two circles  $x^2 + y^2 = 6$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 8 = 0$  are given. The equation of the circle through their points of intersection and the point  $(1, 1)$  is  
(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) none **[IIT-JEE, 1980]**
- Let  $A$  be the centre of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y - 20 = 0$ . Suppose that the tangents at the points  $B(1, 7)$  and  $D(4, -2)$  on the circle meet at the point  $C$ , find the area of the quadrilateral  $ABCD$ . **[IIT-JEE, 1981]**
- Find the equations of the circles passing through  $(-4, 3)$  and touching the lines  $x + y = 4$  and  $x - y = 2$ . **[IIT-JEE, 1982]**
- If  $A$  and  $B$  are points in the plane such that  $\frac{PA}{PB} = k$  (constant) for all  $P$  on a given circle, the value of  $k$  cannot be equal to... **[IIT-JEE, 1982]**
- The points of intersection of the line  $4x - 3y - 10 = 0$  and the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 4y - 20 = 0$ , is ... **[IIT-JEE, 1983]**
- The equation of the circle passing through  $(1, 1)$  and the points of intersection of  $x^2 + y^2 + 13x - 3y = 0$ ,  $2x^2 + 2y^2 + 4x - 7y - 25 = 0$  is  
(a)  $4x^2 + 4y^2 - 30x - 10y - 25 = 0$   
(b)  $4x^2 + 4y^2 + 30x - 13y - 25 = 0$   
(c)  $4x^2 + 4y^2 - 17x - 10y - 25 = 0$   
(d) none **[IIT-JEE, 1983]**
- The centre of the circle passing through the point  $(0, 1)$  and touching the curve  $y = x^2$  at  $(2, 4)$  is  
(a)  $\left(-\frac{16}{5}, \frac{27}{10}\right)$  (b)  $\left(-\frac{16}{7}, \frac{53}{10}\right)$   
(c)  $\left(-\frac{16}{5}, \frac{53}{10}\right)$  (d) none **[IIT-JEE, 1983]**
- $AB$  is a diameter of a circle and  $C$  is any point on the circumference of the circle. Then  
(a) The area of triangle  $ABC$  is maximum when it is isosceles.  
(b) The area of triangle  $ABC$  is minimum when it is isosceles.  
(c) The area of triangle  $ABC$  is minimum when it is isosceles.  
(d) None **[IIT-JEE, 1983]**
- Through a fixed point  $(h, k)$  secants are drawn to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$ . Show that the locus of the mid-points of the secants intercepted by the circle is  $x^2 + y^2 = hx + ky$  **[IIT-JEE, 1983]**
- The locus of the mid-point of a chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ , which subtends a right angle at the origin is  
(a)  $x + y = 2$  (b)  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$   
(c)  $x^2 + y^2 = 2$  (d)  $x + y = 1$  **[IIT-JEE, 1984]**
- 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  $y^2 + 2py - q^2 = 0$ . Find the equation of the circle on  $AB$  as diameter. **[IIT-JEE, 1984]**
- The lines  $3x - 4y + 4 = 0$  and  $6x - 8y - 7 = 0$  are tangents to the same circle. The radius of the circle is... **[IIT-JEE, 1984]**
- From the origin chords are drawn to the circle  $(x - 1)^2 + y^2 = 1$ . The equation of the locus of the mid-points of these chords is... **[IIT-JEE, 1984]**
- Let  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 2y - 11 = 0$  be a circle. A pair of tangents from  $(4, 5)$  with a pair of radii form a quadrilateral of area... **[IIT-JEE, 1985]**
- The equation of the line passing through the points of intersection of the circles  $3x^2 + 3y^2 - 2x + 12y - 9 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 2y - 15 = 0$  is... **[IIT-JEE, 1986]**
- From the point  $A(0, 3)$  on the circle  $x^2 + 4x + (y - 3)^2 = 0$ . A chord  $AB$  is drawn and extended to a point  $M$  such that  $AM = 2AB$ . The equation of the locus of  $M$  is... **[IIT-JEE, 1986]**
- Lines  $5x + 12y - 10 = 0$  and  $5x - 12y - 40 = 0$  touch a circle  $C_1$  of diameter 6. If the centre of  $C_1$  lies in the first quadrant, find the equation of the circle  $C_2$  which is concentric with  $C_1$  and cuts intercepts of length 8 on these lines. **[IIT-JEE, 1986]**
- Let a given line  $L_1$  intersects the  $x$  and  $y$  axes at  $P$  and  $Q$ , respectively. Let another line  $L_2$  perpendicularly cuts the  $x$  and  $y$  axes at  $R$  and  $S$ , respectively. Show that the locus of the point of intersection of the lines  $PS$  and  $QR$  is a circle passing through the origin. **[IIT-JEE, 1987]**
- The circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 4y + 4 = 0$  is inscribed in a triangle which has two of its sides along the co-ordinate axes. The locus of the circumcentre of the triangle is  $x + y - xy + k(x^2 + y^2) = 0$ , find the value of  $k$ . **[IIT-JEE, 1987]**

21. The area of the triangle formed by tangents from the points (4, 3) to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  and the line joining their points of contact is... [IIT-JEE, 1987]
22. A polygon of nine sides, each of length 2, is inscribed in a circle. The radius of the circle is... [IIT-JEE, 1987]
23. If the circle  $C_1 : x^2 + y^2 = 16$  intersects another circle  $C_2$  of radius 5 in such a manner that the common chord is of maximum length and has a slope equal to  $3/4$ , the co-ordinates of the centre  $C_2$  are... [IIT-JEE, 1988]
24. If a circle passes through the point  $(a, b)$  and cuts the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = k^2$  orthogonally, the equation of the locus of its centre is  
 (a)  $2ax + 2by - (a^2 + b^2 + k^2) = 0$   
 (b)  $2ax + 2by - (a^2 - b^2 - k^2) = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 - 3ax - 4by + (a^2 + b^2 - k^2) = 0$   
 (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - 2ax - 3by + (a^2 + b^2 - k^2) = 0$  [IIT-JEE, 1988]
25. The equation of the tangents drawn from the origin to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2rx - 2hy + h^2 = 0$  are  
 (a)  $x = 0$  (b)  $y = 0$   
 (c)  $(h^2 - r^2)x - 2rhy = 0$  (d)  $(h^2 - r^2)x + 2rhy = 0$  [IIT-JEE, 1988]
26. Let  $S = x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  be a given circle. Find the locus of the foot of the perpendicular drawn from the origin upon any chord of  $S$  which subtends a right angle at the origin. [IIT-JEE, 1988]
27. If the two circles  $(x - 1)^2 + (y - 3)^2$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 2y + 8 = 0$  intersect in two distinct points, then  
 (a)  $2 < r < 8$  (b)  $r < 2$   
 (c)  $r = 2$  (d)  $r > 2$  [IIT-JEE, 1989]
28. The lines  $2x - 3y = 5$  and  $3x - 4y = 7$  are diameters of a circle of area 154 sq. units. Then the equation of the circle is  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y - 62 = 0$   
 (b)  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y - 47 = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2y - 47 = 0$   
 (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2y - 62 = 0$  [IIT-JEE, 1989]
29. If  $\left(m_i, \frac{1}{m_i}\right)$   $i = 1, 2, 3, 4$  are four distinct points on a circle, show that  $m_1 m_2 m_3 m_4 = 1$  [IIT-JEE, 1989]
30. The line  $x + 3y = 0$  is a diameter of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 2y = 0$ . Is it true/false? [IIT-JEE, 1989]
31. The area of the triangle formed by the positive  $x$ -axis and the normal and the tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  at  $(1, \sqrt{3})$  is... [IIT-JEE, 1989]
32. A circle touches the line  $y = x$  at a point  $P$  such that  $OP = 4\sqrt{2}$ , where  $O$  is the origin. The circle contains the point  $(-10, 2)$  in its interior and the length of its chord on the line  $x + y = 0$  is  $6\sqrt{2}$ . Determine the equation of the circle. [IIT-JEE, 1990]
33. A point  $P$  is given on the circumference of a circle of radius  $r$ , a chord  $QR$  is parallel to the tangent at  $P$ . Determine the maximum possible area of the triangle  $PQR$ . [IIT-JEE, 1990]
34. Two circles each of radius 5 units, touch each other at  $(1, 2)$ . If the equation of their common tangent is  $4x + 3y = 10$ . Find the equations of the circles. [IIT-JEE, 1991]
35. If a circle passes through the points of intersection of the co-ordinate axes with the lines  $\lambda x - y + 1 = 0$  and  $x - 2y + 3 = 0$ , the value of  $\lambda$  is... [IIT-JEE, 1991]
36. Three circles, each of radius 5 units, touch each other externally. The tangent at their points of contact meet at a point whose distance from a point of contact is 4. Find the ratio of the product of the radii to the sum of the radii of the circles. [IIT-JEE, 1992]
37. Let a circle be given by  $2x(x - a) + y(2y - b) = 0$ , ( $a, b \neq 0$ ), find the condition on  $a$  and  $b$  if two chords, each bisected by the  $x$ -axis, can be drawn to the circle from  $\left(a, \frac{b}{2}\right)$ . [IIT-JEE, 1992]
38. The centre of a circle passing through the points  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(1, 0)$  and touching the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  is  
 (a)  $(3/2, 1/2)$  (b)  $(1/2, 3/2)$   
 (c)  $(1/2, 1/2)$  (d)  $\left(\frac{1}{2}, \sqrt{2}\right)$  [IIT-JEE, 1992]
39. 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)  $y^2 - 10x + 6y + 14 = 0$  [IIT-JEE, 1993]
40. Consider a family of circles passing through two fixed points  $A(3, 7)$  and  $B(6, 5)$ . Show that 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 co-ordinates of this point. [IIT-JEE, 1993]
41. Find the co-ordinates of the point at which the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 2y + 4 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 12x - 8y + 36 = 0$  touch each other. Also find equations of common tangents touching the circles in distinct points. [IIT-JEE, 1993]
42. 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 of  $\frac{2\pi}{3}$  at its centre is... [IIT-JEE, 1993]
43. The circles  $x^2 + y^2 - 10x + 16 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$  intersect each other in distinct points if  
 (a)  $r < 2$  (b)  $r > 8$   
 (c)  $2 < r < 8$  (d)  $2 \leq r \leq 8$  [IIT-JEE, 1994]

44. A circle is inscribed in an equilateral triangle of side  $a$ . The area of any square inscribed in this circle is...  
[IIT-JEE, 1994]
45. The angle between a pair of tangents drawn from a point  $P$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y + 9 \sin^2 \alpha + 13 \cos^2 \alpha = 0$  is  $2\alpha$ . Then the locus of  $P$  is  
(a)  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y + 4 = 0$   
(b)  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y - 9 = 0$   
(c)  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y - 4 = 0$   
(d)  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y + 9 = 0$   
[IIT-JEE, 1996]
46. A circle passes through three points  $A, B$  and  $C$  with the line segment  $AC$  as its diameter. A line passing through  $A$  intersects the chord  $BC$  at a point  $D$  inside the circle. If angles  $DAB$  and  $CAB$  are  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  respectively and the distance between the point  $A$  and the mid-point of the line segment  $DC$  is  $d$ . Prove that the area of the circle is  $\frac{\pi d \times \cos^2 \alpha}{\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + 2 \cos \alpha \cos \beta \cos(\beta - \alpha)}$   
[IIT-JEE, 1996]
47. Find the interval in which  $a$  lies for which the line  $y + x = 0$  bisects two chords drawn from the point  $\left(\frac{1+a\sqrt{2}}{2}, \frac{1-a\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)$  to the circle  $2(x^2 + y^2) - (1+a\sqrt{2})x - (1-a\sqrt{2})y = 0$ .  
[IIT-JEE, 1996]
48. Intercepts on the line  $y = x$  by the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x = 0$  is  $AB$ . Equation of the circle with  $AB$  as diameters is...  
[IIT-JEE, 1996]
49. Let  $C$  be any circle with the centre  $(0, \sqrt{2})$ . Prove that at the most two rational points can be there on  $C$ . (A rational point is a point for which both the co-ordinates are rational numbers.)  
[IIT-JEE, 1997]
50. Consider a curve  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 = 1$  and a point  $P$  on the curve. A line drawn from the point  $P$  intersects the curve at point  $Q$  and  $R$ . If the product  $PQ \cdot PR$  is independent of the slope of the line, show that the curve is a circle.  
[IIT-JEE, 1997]
51. For each natural number  $k$ , let  $C_k$  denotes the circle with radius  $k$  centimetres and centre at the origin. On the circle  $C_k$ , a particle moves  $k$  centimetres in the counter-clockwise direction. After completing its motion on  $C_k$ , the particle moves to  $C_{k+1}$  in the radial direction. The particle starts at  $(1, 0)$ . If the particle crosses the positive direction of the  $x$ -axis for the first time on the circle  $C_m$ , then  $n = \dots$   
[IIT-JEE, 1997]
52. The chords of contact of the pair of tangents drawn from each point on the line  $2x + y = 4$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$  pass through the point...  
[IIT-JEE, 1997]
53. Two vertices of an equilateral triangle are  $(-1, 0)$  and  $(1, 0)$  and its third vertex lies above the  $x$ -axis, the equation of its circumcircle is...  
[IIT-JEE, 1997]
54. The number of common tangents to the circles  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 8y - 24 = 0$  is  
(a) 0 (b) 1 (c) 3 (d) 4  
[IIT-JEE, 1998]
55.  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  are two concentric circles, the radius of  $C_2$  being twice that of  $C_1$ . From a point  $P$  on  $C_2$ , tangents  $PA$  and  $PB$  are drawn to  $C_1$ . Prove that the centroid of the triangle  $PAB$  lies on  $C_1$ .  
[IIT-JEE, 1998]
56. Let  $A_0A_1A_2A_3A_4A_5$  be a regular hexagon inscribed in a unit circle. Then the product of the lengths of line segments  $A_0A_1, A_0A_2, A_0A_4$  is  
(a)  $3/4$  (b)  $3\sqrt{3}$  (c) 3 (d)  $3\sqrt{3}/2$   
[IIT-JEE, 1998]
57. If two distinct chords, drawn from the point  $(p, q)$  on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = px + qy$ , where  $pq \neq 0$  are bisected by the  $x$ -axis, then  
(a)  $p^2 = q^2$  (b)  $p^2 = 8q^2$   
(c)  $p^2 < 8q^2$  (d)  $p^2 > 8q^2$   
[IIT-JEE, 1999]
58. Let  $T_1$  and  $T_2$  be two tangents drawn from  $(-2, 0)$  on the circle  $C: x^2 + y^2 = 1$ . Determine the circles touching  $C$  and having  $T_1, T_2$  as their pairs of tangents. Further find the equations of all possible common tangents to these circles, taken two at a time.  
[IIT-JEE, 1999]
59. The triangle  $PQR$  is inscribed in the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ . If  $Q$  and  $R$  have co-ordinates  $(3, 4)$  and  $(-4, 3)$  respectively, then  $\angle QPR$  is ...  
(a)  $\pi/2$  (b)  $\pi/3$   
(c)  $\pi/4$  (d)  $\pi/6$   
[IIT-JEE, 2000]
60. If the circles  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 2ky + 6 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + 2ky + k = 0$  intersect orthogonally, then  $k$  is  
(a) 2 or  $-3/2$  (b)  $-2$  or  $-3/2$   
(c) 2 or  $3/2$  (d)  $-2$  or  $3/2$   
[IIT-JEE, 2000]
61. Let  $AB$  be a chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$  subtending right angle at the centre, the locus of the centroid of the triangle  $PAB$  as  $P$  moves on the circle is  
(a) a parabola (b) a circle  
(c) an ellipse (d) a pair of straight lines  
[IIT-JEE, 2001]
62. Let  $2x^2 + y^2 - 3xy = 0$  be the equation of pair of tangents drawn from the origin  $O$  to a circle of radius 3 with centre is in the first quadrant. If  $A$  is one of the points of contact, find the length of  $OA$ .  
[IIT-JEE, 2001]
63. Let  $PQ$  and  $RS$  be tangents at the extremities of the diameter  $PR$  of a circle of radius  $r$ . If  $PS$  and  $RQ$  intersect a point  $x$  on the circumference of the circle, then  $2r$  equals  
(a)  $\sqrt{PQ \cdot RS}$  (b)  $\frac{PQ + RS}{2}$   
(c)  $\frac{2PQ \cdot RS}{PQ + RS}$  (d)  $\sqrt{\frac{PQ^2 + RS^2}{2}}$   
[IIT-JEE, 2001]

64. 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  $C$ .

[IIT-JEE, 2001]

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

- (a) 4 (b)  $2\sqrt{5}$  (c) 5 (d)  $3\sqrt{5}$

[IIT-JEE, 2002]

66. If  $a > 2b > 0$ , 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  $(x-a)^2 + y^2 = b^2$  is

- (a)  $\frac{2b}{\sqrt{a^2 - 4b^2}}$  (b)  $\frac{\sqrt{a^2 - 4b^2}}{2a}$   
(c)  $\frac{2b}{a - 2b}$  (d)  $\frac{b}{a - 2b}$

[IIT-JEE, 2002]

67. Tangents are drawn from  $P(6, 8)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$ . Find the radius of the circle such that the area of the triangle formed by the tangents and the chord of contact is maximum.

[IIT-JEE, 2003]

68. If  $I_n$  represents area of  $n$ -sided regular polygon inscribed in a unit circle and  $O_n$  be the area of the  $n$ -sided regular polygon circumscribing it, prove that

$$I_n = \frac{O_n}{2} \left[ 1 + \sqrt{1 - \left( \frac{2I_n}{n} \right)^2} \right].$$

[IIT-JEE, 2003]

69. The centre of the circle inscribed in a square formed by the 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)

[IIT-JEE, 2004]

70. If one of the diameters of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y + 6 = 0$  is a chord to the circle with centre (2, 1), the radius of the circle is

- (a)  $\sqrt{3}$  (b)  $\sqrt{2}$  (c) 3 (d) 2

[IIT-JEE, 2004]

71. Find the centre and the radius of the circle formed by all the points represented by  $z = x + iy$  satisfying the relation  $\frac{|z - \alpha|}{|z - \beta|} = k (k \neq 1)$ , where  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are constant

complex numbers given by  $\alpha = \alpha_1 + i\alpha_2$ , and  $\beta = \beta_1 + i\beta_2$ .

[IIT-JEE, 2004]

72.  $|z - 1| = \sqrt{2}$  is a circle inscribed in a square whose one vertex is  $2 + i\sqrt{3}$ . Find the remaining vertices.

[IIT-JEE, 2005]

73. Find the equation of the circle touches the line  $2x + 3y + 1 = 0$  at the point (1, -1) and is orthogonal to the circle which has the line segment having end-points (0, -1) and (-2, 3) as the diameter.

[IIT-JEE, 2004]

74. Three circles of radii 3, 4 and 5 units touches each other externally and the tangents drawn at the point of con-

tact intersect at  $P$ . Find the distance between point  $P$  and the point of contact.

[IIT-JEE, 2005]

75. A circle is given by  $x^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 1$ , another circle  $C$  touches it externally and also the  $x$ -axis, the locus of its centre is

- (a)  $\{(x, y) : x^2 = 4y\} \cup \{(x, y) : y \leq 0\}$   
(b)  $\{(x, y) : x^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 4\} \cup \{(x, y) : y \leq 0\}$   
(c)  $\{(x, y) : x^2 = y\} \cup \{(0, y) : y < 0\}$   
(d)  $\{(x, y) : x^2 = y\} \cup \{(0, y) : y \leq 0\}$

[IIT-JEE, 2005]

76. The tangent to the curve  $y = x^2 + 6$  at a point  $P(1, 7)$  touches the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 16x + 12y + c = 0$  at a point  $Q$ . Then the co-ordinates of  $Q$  are

- (a) (-6, -7) (b) (-10, -15)  
(c) (-9, -13) (d) (-6, -11)

[IIT-JEE, 2005]

### Comprehension Link Passage

Let  $ABCD$  be a square of side 2 units.  $C_2$  is the circle through vertices  $A, B, C, D$  and  $C_1$  in the circle touching all the sides of the square  $ABCD$ ,  $L$  is a line through  $A$ .

77. If  $P$  is a point on  $C_1$  and  $Q$  in another point on  $C_2$ , then

$\frac{PA^2 + PB^2 + PC^2 + PD^2}{QA^2 + QB^2 + QC^2 + QD^2}$  is equal to

- (a) 0.75 (b) 1.25 (c) 1 (d) 0.5

78. A circle touches the line  $L$  and the circle  $C_1$  externally such that both the circles are on the same side of the line, the locus of the centre of the circle is

- (a) ellipse (b) hyperbola  
(c) parabola (d) pairs of straight lines

79. A line  $M$  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 of  $S$  cuts  $M$  at  $T_2$  and  $T_3$  and  $AC$  at  $T_1$ , the area of  $\Delta T_1 T_2 T_3$  is

- (a)  $1/2$  sq. unit (b)  $2/3$  sq. units  
(c) 1 sq. unit (d) 2 sq. units

[IIT-JEE, 2006]

80. 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, its radius is

[IIT-JEE, 2007]

- (a) 3 (b) 2 (c)  $3/2$  (d) 1.

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

**Statement 1:** The tangents are mutually perpendicular.

**Statement 2:** The locus of the point from which mutually perpendicular tangents can be drawn to the given circle is  $x^2 + y^2 = 338$ .

[IIT-JEE, 2007]

82. 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  $L_1$  is a chord of circle  $C$ , then  $L_2$  is not always the diameter of the circle  $C$ .

**Statement 2:** If  $L_1$  is a diameter of circle  $C$ , the line  $L_2$  is not a chord of circle  $C$ . [IIT-JEE, 2008]

### Comprehension

A circle  $C$  of radius 1 is inscribed in an equilateral triangle  $PQR$ . The points of contact of  $C$  with the side  $PQ$ ,  $QR$ ,  $RP$  are  $D$ ,  $E$ ,  $F$ , respectively. The line  $PQ$  is given by the equation  $\sqrt{3}x + y = 6$  and the point  $D$  is  $(3\sqrt{3}/2, 3/2)$ . Further it is given that the origin and the centre  $C$  are on the same side  $PQ$ .

83. The equation of the circle  $C$  is  
 (a)  $(x - 2\sqrt{3})^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 1$   
 (b)  $(x - 2\sqrt{3})^2 + (y - 1/2)^2 = 1$   
 (c)  $(x - \sqrt{3})^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 1$   
 (d)  $(x - \sqrt{3})^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 1$  [IIT-JEE, 2008]
84. Points  $E$  and  $F$  are given by  
 (a)  $(\sqrt{3}/2, 3/2), (\sqrt{3}, 0)$   
 (b)  $(\sqrt{3}/2, 1/2), (\sqrt{3}, 0)$   
 (c)  $(\sqrt{3}/2, 3/2), (\sqrt{3}/2, 1/2)$   
 (d)  $(3/2, \sqrt{3}/2), (\sqrt{3}/2, 1/2)$  [IIT-JEE, 2008]
85. Equations of the sides  $QR$ ,  $PR$  are  
 (a)  $y = (2/\sqrt{3})x + 1, y = -(2/\sqrt{3})x - 1$   
 (b)  $y = (1/\sqrt{3})x + 1, y = 0$   
 (c)  $y = (\sqrt{3}/2)x + 1, y = (-\sqrt{3}/2)x - 1$   
 (d)  $y = \sqrt{3}x, y = 0$  [IIT-JEE-2008]
86. Tangents are drawn from a 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  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 4y - 19 = 0$   
 (b)  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 10y - 19 = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 6y - 29 = 0$   
 (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 4y + 19 = 0$  [IIT-JEE, 2009]
87. The locus of the point  $(h, k)$  for which the line  $hx + ky = 1$  touches the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  is.... [IIT-JEE, 2009]
88. Two parallel chords of a circle of the radius 2 are at a distance  $\sqrt{3} + 1$  apart. If the chords subtend, at the centre angles of  $\frac{\pi}{k}$  and  $\frac{2\pi}{k}$ , where  $k > 0$ , the value of  $[k]$  is..., where  $[.] = \text{GIF}$  [IIT-JEE, 2010]
89. The straight line  $2x - 3y = 1$  divides the circular region  $x^2 + y^2 \leq 6$  into two parts. If

$$S = \left\{ \left( 2, \frac{3}{4} \right), \left( \frac{5}{2}, \frac{3}{4} \right), \left( \frac{1}{4}, -\frac{1}{4} \right), \left( \frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{4} \right) \right\},$$

the number of point(s) in  $S$  lying inside the smaller part is... [IIT-JEE, 2011]

90. 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)  $20(x^2 + y^2) + 20x - 45y = 0$  [IIT-JEE, 2012]
91. 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  $(x - 3)^2 + y^2 = 1$   
 (i) 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)  $x + \sqrt{3}y = 5$   
 (ii) A common tangent to the two circles is  
 (a)  $x = 4$  (b)  $y = 2$   
 (c)  $x + \sqrt{3}y = 4$  (d)  $x + 2\sqrt{2}y = 6$  [IIT-JEE, 2012]

No questions asked in 2013.

92. 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 the  
 (a) radius of  $S$  is 8 (b) radius of  $S$  is 7  
 (c) centre of  $S$  is  $(-7, 1)$  (d) centre of  $S$  is  $(-8, 1)$  [IIT-JEE, 2014]
93. The common tangents to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 2$  and the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$  touch the circle at the points  $P, Q$  and the parabola at the points  $R, S$ . Then the area of the quadrilateral  $PQRS$  is  
 (a) 3 (b) 6 (c) 9 (d) 15 [IIT-JEE, 2014]
94. Let  $RS$  be the diameter of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 2$ , 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)  $\left( \frac{1}{4}, -\frac{1}{2} \right)$  [IIT-JEE-2016]

## ANSWERS

## LEVEL I

1. (i) centre is (0, 0) and radius is 4  
(ii) centre is (4, 0) and radius is 1  
(iii) centre is  $\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$  and radius is  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$
3.  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 6y = 27$
4.  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 2y = 0$
5.  $\left(x - \frac{5}{7}\right)^2 + \left(y + \frac{10}{7}\right)^2 = 16$
6.  $x^2 + y^2 + 4y = 23$
7.  $\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{4} \times (g^2 + f^2 - c)$
8.  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 6y + 16 = 0$   
and  $x^2 + y^2 - 14x - 12y + 76 = 0$ .
9.  $\left(\frac{36}{13}, \frac{15}{13}\right)$
10.  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 12y + 39 = 0$
11.  $2(x^2 + y^2) - 13x - 33y - 135 = 0$
12.  $x^2 + y^2 - 5x - 5y + 10 = 0$
13.  $2\sqrt{17}$
14. 1
15. the centre is (a, a) and the radius is a.
16. the point (1, 2) lies inside of the circle and (6, 0) lies outside of the circle.
17. (-1, 4)
18. 2, 28
19. (-1, 1)
20.  $3x + 2y \pm 2\sqrt{13} = 0$
21.  $3x - 4y + 15 = 0$  and  $3x - 4y - 15 = 0$
22.  $y = \sqrt{3}x + (2\sqrt{3} \pm 2)$
23.  $y = \pm x \pm 4$
24.  $4x - 3y = 25$  and  $3x + 4y = 25$
25.  $x^2 + y^2 - 2\sqrt{2}x - 2\sqrt{2}y - 5 = 0$
26.  $2x + \sqrt{5}y = 9$  and  $2x - \sqrt{5}y = 9$
27.  $y = 4$
28.  $\left(-2, -\frac{11}{10}\right)$  and  $\left(4, \frac{13}{10}\right)$
29.  $x + 2y - 1 = 0$  and  $2x - y + 1 = 0$
30.  $x = 2$
31.  $(4\sqrt{2} - 3)$
32. 3
33.  $\sqrt{a^2 - b^2}$
34. 1
35. 13
36. 1
37.  $y = 2, 4x - 3y + 2 = 0$
38.  $y = 3 \pm 2\sqrt{2}(x - 2)$
39.  $2 \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{5}{3}\right)$
40.  $2 \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)$
41.  $x^2 + y^2 = 50$
42.  $x^2 + y^2 = 18$
43.  $90^\circ$
44. (i)  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 1 = 0$   
(ii)  $x^2 + y^2 + 10y + 23 = 0$   
(iii)  $x^2 + y^2 + 16x + 12y + 98 = 0$   
(iv)  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy - g^2 - f^2 + 2c = 0$   
(v)  $x^2 + y^2 - ax - by - \frac{1}{4}(a^2 + b^2) = 0$
45.  $y = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}x$  and  $y = -\frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}x$
46.  $3x + y + 5 = 0$
47.  $x - y + 1 = 0$
48.  $3x + 2y = 24$
49.  $5x + 3y = 25$
50. (1, -2)
51.  $a^2(x^2 + y^2) = (hx + ky)^2$
52.  $a \left( \frac{(h^2 + k^2 - a^2)^{3/2}}{(h^2 + k^2)} \right)$
53.  $m = 2, n = 1$  and  $p = 1$
54.  $2x - 3y + 13 = 0$
55.  $4x + 3y = 17$
56.  $x^2 + y^2 = hx + ky$
57.  $x^2 + y^2 = 2$
58.  $(-1, \sqrt{3})$
59.  $\left(\sqrt{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1}{2} - \sqrt{3}\right)$
60.  $2012x + 2013y = 0$
61.  $5x - 4y + 2 = 0$
62. 4
63.  $2(x^2 + y^2) + 2x + 6y + 1 = 0$
64. (i) 1 (ii) 4 (iii) 4 (iv) 3 (v) 0
65. D.C.T:  $y = 4, 4x - 3y = 0$   
T.C.T:  $x = 0$  and  $3x + 4y = 10$
66.  $\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} = \frac{1}{c^2}$
67. 4
68.  $90^\circ$
70.  $k = 4$
71.  $x^2 + y^2 - \frac{18}{5}x - \frac{18}{5}y = 0$
72.  $9x - 10y + 11 = 0$
73.  $2ax + 2by - (a^2 + b^2 + 4) = 0$

74.  $\frac{2r_1r_2}{\sqrt{r_1^2 + r_2^2}}$   
 75.  $x - 2y - 1 = 0$   
 76. (3, 2)  
 77.  $\left(2, -\frac{5}{2}\right)$   
 78.  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - y - 8 = 0$   
 79.  $(4x^2 + 4y^2 + 30x - 13y - 25) = 0$   
 80.  $(x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 6y + 1) = 0$   
 81.  $x^2 + y^2 - x - y - 8 = 0$   
 82.  $x^2 + y^2 - \frac{10}{7}x - \frac{10}{7}y - \frac{12}{7} = 0$   
 83.  $2(x^2 + y^2) + 2x + 6y + 1 = 0.$

**LEVEL II**

- |          |            |          |            |            |
|----------|------------|----------|------------|------------|
| 1. (b)   | 2. (c)     | 3. (b)   | 4. (b)     | 5. (a)     |
| 6. (b)   | 7. (a)     | 8. (b)   | 9. (a)     | 10. (c)    |
| 11. (a)  | 12. (a)    | 13. (a)  | 14. (b)    | 15. (b)    |
| 16. (a)  | 17. (a)    | 18. (b)  | 19. (c)    | 20. (c)    |
| 21. (c)  | 22. (b)    | 23. (a)  | 24. (a)    | 25. (a)    |
| 26. (d)  | 27. (a)    | 28. (b)  | 29. (d)    | 30. (b)    |
| 31. (a)  | 32. (c)    | 33. (d)  | 34. (b)    | 35. (b)    |
| 36. (a)  | 37. (a)    | 38. (d)  | 39. (c)    | 40. (c)    |
| 41. (a)  | 42. (b)    | 43. (a)  | 44. (b)    | 45. (b)    |
| 46. (d)  | 47. (d)    | 48. (b)  | 49. (c)    | 50. (d)    |
| 51. (c)  | 52. (a)    | 53. (b)  | 54. (a)    | 55. (b)    |
| 56. (a)  | 57. (c)    | 58. (a)  | 59. (c)    | 60. (c)    |
| 61. (b)  | 62. (c)    | 63. (c)  | 64. (c)    | 65. (d)    |
| 66. (b)  | 67. (c)    | 68. (d)  | 69. (c)    | 70. (c)    |
| 71. (d)  | 72. (a)    | 73. (d)  | 74. (a)    | 75. (b)    |
| 76. (d)  | 77. (b)    | 78. (c)  | 79. (b)    | 80. (d)    |
| 81. (a)  | 82. (b)    | 83. (c)  | 84. (c)    | 85. (b, d) |
| 86. (a)  | 87. (a, c) | 88. (d)  | 89. (b)    | 90. (c)    |
| 91. (a)  | 92. (c)    | 93. (a)  | 94. (a, c) | 95. (a)    |
| 96. (c)  | 97. (d)    | 98. (b)  | 99. (c)    | 100. (d)   |
| 101. (b) | 102. (c)   | 103. (d) | 104. (c)   | 105. (a)   |
| 106. (b) | 107. (a)   | 108. (c) | 109. (a)   | 110. (a)   |
| 111. (c) | 112. (d)   | 113. (a) | 114. (b)   | 115. (b)   |
| 116. (c) | 117. (d)   |          |            |            |

**LEVEL III**

1. 45  
 3.  $a(\sqrt{2} - 1), 2\sqrt{2}a$   
 4. (3, 3); (7, 3)  
 5. 4  
 6. (3/25, 4/25)  
 7.  $a = b \pm c\sqrt{2}$   
 8.  $(x + 2)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 6.25$   
 9.  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y + 4 = 0$   
 10.  $\frac{(g^2 + f^2 - c)}{2\sqrt{g^2 + f^2}}$

11. 16  
 12. (2/13, 3/13)  
 13.  $\sqrt{d - c}$   
 14. -6  
 15.  $(x - 17)^2 + (y - 16)^2 = 1$   
 19.  $x^2 + y^2 - 4y - 12 = 0$   
 25. (9, -3)  
 26. 3  
 29. 0

**LEVEL IV**

1. (i)  $24y = \pm 5(2x + 13)$   
 (ii)  $\left\{\frac{169}{8} \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{120}{169}\right) - 15\right\}$  sq. m.  
 2.  
 3.  $4x^2 + 4y^2 + 6x + 10y - 1 = 0$   
 4.  $(a - a')(BC' - CB') + (b - b')(CA' - AC') + (c - c')(AB' - BA') = 0$   
 5.  $(x - 1)^2 + (y - 7)^2 = 9$   
 or  $(x - 7)^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 9$   
 6.  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 6y + 16 = 0$   
 and  $x^2 + y^2 - 14x - 12y + 76 = 0$   
 7.  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y - 12 = 0$   
 8.  $\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + 5}$   
 9. (3, -1)  
 10. (c)  
 11. (d)  
 12. (c)  
 13. (c)  
 14. (d)  
 15.  $x^2 + y^2 + 6x - 3y - 45 = 0$   
 16.  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 9y + 30 = 0$   
 17.  $2\sqrt{2}$   
 18. (0, 3),  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y + 4 = 0$   
 19.  $B = (3 - 2\sqrt{5}, 3 - 2\sqrt{5})$   
 20. (a)  
 21. (c)  
 22.  $49(x^2 + y^2) - 420(x + y) + 900 = 0$   
 22. (c)  
 23.  $x^2 + y^2 - 7x + 7y + 12 = 0$   
 24.  $x^2 + y^2 - 4\sqrt{2}x - 42 = 0$   
 25. (b)  
 26. (c)  
 27.  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 2y + 1 = 0$   
 28. (b)  
 29. (d)  
 30.  $\frac{a^2}{6}$   
 31. (d)  
 32. (0, -2), (6, 6)

33. (c)  
 34.  $B = (2, -2)$  or  $(-2, 2)$   
 35. (a)  
 36. (a, d)  
 37.  
 38. (d)  
 39.  $x^2 + y^2 + 7x - 11y + 38 = 0$   
 40.  $8y - 6x \pm 25 = 0$   
 41.  $\left(-\frac{9}{2}, 2\right)$   
 42.  $y - (\sqrt{3} - 1) = \sqrt{3}(x - (\sqrt{3} - 1))$   
 and  $y - (\sqrt{3} - 1) = \sqrt{3}(x + (\sqrt{3} + 1))$   
 43.  $x^2 + y^2 + \left(\frac{10}{3}\right)x - 6y + 6 = 0$

**INTEGER TYPE QUESTIONS**

1. 1      2. 2      3. 5      4. 7      5. 6  
 6. 8      7. 2      8. 4      9. 4      10. 5

**COMPREHENSIVE LINK PASSAGE**

Passage I: 1. (b) 2. (a) 3. (b)

- Passage II: 1. (d) 2. (a)  
 Passage III: 1. (a) 2. (c) 3. (b) 4. (a)  
 5. (b) 6. (a)  
 Passage IV: 1. (a) 2. (a) 3. (a) 4. (a)  
 5. (a) 6. (b)  
 Passage V: 1. (a) 2. (a) 3. (a) 4. (a) 5. (a)  
 Passage VI: 1. (b) 2. (c) 3. (a) 4. (c)  
 5. (b) 6. (a)  
 Passage VII: 1. (a) 2. (a) 3. (a) 4. (a)

**MATRIX MATCH**

1. (A)  $\rightarrow$  (Q); (B)  $\rightarrow$  (T); (C)  $\rightarrow$  (P, S)  
 2. (A)  $\rightarrow$  (R); (B)  $\rightarrow$  (P); (C)  $\rightarrow$  (P); (D)  $\rightarrow$  (R);  
 (E)  $\rightarrow$  (T)  
 3. (A)  $\rightarrow$  (P, Q); (B)  $\rightarrow$  (S, T); (C)  $\rightarrow$  (R)  
 4. (A)  $\rightarrow$  (S); (B)  $\rightarrow$  (T); (C)  $\rightarrow$  (R);  
 5. (A)  $\rightarrow$  (Q); (B)  $\rightarrow$  (P); (C)  $\rightarrow$  (S); (D)  $\rightarrow$  (R)  
 6. (A)  $\rightarrow$  (Q); (B)  $\rightarrow$  (P); (C)  $\rightarrow$  (R); (D)  $\rightarrow$  (R)  
 7. (A)  $\rightarrow$  (R); (B)  $\rightarrow$  (S); (C)  $\rightarrow$  (P); (D)  $\rightarrow$  (Q)  
 8. (A)  $\rightarrow$  (Q); (B)  $\rightarrow$  (P); (C)  $\rightarrow$  (S)  
 9. (A)  $\rightarrow$  (T); (B)  $\rightarrow$  (R); (C)  $\rightarrow$  (S)  
 10. (A)  $\rightarrow$  (R); (B)  $\rightarrow$  (P); (C)  $\rightarrow$  (Q)

**HINTS AND SOLUTIONS****LEVEL I**

1. (i) The given equation of circle is  $x^2 + y^2 = 16$   
 Hence, the centre is (0, 0) and the radius = 4.  
 (ii) The given equation of a circle is  
 $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 15 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (x - 4)^2 + y^2 = 16 - 15 = 1$   
 Hence, the centre is (4, 0) and the radius = 1.  
 (iii) The given equation of a circle is  
 $x^2 + y^2 - x - y = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow \left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \left(y - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{2} = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2$   
 the centre is  $\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$  and the radius is  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ .
2. The equations of given circles are  
 $x^2 + y^2 = 1$  ... (i)  
 $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y = 6$  ... (ii)  
 and  
 $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 12y = 9$  ... (iii)  
 Let  $r_1, r_2$  and  $r_3$  are the radii of the circles (i), (ii) and (iii).  
 Then  $r_1 = 1,$   
 $r_2 = \sqrt{g^2 + f^2 - c} = \sqrt{1 + 9 + 6} = 4$

$$\text{and } r_3 = \sqrt{4 + 36 + 9} = 7$$

Therefore,  $r_1 + r_3 = 7 + 1 = 8 = 2(4) = 2r_2.$

Thus,  $r_1, r_2, r_3$  are in AP.

3. Since the circle is concentric, so the centre of the circle is the same as

$$x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 6y - 5 = 0$$

Let  $CP$  is the radius.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } CP &= \sqrt{(-4 - 2)^2 + (-7 + 3)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{36 + 16} = \sqrt{52} = 2\sqrt{13} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$(x - 4)^2 + (y + 3)^2 = (2\sqrt{13})^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 6y = 27$$

4. The point of intersection of  $x + 3y = 0$  and  $2x - 7y = 0$  is  $P(0, 0)$  and the point of intersection of  $x + y + 1 = 0$  and

$$x - 2y + 4 = 0 \text{ is } C(-2, 1).$$

Thus,  $CP$  is the radius, i.e.  $CP = \sqrt{4 + 1} = \sqrt{5}$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$(x + 2)^2 + (y - 1)^2 = (\sqrt{5})^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 2y = 0$$

5. Clearly, the radius of the circle is

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left| \frac{30 - (-10)}{\sqrt{4^2 + 3^2}} \right| = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{40}{5} = 4$$

Let  $(h, k)$  be the centre of the circle.

Thus  $2h + k = 0$

$\Rightarrow k = -2h$

Also,  $\left| \frac{8h - 3k - 30}{\sqrt{4^2 + 3^2}} \right| = 4$

$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{8h - 3(-2h) - 30}{5} \right| = 4$

$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{14h - 30}{5} \right| = 4$

$\Rightarrow 14h - 30 = \pm 20$

$\Rightarrow 14h = 30 \pm 20 = 50, 10$

$\Rightarrow h = \frac{25}{7}, \frac{5}{7}$

So,  $k = -\frac{50}{7}, -\frac{10}{7}$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$\left(x - \frac{25}{7}\right)^2 + \left(y + \frac{50}{7}\right)^2 = 16$$

or  $\left(x - \frac{5}{7}\right)^2 + \left(y + \frac{10}{7}\right)^2 = 16$

6. The centre of the circle

$$x^2 + y^2 - 16x - 24y + 183 = 0 \text{ is } C(8, 12).$$

Let the centre of the new circle be  $C'(h, k)$ .

Now,  $\frac{h-8}{-4} = \frac{k-12}{7} = -\frac{2(-32+84+13)}{16+49}$

$\Rightarrow h = 0, k = -2$

Hence, the equation of the new circle is

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

$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + 4y = 23$

7. Let  $ABC$  be an equilateral triangle such that  $OM$  is perpendicular on  $BC$ .

Here,  $OB = \sqrt{g^2 + f^2 - c}$

Clearly,  $\angle BOM = 60^\circ$ .

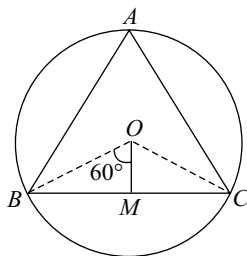
Now,  $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{BM}{OB}$

$\Rightarrow BM = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}OB = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \times \sqrt{g^2 + f^2 - c}$

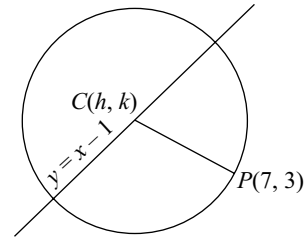
Thus,  $ar(\Delta ABC) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \times (BC)^2$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \times (2BM)^2$$

$$= \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{4} \times (g^2 + f^2 - c)$$



8. Let the centre of the circle be  $(h, k)$  such that  $k = h - 1$ .



We have,

$$(h-7)^2 + (k-3)^2 = 3^2$$

$\Rightarrow (h-7)^2 + (h-4)^2 = 3^2$

$\Rightarrow h^2 - 11h + 28 = 0$

$h = 7, 4$  and  $k = 6, 3$

Hence, the equation of a circle can be

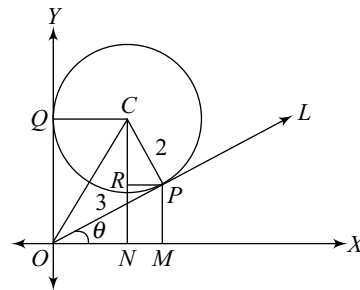
$$(x-7)^2 + (y-6)^2 = 3^2$$

&  $(x-4)^2 + (y-3)^2 = 3^2$

$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 6y + 16 = 0$

and  $x^2 + y^2 - 14x - 12y + 76 = 0$

9.



Let  $\angle POX = \theta$ ,

then  $\angle NCP = \theta$

Here,  $CP = 2, OC = \sqrt{2^2 + 3^2} = \sqrt{13}$

$$OP = \sqrt{OC^2 - CP^2} = \sqrt{13 - 4} = \sqrt{9} = 3$$

$C = (2, 3)$  and  $ON = 2$

Now,  $OM = ON + MN = ON + PR$

$\Rightarrow OP \cos \theta = 2 + 2 \sin \theta$

$\Rightarrow 3 \cos \theta = 2 + 2 \sin \theta$

$\Rightarrow 9 \cos^2 \theta = 4 + 4 \sin^2 \theta + 8 \sin \theta$

$\Rightarrow 9 - 9 \sin^2 \theta = 4 + 4 \sin^2 \theta + 8 \sin \theta$

$\Rightarrow 13 \sin^2 \theta + 8 \sin \theta - 5 = 0$

$\Rightarrow 13 \sin^2 \theta + 13 \sin \theta - 5 \sin \theta - 5 = 0$

$\Rightarrow 13 \sin \theta (\sin \theta + 1) - 5(\sin \theta + 1) = 0$

$\Rightarrow (\sin \theta + 1)(13 \sin \theta - 5) = 0$

$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{5}{13}$

$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{12}{13}$

Therefore,

$$P = (OP \cos \theta, OP \sin \theta) = \left(\frac{36}{13}, \frac{15}{13}\right)$$

10. Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$(x-2)(x-6) + (y-3)(y-9) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 12y + 39 = 0$$

11. Hence, the equation of the circle be

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

which is passing through (1, 2), (4, 5) and (0, 9).

Thus when  $(x, y) = (1, 2)$   $1 + 4 + 2g + 8f + c = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 2g + 8f + c = -5 \quad \dots(ii)$$

when  $(x, y) = (4, 5)$

$$16 + 25 + 8g + 10f + c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 8g + 10f + c = -41 \quad \dots(iii)$$

when  $(x, y) = (0, 9)$

$$0 + 81 + 18f + c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 18f + c = -81 \quad \dots(iv)$$

Eqs (iii) – Eqs (ii), we get

$$6g + 2f = -36$$

$$\Rightarrow 3g + f = -18 \quad \dots(v)$$

Eqs (iii) – Eqs (iv), we get

$$8g - 8f = 40$$

$$\Rightarrow g - f = 5 \quad \dots(vi)$$

From Eqs (v) and (vi), we get

$$4g = -13$$

$$\Rightarrow g = -13/4$$

and  $f = g - 5 = -13/4 - 5$

$$\Rightarrow f = -33/4$$

Now, from Eq. (iv), we get,

$$c = -81 - 18f$$

$$= -81 - 297/2 = -135/2$$

Put all these values of  $f$ ,  $g$  and  $c$  in Eq. (i), we get

$$x^2 + y^2 - \frac{13}{2}x - \frac{33}{2}y - \frac{135}{2} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(x^2 + y^2) - 13x - 33y - 135 = 0$$

12. Let the equation of the circle is

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

which is passing through (1, 2) and (3, 4).

Now, when  $(x, y) = (1, 2)$   $1 + 4 + 2g + 4f + c = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 2g + 4f + c = -5 \quad (i)$$

And, when  $(x, y) = (3, 4)$   $9 + 16 + 6g + 8f + c = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 6g + 8f + c = -25 \quad (ii)$$

Eq. (ii) – Eq. (i), we get

$$4g + 4f = -20$$

$$\Rightarrow g + f = -5 \quad (ii)$$

Also,  $\left| \frac{-3g - f - 5}{\sqrt{3^2 + 1^2}} \right| = \sqrt{g^2 + f^2 - c}$

$$= \sqrt{(g+1)^2 + (f+2)^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow (3g + f + 5)^2 = 10\{(g+1)^2 + (f+2)^2\}$$

$$\Rightarrow (2g - 5 + 5)^2 = 10(g^2 + 2g + 1 + f^2 + 6f + 9)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4g^2 = 10(2g^2 + 8g + 10)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4g^2 + 20g + 25 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2g + 5)^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow g = -5/2$$

Thus,  $f = -5 - g = -5 + \frac{5}{2} = -\frac{5}{2}$  and  $c = 10$

Hence, the equation of the required circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)x - 2\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)y + 10 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 5x - 5y + 10 = 0$$

13. The lengths of the x-intercept

$$= 2\sqrt{g^2 - c} = 2\sqrt{9 - 8} = 2$$

and the y-intercept

$$= 2\sqrt{f^2 - c} = 2\sqrt{25 - 8} = 2\sqrt{17}$$

14. The length of the y-intercept

$$= 2\sqrt{f^2 - c} = 2\sqrt{\frac{1}{4} - 0} = 2 \times \frac{1}{2} = 1$$

15. The given equation of a circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2ax - 2ay + a^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - a)^2 + (y - a)^2 = a^2$$

Thus, the centre is  $(a, a)$  and the radius is  $a$ .

16. Let  $N = x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 2y - 11$

The values of  $N$  at  $(1, 2)$  is

$$1 + 4 - 4 + 4 - 11 = 5 - 11 = -6 < 0$$

and at  $(6, 0)$  is

$$36 + 0 - 0 + 12 - 11 = 37 > 0$$

Thus, the point  $(1, 2)$  lies inside of the circle and  $(6, 0)$  lies outside of the circle.

17. Since, the point  $(\lambda, -\lambda)$  lies inside the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 2y - 8 = 0$ , so

$$\lambda^2 + \lambda^2 - 4\lambda - 2\lambda - 8 < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\lambda^2 - 6\lambda - 8 < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda^2 - 3\lambda - 4 < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\lambda - 4)(\lambda + 1) < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 < \lambda < 4$$

Thus, the range of  $\lambda$  is  $(-1, 4)$ .

18. Let  $N = x^2 + y^2 - 14x - 10y - 151$

The value of  $N$  at  $(2, -7)$  is

$$4 + 49 - 28 + 98 - 151 = 153 - 151 - 28$$

$$= 2 - 28 = -26.$$

Thus, the point  $P(2, -7)$  lies inside of the circle.

The centre of the circle is  $C(7, 5)$  and the radius is

$$= CA = CB = 15.$$

Now,

$$CP = \sqrt{(7-2)^2 + (5+7)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{25 + 144} = \sqrt{169} = 13$$

Hence, the shortest distance,

$$PA = CA - CP = 15 - 13 = 2$$

and the longest distance

$$= PB = CP + CB = 13 + 15 = 28.$$

19. The line  $y = x + 2$  touches the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 2$ , if the length of the perpendicular from the centre to the given line is equal to the radius of a circle.

Thus, the radius of the circle is  $\sqrt{2}$ .  
 The length of the perpendicular from the centre (0, 0) to the line  $x - y + 2 = 0$  is

$$\left| \frac{0 - 0 + 2}{\sqrt{1^2 + 1^2}} \right| = \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}} = \sqrt{2} = \text{radius.}$$

Hence, the line  $y = x + 2$  touches the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 2$ .  
 On solving  $y = x + 2$  and  $x^2 + y^2 = 2$ , we get  $x^2 + (x + 2)^2 = 2$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow x^2 + x^2 + 4x + 4 - 2 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow 2x^2 + 4x + 2 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow x^2 + 2x + 1 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (x + 1)^2 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow x = -1, y = 1 + 2 &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the co-ordinates of the point of contact is (-1, 1).

20. The equation of any line parallel to the line  $3x + 2y + 5 = 0$  is  $3x + 2y + k = 0$  ... (i)

The line (i) will be a tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ , if the length of the perpendicular from the centre to the line (i) is equal to the radius of the circle.

$$\text{Therefore, } \left| \frac{3.0 + 2.0 + k}{\sqrt{3^2 + 2^2}} \right| = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow k = \pm 2\sqrt{13}$$

Hence, the equation of the tangents to the given circle are  $3x + 2y \pm 2\sqrt{13} = 0$ .

21. The equation of any line perpendicular to the line  $4x + 3y = 0$  is  $3x - 4y + k = 0$  ... (i)

The line (i) will be a tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ , if the length of the perpendicular from the centre to the line (i) is equal to the radius of the circle.

$$\text{Therefore, } \left| \frac{3.0 - 4.0 + k}{\sqrt{3^2 + 4^2}} \right| = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow k = \pm 5$$

Hence, the equation of the tangents are  $3x - 4y + 15 = 0$  and  $3x - 4y - 15 = 0$

22. Let the equation of line be  $y = mx + c = \sqrt{3}x + c$  ... (i)  
 $(\because m = \tan(60^\circ) = \sqrt{3})$

The line (i) will be a tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 3 = 0$ , if the length of the perpendicular from the centre (-2, 0) to the line (i) is equal to the radius (= 1) of a circle.

$$\text{Therefore, } \left| \frac{-2\sqrt{3} - 0 + c}{\sqrt{3 + 1}} \right| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow c - 2\sqrt{3} = \pm 1$$

$$\Rightarrow c = 2\sqrt{3} \pm 1$$

Hence, the equation of the tangents becomes

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

23. A line is equally inclined to the co-ordinate axes is  $y = \pm x + c$  ... (i)

The line (i) will be tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ , if the length of the perpendicular from the centre (0, 0) to the circle is equal to the radius (= 2) of the given circle.

$$\text{Therefore, } \left| \frac{0 + 0 + c}{\sqrt{1^2 + 1^2}} \right| = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow c = \pm 4$$

Hence, the equation of the tangents becomes  $y = \pm x \pm 4$

24. The equation of any line passing through (7, 1) is  $y - 1 = m(x - 7)$  ... (i)

The line (i) will be a tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ , if the length of the perpendicular from the centre of the given circle is equal to the radius of the same circle.

$$\text{Therefore, } \left| \frac{0 - 0 - (7m - 1)}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} \right| = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow (7m - 1)^2 = 25(m^2 + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 12m^2 - 7m - 12 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 12m^2 - 16m + 9m - 12 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (3m - 4)(4m + 3) = 0$$

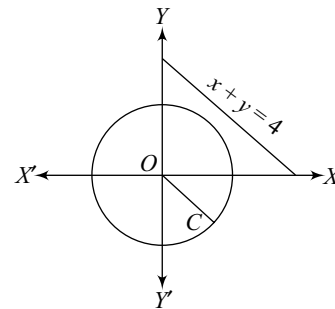
$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{4}{3}, -\frac{3}{4}$$

Hence, the equation of the tangents are

$$y - 1 = \frac{4}{3}(x - 7) \text{ and } y - 1 = -\frac{3}{4}(x - 7)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x - 3y = 25 \text{ and } 3x + 4y = 25$$

25. The centre of a circle is (0, 0) and the radius is 3. Here  $OC = 2$ .



We shall find the co-ordinates of C.

Let C be (x, y).

$$\text{Then } x = 2 \cos(-45^\circ) = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\text{and } y = 2 \sin(-45^\circ) = -\sqrt{2}.$$

Thus, the co-ordinates of C becomes  $(\sqrt{2}, -\sqrt{2})$ .

Hence, the equation of a circle is

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

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 2\sqrt{2}x - 2\sqrt{2}y - 5 = 0$$

26. When  $x = 2$ , then  $y = \pm\sqrt{5}$ .  
 Therefore, the points are  $(2, \sqrt{5})$  and  $(2, -\sqrt{5})$ .  
 Thus, the equation of the tangents at  $(2, \sqrt{5})$  and  $(2, -\sqrt{5})$  are  $2x + \sqrt{5}y = 9$  and  $2x - \sqrt{5}y = 9$ .

27. When  $y = 4$ , then  $x = 0$ .  
 Therefore, the point is  $(0, 4)$ .  
 Hence, the equation of the tangent to the given circle at  $(0, 4)$  is  $x \cdot 0 + y \cdot 4 = 16$   
 $\Rightarrow y = 4$ .

28. The given equations are  
 $4x - 3y = 10 \dots(i)$   
 and  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 4y - 20 = 0 \dots(ii)$

On solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$x^2 + \left(\frac{4x-3}{10}\right)^2 - 2x + 4\left(\frac{4x-3}{10}\right) - 20 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9x^2 + (4x - 10)^2 - 18x + 48x - 120 - 180 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 25x^2 - 50x - 200 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 2x - 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 4)(x + 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -2, 4 \text{ and } y = -\frac{11}{10}, \frac{13}{10}$$

Hence, the points of intersection are

$$\left(-2, -\frac{11}{10}\right) \text{ and } \left(4, \frac{13}{10}\right)$$

29. The given circle is  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 4y = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (x - 1)^2 + (y + 2)^2 = 5 \dots(i)$   
 The equation of any line passing through  $(0, 1)$  is  
 $y - 1 = m(x - 0) \dots(ii)$   
 The line (ii) will be a tangent to the circle (i), then the length of the perpendicular from the centre  $(1, -2)$  to the line (ii) is equal to the radius of a circle (i).

$$\text{Therefore, } \left| \frac{m + 2 + 1}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} \right| = \sqrt{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow (m + 3)^2 = 5(m^2 + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 + 5m + 9 - 5m^2 - 5 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2m^2 - 3m - 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (m - 2)(2m + 1) = 0$$

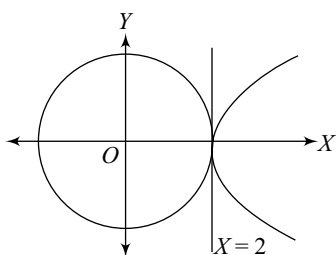
$$\Rightarrow m = -\frac{1}{2}, 2$$

Hence, the equation of the tangents are

$$y - 1 = -\frac{1}{2}x \text{ and } y - 1 = 2x$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 2y - 1 = 0 \text{ and } 2x - y + 1 = 0$$

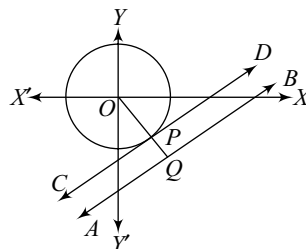
30. The given curves are  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  and  $y^2 = 4(x - 2)$ .



From the graph, it is clear that the equation of the common tangent is  $x = 2$ .

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

31.



Let  $AB: y = x - 4$  and  $CD$  be a tangent parallel to  $AB$ .

$$\text{Now } OQ = \left| \frac{0 - 0 - 8}{\sqrt{1^2 + 1^2}} \right| = \frac{8}{\sqrt{2}} = 4\sqrt{2}$$

and  $OP = \text{radius of a circle} = 3$ .

$$\text{Thus, the shortest distance} = PQ$$

$$= OQ - OP$$

$$= (4\sqrt{2} - 3)$$

32. Hence, the length of the tangent from the point  $(2, 3)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  is

$$\sqrt{4 + 9 - 4} = \sqrt{9} = 3$$

33. Let  $P(x_1, y_1)$  be any point on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ .

$$\text{Therefore, } x_1^2 + y_1^2 = a^2$$

Now, the length of the tangent from  $(x_1, y_1)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = b^2$  is

$$\sqrt{x_1^2 + y_1^2 - b^2} = \sqrt{a^2 - b^2}$$

34. Let  $P(x_1, y_1)$  be any point on

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2011x + 2012y + 2013 = 0$$

Therefore,

$$x_1^2 + y_1^2 + 2011x_1 + 2012y_1 + 2013 = 0$$

Now, the length of the tangent from  $(x_1, y_1)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2011x + 2012y + 2014 = 0$  is

$$\sqrt{x_1^2 + y_1^2 + 2011x_1 + 2012y_1 + 2014}$$

$$= \sqrt{-2013 + 2014}$$

$$= 1$$

35. The power of a point  $(2, 5)$  with respect to a circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 16$  is  $(4 + 25 - 16) = 13$ .

36. Let the point  $P$  represents a complex number  $Z$ . i.e.  $Z = 1 + 2i$

Then, from the rotation theorem,

$$Q = iZ = i(1 + 2i) = i - 2 = -2 + 1i = (-2, 1)$$

Thus, the power of a point  $Q$  with respect to a circle is  $4 + 1 - 4 = 1$ .

37. Hence, the equation of a pair of tangents to a circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  from a point  $(1, 2)$  is  $SS_1 = T^2$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2 - 4)(1 + 4 - 4) = (x + 2y - 4)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2 - 4) = (x^2 + 4y^2 + 16 + 4xy - 8x - 16y)$$



$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow 3y^2 + 4(x-4)y + 4(5-2x) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow y &= \frac{-4(x-4) \pm \sqrt{16(x-4)^2 - 48(5-2x)}}{6} \\ \Rightarrow y &= \frac{-4(x-4) \pm 4\sqrt{x^2 - 8x + 16 - 15 + 2x}}{6} \\ \Rightarrow y &= \frac{-4(x-4) \pm 4(x-1)}{6} \\ \Rightarrow y &= 2, 4x - 3y + 2 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

38. Hence, the equation of the pair of tangents are  $SS_1 = T^2$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 3)(4 + 9 - 8 + 3) \\ = (2x + 3y - 2(x+2) + 3)^2 \\ \Rightarrow 8(x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 3) = (3y - 1)^2 \\ \Rightarrow 8(x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 3) = 9y^2 - 6y + 1 \\ \Rightarrow y^2 - 8x^2 + 32x - 6y - 23 = 0 \\ \Rightarrow y^2 - 6y - (8x^2 - 32x + 23) = 0 \\ \Rightarrow y = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{36 + 4(8x^2 - 32x + 23)}}{2} \\ \Rightarrow y = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{32x^2 - 128x + 128}}{2} \\ = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{32(x^2 - 4x + 4)}}{2} \\ = \frac{6 \pm 4\sqrt{2}(x-2)}{2} \\ \Rightarrow y = 3 \pm 2\sqrt{2}(x-2) \end{aligned}$$

39. Hence, the angle between the tangent from the point (3, 5) to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$  is

$$\begin{aligned} 2 \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{a}{\sqrt{S_1}} \right) &= 2 \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{5}{\sqrt{9+25-25}} \right) \\ &= 2 \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{5}{3} \right) \end{aligned}$$

40. After translation the point (1, 2) becomes

$$(1+2, 2) = (3, 2).$$

Hence, the angle between the tangent from the point (3, 2) to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  is

$$\begin{aligned} 2 \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{a}{\sqrt{S_1}} \right) &= 2 \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{3}{\sqrt{9+4-9}} \right) \\ &= 2 \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{3}{2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

41. The locus of the point of intersection of two perpendicular tangents to a circle is the director circle of the given circle.

Thus, the equation of the director circle to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$  is  $x^2 + y^2 = 2 \times 25 = 50$

42. Clearly, the locus of the arbitrary point is the director circle of the given circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ .

Hence, the equation of the director circle to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  is  $x^2 + y^2 = 2 \times 9 = 18$ .

43. Clearly, the equation  $x^2 + y^2 = 20$  is the director circle of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 10$ .

Hence, the angle between the pair of tangents is  $90^\circ$ .

44. (i) The given circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x = 0$  can be reduced to  $(x+1)^2 + y^2 = 1$ .

Hence, the equation of the director circle to the circle  $(x+1)^2 + y^2 = 1$  is

$$\begin{aligned} (x+1)^2 + y^2 &= 2 \times 1 = 2 \\ \Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 1 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

(ii) The given circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 10y + 24 = 0$  can be reduced to  $x^2 + (y+5)^2 = 1$

Hence, the equation of the director circle to the circle  $x^2 + (y+5)^2 = 1$  is

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + (y+5)^2 &= 2 \times 1 = 1 \\ \Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + 10y + 23 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

(iii) The given circle

$$x^2 + y^2 + 16x + 12y + 99 = 0$$

can be reduced to

$$(x+8)^2 + (y+6)^2 = 64 + 36 - 99 = 1$$

Hence, the equation of the director circle to the circle  $(x+8)^2 + (y+6)^2 = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{is } (x+8)^2 + (y+6)^2 &= 2 \times 1 = 2 \\ \Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + 16x + 12y + 98 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

(iv) The given circle

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0 \text{ can be reduced to}$$

$$(x+g)^2 + (y+f)^2 = (\sqrt{g^2 + f^2 - c})^2$$

Hence, the equation of the director circle to the circle  $(x+g)^2 + (y+f)^2 = (\sqrt{g^2 + f^2 - c})^2$  is

$$\begin{aligned} (x+g)^2 + (y+f)^2 &= 2(g^2 + f^2 - c) \\ \Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy - g^2 - f^2 + 2c &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

(v) The given circle  $x^2 + y^2 - ax - by = 0$  can be reduced to

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

Hence, the equation of the director circle to the circle

$$\left(x - \frac{a}{2}\right)^2 + \left(y - \frac{b}{2}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}{2}\right)^2 \text{ is}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - ax - by - \frac{1}{4}(a^2 + b^2) = 0$$

45. When  $x = 2$ ,  $y = \pm\sqrt{5}$ .

So, the points are  $(2, \sqrt{5})$  and  $(2, -\sqrt{5})$ .

The equation of the normal to the circle at  $(2, \sqrt{5})$  and  $(2, -\sqrt{5})$  are

$$\frac{x}{2} = \frac{y}{\sqrt{5}} \text{ and } \frac{x}{2} = -\frac{y}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}x \text{ and } y = -\frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}x$$

46. The equation of the normal to the given circle at  $(-2, 1)$  is

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x - x_1}{x_1 + g} = \frac{y - y_1}{y_1 + f}$$

$$\frac{x + 2}{-2 + 1} = \frac{y - 1}{1 + 2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x + 6 = -y + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x + y + 5 = 0$$

47. The centre of a circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y + 4 = 0$  is  $(2, 3)$ . The equation of a normal parallel to  $x - y - 3 = 0$  is

$$x - y + k = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

As we know that the normal always passes through the centre of a circle.

Therefore,  $2 - 3 + k = 0 \Rightarrow k = 1$ .

Hence, the equation of the normal is

$$x - y + 1 = 0$$

48. The centre of a circle

$$x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 12y + 99 = 0 \text{ is } (4, 6).$$

The equation of the normal which is perpendicular to

$$2x - 3y + 10 = 0 \text{ is } 3x + 2y - k = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

which is passing through  $(4, 6)$ .

Therefore,  $12 + 12 - k = 0 \Rightarrow k = 24$ .

Hence, the equation of the normal is  $3x + 2y = 24$ .

49. The equation of the chord of contact of tangents from  $(5, 3)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$  is  $5x + 3y = 25$ .

50. Let the point be  $(x_1, y_1)$ .

$$\text{Clearly, } 2x + y + 12 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

is the chord of contact of the tangents to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 3y - 1 = 0$  from  $(x_1, y_1)$ .

The equation of the chord of contact of tangents to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 3y - 1 = 0$  from the point  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$xx_1 + yy_1 - 2(x + x_1) + \frac{3}{2}(y + y_1) - 1 = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Clearly Eqs (i) and (ii) are identical.

$$\text{Therefore, } \frac{x_1 - 2}{2} = \frac{y_1 + \frac{3}{2}}{1} = \frac{\frac{3}{2}y_1 - 2x_1 - 1}{12}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 - 2y_1 = 5 \text{ and } 4x_1 + 21y_1 = -38$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 = 1, y_1 = -2$$

Hence, the point is  $(1, -2)$ .

51. The equation of the chord of contact  $QR$  is

$$hx + ky = a^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

The chord of contact subtends a right angle at the centre of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ .

$$\text{Therefore, } \frac{x^2 + y^2}{a^2} = \left( \frac{hx + ky}{a^2} \right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2(x^2 + y^2) = (hx + ky)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2(a^2 - h^2) + y^2(a^2 - k^2) - 2hkxy = 0$$

Since, the line (i) makes a right angle at the centre, so  $(a^2 - h^2) + (a^2 - k^2) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 + k^2 = 2a^2$$

which is the required condition.

52. Let  $AB$  be the chord of contact.

$$\text{Then } AB : hx + ky = a^2$$

$$\text{Now, } PM = \left| \frac{h^2 + k^2 - a^2}{\sqrt{h^2 + k^2}} \right|$$

The length of the chord of contact,

$$AB = \frac{2LR}{\sqrt{L^2 + R^2}},$$

where  $L$  = the length of the tangent and  $R$  be the radius of the circle.

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} AB &= \frac{2a \times \sqrt{h^2 + k^2 - a^2}}{\sqrt{(h^2 + k^2 - a^2) + a^2}} \\ &= \frac{2a \times \sqrt{h^2 + k^2 - a^2}}{\sqrt{h^2 + k^2}} \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the area of the  $\Delta PAB$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \times \left( \frac{2a \times \sqrt{h^2 + k^2 - a^2}}{\sqrt{h^2 + k^2}} \right) \times \left( \frac{h^2 + k^2 - a^2}{\sqrt{h^2 + k^2}} \right) \\ &= a \left( \frac{(h^2 + k^2 - a^2)^{3/2}}{(h^2 + k^2)} \right) \end{aligned}$$

53. Let  $P(a \cos \theta, a \sin \theta)$  be any point on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ .

Therefore,  $QR$ :

$$ax \cos \theta + ay \sin \theta = b^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

Since the line (i) be a tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = c^2$ , so

$$\left| \frac{0 + 0 - b^2}{\sqrt{a^2 \cos^2 \theta + a^2 \sin^2 \theta}} \right| = c$$

$$\Rightarrow b^2 = ac$$

Thus,  $m = 2, n = 1$  and  $p = 1$ .

Hence, the value of  $m + n + p + 10 = 14$ .

54. The equation of the chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$  bisected at  $(-2, 3)$  is

$$\begin{aligned} T &= S_1 \\ \Rightarrow -2x + 3y - 25 &= 4 + 9 - 25 \\ \Rightarrow -2x + 3y &= 13 \\ \Rightarrow 2x - 3y + 13 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

55. Hence, the equation of the chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 8y - 11 = 0$ , whose mid-point is  $(1, -1)$  is  $T = S_1$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow x - y + 3(x + 1) + 4(y - 1) - 11 &= 1 + 1 + 6 + 8 - 11 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x + 3y - 1 = 16$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x + 3y = 17$$

56. Let the chord  $AB$  is bisected at  $C(x_1, y_1)$

The equation of  $AB$  is  $xx_1 + yy_1 = x_1^2 + y_1^2$

which is passing through  $(h, k)$ , so

$$hx_1 + ky_1 = x_1^2 + y_1^2$$

Thus, the locus of  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$x^2 + y^2 = hx + ky$$

57. Let  $M(h, k)$  is the mid-point of  $AB$

In  $\triangle OAM$ ,

$$\sin(45^\circ) = \frac{OM}{AM} = \frac{OM}{2}$$

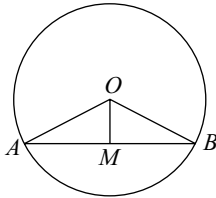
$$\Rightarrow OM = 2 \sin(45^\circ)$$

$$= 2 \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow OM^2 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 + k^2 = 2$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is  $x^2 + y^2 = 2$ .



58. Let  $A$  represents a complex number  $Z$ .

i.e.  $Z = \sqrt{3} + i$

Here,  $\angle AOB = 90^\circ$ .

By rotation theorem, we can say that

$$B = iZ = i(\sqrt{3} + i) = -1 + i\sqrt{3}$$

Hence, the point  $B$  is  $(-1, \sqrt{3})$ .

59. Let  $C$  represents a complex number  $Z$  and  $D$  be  $Z_1$ .

Here,  $\angle COD = 60^\circ$

By rotation theorem,  $\frac{Z_1 - 0}{Z - 0} = \left| \frac{Z_1 - 0}{Z - 0} \right| \times e^{-i\frac{\pi}{3}}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{Z_1}{Z} = \frac{|Z_1|}{|Z|} \times e^{-i\frac{\pi}{3}} = e^{-i\frac{\pi}{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow Z_1 = Ze^{-i\frac{\pi}{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow Z_1 = (2\sqrt{2} + i) \left( \frac{1}{2} - i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow Z_1 = \left( \sqrt{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) + i \left( \frac{1}{2} - \sqrt{3} \right)$$

Hence, the co-ordinates of  $D$  are

$$\left( \sqrt{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1}{2} - \sqrt{3} \right)$$

60. As we know that the locus of the mid-points of the chord of the circle is the diameter of the circle. Thus, the equation of the diameter which is parallel to

$$2012x + 2013y + 2014 = 0$$

is  $2012x + 2013y + k = 0$

which is passing through the centre of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ .

Therefore,  $k = 0$

Hence, the equation of the diameter is

$$2012x + 2013y = 0$$

61. Obviously, the locus of the mid-point of the chords of the circle is the diameter of the given circle.

Here, the centre of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y = 0$  is  $(2, 3)$ .

The equation of the diameter of the circle, which is perpendicular to the line  $4x + 5y + 10 = 0$  is  $5x - 4y + k = 0$  which is passing through  $(2, 3)$ .

Therefore,  $k = 12 - 10 = 2$ .

Hence, the equation of the diameter is

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

62. The equation of the common chord of the circle is

$$2x - 2y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = y$$

On solving  $y = x$  and the circle

$$x^2 + y^2 + 3x + 5y + 4 = 0,$$

we get the points of intersection.

Thus,  $x = -2 + \sqrt{2} = y$  and  $x = -2 - \sqrt{2} = y$

Let the common chord be  $PQ$ , where

$$P = (-2 + \sqrt{2}, -2 + \sqrt{2}) \text{ and}$$

$$Q = (-2 - \sqrt{2}, -2 - \sqrt{2})$$

Thus, the length of the common chord,  $PQ$

$$= \sqrt{(-2 - \sqrt{2} + 2 - \sqrt{2})^2 + (-2 - \sqrt{2} + 2 - \sqrt{2})^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{8 + 8} = \sqrt{16} = 4$$

63. The equation of the common chord of the given circles is  $2x + 1 = 0$ .

On solving  $2x + 1 = 0$  and

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 3y + 1 = 0,$$

we get the points of intersection.

Thus, the points of intersection are

$$x = -\frac{1}{2} \text{ and } y = -\frac{3}{2} \pm \sqrt{2}$$

Let  $PQ$  be the common chord, where

$$P = \left( -\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{3}{2} + \sqrt{2} \right) \text{ and}$$

$$Q = \left( -\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{3}{2} - \sqrt{2} \right)$$

The mid-point of  $P$  and  $Q$  is the centre of the new circle.

Thus, centre is  $C = \left( -\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{3}{2} \right)$

Now, radius  $r = CP = \sqrt{2}$ .

Hence, the equation of the circle is

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

$$\Rightarrow 2(x^2 + y^2) + 2x + 6y + 1 = 0$$

64. (i) The given circles are  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  ... (i)  
and  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x = 0$  (ii)

Now,  $C_1(0, 0)$  and  $C_2(1, 0)$  and  $r_1 = 2$  and  $r_2 = 1$ .

Thus,  $C_1C_2 = 1 = r_2 - r_1$

Hence, both the circles touch each other internally.

Thus, the number of common tangent = 1.

- (ii) The given circles are  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 6y + 12 = 0$   
and  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 4y + 12 = 0$

Now,  $C_1: (-2, -3)$ ,  $C_2: (3, 2)$ ,  $r_1 = 1$  and  $r_2 = 1$

Therefore,

$$C_1C_2 = \sqrt{(3+2)^2 + (-3-2)^2} \\ = \sqrt{25+25} = \sqrt{50} = 5\sqrt{2}$$

and  $r_1 + r_2 = 1 + 1 = 2$ .

Thus,  $C_1C_2 > r_1 + r_2$

Hence, the number of common tangents = 4.

- (iii) The given circles are

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

$$\text{and } x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 6y + 9 = 0$$

Now,  $C_1 = (3, 3)$ ,  $C_2 = (-3, -3)$ ,  $r_1 = 3$  and  $r_2 = 3$ .

Therefore,

$$C_1C_2 = \sqrt{(-3-3)^2 + (-3-3)^2} \\ = \sqrt{36+36} = \sqrt{72} = 6\sqrt{2}$$

and  $r_1 + r_2 = 3 + 3 = 6$

Thus,  $C_1C_2 > r_1 + r_2$

Hence, the number of common tangents = 4.

- (iv) The given circles are

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

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

Now,  $C_1 = (2, 2)$ ,  $C_2 = (-1, -1)$ ,  $r_1 = 2\sqrt{2}$  and  $r_2 = \sqrt{2}$

Therefore,

$$C_1C_2 = \sqrt{(-1-2)^2 + (-1-2)^2} \\ = \sqrt{9+9} = \sqrt{18} = 3\sqrt{2}$$

and  $r_1 + r_2 = 2\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{2} = 3\sqrt{2}$

Thus,  $C_1C_2 = r_1 + r_2$

Hence, the number of common tangents = 3.

- (v) The given circles are  $x^2 + y^2 = 64$

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

Now,  $C_1: (0, 0)$ ,  $C_2: (2, 2)$ ,  $r_1 = 8$  and  $r_2 = 2$

Therefore,

$$C_1C_2 = \sqrt{(2-0)^2 + (2-0)^2} \\ = \sqrt{4+4} = 2\sqrt{2}$$

and  $r_1 + r_2 = 8 + 2 = 10$

Therefore,  $C_1C_2 < r_1 + r_2$

Thus, one circle lies inside of the other.

Hence, the number of common tangents = 0.

- (vi) The given circles are

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2(1 + \sqrt{2})x - 2y + 1 = 0$$

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

Now  $C_1: (1 + \sqrt{2}, 1)$ ,  $C_2: (1, 1)$ ,

$$r_1 = \sqrt{2} + 1 \text{ and } r_2 = 1.$$

Therefore,  $C_1C_2 = \sqrt{(\sqrt{2})^2} = \sqrt{2}$

and  $r_1 - r_2 = \sqrt{2}$ .

Thus,  $C_1C_2 = r_1 - r_2$

Hence, the number of common tangents = 1.

65. The given circles are

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

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

Now,  $C_1: (1, 3)$ ,  $C_2: (-3, 1)$ ,  $r_1 = 1$  and  $r_2 = 3$ .

Therefore,

$$C_1C_2 = \sqrt{(-3-1)^2 + (1-3)^2} \\ = \sqrt{16+4} = \sqrt{20} = 2\sqrt{5}$$

and  $r_1 + r_2 = 1 + 3 = 4$

Then,  $C_1C_2 > r_1 + r_2$

Thus, both the circles do not intersect.

Hence, the number of common tangents = 4, in which 2 are direct common tangents and another 2 are transverse common tangents.

Here, the point  $M$  divides  $C_2(-3, 1)$  and  $C_1(1, 3)$  internally in the ratio 3 : 1.

Then, the co-ordinates of  $M$  are

$$\left( \frac{3.1 - 1.3}{3+1}, \frac{3.3 + 1.1}{3+1} \right) = \left( 0, \frac{5}{2} \right)$$

Also, the point  $P$  divide  $C_2(-3, 1)$  and  $C_1(1, 3)$  externally in the ratio 3 : 1.

Then, the co-ordinates of  $P$  are

$$\left( \frac{3.1 + 1.3}{3-1}, \frac{3.3 - 1.1}{3-1} \right) = (3, 4)$$

#### Case I: Direct common tangents

Any line through  $(3, 4)$  is

$$y - 4 = m(x - 3)$$

... (i)

$$\Rightarrow mx - y + 4 - 3m = 0$$

If it is a tangent to the circle,

$$\left| \frac{m - 3 + 4 - 3m}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} \right| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 - 2m)^2 = (m^2 + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3m^2 - 4m = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m(3m - 4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 0, \frac{4}{3}$$

Hence, the direct common tangents are

$$y = 4, 4x - 3y = 0.$$

#### Case II: Transverse common tangents

Any line through  $(0, 5/2)$  is

$$y - \frac{5}{2} = m(x - 0) \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2mx - 2y + 5 = 0$$

If it is a tangent to a circle, then

$$\left| \frac{m \cdot 1 - 3 + \frac{5}{2}}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} \right| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (2m - 1)^2 = 4(m^2 + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4m^2 - 4m + 1 = 4(m^2 + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4m + 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \infty, m = -\frac{3}{4}$$

Hence, the equation of transverse tangents are  $x = 0$  and  $3x + 4y = 10$ .

66. Given circles are  $x^2 + y^2 + c^2 = 2ax$

$$\Rightarrow (x - a)^2 + y^2 = (\sqrt{a^2 - c^2})^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

and  $x^2 + y^2 + c^2 = 2by$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + (y - b)^2 = (\sqrt{b^2 - c^2})^2 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Now  $C_1 : (a, 0), C_2 : (0, b)$ ,

$$r_1 = \sqrt{a^2 - c^2} \text{ and } r_2 = \sqrt{b^2 - c^2}$$

Since both the circles touch each other externally, then

$$C_1 C_2 = r_1 + r_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} = \sqrt{a^2 - c^2} + \sqrt{b^2 - c^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 = a^2 - c^2 + b^2 - c^2 + 2(\sqrt{a^2 - c^2})(\sqrt{b^2 - c^2})$$

$$\Rightarrow 2c^2 = 2(\sqrt{a^2 - c^2})(\sqrt{b^2 - c^2})$$

$$\Rightarrow c^4 = (a^2 - c^2)(b^2 - c^2) = a^2 b^2 - c^2(a^2 + b^2) + c^4$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 b^2 - c^2(a^2 + b^2) = 0$$

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

67. The given circles are

$$x^2 + y^2 = 9 \quad \dots(i)$$

and  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 6y + n^2 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 4)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = (\sqrt{25 - n^2})^2 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Here,  $C_1 : (0, 0), C_2 : (4, 3), r_1 = 3$  and  $r_2 = \sqrt{25 - n^2}$

Since the circles have only two common tangents, so we can write,

$$|r_1 - r_2| < C_1 C_2 < r_1 + r_2$$

$$\Rightarrow |3 - \sqrt{25 - n^2}| < 5 < 3 + \sqrt{25 - n^2}$$

**Case I:** When  $|3 - \sqrt{25 - n^2}| < 5$

Then  $-5 < 3 - \sqrt{25 - n^2} < 5$

$$\Rightarrow -5 - 3 < -\sqrt{25 - n^2} < 5 - 3$$

$$\Rightarrow -2 < \sqrt{25 - n^2} < 8$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 < 25 - n^2 < 64$$

$$\Rightarrow -21 < -n^2 < 39$$

$$\Rightarrow -39 < n^2 < 21$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 < n < \sqrt{21}$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 1, 2, 3, 4$$

**Case II:** When  $5 < 3 + \sqrt{25 - n^2}$

Then,  $\sqrt{25 - n^2} > 2$

$$\Rightarrow 25 - n^2 > 4$$

$$\Rightarrow n^2 < 21$$

$$\Rightarrow n < \sqrt{21}$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 1, 2, 3, 4.$$

Hence, the number of integers = 4.

68. The given circles are

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

and  $x^2 + y^2 + x - y = 0$

Here,  $g_1 = -1/2, f_1 = -1/2, g_2 = -1/2, f_2 = 1/2, c_1 = 0, c_2 = 0$

Now,  $2(g_1 g_2 + f_1 f_2) = 2(-1/4 + 1/4) = 0$  and  $c_1 + c_2 = 0$ .

Hence, the angle between the given circles is  $90^\circ$ .

69. The given circles are

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2a_1 x + 2b_1 y + c_1 = 0$$

and  $x^2 + y^2 + a_2 x + b_2 y + c_2 = 0$

Here,  $g_1 = a_1, f_1 = b_1, g_2 = a_2/2, f_2 = b_2/2, c_1 = c_1$  and  $c_2 = c_2$

Since the given two circles are orthogonal, so

$$2(g_1 g_2 + f_1 f_2) = c_1 + c_2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\left(a_1 \cdot \frac{a_2}{2} + b_1 \cdot \frac{b_2}{2}\right) = c_1 + c_2$$

$$\Rightarrow (a_1 \cdot a_2 + b_1 \cdot b_2) = c_1 + c_2$$

Hence, the result.

70. The given circles are

$$2x^2 + 2y^2 - 3x + 6y + k = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - \frac{3}{2}x + 3y + \frac{k}{2} = 0$$

and  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 10y + 16 = 0$

Since, the two given circles are orthogonal, then

$$2(g_1 g_2 + f_1 f_2) = c_1 + c_2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\left(-\frac{3}{4} \times -2 + \frac{3}{2} \times 5\right) = \frac{k}{2} + 16$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{k}{2} + 16 = 18$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{k}{2} = 18 - 16$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 4$$

Hence, the value of  $k$  is 4.

71. Let the equation of the circle be

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

Therefore, the centre of the circle is  $(-g, -f)$ .

Since, the centre lies on the line  $y = x$ , so

$$-f = -g$$

$$\Rightarrow f = g$$

The Eq. (i) is orthogonal to

$$x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y + 18 = 0,$$

so,  $2[g(-2) + f(-3)] = 0 + 18$

$$\Rightarrow 2(-5g) = 18 \quad (\because f = g)$$

$$\Rightarrow g = -\frac{9}{5} = f$$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 - \frac{18}{5}x - \frac{18}{5}y = 0$$

72. Let the equation of the circle be

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of the circle (i) is orthogonal to

$$x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y + 9 = 0$$

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

$$\text{Thus, } (4g - 6f) = c + 9 \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$\text{and } (-5g + 4f) = c - 2 \quad \dots(iii)$$

Subtracting, we get  $-9g + 10f + 11 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 9(-g) - 10(-f) + 11 = 0$$

Hence, the locus of the centre is

$$9x - 10y + 11 = 0$$

73. Let the equation of the circle be

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

which is passing through  $(a, b)$ .

Therefore,

$$a^2 + b^2 + 2ga + 2fb + c = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

It is given that the circle (i) is orthogonal to  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ ,

$$\text{so } 2(g \cdot 0 + f \cdot 0) = c - 4 \Rightarrow c = 4$$

From Eq. (ii), we get

$$a^2 + b^2 + 2g \cdot a + 2f \cdot b + 4 = 0$$

Hence, the locus of  $(-g, -f)$  is

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

74. Let  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  be the centres of the two orthogonal circles with radii  $r_1$  and  $r_2$ , respectively.

Here  $\angle C_1PC_2 = 90^\circ$  and let

$$\angle PC_1C_2 = \theta \text{ and } \angle PC_2C_1 = 90^\circ - \theta$$

Thus,

$$\sin(\theta) = \frac{PM}{r_1} \text{ and } \sin(90^\circ - \theta) = \frac{PM}{r_2}.$$

Squaring and adding, we get

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{PM}{r_1}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{PM}{r_2}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$PM^2 \left(\frac{1}{r_1^2} + \frac{1}{r_2^2}\right) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow PM^2 = \frac{r_1^2 r_2^2}{r_1^2 + r_2^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow PM = \frac{r_1 r_2}{\sqrt{r_1^2 + r_2^2}}$$

Hence, the length of the common chord,

$$PQ = 2PM = \frac{2r_1 r_2}{\sqrt{r_1^2 + r_2^2}}$$

75. Hence, the equation of the radical axis is

$$(x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 6y + 9) - (x^2 + y^2 + 3x + 8y + 10) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (4x - 3x) + (6y - 8y) + (9 - 10) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 2y - 1 = 0$$

76. Hence, the equation of the radical axis is

$$(x^2 + y^2 + 8x + 2y + 10) - (x^2 + y^2 + 7x + 3y + 10) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (8x - 7x) + (2y - 3y) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = x$$

Hence, the image of  $(2, 3)$  with respect to the line  $y = x$  is  $(3, 2)$ .

77. Let  $S_1 : x^2 + y^2 = 1$  ... (i)

$$S_2 : x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 15 = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$\text{and } S_3 : x^2 + y^2 + 10y + 24 = 0 \quad \dots(iii)$$

Eq. (i) - Eq. (ii), we get

$$8x = 16 \Rightarrow x = 2$$

Eq. (i) - Eq. (iii), we get

$$-10y = 25 \Rightarrow y = -5/2$$

Hence, the radical centre is  $\left(2, -\frac{5}{2}\right)$ .

78. Let the equation of the circle be

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

The circle (i) is orthogonal to

$$x^2 + y^2 - 3x - 6y + 14 = 0,$$

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

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

Therefore,

$$2\left[g \cdot \left(-\frac{3}{2}\right) - 3f\right] = c + 14$$

$$\Rightarrow (-3g - 6f) = c + 14 \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$2\left[g \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) - 2f\right] = c + 8$$

$$\Rightarrow (2g - 4f) = c + 8 \quad \dots(iii)$$

and

$$2(g \cdot 1 - 3 \cdot f) = c + 9$$

$$\Rightarrow (2g - 6f) = c + 9 \quad \dots(iv)$$

Eq. (iii) - Eq. (ii), we get

$$5g + 2f = -6 \quad \dots(v)$$

Eq. (iii) - Eq. (iv), we get

$$2f = -1 \Rightarrow f = -1/2$$

Put the value of  $f$  in Eq. (v), we get,

$$g = -1$$

Also, put the values of  $f$  and  $g$  in Eq. (iv), we get

$$c = -8.$$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

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

79. Equation of any circle passing through the point of intersection of the circles

$$x^2 + y^2 + 13x - 3y = 0$$

$$\text{and } 2x^2 + 2y^2 + 4x - 7y - 25 = 0$$

$$\text{is } (x^2 + y^2 + 13x - 3y)$$

$$+ \lambda(2x^2 + 2y^2 + 4x - 7y - 25) = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

which is passing through  $(1, 1)$ .

Therefore,

$$(1 + 1 + 13 - 3) + \lambda(2 + 2 + 4 - 7 - 25) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 12 - 24\lambda = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{1}{2}$$

Put the value of  $\lambda$  in Eq. (i), we get

$$(x^2 + y^2 + 13x - 3y) + \frac{1}{2}(2x^2 + 2y^2 + 4x - 7y - 25) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2x^2 + 2y^2 + 26x - 6y) + (2x^2 + 2y^2 + 4x - 7y - 25) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (4x^2 + 4y^2 + 30x - 13y - 25) = 0$$

80. The equation of radical axis is

$$(x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 3y + 1) - (x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 3y + 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2x + 3y + 1) - (4x + 3y + 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -\frac{1}{2}$$

Thus, the equation of the circle is

$$(x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 3y + 1) + \lambda(2x + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2 + 2(\lambda + 1)x + 3y + (1 + \lambda)) = 0$$

Since  $AB$  is diameter of the circle, so the centre lies on it.

$$\text{Therefore, } -2\lambda - 2 + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = -\frac{1}{2}$$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$(x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 3y + 1) - \frac{1}{2}(2x + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 6y + 1) = 0$$

81. Any circle passing through the point of intersection of the given line and the circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 - 9 + \lambda(x + y - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + \lambda x + \lambda y - (9 + \lambda) = 0$$

So the centre is  $\left(-\frac{\lambda}{2}, -\frac{\lambda}{2}\right)$ .

Since, the circle is smallest, so the centre  $\left(-\frac{\lambda}{2}, -\frac{\lambda}{2}\right)$  lies on the chord  $x + y = 1$ .

$$\text{Therefore, } -\frac{\lambda}{2} - \frac{\lambda}{2} = 1 \Rightarrow \lambda = -1.$$

Hence, the equation of the smallest circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 - 9 - (x + y - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - x - y - 8 = 0$$

82. The equation of any circle passing through the point of intersection of the given circle is

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

$$\Rightarrow (1 + \lambda)x^2 + (1 + \lambda)y^2 + 2(\lambda - 3)x + 2(1 - 2\lambda)y + 2(2 - 3\lambda) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + 2\left(\frac{\lambda - 3}{\lambda + 1}\right)x + 2\left(\frac{1 - 2\lambda}{\lambda + 1}\right)y + \left(\frac{2(2 - 3\lambda)}{\lambda + 1}\right) = 0$$

So its centre is  $\left(\frac{3 - \lambda}{\lambda + 1}, \frac{2\lambda - 1}{\lambda + 1}\right)$ .

Since, the centre lies on the line  $y = x$ ,

$$\frac{2\lambda - 1}{\lambda + 1} = \frac{3 - \lambda}{\lambda + 1}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3\lambda = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 4/3$$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 - \frac{10}{7}x - \frac{10}{7}y - \frac{12}{7} = 0.$$

83. The given circles are  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 3y + 1 = 0$  and  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 3y + 2 = 0$ .

Hence, the equation of the common chord is  $2x + 1 = 0$ .

Therefore, the equation of the circle is

$$(x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 3y + 1) + \lambda(x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 3y + 2) = 0$$

$$\dots(i)$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 + \lambda)x^2 + (1 + \lambda)y^2 + 2(1 + 2\lambda)x + 3(1 + \lambda)y + (1 + 2\lambda) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + 2\left(\frac{1 + 2\lambda}{1 + \lambda}\right)x + 3y + \frac{(1 + 2\lambda)}{(1 + \lambda)} = 0$$

So, its centre is  $\left(-\frac{1 + 2\lambda}{\lambda + 1}, -\frac{3}{2}\right)$

Since  $2x + 1 = 0$  is the diameter, so centre lies on it.

Therefore,

$$2\left(-\frac{1 + 2\lambda}{\lambda + 1}\right) + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -2 - 4\lambda + \lambda + 1 = 0$$

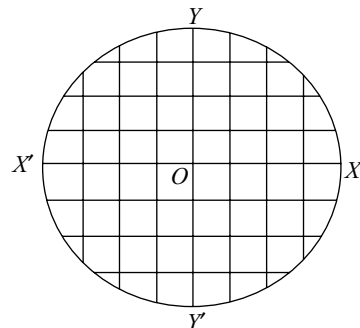
$$\Rightarrow \lambda = -\frac{1}{3}$$

Hence, the equation of the circle (i) is

$$2(x^2 + y^2) + 2x + 6y + 1 = 0$$

### LEVEL III

1. Given circle is  $x^2 + y^2 = 16$ .



Thus, the number of integral points inside the circle

$$= 5 + 7 + 7 + 7 + 7 + 7 + 5$$

$$= 45$$

2. Let  $S_1: x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$

$$S_2: x^2 + y^2 = 4$$

$$S_3: x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 8y + 10 = 0$$

and  $S_4: x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 4y - 2 = 0$

Now,  $S_1 - S_2 = 0$

$$2gx + 2fy + c + 4 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

Centre of a circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  lies on (i)

So,  $c + 4 = 0$

$$c = -4 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Again,  $S_1 - S_3 = 0$

$$2(g + 3)x + 2(f + 4)y + (c - 10) = 0 \quad \dots(iii)$$

So, the centre of a circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 8y + 10 = 0$  lies on (ii), so

$$\Rightarrow 2(g + 3)3 + 2(f + 4)4 + (-4 - 10) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(g + 3)3 + 2(f + 4)4 - 14 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 6g + 8f + 18 + 32 - 14 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 6g + 8f + 36 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3g + 4f + 18 = 0 \quad \dots(iv)$$

Also,  $S_1 - S_4 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 2(g - 1)x + 2(f + 2)y + (c + 2) = 0$$

So, centre  $(-1, 2)$  lies on (iii).

Thus,  $-2(g - 1) + 4(f + 2) + (-4 + 2) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow -2(g - 1) + 4(f + 2) - 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (g - 1) - 2(f + 2) + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow g - 2f = 4 \quad \dots(v)$$

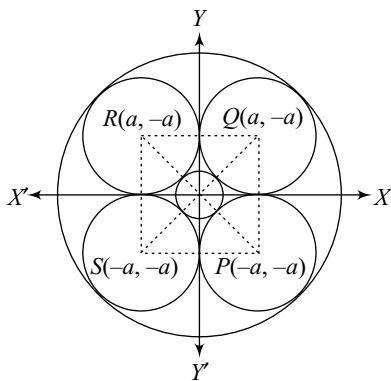
On solving, we get

$$g = -2 \text{ and } f = -3$$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

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

3. Given circle is  $(x \pm a)^2 + (y \pm a)^2 = a^2$



Hence, the radius of the smallest circle

$$= (\sqrt{a^2 + a^2} - a), (\sqrt{a^2 + a^2} + a)$$

$$= a\sqrt{2} - a, a\sqrt{2} + a$$

$$= (\sqrt{2} - 1)a, (\sqrt{2} + 1)a$$

4. Given circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 - 10x - 6y + 30 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 5)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 25 + 9 - 30$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 5)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 4$$

Clearly,  $CP = \text{radius} = 2$

Let  $PQ$  is parallel to  $y = x + 3$

Therefore, the co-ordinates of  $P$  and  $R$  are obtained by

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x - 5}{\cos(45^\circ)} = \frac{y - 3}{\sin(45^\circ)} = \pm 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x - 5}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} = \frac{y - 3}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} = \pm 2$$

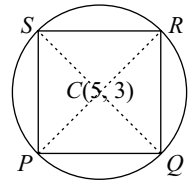
$$\Rightarrow x - 5 = y - 3 = \pm \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 5 = y - 3 = \pm \sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 5 \pm \sqrt{2}, y = 3 \pm \sqrt{2}$$

Thus,  $R = (5 + \sqrt{2}, 3 + \sqrt{2})$

and  $Q = (5 - \sqrt{2}, 3 - \sqrt{2})$ .



5. Clearly,

$$(2\sqrt{2})^2 + (2\sqrt{2})^2 = a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 = (2\sqrt{2})^2 + (2\sqrt{2})^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 = 8 + 8 = 16$$

$$\Rightarrow |a| = 4$$

6. Given circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 2y + 12 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 4)^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 16 + 1 - 12$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 4)^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 5$$

As we know that the line is a chord, tangent or does not meet the circle at all, if

$$p < r, p = r \text{ or } p > 4,$$

where  $p$  is the length of the perpendicular from the centre to the line.

$$\text{So, } p = \left| \frac{4 + 2 - 1}{\sqrt{1 + 4}} \right| = \frac{5}{\sqrt{5}} = \sqrt{5} = r$$

Thus, the line be a tangent to the circle.

7. It is given that

$$C_1 C_2 = r_1 + r_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{(a - b)^2 + (b - a)^2} = c + c$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{2(a - b)^2} = 2c$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(a - b)^2 = 4c^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (a - b)^2 = 2c^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a - b = \pm c\sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow a = b \pm c\sqrt{2}$$



8. Given circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y - 12 = 0$$

$$(x + 2)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 5^2$$

Thus,  $C = (-2, 3)$  and  $CA = 5 = CB$

and  $\angle CAB = \frac{\pi}{3}$

Now,  $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{MC}{5}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{MC}{5}$$

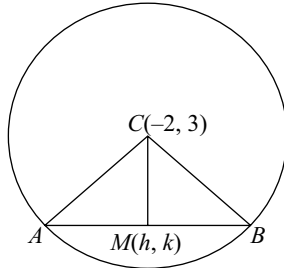
$$\Rightarrow MC = \frac{5\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow MC^2 = \frac{75}{4}$$

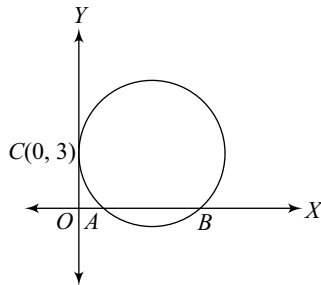
$$\Rightarrow (h + 2)^2 + (k - 3)^2 = \frac{75}{4}$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

$$(x + 2)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = \frac{75}{4}$$



9.



Let the equation of the circle be

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

which touches the  $y$ -axis at  $C$ .

Put  $x = 0$  in Eq. (i), we get

$$y^2 + 2fy + c = (y - 3)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 + 2fy + c = y^2 - 6y + 9$$

$$\Rightarrow 2fy + c = -6y + 9$$

Comparing the co-efficients, we get

$$2f = -6, c = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow f = -3, c = 9$$

Intercepts on  $x$ -axis is

$$\Rightarrow 2\sqrt{g^2 - c} = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{g^2 - c} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{g^2 - 9} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow g^2 - 9 = 16$$

$$\Rightarrow g^2 = 25$$

$$\Rightarrow g = \pm 5$$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 \pm 10x - 6y + 9 = 0$$

10. The equation of the chord of contact of tangents to the circle

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

from  $(0, 0)$  is

$$x \cdot 0 + y \cdot 0 + g(x + 0) + f(y + 0) + c = 0$$

$$gx + fy + c = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

Hence, the required distance from the point  $(g, f)$  to the chord of contact (i)

$$= \left( \frac{g^2 + f^2 + c}{\sqrt{g^2 + f^2}} \right)$$

11. We have,

$$(1 + \alpha x)^n = 1 + 8x + 24x^2 + \dots$$

$$1 + n(\alpha x) + \frac{n(n-1)}{2}(\alpha x)^2 + \dots = 1 + 8x + 24x^2 + \dots$$

Comparing the co-efficients, we get

$$\Rightarrow n\alpha = 8, \frac{n\alpha(n\alpha - \alpha)}{2} = 24$$

$$\frac{8(8 - \alpha)}{2} = 24$$

$$\Rightarrow (8 - \alpha) = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = 2, n = 4$$

Thus, the point  $P$  is  $(2, 4)$

Therefore,  $PA \cdot PB$

$$= (PT)^2 = 4 + 16 - 4 = 16$$

12. Given circles are  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$

and  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 3y - 5 = 0$

Hence, the common chord is

$$2x + 3y = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

Thus, the equation of the circle is

$$S + \lambda L = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2 - 4) + \lambda(2x + 3\lambda - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + 2\lambda x + 3\lambda y - (\lambda + 4) = 0$$

So centre of the circle is

$$\left( -\lambda, -\frac{3\lambda}{2} \right)$$

Since the chord  $2x + 3y = 1$  is a diameter of the circle, so

$$-2\lambda - \frac{9\lambda}{2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow -13\lambda = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = -\frac{2}{13}$$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2\left(-\frac{2}{13}\right)x + 3\left(-\frac{2}{13}\right)y - \left(4 - \frac{2}{13}\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 13(x^2 + y^2) - 4x - 6y - 50 = 0$$

Therefore, the centre of the circle is  $\left( \frac{2}{13}, \frac{3}{13} \right)$ .

13. Let  $(h, k)$  be a point lies on the circle

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

Thus, the length of the tangent from  $(h, k)$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sqrt{h^2 + k^2 + 2gh + 2fk + d} \\ &= \sqrt{(h^2 + k^2 + 2gh + 2fk) + d} \\ &= \sqrt{-c + d} \\ &= \sqrt{d - c} \end{aligned}$$

14. Equation of the circle is

$$S + \lambda L = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2 - 4) + \lambda(x + y - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + \lambda x + \lambda y - (\lambda + 4) = 0$$

So centre of the circle is  $\left(-\frac{\lambda}{2}, -\frac{\lambda}{2}\right)$

Since the chord  $x + y = 1$  is a diameter of the circle, so

$$-\frac{\lambda}{2} - \frac{\lambda}{2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow -\lambda = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = -1$$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 - x - y - 3 = 0$$

15. Now the image of the centre  $(3, 2)$  to the line  $x + y = 19$  is obtained by

$$\frac{\alpha - 3}{1} = \frac{\beta - 2}{1} = -2 \left( \frac{3 + 2 - 19}{1^2 + 1^2} \right)$$

$$\frac{\alpha - 3}{1} = \frac{\beta - 2}{1} = 14$$

$$\alpha = 17, \beta = 16$$

Hence, the equation of the new circle is

$$(x - 17)^2 + (y - 16)^2 = 1$$

16. Given circles are

$$(x - 1)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = r^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

and  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 2y + 8 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 4)^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 16 + 1 - 8$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 4)^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 9 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Two circles (i) and (ii) intersect, if

$$|r_1 - r_2| < C_1C_2 < r_1 + r_2$$

$$\Rightarrow |r - 3| < \sqrt{(1 - 4)^2 + (3 + 1)^2} < r + 3$$

$$\Rightarrow |r - 3| < 5 < r + 3$$

$$\Rightarrow |r - 3| < 5 \text{ and } r + 3 > 5$$

$$\Rightarrow -5 < (r - 3) < 5, r > 2$$

$$\Rightarrow -2 < r < 5 + 3, r > 2$$

$$\Rightarrow r < 8, r > 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 < r < 8$$

17. Since there are two real tangents drawn, so the circles intersect.

Given circles are  $(x - 1)^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 2$

and  $(x - 4)^2 + (y - 4)^2 = (32 - \lambda)$

It is given that  $|r_1 - r_2| < C_1C_2 < r_1 + r_2$

$$|\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{32 - \lambda}| < 3\sqrt{2} < (\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{32 - \lambda})$$

Now,  $3\sqrt{2} < (\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{32 - \lambda})$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{32 - \lambda} > 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 32 - \lambda > 8$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda < 24 \quad \dots(i)$$

and  $|\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{32 - \lambda}| < 3\sqrt{2}$

$$\Rightarrow -4\sqrt{2} < -\sqrt{32 - \lambda} < 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow -2\sqrt{2} < \sqrt{32 - \lambda} < 4\sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 8 < (32 - \lambda) < 32$$

$$\Rightarrow -24 < -\lambda < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 < \lambda < 24 \quad \dots(ii)$$

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$0 < \lambda < 24$$

18. Since two vertices of an equilateral triangle are  $B(-1, 0)$  and  $C(1, 0)$ .

So, the third vertex must lie on the  $y$ -axis.

Let the third vertex be  $A(0, b)$ .

Now,  $AB = BC = CA$

$$\Rightarrow AB^2 = BC^2 = AC^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + b^2 = 4 = 1 + b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow b^2 = 4 - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow b = \sqrt{3}$$

Thus, the third vertex is  $A = (0, \sqrt{3})$

As we know that in case of an equilateral triangle,

$$\text{Circumcentre} = \text{Centroid} = \left(0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$$

Hence, the equation of the circumcircle is

$$\Rightarrow (x - 0)^2 + \left(y - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^2 = (1 - 0)^2 + \left(0 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + \left(y - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^2 = \frac{4}{3}$$

19. The vertices of the triangle are

$$A = (0, 6), B = (2\sqrt{3}, 0), C = (0, 2\sqrt{3})$$

Let  $P(h, k)$  be the circumcentre, then

$$PA = PB = PC$$

$$\Rightarrow PA^2 = PB^2 = PC^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow h^2 + (k - 6)^2 &= (h - 2\sqrt{3})^2 + k^2 \\ &= h^2 + (k - 2\sqrt{3})^2 \end{aligned}$$

On solving, we get

$$h = 0 \text{ and } k = 2$$

Thus, radius,  $r = \sqrt{h^2 + (k - 6)^2} = 4$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$x^2 + (y - 2)^2 = 16$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 4y - 12 = 0$$

20. Given circle is

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

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

So,  $C = (-2, 3)$  and  $r = 3$

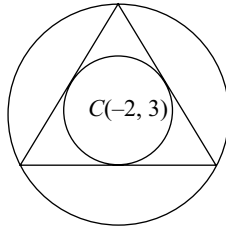
As we know that the centroid divides the median in the ratio 2 : 1

Here, circumradius = 2 and in-radius = 6

Hence, the equation of the circumcircle is

$$(x + 2)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 6^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y - 23 = 0$$



21. Given circle is

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

We have,

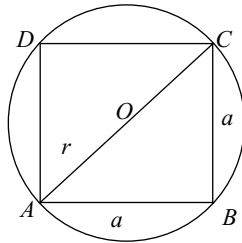
$$a^2 + a^2 = (r + r)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 = 2r^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 = 2r^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a = r\sqrt{2}$$

Hence, the result.



22. Given circle is

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

Here,  $OA = r$ ,  $\angle AOM = 60^\circ$

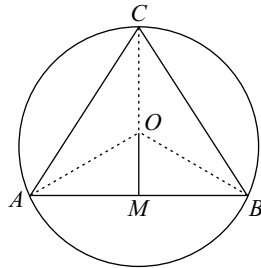
Now,

$$\sin(60^\circ) = \frac{AM}{OA} = \frac{AM}{r}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{AM}{r} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow AM = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}r$$

$$\Rightarrow AB = 2AM = r\sqrt{3}$$



Hence, the area of an equilateral triangle is

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \times (AB)^2$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \times 3r^2$$

$$= \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{4} r^2$$

23. Given centre of the circle is  $(0, 0)$ .

As we know that the centroid divides the median in the ratio 2 : 1

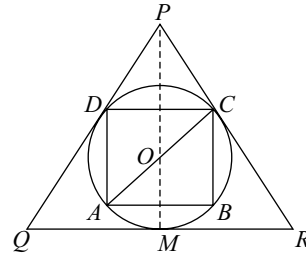
$\therefore$  Circumradius =  $2a$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 = (2a)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 = 4a^2$$

24. Let  $ABC$  be an equilateral triangle with  $AB = a$ .



Let  $PM = p$

$$\text{Now, } \sin(60^\circ) = \frac{PM}{PQ} = \frac{p}{a}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{p}{a} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow p = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}a$$

Here  $O$  is the centroid.

So the centroid divides the median in the ratio 2 : 1

$$\text{Thus, } OM = \frac{p}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{p}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2r = \frac{2p}{3} = \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}a = \frac{a}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Let  $x$  be the side of a square.

Thus,

$$x^2 + x^2 = \left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^2 = \frac{a^2}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2 = \frac{a^2}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = \frac{a^2}{6}$$

$$\text{Area of the square} = \frac{a^2}{6}$$

25. Given circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 - 12x + 4y + 30 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 6)^2 + (y + 2)^2 = 36 + 4 - 30$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 6)^2 + (y + 2)^2 = (\sqrt{10})^2$$

Any point on the circle is

$$P(6 + \sqrt{10} \cos \theta, -2 + \sqrt{10} \sin \theta)$$

Let  $d$  be the distance from the origin

Thus,  $d = OP$

$$d^2 = (6 + \sqrt{10} \cos \theta)^2 + (-2 + \sqrt{10} \sin \theta)^2$$

$$= 50 + 4\sqrt{10}(3 \cos \theta - \sin \theta)$$

$$= 40 + 4.10 \left( \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} \cos \theta - \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \sin \theta \right)$$

$$= 40 + 40(\cos \theta \cos \alpha - \sin \theta \sin \alpha)$$

$$= 40 + 40(\cos(\theta + \alpha))$$

$$= 40 + 40, \text{ when } \cos(\theta + \alpha) = 1 = \cos 0^\circ$$

$$= 80 \text{ and } \theta = -\alpha$$

Hence, the point is

$$= (6 + \sqrt{10} \cos \theta, -2 + \sqrt{10} \sin \theta)$$

$$= \left( 6 + \sqrt{10} \cdot \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}}, -2 + \sqrt{10} \cdot \left( -\frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \right) \right)$$

$$= (6 + 3, -2 - 1)$$

$$= (9, -3)$$

26.

27. The equation of any tangent through origin is

$$y = mx$$

If  $y = mx$  be a tangent to the given circle, then

$$\left| \frac{7m + 1}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} \right| = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow 25(m^2 + 1) = (7m + 1)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 25m^2 + 25 = 46m^2 + 14m + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 24m^2 - 14m - 24 = 0$$

Let its roots are  $m_1, m_2$ .

So, product of the roots =  $-1$

$$\Rightarrow m_1 \cdot m_2 = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

28. Given circle is

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

$$\Rightarrow (x - 1)^2 + (y - 2)^2 = 5 \quad \dots(i)$$

Equation of any tangent passing through  $(4, 3)$  is

$$y - 3 = m(x - 4)$$

$$\Rightarrow mx - y + (3 - 4m) = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

If (ii) is a tangent of (i), then

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{m - 2 + 3 - 4m}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} \right| = \sqrt{5}$$

$$\left| \frac{1 - 3m}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} \right| = \sqrt{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow 5(m^2 + 1) = (1 - 3m)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 5m^2 + 5 = 1 - 6m + 9m^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 4m^2 - 6m - 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2m^2 - 3m - 2 = 0$$

Let its roots are  $m_1, m_2$ .

So, product of the roots =  $-1$

$$\Rightarrow m_1 \cdot m_2 = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

29. Given circle is

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

$$\Rightarrow (x - 1)^2 + (y - 2)^2 = 5 \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of any tangent passing through  $(0, 1)$  is

$$y = m(x - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow mx - y - m = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

If (ii) is a tangent of (i), then

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{m - 2 - m}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} \right| = \sqrt{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{-2}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} \right| = \sqrt{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow 5(m^2 + 1) = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow (m^2 + 1) = \frac{2}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 = \frac{2}{5} - 1 = -\frac{3}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \phi$$

So, no real tangents can be drawn.

Thus, number of tangents = 0.

30. The equation of the tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$

at  $(a \cos \theta, a \sin \theta)$  and  $\left[ a \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{3} + \theta \right), a \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{3} + \theta \right) \right]$

are  $x \cos \theta + y \sin \theta = a$

and  $x \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{3} + \theta \right) + y \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{3} + \theta \right) = a$

Let  $(h, k)$  be the point of intersection.

On solving, we get

$$h = \frac{2a \left( \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{3} + \theta \right) - \sin \theta \right)}{\sqrt{3}}$$

and  $k = \frac{2a \left( \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{3} + \theta \right) - \cos \theta \right)}{\sqrt{3}}$

Now, squaring and adding, we get

$$\frac{3h^2}{4a^2} + \frac{3k^2}{4a^2} = 1$$

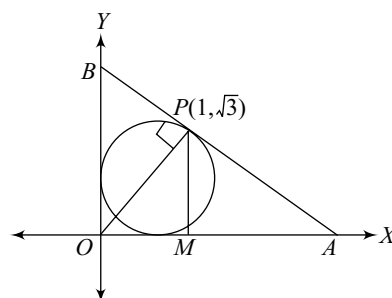
$$\Rightarrow h^2 + k^2 = \frac{4a^2}{3}$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$x^2 + y^2 = \frac{4a^2}{3}$$

31. The equation of tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  at

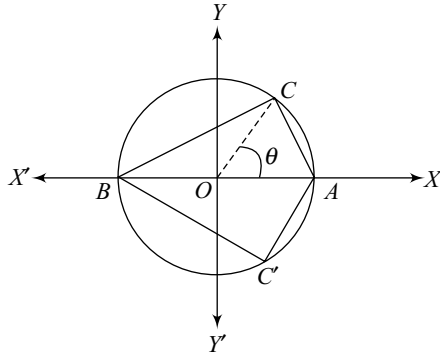
$(1, \sqrt{3})$  is  $x + \sqrt{3}y = 4$



Clearly,  $A = (4, 0), B = (0, 4/\sqrt{3})$   
 Thus, the area of the triangle  $OPA$  is  
 $= \frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times \sqrt{3} = 2\sqrt{3}$  sq. u.

**LEVEL IV**

1. (i) Here,  $AB = 13$  m and  $AC = 5$  m



Let the co-ordinates of  $C$  be  $(\frac{13}{2} \cos \theta, \frac{13}{2} \sin \theta)$   
 It is given that  $AC = 5$

$$\Rightarrow AC^2 = 25$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{13}{2} \cos \theta - \frac{13}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{13}{2} \sin \theta\right)^2 = 25$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{238}{338} = \frac{119}{159}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{119}{159}\right)^2} = \frac{120}{169}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{120}{169}\right)$$

The co-ordinates of  $C$  and  $C'$  will become

$$\left(\frac{119}{26}, \frac{60}{13}\right) \text{ and } \left(\frac{119}{26}, -\frac{60}{13}\right)$$

Thus, the co-ordinates of  $B$  are  $\left(-\frac{13}{2}, 0\right)$

Hence, the equations of the pair of lines  $BC$  and  $BC'$  are

$$y - 0 = \frac{\pm(60/13)}{\left(\frac{119}{26} + \frac{13}{2}\right)} \left(x + \frac{13}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \pm \frac{15}{36} \left(x + \frac{13}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \pm \frac{5}{12} \left(x + \frac{13}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 24y = \pm 5(2x + 13)$$

(ii) Area of the sector  $OAC$

$$= \frac{1}{2} r^2 \theta$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{13}{2}\right)^2 \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{120}{169}\right)$$

$$= \frac{169}{8} \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{120}{169}\right) \text{ sq. m.}$$

$$\text{Area of the triangle } OAC = \frac{1}{2} r^2 \sin \theta$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{13}{2}\right)^2 \left(\frac{120}{169}\right)$$

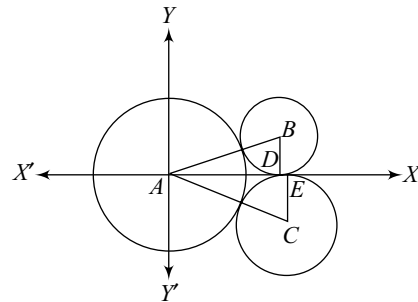
$$= 15 \text{ sq. m.}$$

Thus, the area of the smaller portion bounded by the circle and the chord  $AC$ .

$$= \text{Area of sector } OAC - \text{Area of } \Delta AOC$$

$$= \left\{ \frac{169}{8} \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{120}{169}\right) - 15 \right\} \text{ sq. m.}$$

2. Here, the co-ordinates of the centres  $A, B$  and  $C$  are  $(0, 0), (\sqrt{55}, 3)$  and  $(\sqrt{65}, 4)$ .



3. The equation of the radical axis is

$$(x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 2y + 1) - \left(x^2 + y^2 - x + 3y - \frac{3}{2}\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 5x - y + \frac{5}{2} = 0$$

$$10x - 2y + 5 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of the co-axial circle is

$$\left(x^2 + y^2 - x + 3y - \frac{3}{2}\right) + \lambda(x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 2y + 10) = 0$$

$$x^2 + y^2 + \left(\frac{4\lambda - 1}{\lambda + 1}\right)x + \left(\frac{2\lambda + 3}{\lambda + 1}\right)y + \left(\frac{\lambda - 3/2}{\lambda + 1}\right) = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$\text{Thus, } \left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{4\lambda - 1}{\lambda + 1}\right), \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{2\lambda + 3}{\lambda + 1}\right)\right]$$

Clearly the centre lies on the radical axis.

$$\text{So } 10 \left( \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{4\lambda - 1}{\lambda + 1} \right) \right) + 2 \left( \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{2\lambda + 3}{\lambda + 1} \right) \right) + 5 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 1.$$

Put the value of  $\lambda = 1$  in Eq. (ii), we get

$$4x^2 + 4y^2 + 6x + 10y - 1 = 0.$$

4. A circle passing through the point of intersection of  $x^2 + y^2 + ax + by$  and  $Ax + By + C = 0$  is  $x^2 + y^2 + ax + by + c + \lambda(Ax + By + C) = 0 \dots(i)$  and a circle passing through the point of intersection  $x^2 + y^2 + a'x + b'y + c' = 0$  and  $A'x + B'y + C' = 0$  is  $x^2 + y^2 + a'x + b'y + c' + \lambda'(A'x + B'y + C') = 0 \dots(ii)$

Since the point of intersection lie on the circle, so,

$$a + \lambda A = a' + \lambda' A'$$

$$b + \lambda B = b' + \lambda' B'$$

and  $c + \lambda C = c' + \lambda' C'$

Eliminating  $\lambda$  and  $\lambda'$ , we get

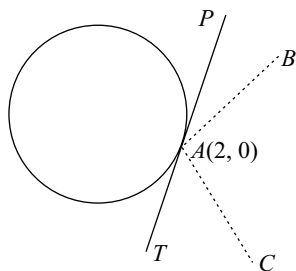
$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} A & A' & a - a' \\ B & B' & b - b' \\ C & C' & c - c' \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow A \begin{vmatrix} B' & b - b' \\ C' & c - c' \end{vmatrix} - B \begin{vmatrix} A' & a - a' \\ C' & c - c' \end{vmatrix} + C \begin{vmatrix} A' & a - a' \\ B' & b - b' \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow AB'(c - c') - AC'(b - b') - BA'(c - c') + BC'(a - a') + CA'(b - b') - CB'(a - a') = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (a - a')(BC' - CB') + (b - b')(CA' - AC') + (c - c')(AB' - BA') = 0$$

5. The equation of the tangent to the given circle  $(x + 2)^2 + (y + 3)^2 = 25$  at  $A(2, 0)$  is  $4x - 3y - 8 = 0 \dots(i)$



Let  $m$  and  $m'$  be the slopes of the lines  $AB$  and  $AC$ .

$$\text{Thus, } \tan(45^\circ) = \frac{m - (4/3)}{1 + m \cdot (4/3)}$$

$$\text{and } \tan(135^\circ) = \frac{m' - (4/3)}{1 + m' \cdot (4/3)}$$

On solving, we get

$$m = -7, m' = \frac{1}{7}$$

Therefore, the equations of the lines  $AB$  and  $AC$  are

$$y - 0 = 7(x - 2) \text{ and } y - 0 = \frac{1}{7}(x - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 7x + y = 14 \text{ and } x - 7y = 2$$

Now, the centres of the circles lie on the lines  $AB$  and  $AC$  at a distance of  $5\sqrt{2}$  units.

$$\text{Thus } C_1: \frac{x - 2}{1} = \frac{y - 0}{7} = 5\sqrt{2}$$

$$(x, y) = (1, 7)$$

$$\text{and } C_2: \frac{x - 2}{7} = \frac{y - 0}{1} = 5\sqrt{2}$$

$$(x, y) = (9, 1)$$

Hence, the equations of the circles are

$$(x - 1)^2 + (y - 7)^2 = 9$$

$$\text{or } (x - 7)^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 9$$

6. Let the centre of the circle be  $(h, k)$  such that  $k = h - 1$ .

$$\text{We have, } (h - 7)^2 + (k - 3)^2 = 3^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (h - 7)^2 + (h - 4)^2 = 3^2$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 = 11h + 28 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow h = 7, 4 \text{ and } k = 6, 3$$

Hence, the equation of a circle can be

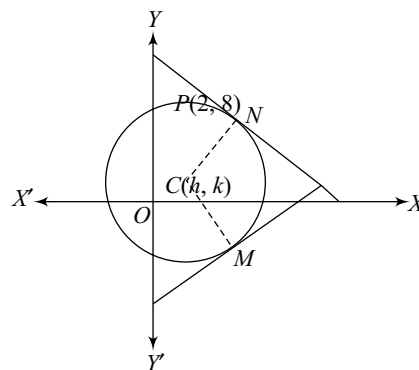
$$(x - 7)^2 + (y - 6)^2 = 3^2$$

$$\text{and } (x - 4)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 3^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 6y + 16 = 0$$

$$\text{and } x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 6y + 16 = 0$$

7. Here,  $CM = CN$



$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{4h - 3k - 24}{\sqrt{16 + 9}} \right| = \left| \frac{4h + 3k - 42}{\sqrt{16 + 9}} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow (4h - 3k - 24) = \pm(4h + 3k - 42)$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 3$$

Also,  $r = CM$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 = CM^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (h - 2)^2 + (k - 8)^2 = \left( \frac{4h + 3k - 42}{5} \right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (h-2)^2 + (3-8)^2 = \left(\frac{4h+9-42}{5}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (h-2)^2 + 25 = \left(\frac{4h-33}{5}\right)^2$$

On solving we get,

$$h = 2$$

Thus, the equation of the circle is

$$(x-2)^2 + (y-3)^2 = 25$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y - 12 = 0$$

8. Let  $x_1, x_2$  are the roots of  $x^2 + 2x - a^2 = 0$ .

$$\text{Then } x_1 + x_2 = -2, x_1x_2 = -a^2$$

$$\text{Similarly, } y_1 + y_2 = -4, y_1y_2 = -b^2$$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$(x-x_1)(x-x_2) + (y-y_1)(y-y_2) = 0$$

$$x^2 - (x_1 + x_2)x + x_1x_2 + y^2 - (y_1 + y_2)y + y_1y_2 = 0$$

$$x^2 + 2x - a^2 + y^2 + 4y - b^2 = 0$$

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2x + 4y - (a^2 + b^2) = 0$$

Therefore, the centre of the circle =  $(-1, -2)$  and the

$$\text{radius} = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + 5}.$$

9. Equation of the tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 5$  at  $(1, -2)$  is  $x - 2y = 5$ .

Given circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 6y + 20 = 0$$

Centre =  $(4, -3)$  and radius =  $\sqrt{5}$ .

Let the point of contact be  $(h, k)$ .

$$\text{Thus, } h - 2k = 5 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{and } (h-4)^2 + (k+3)^2 = 5$$

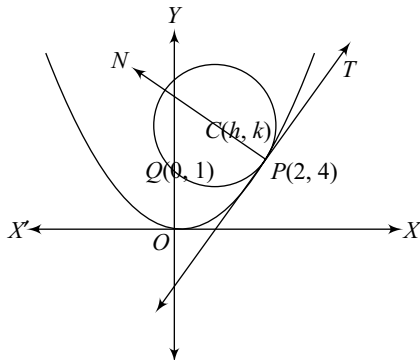
$$\Rightarrow h^2 + k^2 - 8h + 6k = 20 = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

On solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$h = 3, k = -1$$

Hence, the point of contact is  $(3, -1)$ .

10. Given curve is  $y = x^2$



$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 2x$$

$$\text{Thus, } m = \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)_{(2,4)} = 4$$

The equation of the normal is

$$(y-4) = -\frac{1}{4}(x-2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4(y-4) = -(x-2)$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 4y = 18$$

Let  $(h, k)$  be the centre of the circle.

$$\text{Thus, } h + 4k = 18 \quad \dots(i)$$

Also,  $CP = CQ$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 + (k-1)^2 = (h-2)^2 + (k-4)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow -2k + 1 = -4h + 4 - 8k + 16$$

$$\Rightarrow 4h + 6k = 19 \quad \dots(ii)$$

On solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$h = -\frac{16}{5}, k = \frac{53}{10}$$

Hence, the required centre is  $\left(-\frac{16}{5}, \frac{53}{10}\right)$ .

11. Let the mid point be  $M(h, k)$ .

Equation of the chord bisected at  $M$  is

$$T = S_1$$

$$hx + ky - (x+h) - 3(y+k) = h^2 + k^2 - 2h - 6k$$

which is passing through the origin. So,

$$-h - 3k = h^2 + k^2 - 2h - 6k$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 + k^2 - h - 3k = 0$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$x^2 + y^2 - x - 3y = 0$$

12. The equation of a circle passing through the points of intersection of  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$

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

$$(x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y + 1) + \lambda(x^2 + y^2 - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 + \lambda)x^2 + (1 + \lambda)y^2 - 2x - 4y + (1 - \lambda) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - \frac{2}{(1 + \lambda)}x - \frac{4}{(1 + \lambda)}y + \frac{(1 - \lambda)}{(1 + \lambda)} = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{Centre} = \left(\frac{1}{(1 + \lambda)}, \frac{2}{(1 + \lambda)}\right)$$

$$\text{Radius} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{(1 + \lambda)}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{2}{(1 + \lambda)}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{(1 - \lambda)}{(1 + \lambda)}\right)^2}$$

Equation (i) touching the straight line  $x + 2y = 0$ . So, the length of perpendicular from the centre is equal to the radius of a circle.

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{\sqrt{5}}{(1 + \lambda)} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{(1 + \lambda)}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{2}{(1 + \lambda)}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{(1 - \lambda)}{(1 + \lambda)}\right)^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 - \lambda)^2 + 5 = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 1$$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

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

13. As we know that the normal always passes through the centre of the circle.

So, the equation of the circle is

$$(x-3)^2 + y^2 = 6$$

- 14 Let the equations of the two given circles are

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + g^2 = 0$$

and  $x^2 + y^2 + 2fy + f^2 = 0$

whose centres lie on  $x$  and  $y$  axes.

Thus, the equation of the radical axis is

$$2gx + g^2 - 2fy - f^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2gx - 2fy + g^2 - f^2 = 0$$

15. Equations of the normals of the circle are

$$x + 2xy + 3x + 6y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x + 2y)(x + 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x + 2y) = 0, (x + 3) = 0$$

Thus, the centre of the circle is  $C_1: \left(-3, \frac{3}{2}\right)$ .

Given circle is

$$x(x - 4) + y(y - 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 3y = 0$$

Centre is  $C_2: \left(2, \frac{3}{2}\right)$  and the radius is  $\frac{5}{2}$ .

According to the questions, we get

$$C_1C_2 = r_1 - r_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{(-3 - 2)^2 + 0} = r - \frac{5}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = 5 + \frac{5}{2} = \frac{15}{2}$$

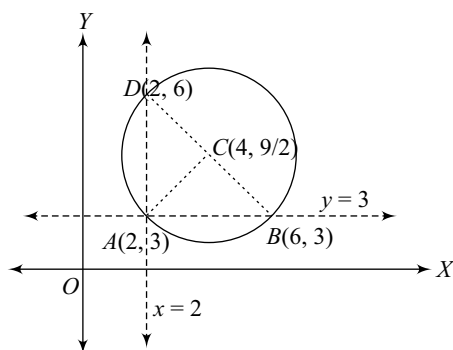
Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$(x + 3)^2 + \left(y - \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{15}{2}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + 6x - 3y - 45 = 0$$

16. Here  $A = (2, 3), B = (6, 3)$  and  $D = (2, 6)$

Thus, the centre of the circle is  $(4, 9/2)$  and the radius =  $5/2$ .



Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$(x - 4)^2 + \left(y - \frac{9}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{25}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 8x - 9y + 30 = 0$$

17. Let the centre be  $(h, k)$

$$\text{Thus, } (h - 1)^2 + (k - 2)^2 = (h - 5)^2 + (k - 2)^2 \\ = (h - 5)^2 + (k + 2)^2$$

$$\text{Now, } (h - 5)^2 + (k - 2)^2 = (h - 5)^2 + (k + 2)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (k - 2)^2 = (k + 2)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 - 4k + 4 = k^2 + 4k + 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 8k = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 0$$

$$\text{Also, } (h - 1)^2 + (k - 2)^2 = (h - 5)^2 + (k - 2)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (h - 1)^2 = (h - 5)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 - 2h + 1 = h^2 - 10h + 25$$

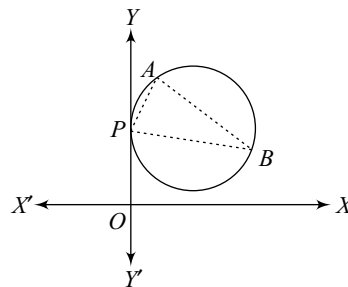
$$\Rightarrow 8h = 24$$

$$\Rightarrow h = 3.$$

Thus, the centre is  $(3, 0)$

Hence, the radius of the circle is  $2\sqrt{2}$ .

18. Let the co-ordinates of  $P$  be  $(0, k)$  and the centre of the circle be  $C(h, k)$ .



Now,  $CA = CB = CP$

$$\Rightarrow CA^2 = CB^2 = CP^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (h - 4)^2 + (k - 3)^2 = (h - 2)^2 + (k - 5)^2 = h^2$$

Now,

$$(h - 4)^2 + (k - 3)^2 = (h - 2)^2 + (k - 5)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow -8h - 6k = -4h + 4 - 10k$$

$$\Rightarrow 4h - 4k + 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow h - k + 1 = 0 \tag{... (i)}$$

and  $(h - 2)^2 + (k - 1)^2 = h^2$

$$\Rightarrow (h - 2)^2 + (h - 4)^2 = h^2$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 - 4h + 4 + h^2 - 8h + 16 = h^2$$

$$\Rightarrow -4h + 4 + h^2 - 8h + 16 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 - 12h + 20 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (h - 2) = 0, (h - 10) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (h - 2) = 0, (h - 10) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow h = 2, 10$$

Thus,  $k = h + 1 = 3, 11$

Hence, the point on  $y$ -axis is  $P(0, 3)$ .

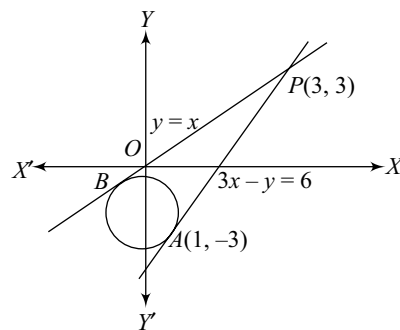
Thus, the equation of the circle is

$$(x - 2)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 4x + 4 + y^2 - 6y + 9 = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y + 4 = 0$$

19. Let the centre of the circle be  $C(h, k)$ .



Here,  $PA = 2\sqrt{10}$

Let  $B$  be  $(a, a)$ .

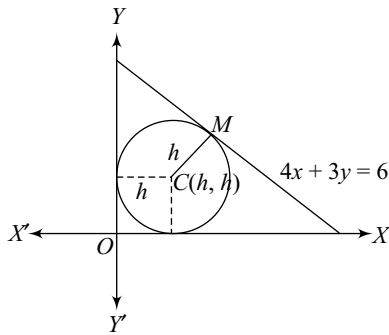


Thus,  $PB = 2\sqrt{10}$   
 $\Rightarrow (a-3)^2 + (a-3)^2 = 40$   
 $\Rightarrow (a-3)^2 = 20$   
 $\Rightarrow (a-3) = \pm 2\sqrt{5}$   
 $\Rightarrow a = 3 \pm 2\sqrt{5}$   
 $\Rightarrow a = 3 - 2\sqrt{5}$

Hence,  $B = (3 - 2\sqrt{5}, 3 - 2\sqrt{5})$ .

20. The length of the line = the length of the tangent  
 $= \sqrt{4+9+4+30+1}$   
 $= \sqrt{48} = 4\sqrt{3}$

21. Let the centre be  $C(h, h)$



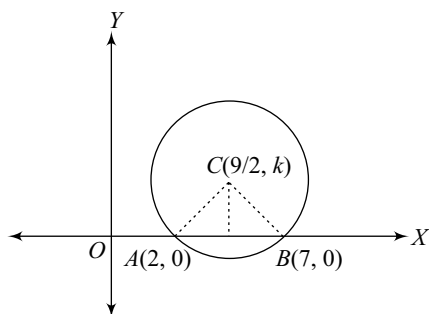
Now,  $CM = h$   
 $\Rightarrow \left| \frac{4h+3h}{5} \right| = 6$   
 $\Rightarrow 7h = 30$   
 $\Rightarrow h = \frac{30}{7}$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$\Rightarrow \left(x - \frac{30}{7}\right)^2 + \left(y - \frac{30}{7}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{30}{7}\right)^2$   
 $\Rightarrow x^2 - \frac{60}{7}x + \frac{900}{49} + y^2 - \frac{60}{7}y = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - \frac{60}{7}x - \frac{60}{7}y + \frac{900}{49} = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 49(x^2 + y^2) - 420(x + y) + 900 = 0$

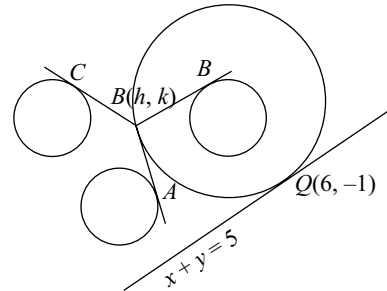
22. Hence, the equation of the circle is

$\left(x - \frac{9}{2}\right)^2 + (y - k)^2 = \left(\frac{9}{2} - 2\right)^2 + k^2$



$\Rightarrow x^2 - 9x + \frac{81}{4} + y^2 - 2ky = \frac{25}{4}$   
 $\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 9x - 2ky + 14 = 0$

23. Let  $P$  be  $(h, k)$



Here,  $PA = PB = PC$   
 $\Rightarrow PA^2 = PB^2 = PC^2$   
 $\Rightarrow h^2 + k^2 + h - 3 = 3(h^2 + k^2) - 5h + 3k$   
 $= 4(h^2 + k^2) + 8h + 7k + 9$

On solving, we get

$h = 0, k = -3$ .

So, the point  $P$  is  $(0, -3)$ .

Let the centre of the new circle be  $(a, b)$ .

We have,

$\left| \frac{a+b-5}{\sqrt{2}} \right| = \sqrt{(a-6)^2 + (b+1)^2}$   
 $= \sqrt{a^2 + (b+3)^2}$

On solving, we get

$a = \frac{7}{2}, b = -\frac{7}{2}$

and radius is  $r = \frac{5\sqrt{2}}{2}$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$\left(x - \frac{7}{2}\right)^2 + \left(y + \frac{7}{2}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{5\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)^2$   
 $\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 7x + 7y + 12 = 0$

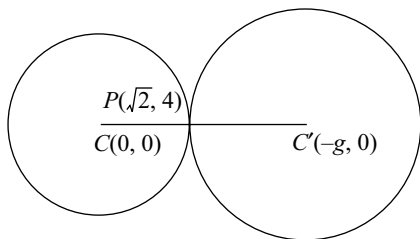
24. Clearly, the locus of the mutually perpendicular tangents to the circle is the director circle. So its equation is  $x^2 + y^2 = 18$ .

Thus, its centre is  $(0, 0)$  and the radius  $= 3\sqrt{2}$ .

Let the equation of the co-axial system be

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

whose centre is  $(-g, 0)$  and the radius  $= \sqrt{g^2 - c}$ .



Clearly,  $\frac{-g+0}{2} = \sqrt{2}$

$\Rightarrow g = -2\sqrt{2}$

Also,  $CC' = r_1 + r_2$

$\Rightarrow g = 3\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{g^2 - c}$

$\Rightarrow -2\sqrt{2} = 3\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{8 - c}$

$\Rightarrow -5\sqrt{2} = \sqrt{8 - c}$

$\Rightarrow 8 - c = 50$

$\Rightarrow c = -42$

Hence, the equation of the co-axial circle is  $x^2 + y^2 - 4\sqrt{2}x - 42 = 0$ .

25. Equation of the tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 5$  at  $(1, -2)$  is  $x - 2y = 5$ .

Given circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 6y + 20 = 0$$

Centre =  $(4, -3)$  and the radius =  $\sqrt{5}$ .

Let the point of contact be  $(h, k)$ .

Thus,  $h - 2k = 5$  ... (i)

and  $(h - 4)^2 + (k + 3)^2 = 5$

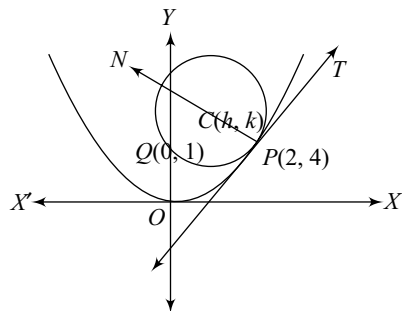
$\Rightarrow h^2 + k^2 - 8h + 6k + 20 = 0$  ... (ii)

On solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$h = 3, k = -1$

Hence, the point of contact is  $(3, -1)$ .

26. Given curve is



$y = x^2$

$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 2x$

Thus,  $m = \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)_{(2,4)} = 4$

The equation of the normal is

$(y - 4) = -\frac{1}{4}(x - 2)$

$\Rightarrow 4(y - 4) = -(x - 2)$

$\Rightarrow x + 4y = 18$

Let  $(h, k)$  be the centre of the circle.

Thus,  $h + 4k = 18$  ... (i)

Also,  $CP = CQ$

$\Rightarrow h^2 + (k - 1)^2 = (h - 2)^2 + (k - 4)^2$

$\Rightarrow -2k + 1 = -4h + 4 - 8k + 16$

$\Rightarrow 4h + 6k = 19$  ... (ii)

On solving (i) and (ii), we get

$h = -\frac{16}{5}, k = \frac{53}{10}$

Hence, the required centre is  $\left(-\frac{16}{5}, \frac{53}{10}\right)$ .

27. Given equation of normals are

$x^2 - 3xy - 3x + 9y = 0$

$\Rightarrow (x - 3y)(x - 3) = 0$

$\Rightarrow (x - 3y) = 0, (x - 3) = 0$

As we know that the normal always passes through the centre of a circle.

Thus, centre,  $C_1 = (3, 1)$

Also, given circle is

$x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 6y + 17 = 0$

$\Rightarrow (x - 3)^2 + (y + 3)^2 = 1$

So the centre  $C_2 = (3, -3)$  and  $r_2 = 1$

Since the circle touches externally, so

$C_1C_2 = r_1 + r_2$

$\Rightarrow 4 = r_1 + 1$

$\Rightarrow r_1 = 3$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$(x - 3)^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 9$

$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 2y + 1 = 0$

28. Given lines are  $2x - 4y = 9$

and  $2x - 4y + \frac{7}{3} = 0$

Hence, the radius =  $\frac{1}{2} \left| \frac{9 + \frac{7}{3}}{\sqrt{4 + 16}} \right|$

$= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{34}{3\sqrt{20}} \right)$

$= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{34}{6\sqrt{5}} \right) = \frac{17}{6\sqrt{5}}$

29. Let the co-ordinates of the other end be  $(a, b)$ .

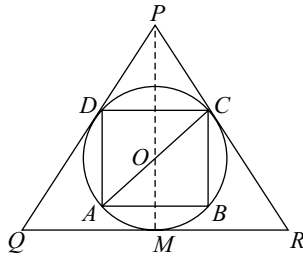
Given that the centre of the given circle =  $(4, 2)$ .

Thus,  $\frac{a - 3}{2} = 4, \frac{b + 2}{2} = 2$

$a = 11, b = 2$

Hence, the other end be  $(11, 2)$ .

30.



Let  $PM = p$

Now,  $\sin(60^\circ) = \frac{PM}{PQ} = \frac{p}{a}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{p}{a} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

$\Rightarrow p = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}a$

Here  $O$  is the centroid.

So the centroid divides the median in the ratio  $2 : 1$ .

Thus,  $OM = \frac{p}{3}$

$\Rightarrow r = \frac{p}{3}$

$\Rightarrow 2r = \frac{2p}{3} = \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}a = \frac{a}{\sqrt{3}}$

Let  $x$  be the side of a square.

Thus,  $x^2 + x^2 = \left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^2 = \frac{a^2}{3}$

$\Rightarrow 2x^2 = \frac{a^2}{3}$

$\Rightarrow x^2 = \frac{a^2}{6}$

Area of a square =  $\frac{a^2}{6}$

31. Given circle is  $x^2 + y^2 = 3$  and the line is  $x + y = 2$

Now,

$x^2 + (2-x)^2 = 3$

$\Rightarrow x^2 + x^2 - 4x + 4 = 3$

$\Rightarrow 2x^2 - 4x + 1 = 0$

$\Rightarrow x = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{8}}{4} = 1 \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

$\Rightarrow x = 1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

Also,  $y = 2 - x = 2 - 1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = 1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

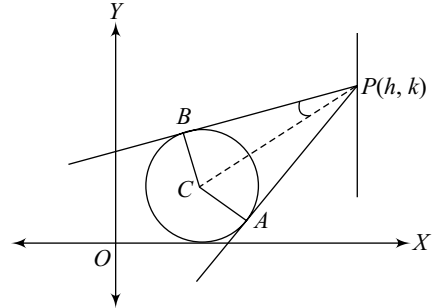
Thus, the point of intersection is

$\left(1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, 1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$

Hence, the equation of the line is

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

32. Given circle is  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 4y + 4 = 0$



So, the centre is  $(3, 2)$  and the radius is  $3$ .

Let  $P$  be  $(h, k)$

Thus,  $4h - 3k = 6$  ... (i)

Let  $\angle CPB = \theta$

Then  $\sin \theta = \frac{BC}{PC}$

$= \frac{3}{\sqrt{(h-3)^2 + (k-2)^2}}$  ... (ii)

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$\sin \theta = \frac{3}{\sqrt{(h-3)^2 + \left(\frac{4h-6}{3} - 2\right)^2}}$  ... (iii)

It is given that,

$2\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{24}{7}\right)$

$\Rightarrow \tan(2\theta) = \frac{24}{7}$

$\Rightarrow \cos(2\theta) = \frac{7}{25}$

$\Rightarrow 1 - 2\sin^2(\theta) = \frac{7}{25}$

$\Rightarrow 2\sin^2(\theta) = 1 - \frac{7}{25} = \frac{18}{25}$

$\Rightarrow \sin^2(\theta) = \frac{9}{25}$

$\Rightarrow \sin(\theta) = \frac{3}{5}$

From Eq. (iii), we get

$\frac{3}{5} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{(h-3)^2 + \left(\frac{4h-6}{3} - 2\right)^2}}$

$\Rightarrow (h-3)^2 + \left(\frac{4h-6}{3} - 2\right)^2 = 25$

$$\Rightarrow (h-3)^2 + \left(\frac{4h-12}{3}\right)^2 = 25$$

$$\Rightarrow 9(h-3)^2 + (4h-12)^2 = 225$$

$$\Rightarrow 25h^2 - 150h = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow h = 0, 6$$

If  $h = 0$ , then  $k = -2$ .

If  $h = 6$ , then  $k = 6$ .

Hence, the points are  $(0, -2)$ ,  $(6, 6)$ .

33. Here,  $C_1 = (5, 0)$ ,  $r_1 = 3$ ,  $C_2 = (0, 0)$ ,  $r_2 = r$

It is given that two circles intersect.

So,  $|r_1 - r_2| < C_1C_2 < r_1 + r_2$

$$\Rightarrow |3 - r| < 5 < 3 + r$$

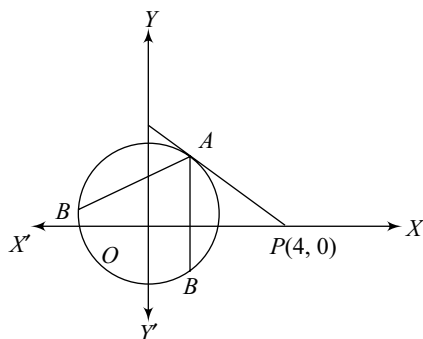
$$\Rightarrow |3 - r| < 5, 5 < 3 + r$$

$$\Rightarrow -5 < (r - 3) < 5, r > 2$$

$$\Rightarrow -2 < r < 8, r > 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 < r < 8$$

34. Given circle is  $x^2 + y^2 = 8$



Let the point  $A$  be  $(h, k)$ .

The equation of the tangent at  $A$  is  $hx + ky = 8$  which is passing through  $P(4, 0)$ .

So,  $4h = 8 \Rightarrow h = 2$

Now  $PA =$  length of the tangent  $= 2\sqrt{2}$

$$\Rightarrow PA^2 = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow (h-4)^2 + k^2 = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow (2-4)^2 + k^2 = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 = 8 - 4$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 2$$

Hence, the point  $A$  is  $(2, 2)$ .

Now, for the point  $B$ ,

$$\frac{x-2}{\cos \theta} = \frac{y-2}{\sin \theta} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2 + 4 \cos \theta, y = 2 + 4 \sin \theta$$

Thus, the point  $B$  is  $(2 + 4 \cos \theta, 2 + 4 \sin \theta)$ .

Since the point  $B$  lies on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 8$ , so

$$(2 + 4 \cos \theta)^2 + (2 + 4 \sin \theta)^2 = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow 16 \cos \theta + 16 \sin \theta + 16 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta + \sin \theta + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta + \sin \theta = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos \theta + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin \theta = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos\left(\theta - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \pi \text{ or } -\frac{\pi}{2}$$

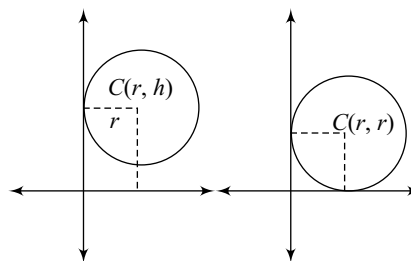
Hence, the point  $B$  be  $(-2, 2)$  or  $(2, -2)$ .

35. Given circle is  $x^2 + y^2 - 2rx - 2hy + h^2 = 0$

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

So, the centre is  $(r, h)$  and radius is  $r$ .

It is possible only when  $r = h$ .



36. Let the equation of the circle  $C$  be

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

Given circle is  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 1 = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Since two circles are orthogonal, so

$$2(g \cdot 0 + f \cdot 0) = c - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow c = 1$$

Also, the equation of radical axis is

$$2gx + 2fy + c + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2gx + 2fy + 1 + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow gx + fy + 1 = 0$$

It is given that the radical axis parallel to  $y$ -axis, so,

$$f = 0, g \in R - \{0\}$$

$$\text{Thus, } x = -\frac{1}{g}$$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + x + 1 = 0$$

$$\text{or } x^2 + y^2 - x + 1 = 0$$

37. Ans.

38. Given circle is  $(x+r)^2 + (y-h)^2 = r^2$ .

The equation of any tangent passing through origin is

$$y = m x. \text{ i.e. } m x - y = 0$$

As we know that the length of the perpendicular from the centre of the circle to the tangent is equal to the radius of a circle.

$$\text{Thus, } \left| \frac{-rm - h}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} \right| = r$$

$$\Rightarrow (-rm - h)^2 = (r\sqrt{m^2 + 1})^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (rm + h)^2 = r^2(m^2 + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2m^2 + 2rmh + h^2 = r^2m^2 + r^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2rmh + h^2 = r^2$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{r^2 - h^2}{2rh}$$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$y = \left( \frac{r^2 - h^2}{2rh} \right) x$$

$$\Rightarrow (r^2 - h^2)x - 2rhy = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (h^2 - r^2)x + 2rhy = 0$$

39. Let the equation of the circle be

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

Also (i) is orthogonal to

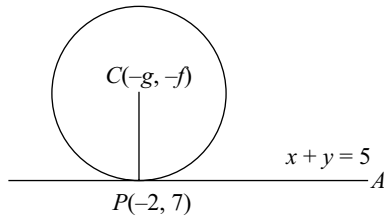
$$x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y + 9 = 0$$

$$\text{Thus, } 2(g_1g_2 + f_1f_2) = c_1 + c_2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(g \cdot 2 + f \cdot (-3)) = c + 9$$

$$\Rightarrow 4g - 6f = c + 9$$

... (ii)



Also,  $CP \perp PA$

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{7+f}{g-2} \times -1 = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{7+f}{g-2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 7+f = g-2$$

$$\Rightarrow f = g-9$$

... (ii)

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$4g - 6f = c + 9$$

$$\Rightarrow 4(f+9) - f = c + 9$$

$$\Rightarrow 36 - 2f = c + 9$$

$$\Rightarrow c = 27 - 2f$$

... (iii)

Again,  $CP = \text{Radius}$

$$\left| \frac{-g-f-5}{\sqrt{1^2+1^2}} \right| = \sqrt{g^2+f^2-c}$$

$$\Rightarrow (g+f+5)^2 = 2(g^2+f^2-c)$$

$$\Rightarrow (2f+14)^2 = 2((9+f)^2+f^2-(27-2f))$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(f+7)^2 = (2f^2+18f+81-(27-2f))$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(f+7)^2 = (2f^2+20f+54)$$

$$\Rightarrow (f+7)^2 = (f^2+10f+27)$$

$$\Rightarrow f^2+14f+49 = (f^2+10f+27)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4f = 27 - 49$$

$$\Rightarrow f = -\frac{22}{4} = -\frac{11}{2}$$

$$\text{Thus, } g = f + 9 = 9 - \frac{11}{2} = \frac{7}{2}$$

$$\text{and } c = 27 - 2f = 27 + 11 = 38$$

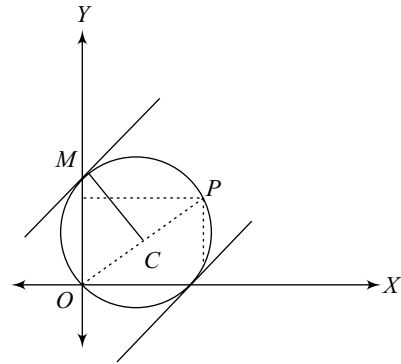
Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 + 7x - 11y + 38 = 0.$$

40. Here, the centre =  $\left(2, \frac{3}{2}\right)$  and the radius =  $\frac{5}{2}$

Therefore, the equation of the circle is

$$(x-2)^2 + \left(y - \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{25}{4}$$



The equation of the tangent parallel to the diagonal is

$$4y - 3x + k = 0$$

$$\text{Now, } CM = \frac{5}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{4\left(\frac{3}{2}\right) - 3 \cdot 2 + k}{5} \right| = \frac{5}{2}$$

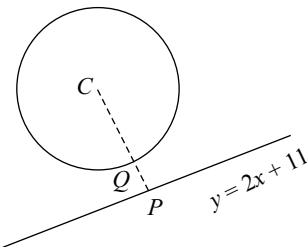
$$\Rightarrow k = \pm \frac{25}{2}$$

Hence, the equations of the tangents are

$$4y - 3x \pm \frac{25}{2} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 8y - 6x \pm 25 = 0$$

41. Clearly, the centre of the circle is  $\left(-1, -\frac{1}{4}\right)$



Given line is  $y = 2x + 11$

$$\Rightarrow 2x - y + 11 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of  $CP$  is  $-x - 2y + k = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x + 2y - k = 0$$

which is passing through the centre  $C\left(-1, -\frac{1}{4}\right)$ , so,

$$-1 - \frac{1}{2} = k$$

$$\Rightarrow k = -\frac{3}{2}$$

Hence, the line  $CP$  is  $x + 2y + \frac{3}{2} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + 4y + 3 = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

On solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$x = -\frac{9}{2}, y = 2$$

Hence, the required point is  $\left(-\frac{9}{2}, 2\right)$ .

42. Given circle is  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x = 0$

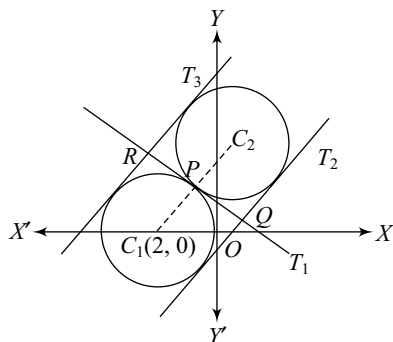
$$(x + 2)^2 + y^2 = 4$$

So, the centre is  $(-2, 0)$  and the radius is  $= 2$ .

The equation of the line joining the centres of the circles is

$$y + 2 = m(x - 0)$$

$$y + 2 = \sqrt{3}x, m = \tan(60^\circ) = \sqrt{3}$$



Here, let the centre  $C_2$  be  $(h, k)$ .

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{h+2}{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{k-0}{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow h = 0, k = 2\sqrt{3}$$

Therefore,  $C_2 = (h, k) = (0, 2\sqrt{3})$

Hence, the locus of the centre of the outer circle is

$$(x - 0)^2 + (y - 2\sqrt{3})^2 = 4$$

$$x^2 + y^2 - 4\sqrt{3}y - 8 = 0$$

The equation of the common tangent  $T_1$  is

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

which is passing through  $P(-1, \sqrt{3})$ .

So,  $k = 2$

Hence, the equation of the common tangent  $T_1$  is

$$x + \sqrt{3}y = 2.$$

Clearly, the co-ordinates of  $Q$  and  $R$  are

$$(\sqrt{3} - 1, \sqrt{3} - 1) \text{ and } (-\sqrt{3} - 1, \sqrt{3} + 1)$$

Hence, the equation of the tangents  $T_2$  and  $T_3$  are

$$y - (\sqrt{3} - 1) = \sqrt{3}[x - (\sqrt{3} - 1)]$$

and  $y - (\sqrt{3} - 1) = \sqrt{3}[x + (\sqrt{3} + 1)]$

43. If  $R$  be the radius of the circumcircle

$$\text{so, } R = \frac{ph + qk - r}{\sqrt{p^2 + q^2}} \quad \dots(i)$$

Since  $TP$  and  $TQ$  are tangents to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ , so the circumcircle through  $T$  will pass through its centre.

$$\text{Thus, } R = \sqrt{h^2 + k^2} \quad \dots(ii)$$

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$\frac{ph + qk - r}{\sqrt{p^2 + q^2}} = \sqrt{h^2 + k^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow (ph + qk - r)^2 = (p^2 + q^2)(h^2 + k^2)$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$(px + qy - r)^2 = (p^2 + q^2)(x^2 + y^2)$$

44. Let  $S_1: x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y + 6 = 0$

$$S_2: x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 6y + 6 = 0$$

and  $S_3: x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 6y + 6 = 0$

Let the equation of the circle passing through the point of intersection  $S_1$  and  $S_2$  is

$$S_4: S_1 + \lambda S_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y + 6) + \lambda(x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 6y + 6) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + \left(\frac{2\lambda - 2}{\lambda + 1}\right)x + \left(\frac{-6\lambda - 6}{\lambda + 1}\right)y + \left(\frac{6\lambda + 6}{\lambda + 1}\right) = 0$$

... (i)

Also,  $S_4$  is orthogonal to  $S_3$ .

$$\text{Thus, } 2(g_1g_2 + f_1f_2) = c_1 + c_2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2.2\left(\frac{2\lambda - 2}{\lambda + 1}\right) + 2.3\left(\frac{-6\lambda - 6}{\lambda + 1}\right) = 6 + \left(\frac{6\lambda + 6}{\lambda + 1}\right)$$

On solving, we get

$$\lambda^2 + 6\lambda + 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\lambda + 2)(\lambda + 4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = -2, -4$$

Put the values of  $\lambda = -2, -4$ , we get

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

$$\text{or } x^2 + y^2 + \left(\frac{10}{3}\right)x - 6y + 6 = 0$$

### Integer Type Questions

1. Clearly,  $C_1C_2 = 5$

Here,  $r_1 = 10, r_2 = 5$

Thus,  $C_1C_2 = 5 = r_1 - r_2$

So, the number of common tangents = 1

2. We have,  $2(g_1g_2 + f_1f_2) = c_1 + c_2$

$$\Rightarrow 2(1.0 + k \cdot k) = k + 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 2k^2 - k - 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (k-2)(2k+3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 2, -3/2$$

3. Let the equation of the circle be

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

and  $(m, \frac{1}{m})$  be a variable point lies on the circle

$$\text{Thus, } m^2 + \frac{1}{m^2} + 2gm + \frac{2f}{m} + c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m^4 + 1 + 2gm^3 + 2fm + cm^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m^4 + 2gm^3 + cm^2 + 2fm + 1 = 0$$

It has four roots, say  $m_1, m_2, m_3$  and  $m_4$ .

$$\text{Thus, } m_1 m_2 m_3 m_4 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow m_1 m_2 m_3 m_4 + 4 = 5$$

4. The equation of the common chord is

$$6x + 14y + p + q = 0$$

Here, the centre of the 1st circle  $(1, -4)$  lies on the common chord.

$$\text{So, } 6 - 56 + p + q = 0$$

$$p + q = 50$$

$$\text{Hence, the value of } \left( \frac{p+q}{10} + 2 \right) = 7$$

5. We have,  $|r_1 - r_2| < C_1 C_2 < r_1 + r_2$

$$\Rightarrow |r - 3| < C_1 C_2 < r + 3$$

$$\Rightarrow |r - 3| < 5 < r + 3$$

$$\Rightarrow -5 < (r - 3) < 5, r + 3 > 5$$

$$\Rightarrow -2 < r < 8, r > 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 < r < 8$$

Clearly,  $n = 2, m = 8$

Hence, the value of  $(m - n)$  is 6.

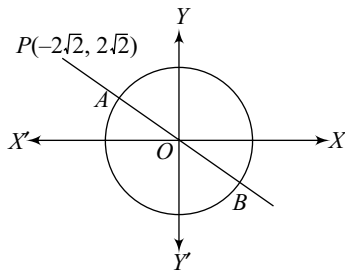
6. The equation of any line passing through  $P$  is

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

$$\Rightarrow y = -x$$

and the equation of the circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 = 16$$



Clearly,  $AB = 8$

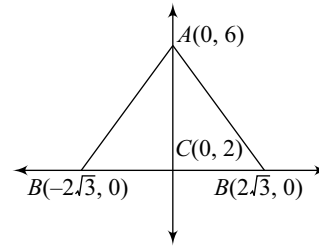
7. As we know that if the lines  $a_1x + b_1y + c_1 = 0$  and  $a_2x + b_2y + c_2 = 0$  cut the  $x$  and  $y$  axes in four concyclic points, then

$$a_1 a_2 = b_1 b_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda \cdot 1 = (-1)(-2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 2$$

8.



Clearly, radius = 4.

9. Given circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y + \lambda = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 2)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = (\sqrt{13 - \lambda})^2$$

Clearly,  $\sqrt{13 - \lambda} = 3$

$$\Rightarrow 13 - \lambda = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 4$$

10. Clearly,  $m_1 m_2 = 1$

$$\Rightarrow m_1 m_2 + 4 = 5$$

### Previous Years' JEE-Advanced Examinations

1. Given lines are  $3x + 5y - 1 = 0,$

$$(2 + c)x + 5c^2y - 1 = 0$$

On solving, we get

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{-5 + 5c^2} = \frac{y}{-(2 + c) + 3} = \frac{1}{15c^2 - 5(2 + c)}$$

$$\frac{x}{5(c^2 - 1)} = \frac{y}{-(c - 1)} = \frac{1}{5(3c^2 - c - 2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{(c^2 - 1)}{(3c^2 - c - 2)}, y = \frac{-(c - 1)}{5(3c^2 - c - 2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{(c - 1)(c + 1)}{(c - 1)(3c + 2)}, y = \frac{-(c - 1)}{5(c - 1)(3c + 2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{(c + 1)}{(3c + 2)}, y = -\frac{1}{5(3c + 2)}$$

when  $c$  tends to 1, then

$$x = \frac{2}{5}, y = -\frac{1}{25}$$

Now, radius,

$$r = \sqrt{\left(2 - \frac{2}{5}\right)^2 + \left(0 + \frac{1}{25}\right)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{64}{25} + \frac{1}{625}} = \sqrt{\frac{1601}{625}}$$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$\left(x - \frac{2}{5}\right)^2 + \left(y + \frac{1}{25}\right)^2 = \frac{1601}{625}$$

2. The equation of a circle passing through the point of intersection of  $x^2 + y^2 = 6$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 8 = 0$  is

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2 - 6) + \lambda(x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 8) = 0,$$

which is passing through (1, 1).

$$\text{So, } (2 - 6) + \lambda(10 - 6) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 1$$

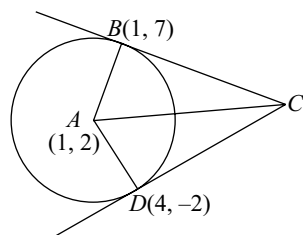
Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$(x^2 + y^2 - 6) + 1 \cdot (x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 8) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(x^2 + y^2) - 6x + 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2) - 3x + 1 = 0$$

3. The equations of the tangents at B and D are  $y = 7$  and  $3x - 4y = 20$



Thus, the co-ordinates of C are (16, 7).

Hence, the area of the quadrilateral  $ABCD = 2(\Delta ABC)$

$$= 2\left(\frac{1}{2} \times AB \times BC\right)$$

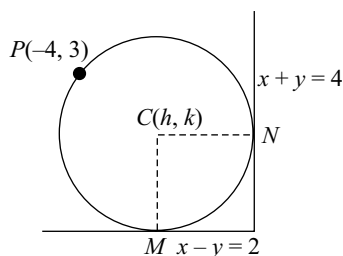
$$= AB \cdot BC$$

$$= (5 \times BC)$$

$$= 5 \times 15$$

$$= 75 \text{ sq. u.}$$

- 4.



Clearly,  $CM = CN$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{h+k-4}{\sqrt{2}} \right| = \left| \frac{h-k-2}{\sqrt{2}} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow (h+k-4) = \pm(h-k-2)$$

$$\Rightarrow h = 3, k = 1$$

$$\text{Now, } r = \sqrt{(3+4)^2 + (1-3)^2} = \sqrt{53}$$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$(x-3)^2 + (y-1)^2 = 53$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 2y - 43 = 0$$

5. Ans.  $k \neq 1$

6. Given circle is

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

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{3y+10}{4}\right)^2 + y^2 - 2\left(\frac{3y+10}{4}\right) + 4y - 20 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (3y+10)^2 + 16y^2 - 8(3y+10) + 64y - 320 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9y^2 + 60y + 100 + 16y^2 - 24y - 80 + 64y - 320 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 25y^2 + 100y - 300 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 + 4y - 12 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (y+6)(y-2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 2, -6$$

when  $y = 2, -6$ , then  $x = 4, -2$

Hence, the points of intersection are (4, 2), (-2, -6)

7. Equation of any circle passing through the point of intersection of the given circles is

$$(2x^2 + 2y^2 + 4x - 7y - 25) + \lambda(x^2 + y^2 + 13x - 3y) = 0$$

which is passing through the point (1, 1).

$$\Rightarrow -24 + 12\lambda = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 2$$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$(2x^2 + 2y^2 + 4x - 7y - 25)$$

$$+ 2(x^2 + y^2 + 13x - 3y) = 0$$

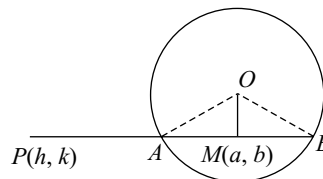
$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 + 4y^2 + 30x - 13y - 25 = 0$$

8. Ans. (b)

9. Do yourself

10. Equation of the chord bisected at M is

$$ax + by = a^2 + b^2$$



which is passing through  $P(h, k)$ .

$$\text{So, } ah + bk = a^2 + b^2$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(a, b)$

$$hx + ky = x^2 + y^2$$

11. Let AB be a chord of the circle.

Draw a perpendicular from the centre O to the chord AB at M. Then  $AM = BM$ .

Now,  $\angle AOM = 45^\circ$

$$\Rightarrow \cos 45^\circ = \frac{OM}{OA} = \frac{OM}{2}$$

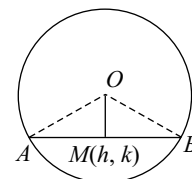
$$\Rightarrow \frac{OM}{2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow OM^2 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 + k^2 = 2$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

$$x^2 + y^2 = 2$$



12. Given equation is  $x^2 = 2ax - b^2 = 0$

Let its roots are  $x_1$  and  $x_2$ .

$$\text{Thus, } x_1 + x_2 = 2a, x_1 \cdot x_2 = -b^2$$

$$\text{Similarly, } y_1 + y_2 = -2p, y_1 \cdot y_2 = -q^2$$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$\Rightarrow (x-x_1)(x-x_2) + (y-y_1)(y-y_2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - (x_1 + x_2)x + x_1x_2 + y^2 - (y_1 + y_2)y + y_1y_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 2ax - b^2 + y^2 + 2py - q^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + 2ax + 2py - (b^2 + q^2) = 0$$



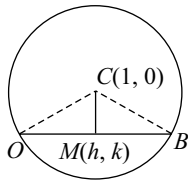
13. Diameter = Distance between two parallel lines

$$= \frac{\left| 4 - \left( -\frac{7}{2} \right) \right|}{\sqrt{3^2 + 4^2}}$$

$$= \frac{3}{2}$$

Hence, the radius is  $\frac{3}{4}$ .

14. Equation of the chord bisected at  $M(h, k)$  is  $T = S_1$



$$\Rightarrow xx_1 + yy_1 - (x + x_1) = x_1^2 + y_1^2 - 2x_1$$

$$\Rightarrow hx + ky - (x + h) = h^2 + k^2 - 2h$$

which is passing through origin.

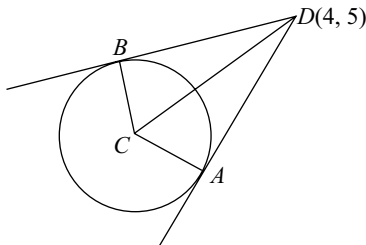
$$\text{So, } 0 + 0 - 0 - h = h^2 + k^2 - 2h$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 + k^2 - h = 0$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

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

15.



Here,  $C = (2, 1)$  and  $r = 4$

$\therefore$  Area of quadrilateral  $ACBD = 2(\Delta ACD)$

$$= 2 \times \frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times 2$$

$$= 8 \text{ sq. u.}$$

16. The equation of the line of intersection is

$$\left( x^2 + y^2 - \frac{2}{3}x + 4y - 3 \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow -(x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 2y - 15) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -\left( \frac{2}{3} + 6 \right)x + (4 - 2)y + 12 = 0$$

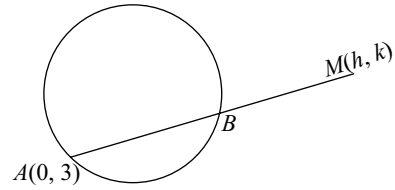
$$\Rightarrow -\frac{20}{3}x + 2y + 12 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{10}{3}x + y + 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -10x + 3y + 18 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 10x - 3y - 18 = 0.$$

17. Let the co-ordinates of  $M$  be  $(h, k)$ .



Clearly,  $B$  is the mid-point of  $AM$ .

$$\text{Thus, } \left( \frac{h}{2}, \frac{k+3}{2} \right)$$

Since  $B$  lies on  $x^2 + 4x + (y - 3)^2 = 0$ . So

$$\left( \frac{h}{2} \right)^2 + 4\left( \frac{h}{2} \right) + \left( \frac{k+3}{2} - 2 \right)^2 = 0$$

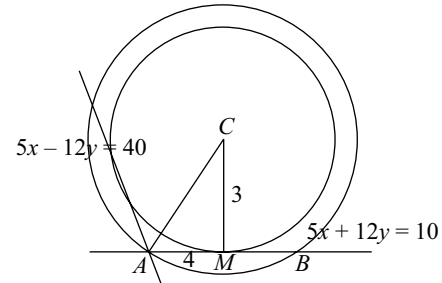
$$\Rightarrow h^2 + 8h + (k - 3)^2 = 0$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

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

18. Since the lines  $5x + 12y = 10$  and  $5x - 12y = 40$  touch the circle  $C_1$ , its centre lies on one of the angle bisectors of the given lines.

$$\left| \frac{5x + 12y - 10}{\sqrt{25 + 144}} \right| = \left| \frac{5x - 12y - 40}{\sqrt{25 + 144}} \right|$$



$$\Rightarrow |5x + 12y - 10| = |5x - 12y - 40|$$

$$\Rightarrow (5x + 12y - 10) = \pm(5x - 12y - 40)$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 5 \text{ and } y = -5/4$$

Since the centre lies on the first quadrant, let its co-ordinates be  $(5, k)$ .

We have  $CM = 3$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{5.5 + 12k - 10}{\sqrt{25 + 144}} \right| = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{15 + 12k}{13} \right| = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow (15 + 12k) = \pm 39$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 2, -\frac{9}{2}$$

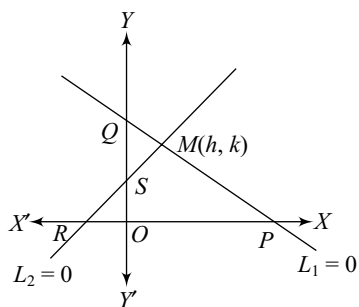
Thus,  $k = 2$  and  $r = \sqrt{3^2 + 4^2} = 5$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$(x - 5)^2 + (y - 2)^2 = 25$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 10x - 4y + 4 = 0$$

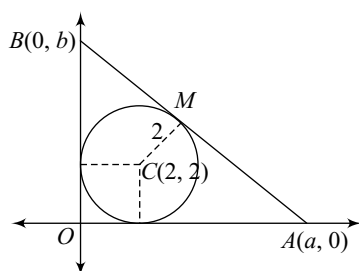
19.



20. Given circle is

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

$$\Rightarrow (x-2)^2 + (y-2)^2 = 4$$



Let  $AB: \frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$

Now,  $CM = 2$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\left| \frac{2}{a} + \frac{2}{b} - 1 \right|}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}}} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\frac{2}{a} + \frac{2}{b} - 1}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}}} = \pm 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\frac{2}{a} + \frac{2}{b} - 1}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}}} = -2$$

[since the origin and (2, 2) lie on the same side of the line AB]

Here, circumcentre =  $M = \left( \frac{a}{2}, \frac{b}{2} \right)$

Therefore the locus of the circumcentre is

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{y} - 1 = -2\sqrt{\frac{1}{4x^2} + \frac{1}{4y^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{y} - 1 = -\sqrt{\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow x + y - xy + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = 0$$

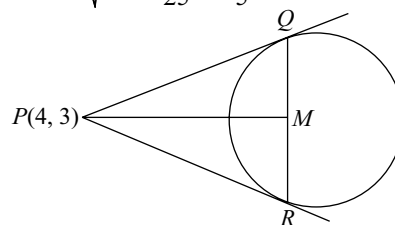
Thus, the value of  $k$  is 1.

21. The equation of the chord of contact is

$$4x + 3y = 9$$

$$\therefore \text{Length of the tangent } PQ = PR = \sqrt{16 + 9 - 9} = 4$$

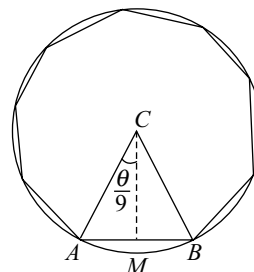
$$\text{Now, } QM = \sqrt{16 - \frac{256}{25}} = \frac{12}{5}$$



Hence, the area of the triangle PQR

$$\begin{aligned} &= 2(\Delta PQM) \\ &= 2 \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{12}{5} \times \frac{16}{5} \\ &= \frac{192}{25} \end{aligned}$$

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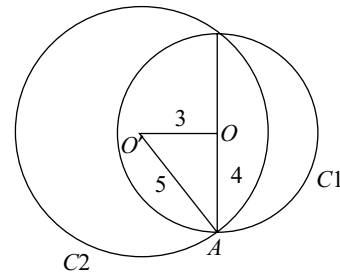


Here,  $AB = 2$ . So,  $AM = 1$

In  $\Delta ACM$ ,  $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{9}\right) = \frac{AM}{AC} = \frac{1}{r}$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{1}{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{9}\right)} = \text{cosec}\left(\frac{\pi}{9}\right)$$

23.



Clearly,  $OO' = \sqrt{25 - 16} = 3$

It is given that,  $\tan \theta = \frac{3}{4}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sin \theta}{3} = \frac{\cos \theta}{4} = \frac{1}{5}$$

Let the co-ordinates of the centre  $O' = (x, y)$  of the circle  $C_2$ .

Therefore,  $\frac{x-0}{\frac{4}{5}} = \frac{y-0}{\frac{3}{5}} = \pm 3$

$\Rightarrow x = \pm \frac{12}{5}, y = \pm \frac{9}{5}$

Thus,  $O' = \left( \pm \frac{12}{5}, \pm \frac{9}{5} \right)$ .

24. The equation of a circle be  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  ... (i)

which passes through  $(a, b)$ . So  $a^2 + b^2 + 2ga + 2fb + c = 0$  ... (ii)

Also (i) is orthogonal to  $x^2 + y^2 = k^2$ . So  $2(g \cdot 0 + f \cdot 0) = c - k^2$   
 $\Rightarrow c = k^2$  ... (iii)

From Eqs (ii) and (iii), we get  $a^2 + b^2 + 2ga + 2fb + k^2 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 - 2(-g)a - 2(-f)b + k^2 = 0$

Hence, the locus of the centre  $(-g, -f)$  is  $a^2 + b^2 - 2xa - 2yb + k^2 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 2ax - 2by - (a^2 + b^2 + k^2) = 0$

25. Given circle is  $(x+r)^2 + (y-h)^2 = r^2$   
 Equation of any tangent passing through origin is  $y = mx \Rightarrow mx - y = 0$

As we know that the length of the perpendicular from the centre of the circle to the tangent is equal to the radius of a circle.

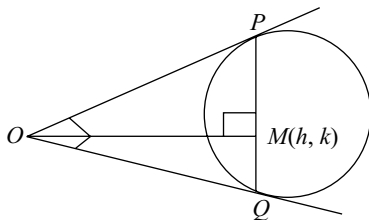
Thus,  $\frac{-rm - h}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} = r$   
 $\Rightarrow (-rm - h)^2 = (r\sqrt{m^2 + 1})^2$

$\Rightarrow (rm + h)^2 = r^2(m^2 + 1)$   
 $\Rightarrow r^2m^2 + 2rmh + h^2 = r^2m^2 + r^2$   
 $\Rightarrow 2rmh + h^2 = r^2$   
 $\Rightarrow m = \frac{r^2 - h^2}{2rh}$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$y = \left( \frac{r^2 - h^2}{2rh} \right) x$   
 $\Rightarrow (r^2 - h^2)x - 2rhy = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (h^2 - x^2)x + 2rhy = 0$

26. Let  $PQ$  be the chord of the given circle which subtends a right angle at the origin  $O$  and  $M(h, k)$  be the foot of the perpendicular from  $O$  on this chord  $PQ$ .



Equation of  $PQ$  is

$y - k = -\frac{h}{k}(x - h)$   
 $\Rightarrow hx + ky = h^2 + k^2$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{hx + ky}{h^2 + k^2} = 1$  ... (i)

The equation of the pair of lines joining the point of intersection of (i) with  $S = 0$  is

$x^2 + y^2 + (2gx + 2fy) \left( \frac{hx + ky}{h^2 + k^2} \right) + c \left( \frac{hx + ky}{h^2 + k^2} \right)^2 = 0$  ... (ii)

As the line (ii) are at right angles, so

$1 + 1 + \left( \frac{2gh + 2fk}{h^2 + k^2} \right) + c \frac{(h^2 + k^2)}{(h^2 + k^2)^2} = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (h^2 + k^2) + gh + fk + \frac{c}{2} = 0$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2) + gx + fy + \frac{c}{2} = 0$

27. Given two circles intersect. We have

$|r_1 - r_2| < C_1C_2 < r_1 + r_2$   
 $\Rightarrow |r - 3| < 5 < r + 3$   
 $\Rightarrow |r - 3| < 5, 5 < r + 3$   
 $\Rightarrow -5 < (r - 3) < 5, r > 2$   
 $\Rightarrow -2 < r < 8, r > 2$   
 $\Rightarrow 2 < r < 8$

28. Let  $r$  be the radius of the circle.

So,  $\pi r^2 = 154$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{22}{7} \times r^2 = 154$   
 $\Rightarrow r^2 = 7 \times 7$   
 $\Rightarrow r = 7$

Now, the centre of the circle is the point of intersection of  $2x - 3y = 5$  and  $3x - 4y = 7$ . So

$C = (1, -1)$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$(x - 1)^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 7^2$   
 $\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2y - 47 = 0$

29 Let the equation of the circle be

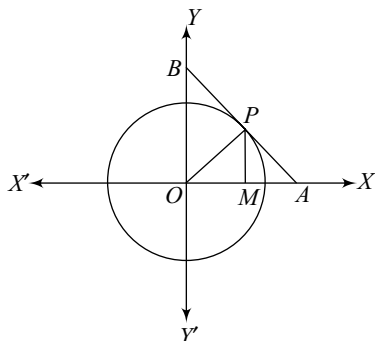
$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$   
 Let  $\left( m, \frac{1}{m} \right)$  be an arbitrary point on the circle.  
 $\Rightarrow m^2 + \frac{1}{m^2} + 2gm + \frac{2f}{m} + c = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow m^4 + 1 + 2gm^3 + 2fm + cm^2 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow m^2 + 2gm^3 + cm^2 + 2fm + 1 = 0$

Let  $m_1, m_2, m_3, m_4$  be the roots.

Thus,  $m_1 \cdot m_2 \cdot m_3 \cdot m_4 = \frac{1}{1} = 1$ .

30. Given circle is  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 2y = 0$   
 Centre is  $(3, -1)$ .  
 Clearly, the centre  $(3, -1)$  satisfies the equation of the diameter  $x + 3y = 0$ .

31.



The equation of tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  at  $(1, \sqrt{3})$  is

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

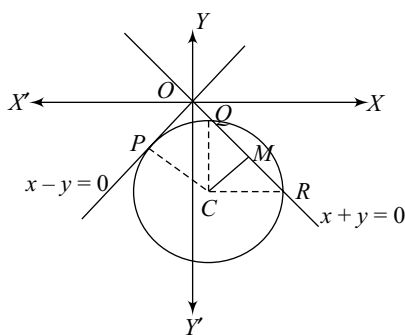
The equation of normal to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  at  $(1, \sqrt{3})$  is

$$y = \sqrt{3}x$$

Thus, area of the triangle  $OPA$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \times OA \times PM \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times \sqrt{3} \\ &= 2\sqrt{3} \text{ sq. u.} \end{aligned}$$

32. Let  $C(h, k)$  be the centre and  $r$  be the radius of the given circle.



Thus,  $\left| \frac{h-k}{\sqrt{2}} \right| = r$  ... (i)

Given  $OP = 4\sqrt{2}, QR = 6\sqrt{2}$

So,  $QM = MR = 3\sqrt{2}$

Clearly,  $CM = OP = 4\sqrt{2}$

$\left| \frac{h+k}{\sqrt{2}} \right| = 4\sqrt{2}$  ... (ii)

Also,  $r = \sqrt{CM^2 + (3\sqrt{2})^2}$   
 $\Rightarrow r = \sqrt{CM^2 + 18}$   
 $\Rightarrow r^2 = CM^2 + 18$   
 $\Rightarrow r^2 = \frac{(h+k)^2}{2} + 18$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{(h-k)^2}{2} = \frac{(h+k)^2}{2} + 18$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{(h-k)^2}{2} - \frac{(h+k)^2}{2} = 18$   
 $\Rightarrow -2hk = 18$   
 $\Rightarrow hk = -9$  ... (iii)

From Eq. (ii), we get

$h + k = 8$   
 $\Rightarrow h - \frac{9}{h} = 8$   
 $\Rightarrow h^2 - 8h - 9 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (h-9)(h+1) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow h = -1, 9$   
 and  $k = 9, -1$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

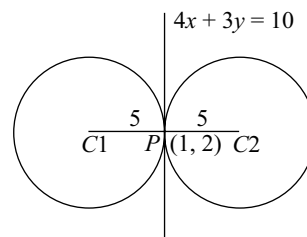
$$(x+1)^2 + (y-9)^2 = 50$$

or

$$(x-9)^2 + (y+1)^2 = 50$$

33. Ans.  $\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{4} \times r^2$  sq. units

34.



The equation of the line where both the centres lie is  $3x - 4y + k = 0$  which is passing through the point.

Thus,  $k = 5$

Hence, the required line is  $3x - 4y + 5 = 0$

Clearly,  $\tan \theta = \frac{3}{4}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{\sin \theta}{3} = \frac{\cos \theta}{4} = \frac{1}{5}$

Therefore, the co-ordinates of  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  can be obtained from

$\Rightarrow \frac{x-1}{4} = \frac{y-2}{3} = \pm 5$

$\Rightarrow x = 1 \pm 4, y = 2 \pm 3$   
 $\Rightarrow x = 5, -3; y = 5, -1$

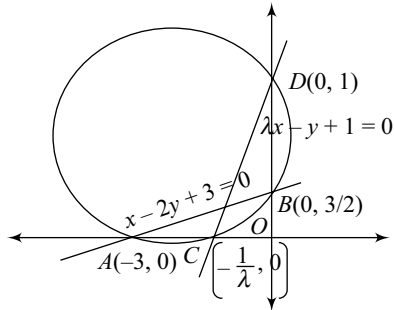
Therefore, the equations of the required circles are

$$(x - 5)^2 + (y - 5)^2 = 25$$

or

$$(x + 3)^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 25$$

35. Here,  $A, B, C$  and  $D$  are concyclic.

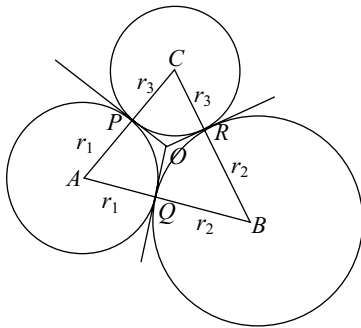


Thus,  $OA \cdot OC = OB \cdot OD$

$$\Rightarrow -3 \cdot -\frac{1}{\lambda} = \frac{3}{2} \cdot 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 2$$

36. Consider three circles with centres at  $A, B$  and  $C$  with radii  $r_1, r_2, r_3$  respectively, which touch each other externally at  $P, Q, R$ .



Let the common tangents at  $P, Q, R$  meet each other at  $O$ .

Then  $OP = OQ = OR = 4$

Also,  $OP \perp AB, OQ \perp AC, OR \perp BC$

Here,  $O$  is the incentre of the triangle  $ABC$ .

For  $\triangle ABC$ ,

$$s = \frac{(r_1 + r_2) + (r_3 + r_2) + (r_1 + r_3)}{2} = r_1 + r_2 + r_3$$

and  $\Delta = \sqrt{(r_1 + r_2 + r_3)r_1r_2r_3}$

Now, from the relation  $r = \frac{\Delta}{s}$ , we get

$$\frac{\sqrt{(r_1 + r_2 + r_3)r_1r_2r_3}}{r_1 + r_2 + r_3} = 4$$

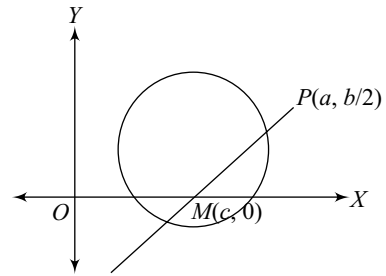
$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{\frac{r_1r_2r_3}{r_1 + r_2 + r_3}} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{r_1r_2r_3}{r_1 + r_2 + r_3} = 16 = \frac{16}{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow (r_1r_2r_3) : (r_1 + r_2 + r_3) = 16 : 1$$

37. Given circle is

$$2x(x - a) + y(2y - b) = 0$$



$$\Rightarrow 2x^2 - 2ax + 2y^2 - by = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2 + 2y^2 - 2ax - by = 0$$

The equation of the chord bisected at  $M$  is  $T = S_1$

$$\Rightarrow 2xx_1 + 2yy_1 - a(x + x_1) - b\left(\frac{y + y_1}{2}\right) = 2x_1^2 + 2y_1^2 - 2ax_1 - by_1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x \cdot c + 0 - a(x + c) - b\left(\frac{y + 0}{2}\right) = 2c^2 + 0 - 2ac - 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4cx + 2ax - 2ac - by = 4c^2 - 4ac$$

which is passing through  $P(a, b/2)$ . So

$$4ca - 2a^2 - 2ac - \frac{b^2}{2} = 4c^2 - 4ac$$

$$\Rightarrow 8ca - 4a^2 - 4ac - b^2 = 18c^2 - 8ac$$

$$\Rightarrow 8c^2 - 12ac + (4a^2 + b^2) = 0$$

Now,  $D > 0$

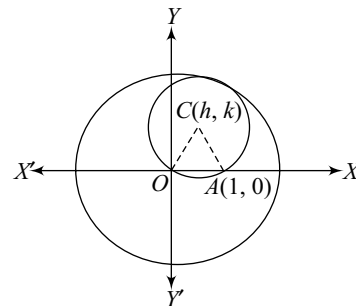
$$\Rightarrow 144a^2 - 32(4a^2 + b^2) > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9a^2 - 2(4a^2 + b^2) > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9a^2 + 8a^2 - 2b^2 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 > 2b^2$$

38.



Clearly,  $OC = OA$

$$\Rightarrow OC^2 = CA^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (h^2 + k^2) = (h - 1)^2 + k^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (h^2 + k^2) = h^2 - 2h + 1 + k^2$$

$$\Rightarrow -2h + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow h = \frac{1}{2}$$

Also,  $C_1C_2 = |r_1 - r_2|$

$$\Rightarrow OC = 3 - \sqrt{h^2 + k^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{h^2 + k^2} = 3 - \sqrt{h^2 + k^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\sqrt{h^2 + k^2} = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 + k^2 = \frac{9}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 = \frac{9}{4} - h^2 = \frac{9}{4} - \frac{1}{4} = 2$$

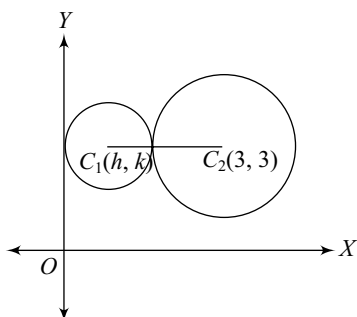
$$\Rightarrow k = \sqrt{2}$$

Hence, the centre is  $\left(\frac{1}{2}, \sqrt{2}\right)$ .

39. Given circle is

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

$$\Rightarrow (x-3)^2 + (y-3)^2 = 4$$



We have,

$$C_1C_2 = r_1 + r_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{(h-3)^2 + (k-3)^2} = h + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow (h-3)^2 + (k-3)^2 = (h+2)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 - 6h + 9 + k^2 - 6k + 9 = h^2 + 4h + 4$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 - 10h - 6k + 14 = 0$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

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

40. The equation of any circle passing through  $A(3, 7)$  and  $B(6, 5)$  is

$$(x-3)(x-6) + (y-7)(y-5) + \lambda \begin{vmatrix} x & y & 1 \\ 3 & 7 & 1 \\ 6 & 5 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow S_1: (x-3)(x-6) + (y-7)(y-5) + \lambda(2x+3y-27) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow S_1: x^2 + y^2 - 9x - 12y + 53 + \lambda(2x + 3y - 27) = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of the common chord of (i)

and  $S_2: x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 6y - 3 = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$

is  $S_1 - S_2 = 0$ .

$$\Rightarrow -5x = 6y + 56 + k(2x + 3y - 27) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -5x - 6y + 56 = 0, 2x + 3y - 27 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2, y = \frac{23}{3}$$

Hence, the co-ordinates of the point is  $\left(2, \frac{23}{3}\right)$ .

41. Given circles are

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

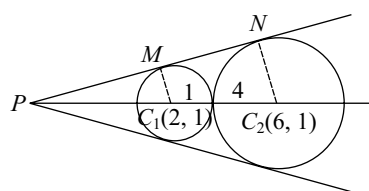
$$\Rightarrow (x-2)^2 + (y-1)^2 = 1$$

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

$$\Rightarrow (x-6)^2 + (y-4)^2 = 4^2$$

Here,  $C_1 = (2, 1), r_1 = 1; C_2 = (6, 4), r_2 = 2$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } C_1C_2 &= \sqrt{(6-2)^2 + (4-1)^2} = 5 \\ &= r_1 + r_2 \end{aligned}$$



$$\text{Therefore, } D = \left(\frac{4.2 + 1.6}{4 + 1}, \frac{4.1 + 1.4}{4 + 1}\right) = \left(\frac{14}{5}, \frac{8}{5}\right)$$

$$\text{and } P = \left(\frac{4.2 - 1.6}{4 - 1}, \frac{4.1 - 1.4}{4 - 1}\right) = \left(\frac{2}{3}, 0\right)$$

The equations of the tangent through  $P$  is

$$\Rightarrow y - 0 = m\left(x - \frac{2}{3}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3y = m(3x - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3mx - 3y - 2m = 0$$

Now,  $C_1M = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{3m.2 - 3.1 - 2m}{\sqrt{9m^2 + 9}} \right| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{4m - 3}{3\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} \right| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (4m - 3)^2 = 9(m^2 + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 16m^2 - 24m + 9 = 9m^2 + 9$$

$$\Rightarrow 7m^2 - 24m = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m(7m - 24) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 0, (7m - 24) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 0, m = \frac{24}{7}$$

Hence, the equations of tangents are

$$y = 0 \text{ and } y = \frac{24}{7}(x - 3)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 0 \text{ and } 24x - 7y - 72 = 0$$

42. Given circle is

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

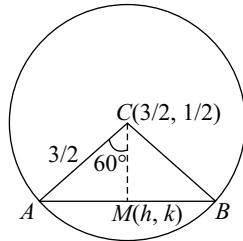
$$x^2 + y^2 - 3x + y + (1/4) = 0$$

$$x^2 + y^2 - 3x + y + (1/4) = 0$$

Thus,  $C = \left(\frac{3}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\right)$ ,  $r = \sqrt{\frac{9}{4} + \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4}} = \frac{3}{2}$

In  $\triangle ACM$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \cos(60^\circ) &= \frac{CM}{AC} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{CM}{3/2} &= \frac{1}{2} \\ \Rightarrow CM &= \frac{3}{4} \\ \Rightarrow CM^2 &= \frac{9}{16} \end{aligned}$$



$$\Rightarrow \left(h - \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 + \left(k - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{9}{16}$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

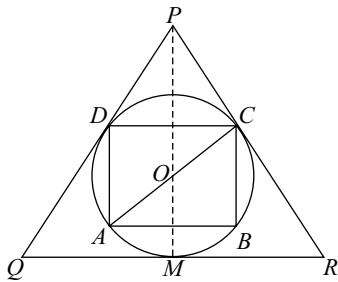
$$\left(x - \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 + \left(y - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{9}{16}$$

43. Here,  $C_1 = (5, 0)$ ,  $r_1 = 3$ ,  $C_2 = (0, 0)$ ,  $r_2 = r$

It is given that two circles intersect.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So, } |r_1 - r_2| &< C_1C_2 < r_1 + r_2 \\ \Rightarrow |3 - r| &< 5 < 3 + r \\ \Rightarrow |3 - r| &< 5, 5 < 3 + r \\ \Rightarrow -5 < (r - 3) &< 5, r > 2 \\ \Rightarrow -2 < r < 8, r > 2 \\ \Rightarrow 2 < r < 8 \end{aligned}$$

44. Let  $PM = p$



Now,  $\sin(60^\circ) = \frac{PM}{PQ} = \frac{p}{a}$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{p}{a} &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \Rightarrow p &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}a \end{aligned}$$

Here  $O$  is the centroid.

So the centroid divides the median in the ratio 2 : 1.

Thus,  $OM = \frac{p}{3}$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{p}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2r = \frac{2p}{3} = \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}a = \frac{a}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Let  $x$  be the side of a square.

Thus,  $x^2 + x^2 = \left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^2 = \frac{a^2}{3}$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2 = \frac{a^2}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = \frac{a^2}{6}$$

Area of a square =  $\frac{a^2}{6}$

45. Given circle is

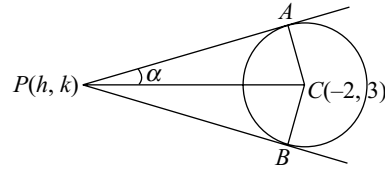
$$x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y + 9 \sin^2 \alpha + 13 \cos^2 \alpha = 0$$

$$(x + 2)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 4 - 4 \cos^2 \alpha$$

$$(x + 2)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = (2 \sin \alpha)^2$$

$$(x + 2)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = (2 \sin \alpha)^2$$

Let the  $P$  be  $(h, k)$ .



We have

$$\sin \alpha = \frac{AC}{PC}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \alpha = \frac{2 \sin \alpha}{\sqrt{(h + 2)^2 + (k - 3)^2}}$$

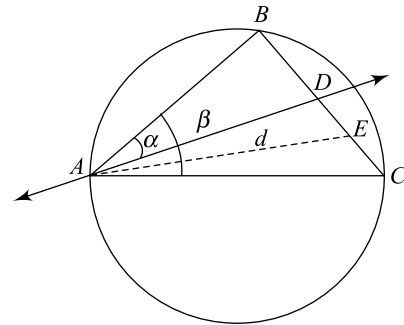
$$\Rightarrow (h + 2)^2 + (k - 3)^2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 + k^2 + 4h - 6k + 9 = 0$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 6y + 9 = 0$$

46. Let  $r$  be the radius of a circle, then  $AC = 2r$



Since,  $AC$  is the diameter  $\angle ABC = 90^\circ$

In  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $BC = 2r \sin \beta$ ,  $AB = 2r \cos \beta$

$$BD = AB \tan \alpha = 2r \cos \beta \tan \alpha$$

$$AD = AB \sec \alpha = 2r \cos \beta \sec \alpha$$

$$DC = BC - BD = 2r \sin \beta - 2r \cos \beta \tan \alpha$$

Since  $E$  is the mid-point of  $DC$ , so

$$DE = \frac{DC}{2} = r \sin \beta - r \cos \beta \tan \alpha$$

Now, in  $\triangle ADC$ ,  $AE$  is the median

$$2(AE^2 + DE^2) = AD^2 + AC^2$$

$$2(d^2 + r^2(\sin \beta - \cos \beta \tan \alpha)^2) = 4r^2 \cos^2 \beta \sec^2 \alpha + 4r^2$$

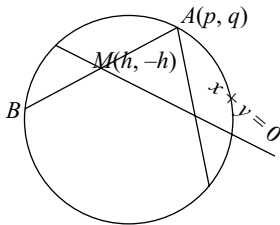
$$r^2 = \frac{d^2 \cos^2 \alpha}{\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + 2 \cos \alpha \cos \beta \cos(\beta - \alpha)}$$

Hence, the area of a circle =  $\pi r^2$

$$\frac{\pi d^2 \cos^2 \alpha}{\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + 2 \cos \alpha \cos \beta \cos(\beta - \alpha)}$$

47. Let  $(p, q) = \left( \frac{1 + a\sqrt{2}}{2}, \frac{1 - a\sqrt{2}}{2} \right)$

Given circle is  $2(x^2 + y^2) - 2px - 2qy = 0$



The equation of the chord bisected at  $M$  is

$$2(hx - hy) - p(x + h) - q(y - h) = 2(h^2 + h^2) - 2ph + 2qh$$

which is passing through  $A(p, q)$ .

$$\Rightarrow 2(hp - hq) - p(p + h) - q(q - h) = 4h^2 - 2ph + 2qh$$

$$\Rightarrow 3hp - 3hq - p^2 - q^2 - 4h^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4h^2 + 3(q - p)h + (p^2 + q^2) = 0$$

Since chords are distinct, so

$$D > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9(q - p)^2 - 16(p^2 + q^2) > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9(-a\sqrt{2})^2 - 8(1 + 2a^2) > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 18a^2 - 16a^2 - 8 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a^2 - 8 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 - 4 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (a + 2)(a - 2) > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a < -2, a > 2$$

Thus,  $a \in (-\infty, -2) \cup (2, \infty)$

48. The equation of any circle passing through the point of intersection of  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x = 0$  and  $y = x$  is

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2x + \lambda(x - y) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + (\lambda - 2)x - \lambda y = 0$$

Its centre is  $\left( \frac{2 - \lambda}{2}, \frac{\lambda}{2} \right)$

The centre lies on  $y = x$

So,  $\frac{2 - \lambda}{2} = \frac{\lambda}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 1$$

Hence, the required equation of the circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2x + (x - y) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - x - y = 0$$

49. Given  $C$  is the circle with centre at  $(0, \sqrt{2})$  and radius  $r$  (say)

Then  $x^2 + (y - \sqrt{2})^2 = r^2$

$$(y - \sqrt{2})^2 = r^2 - x^2$$

$$(y - \sqrt{2}) = \pm \sqrt{r^2 - x^2}$$

$$y = \sqrt{2} \pm \sqrt{r^2 - x^2}$$

The only rational value of  $y$  is 0

Suppose the possible value of  $x$  for which  $y$  is 0 is  $x_1$ . Certainly,  $y - x_1$  will also give the value of  $y$  as 0. Thus, atmost there are two rational points which satisfy the equation of the circle.

50. Let the point  $P$  be  $(h, k)$ .

Thus,  $\frac{x - p}{\cos \theta} = \frac{y - q}{\sin \theta} = r$  ... (i)

$$\Rightarrow x = p + r \cos \theta, y = q + r \sin \theta$$

The point  $P$  lies on the curve.

So,  $a(p + r \cos \theta)^2 + b(q + r \sin \theta)^2 + 2h(p + r \cos \theta)(q + r \sin \theta) = 1$

$$\Rightarrow (a^2 \cos^2 \theta + 2h \cos \theta \sin \theta + b^2 \sin^2 \theta) r^2 + 2[p(a \cos \theta + h \sin \theta) r + q(h \cos \theta + b \sin \theta)] r + ap^2 + 2hpq + bq^2 - 1 = 0$$
 ... (ii)

Let  $PQ = r_1$  and  $PR = r_2$ .

Also, let  $r_1$  and  $r_2$  are the roots of Eq. (ii)

Thus,  $r_1 r_2 = \frac{2(ap^2 + 2hpq + bq^2 - 1)}{(a + b) + 2h \sin 2\theta + (a - b) \cos 2\theta}$

Since the product of  $PQ$  and  $PR$  is the independent of  $\theta$  so,  $h = 0, a = b$  and  $a \neq 0$ .

So the given product becomes

$$x^2 + y^2 = \frac{1}{a}$$

which represents a circle.

51.

52. Any point on the line  $2x + y = 4$  can be considered as  $P(a, 4 - 2a)$ .

The equation of the chord of contact of the tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$  from  $P$  is

$$xx_1 + yy_1 - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow ax + (4 - 2a)y - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a(x - 2y) + (4y - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 2y) + \frac{1}{a}(4y - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 2y) + \lambda(4y - 1) = 0, \lambda = \frac{1}{a}$$

Thus,  $x - 2y = 0, 4y - 1 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{2}, y = \frac{1}{4}$$

Hence, the required point is  $\left( \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4} \right)$ .



53. Since two vertices of an equilateral triangle are  $B(-1, 0)$  and  $C(1, 0)$ .

So, the third vertex must lie on the  $y$ -axis.

Let the third vertex be  $A(0, b)$

Now,  $AB = BC = CA$

$$\Rightarrow AB^2 = BC^2 = AC^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + b^2 = 4 = 1 + b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow b^2 = 4 - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow b = \sqrt{3}$$

Thus, the third vertex is  $A = (0, \sqrt{3})$ .

As we know that in case of an equilateral triangle,

$$\text{Circumcentre} = \text{Centroid} = \left(0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$$

Hence, the equation of the circumcircle is

$$(x - 0)^2 + \left(y - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^2 = (1 - 0)^2 + \left(0 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + \left(y - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^2 = \frac{4}{3}$$

54. Given circles are  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$

$$\text{and } x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 8y - 24 = 0$$

Here  $C_1 = (0, 0)$ ,  $r_1 = 2$ ;  $C_2 = (3, 4)$ ,  $r_2 = 7$

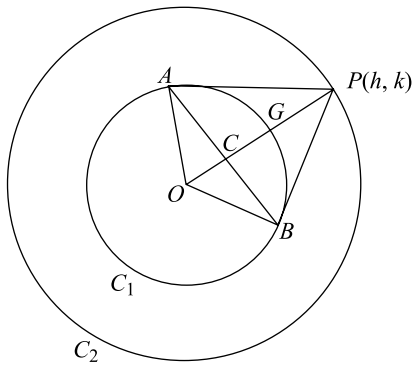
Now,  $C_1C_2 = 5 = r_2 - r_1$

So, two circles touch each other internally.

Thus, the number of common tangents = 1

55. Let  $P(h, k)$  be on  $C_2$

$$\text{So, } h^2 + k^2 = 4r^2$$



Chord of contact of  $P$  w.r.t  $C_1$  is  $hx + ky = r^2$

It intersects  $C_1$   $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  in  $A$  and  $B$ .

Eliminating  $y$ , we get,

$$x^2 + \left(\frac{r^2 - hx}{k}\right)^2 = r^2$$

$$(h^2 + k^2)x^2 - 2r^2hx + r^2(r^2 - k^2) = 0$$

$$4r^2x^2 - 2r^2hx + r^2(r^2 - k^2) = 0$$

$$\text{Thus, } x_1 + x_2 = \frac{h}{2}, y_1 + y_2 = \frac{k}{2}$$

Let  $(x, y)$  be the centroid of  $\Delta PAB$

$$\text{Thus, } 3x = x_1 + x_2 + h = \frac{h}{2} + h = \frac{3h}{2}$$

$$h = 2x$$

Similarly,  $k = 2y$

Putting in (i), we get,

$$4x^2 + 4y^2 = 4r^2$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = r^2$$

Hence, the locus is  $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$

56. Here  $A_0A_1 = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \cos(120^\circ) = \frac{1^2 + 1^2 - A_0A_2^2}{2 \cdot 1 \cdot 1}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{1}{2} = \frac{1^2 + 1^2 - A_0A_2^2}{2}$$

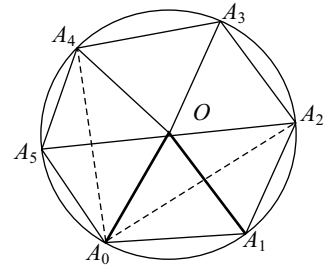
$$\Rightarrow A_0A_2^2 = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow A_0A_2 = \sqrt{3}$$

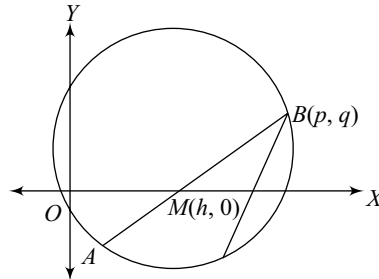
Similarly,  $A_0A_4 = \sqrt{3}$

Hence, the value of

$$\begin{aligned} A_0A_1A_0A_2A_0A_4 \\ = 1 \cdot \sqrt{3} \cdot \sqrt{3} \\ = 3. \end{aligned}$$



57.



The equation of the chord bisected at  $M(h, 0)$  is

$$xx_1 + yy_1 - p\left(\frac{x + x_1}{2}\right) - q\left(\frac{y + y_1}{2}\right)$$

$$= x_1^2 + y_1^2 - px_1 - qy_1$$

$$\Rightarrow hx + 0 - p\left(\frac{x + h}{2}\right) - q\left(\frac{y + 0}{2}\right)$$

$$= h^2 + 0 - ph - 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2hx - px - ph - qy = 2h^2 - 2ph$$

$$\Rightarrow 2hx - px - qy = 2h^2 - ph$$

$$\Rightarrow 2h^2 - 2hx - ph + (px + qy) = 0$$

which is passing through  $(p, q)$

$$\text{So, } 2h^2 - 2ph - ph + (p^2 + q^2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2h^2 - 3ph + (p^2 + q^2) = 0$$

Clearly,  $D > 0$

$$\Rightarrow 9p^2 - 8(p^2 + q^2) > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow p^2 - 8q^2 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow p^2 > 8q^2$$

58. The given circle is  $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$

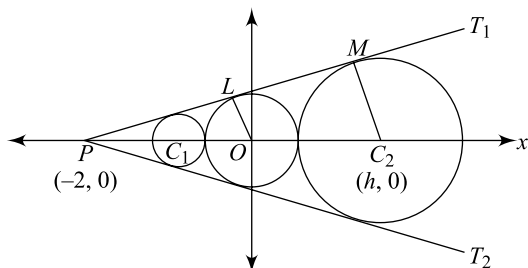
...(i)

Centre is  $(0, 0)$  and radius = 1

Let  $T_1$  and  $T_2$  be the tangents drawn from  $(-2, 0)$  to the circle (i)

Let  $m$  be the slope of the tangent, then the equations of tangents are

$$\begin{aligned} y - 0 &= m(x + 2) \\ mx - y + 2m &= 0 \end{aligned} \quad \dots(ii)$$



Clearly,  $\left| \frac{2m}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} \right| = 1$

$$m = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Thus, the two tangents are

$$T_1: x + \sqrt{3}y = 2$$

$$T_2: x - \sqrt{3}y = 2$$

Now any other circle touching (i) and  $T_1, T_2$  is such that its centre lies on  $x$ -axis

Let  $(h, 0)$  be the centre of such circle

Thus,  $OC_1 = OA + AC_1$

$$|h| = 1 + |AC_1|$$

But  $AC_1 =$  Perpendicular distance from  $(h, 0)$  to the tangents

$$|h| = 1 + \left| \frac{h + 2}{2} \right|$$

$$|h| - 1 = \left| \frac{h + 2}{2} \right|$$

$$h^2 - 2|h| + 1 = \frac{h^2 + 4h + 4}{4}$$

$$h = -\frac{4}{3}, 4$$

Hence, the centres of the circles are

$$\left(-\frac{4}{3}, 0\right), (4, 0)$$

Radius of the circle with centre  $(4, 0)$  is  $4 - 1 = 3$  and the

radius of the circle with centre  $\left(-\frac{4}{3}, 0\right)$  is  $\frac{4}{3} - 1 = \frac{1}{3}$

Thus, two possible circles are

$$(x - 4)^2 + y^2 = 9 \quad \dots(iii)$$

$$\text{and } \left(x + \frac{4}{3}\right)^2 + y^2 = \frac{1}{9} \quad \dots(iv)$$

Since (i) and (iii) are two touching circles, so they have three common tangents  $T_1, T_2$  and  $x = 1$

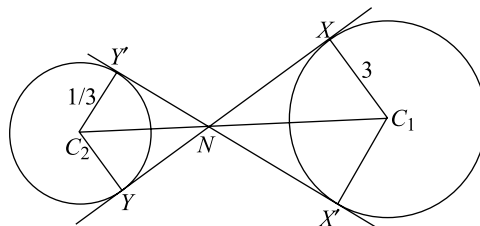
Similarly, common tangents of (i) and (iv) are  $T_1, T_2$  and  $x = -1$

For the circles (iii) and (iv), there will be four common tangents of which 2 are direct and another two are transverse common tangents.

In two triangles,  $\Delta C_1XN, \Delta C_2YN$

$$\frac{C_1N}{C_2N} = \frac{3}{1/3} = 9$$

Thus,  $N$  divides  $C_1C_2$  in the ratio 9:1



Clearly,  $N$  lies on  $x$ -axis

$$N = \left(-\frac{4}{5}, 0\right)$$

Any line through  $N$  is  $y = m\left(x + \frac{4}{5}\right)$

$$5mx - 5y + 4m = 0$$

If it is tangent to the circle (iii), then

$$\left| \frac{20m + 4m}{\sqrt{2m^2 + 25m}} \right| = 3$$

$$m = \pm \frac{5}{\sqrt{39}}$$

Hence, the required tangents are

$$y = \pm \frac{5}{\sqrt{39}} \left(x + \frac{4}{5}\right)$$

59. Let  $z_1 = Q = 3 + 4i$

Then  $z_2 = R = iz = i(3 + 4i) = 3i - 4$

$$= -4 + 3i$$

$$= (-4, 3)$$

Thus,  $\angle QOR = \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

Clearly,  $\angle QPR = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

60. The given circles are orthogonal. So,

$$2(g_1g_2 + f_1f_2) = c_1 + c_2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(1 \cdot 0 + k \cdot k) = k + 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 2k^2 = k + 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 2k^2 - k - 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2k^2 - 4k + 3k - 6 = 0$$

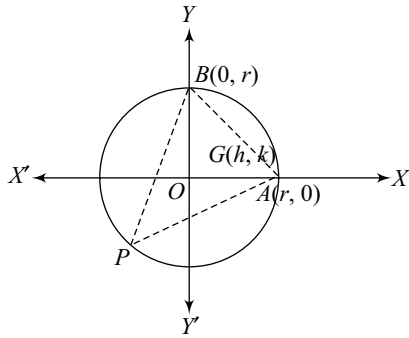
$$\Rightarrow 2k(k - 2) + 3(k - 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (k - 2)(2k + 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (k - 2) = 0, (2k + 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 2, -\frac{3}{2}$$

61.



Let  $A = (r, 0), B = (0, r)$   
and  $P = (r \cos \theta, r \sin \theta)$ .

We have  $h = \frac{1}{3}(r + r \cos \theta), k = \frac{1}{3}(r + r \sin \theta)$

$$\therefore \left(h - \frac{r}{3}\right)^2 + \left(k - \frac{r}{3}\right)^2 = \frac{r^2}{9}(\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta)$$

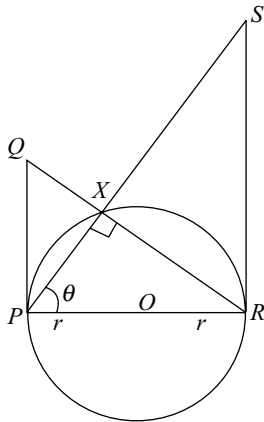
Hence, the locus of  $G(h, k)$  is

$$\left(x - \frac{r}{3}\right)^2 + \left(y - \frac{r}{3}\right)^2 = \frac{r^2}{9}$$

which represents a circle.

62. Ans.  $OA = 9 + 3\sqrt{10}$

63. Let  $\angle SPR = \theta$



Then  $\angle QRP = \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right), \angle PQR = \theta$

In  $\Delta PQR, \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right) = \frac{PQ}{PR}$

$$\Rightarrow \cot \theta = \frac{PQ}{2r} \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{Also, in } \Delta PRS, \tan \theta = \frac{RS}{PR} = \frac{RS}{2r} \quad \dots(ii)$$

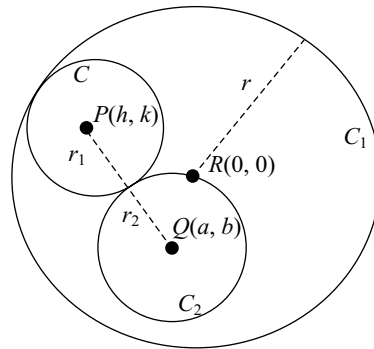
From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$\frac{PQ}{2r} \cdot \frac{RS}{2r} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 4r^2 = PQ \cdot RS$$

$$\Rightarrow 2r = \sqrt{PQ \cdot RS}$$

64.



Let  $C_1$  be the circle with centre  $R(0, 0)$  and radius  $r$ .  
Thus, its equation is  $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$ .

Let  $C_2$  be  $(x - a)^2 + (y - b)^2 = r_2^2$   
and  $C$  be  $(x - h)^2 + (y - k)^2 = r_1^2$ .

It is given that  $PR = r - r_1$  and  $QR = r + r_2$

$$\sqrt{h^2 + k^2} = r - r_1 \text{ and } \sqrt{(h - a)^2 + (k - b)^2} = r_1 + r_2$$

Adding, we get

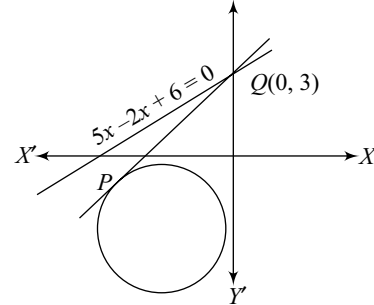
$$\sqrt{h^2 + k^2} + \sqrt{(h - a)^2 + (k - b)^2} = r + r_2$$

Thus, the locus of  $P(h, k)$  is

$$\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} + \sqrt{(x - a)^2 + (y - b)^2} = r + r_2$$

which represents an ellipse with foci at  $R(0, 0)$  and  $Q(a, b)$  and the length of the major axis is  $r + r_2$ .

65. Clearly, the point  $Q$  is  $(0, 3)$ .



Now, the length of the tangent  $PQ$  from  $Q$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 6y = 2$  is

$$PQ = \sqrt{0 + 9 + 0 + 18 - 2} = 5$$

66. Given common tangent is

$$y = mx - b\sqrt{1 + m^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow mx - y - b\sqrt{1 + m^2} = 0$$

Now, the length of the perpendicular from the 2nd circle is equal to the radius of the circle.

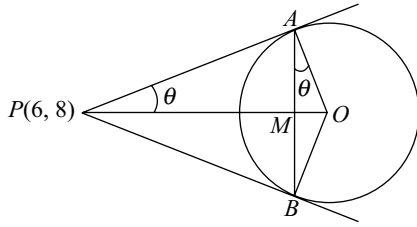
$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{am - b\sqrt{1 + m^2}}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} \right| = b$$

$$\Rightarrow am - b\sqrt{1 + m^2} = b\sqrt{m^2 + 1}$$

$$\Rightarrow am = 2b\sqrt{1 + m^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow a^2 m^2 &= 4b^2(1+m^2) \\ \Rightarrow a^2 m^2 &= 4b^2 + 4b^2 m^2 \\ \Rightarrow (a^2 - 4b^2)m^2 &= 4b^2 \\ \Rightarrow m^2 &= \frac{4b^2}{(a^2 - 4b^2)} \\ \Rightarrow m &= \sqrt{\frac{4b^2}{(a^2 - 4b^2)}} \\ \Rightarrow m &= \frac{2b}{\sqrt{(a^2 - 4b^2)}} \end{aligned}$$

67. Given circle is  $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$



We have  $OP = \sqrt{6^2 + 8^2} = 10$   
 $BM = r \cos \theta, OM = r \sin \theta$

where  $0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$

Also,  $\sin \theta = \frac{r}{10}$

If  $A$  denotes the area of the triangle  $PAB$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} A &= 2ar (\Delta PBM) \\ &= 2 \times \frac{1}{2} \times PM \times BM \\ &= PM \times BM \\ &= (OP - OM) \cdot BM \\ &= (10 - r \sin \theta) \cdot r \cos \theta \\ &= (10 - 10 \sin \theta \cdot \sin \theta)(10 \sin \theta \cdot \cos \theta) \\ &= 100 \sin \theta \cos^3 \theta \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{dA}{d\theta} &= 100 \cos \theta \cos^3 \theta - 300 \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta \\ &= 300 \cos^4 \theta \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} - \tan \theta \right) \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} + \tan \theta \right) \end{aligned}$$

For maxima and minima,  $\frac{dA}{d\theta} = 0$  gives

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} - \tan \theta &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \theta &= \frac{\pi}{6} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{dA}{d\theta} = \begin{cases} > 0: 0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{6} \\ < 0: \frac{\pi}{6} < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2} \end{cases}$$

Therefore  $A$  is maximum, when  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$  and  $r = 10 \cdot \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = 5$

68. From Figure (i),

$$\begin{aligned} I_n &= n \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot (OA_1) \cdot (OA_1) \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{n}\right) \\ &= \frac{\pi}{2} \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{n}\right) \end{aligned}$$

From figure (ii)

$$\begin{aligned} B_1 B_2 &= 2(B_1 L) \\ &= 2(OL) \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{n}\right) \\ &= 2 \cdot 1 \cdot \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{n}\right) \\ &= 2 \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{n}\right) \end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $O_n = n \left( \frac{1}{2} (B_1 B_2) (OL) \right) = n \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{n}\right)$

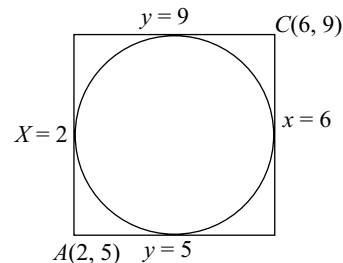
Now,  $\frac{I_n}{O_n} = \frac{(n/2) \sin(2\theta)}{n \tan \theta}$ ,

where  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{n} = \frac{2 \tan \theta}{(1 + \tan^2 \theta)} \cdot \frac{1}{2 \tan \theta} = \cos^2 \theta$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} (2 \cos^2 \theta) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (1 + \cos 2\theta) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \left( 1 + \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{2I_n}{n}\right)^2} \right) \\ I_n &= \frac{O_n}{2} \left( 1 + \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{2I_n}{n}\right)^2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

69. Given  $x^2 - 8x + 12 = 0$  and  $y^2 + 14y + 45 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (x - 2)(x - 6) = 0$  and  $(y - 5)(y - 9) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x = 2, x = 6$  and  $y = 5, y = 9$



Hence, the centre is  $\left(\frac{2+6}{2}, \frac{5+9}{2}\right) = (4, 7)$

70. The equation of a circle  $C$  is

$$(x - 2)^2 + (y - 1)^2 = r^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

Given circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 6y + 6 = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

The equation of the common chord is

$$-2x + 4y + 5 - r^2 - 6 = 0$$

which is a diameter of the circle (ii).

Thus,  $-2.1 + 4.3 + 5 - r^2 - 6 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 9 - r^2 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow r = 3$

71. Given  $\left| \frac{z - \alpha}{z - \beta} \right| = k$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|z - \alpha|^2}{|z - \beta|^2} = k^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(z - \alpha)(\bar{z} - \bar{\alpha})}{(z - \beta)(\bar{z} - \bar{\beta})} = k^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (z - \alpha)(\bar{z} - \bar{\alpha}) = k^2(z - \beta)(\bar{z} - \bar{\beta})$$

$$\Rightarrow |z|^2 - \alpha\bar{z} - \bar{\alpha}z + |\alpha|^2 = k^2(|z|^2 - \beta\bar{z} - \bar{\beta}z + |\beta|^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 - k^2)|z|^2 - (\alpha - k^2\beta)\bar{z} - (\bar{\alpha} - \bar{\beta}k^2)z + (|\alpha|^2 - k|\beta|^2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow |z|^2 - \frac{(\alpha - k^2\beta)}{(1 - k^2)}\bar{z} - \frac{(\bar{\alpha} - \bar{\beta}k^2)}{(1 - k^2)}z + \frac{(|\alpha|^2 - k|\beta|^2)}{(1 - k^2)} = 0$$

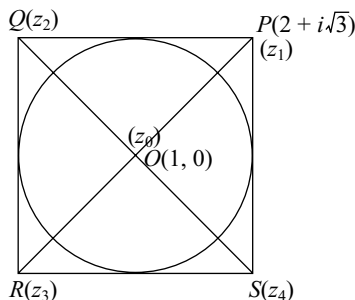
Thus, the centre of a circle is  $= \frac{(\alpha - k^2\beta)}{(1 - k^2)}$  and its radius

$$= \sqrt{\left| \frac{(\alpha - k^2\beta)}{(1 - k^2)} \right|^2 - \left( \frac{|\alpha|^2 - k^2\beta\bar{\beta}}{(1 - k^2)} \right)}$$

$$= \sqrt{\left( \frac{(\alpha - k^2\beta)}{(1 - k^2)} \right) \left( \frac{(\bar{\alpha} - \bar{\beta}k^2)}{(1 - k^2)} \right) - \left( \frac{|\alpha|^2 - k^2\beta\bar{\beta}}{(1 - k^2)} \right)}$$

$$= \left| \frac{k(\alpha - \beta)}{1 - k^2} \right|$$

72.



Since the centre of a square coincides with the centre of a circle, so

$$\frac{z_1 + z_3}{2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow z_1 + z_3 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow z_3 = 2 - z_1 = 2 - (2 + i\sqrt{3}) = -i\sqrt{3}$$

Here,  $\angle z_1 z_0 z_2 = \frac{\pi}{2}$

By the rotation theorem,

$$\left( \frac{z_2 - z_0}{z_1 - z_0} \right) = \left( \frac{z_2 - z_0}{z_1 - z_0} \right) e^{i\pi/2} = i$$

$$\Rightarrow (z_2 - z_0) = i(z_1 - z_0)$$

$$\Rightarrow z_2 = z_0 + i(z_1 - z_0)$$

$$\Rightarrow z_2 = 1 + i(2 + i\sqrt{3} - 1) = 1 + i - \sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow z_2 = (1 - \sqrt{3}) + i$$

Also,  $z_4 = 2 - z_2 = 2 - (1 - \sqrt{3}) + i$

$$\Rightarrow z_4 = (1 + \sqrt{3}) - i$$

73. The equation of the family of circle is

$$(x - 1)^2 + (y + 1)^2 + \lambda(2x + 3y + 1) = 0$$

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 2y + 2 + \lambda(2x + 3y + 1) = 0$$

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2(\lambda - 1)x + (3\lambda + 2)y + (\lambda + 2) = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation (i) is orthogonal to the circle

$$x(x + 2) + (y + 1)(y - 3) = 0$$

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 2y - 3 = 0$$

Therefore,

$$2 \left[ (\lambda - 1) \cdot 1 + \frac{(3\lambda + 2)}{2} \cdot (-1) \right] = \lambda - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\lambda - 2 - 3\lambda - 2 = \lambda - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = -\frac{3}{2}$$

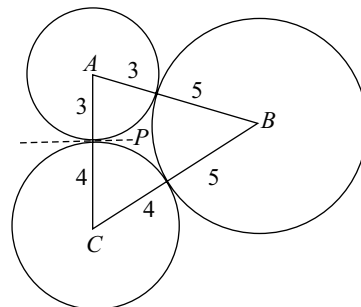
Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$(x - 1)^2 + (y + 1)^2 - \frac{3}{2}(2x + 3y + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(x^2 + y^2) - 4x + 4y + 4 - 6x - 9y - 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(x^2 + y^2) - 10x - 5y + 1 = 0$$

74. Let  $A, B, C$  be the centres of the 3- given circles.



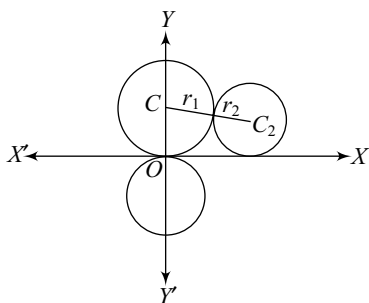
Clearly  $P$  is the incentre of the  $\Delta ABC$ .

Thus,  $r = \frac{\Delta}{s} = \frac{\sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)}}{s}$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{\sqrt{(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)}}{s}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \sqrt{\frac{5 \cdot 4 \cdot 3}{12}} = \sqrt{5}, \text{ since } s = 12$$

75. Given  $C_1 = (0, 1)$



Let  $C_2 = (x, y)$

Then  $r_1 + r_2 = C_1C_2$

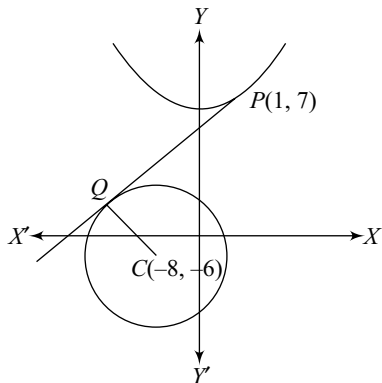
$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow 1 + |y| &= \sqrt{x^2 + (y-1)^2} \\ \Rightarrow 1 + y^2 + 2|y| &= x^2 + y^2 - 2y + 1 \\ \Rightarrow x^2 &= 2|y| + 2y \\ \Rightarrow x^2 &= 4y \text{ if } y \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the locus of its centre is

$$\{(x, y) : x^2 = 4y\} \cup \{(0, y) : y \leq 0\}$$

76. The equation of the tangent to the curve  $y = x^2 + 6$  at  $P(1, 7)$  is

$$2x - y + 5 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$



Here  $CQ$  is perpendicular to  $PQ$ .

The equation of  $CQ$  is  $-x - 2y + k = 0$

which is passing through the centre  $(-8, -6)$ . So,

$$\begin{aligned} 8 + 12 + k &= 0 \\ k &= -20 \end{aligned}$$

The equation of  $CQ$  is  $-x - 2y - 20 = 0$

$$x + 2y + 20 = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

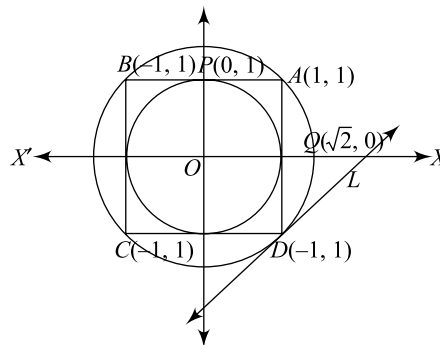
On solving Eqs. (i) and (ii), we get

$$x = -6 \text{ and } y = -7.$$

Therefore, the co-ordinates of  $Q$  are  $(-6, -7)$

77. Without loss of generality, we can assume the square  $ABCD$  with its vertices  $A(1, 1)$ ,  $B(-1, 1)$ ,  $C(-1, -1)$ ,  $D(1, -1)$

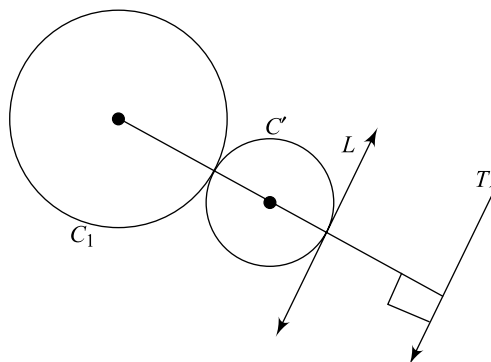
Let  $P$  be  $(0, 1)$  and  $Q$  at  $(\sqrt{2}, 0)$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } \frac{PA^2 + PB^2 + PC^2 + PD^2}{QA^2 + QB^2 + QC^2 + QD^2} &= \frac{1 + 1 + 5 + 5}{2[(\sqrt{2} - 1)^2 + 1] + 2[(\sqrt{2} + 1)^2 + 1]} \\ &= \frac{12}{16} = \frac{3}{4} = 0.75 \end{aligned}$$

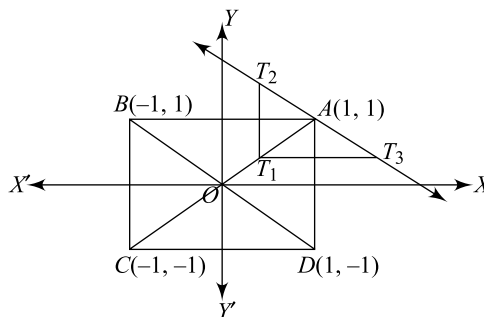
78. Let  $C'$  be the said circle touching  $C_1$  and  $L$ , so that  $C_1$  and  $C'$  are on the same side of  $L$ .

Let us draw a line  $T$  parallel to  $L$  at a distance equal to the radius of the circle  $C_1$ , on opposite side of  $L$ . Then the centre of  $C'$  is equidistant from the centre of  $C_1$  and from line  $T$



Locus of centre of  $C'$  is a parabola

79. Since  $S$  is equidistant from  $A$  and line  $BD$ , it traces a parabola.



Clearly,  $AC$  is the axis,  $A(1, 1)$  is the focus and  $T_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$  is the vertex of the parabola.

$$AT_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \text{ and } T_2T_3 = \text{latus rectum of parabola}$$

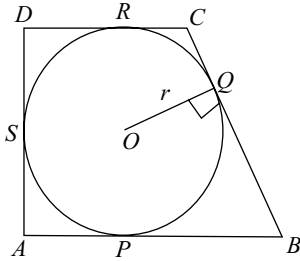
$$= 4 \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = 2\sqrt{2}$$

Thus, the area of the  $\Delta T_1T_2T_3$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times 2\sqrt{2} = 1 \text{ Sq unit.}$$

Note. No questions asked in 2015

80. Given  $AB \parallel CD \cdot CD = 2AB$ .



Let  $AB = 2a, CD = a$   
and the radius of the circle be  $r$ .  
Let the circle touches  $AB$  at  $P, BC$  at  $Q, AD$  at  $R$   
and  $CD$  at  $S$ .

Then  $AR = AP = r, BP = BQ = a - r,$   
 $DR = DS = r$  and  $CQ = CS = 2a - r$

In  $\Delta BEC,$

$$BC^2 = BE^2 + EC^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (a - r + 2a - r)^2 = (2r)^2 + a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (3a - 2r)^2 = (2r)^2 + a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 9a^2 + 4r^2 - 12ar = 4r^2 + a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{3}{2}r$$

Also,  $ar(\text{Quad. } ABCD) = 18$

$$\Rightarrow ar(\text{Quad. } ABED) + ar(\Delta BCE) = 18$$

$$\Rightarrow a \cdot 2r + \frac{1}{2} \cdot a \cdot 2r = 18$$

$$\Rightarrow 3ar = 18$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 \times \frac{3}{2} \times r^2 = 18$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow r = 2$$

Thus, the radius is  $r = 2$ .

81. The equation of any tangent to the given circle is

$$y = mx + a\sqrt{1+m^2}$$

which is passing through  $(17, 7)$ .

Thus,  $7 = 17m + 13\sqrt{1+m^2}$

$$\Rightarrow (7 - 17m)^2 = 169(1 + m^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 49 + 289m^2 - 238m = 169(1 + m^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 120m^2 - 238m - 120 = 0$$

Let its roots are  $m_1, m_2$ .

Therefore,  $m_1m_2 = -1$

$\Rightarrow$  the tangents are mutually perpendicular.

As we know that the point of intersection of two mutually perpendicular tangents is the director circle.

So, the equation of the director circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 = 338$$

Therefore, the Statement II is the correct explanation of the Statement I.

82. Given circle is  $(x + 3)^2 + (y - 5)^2 = 4$

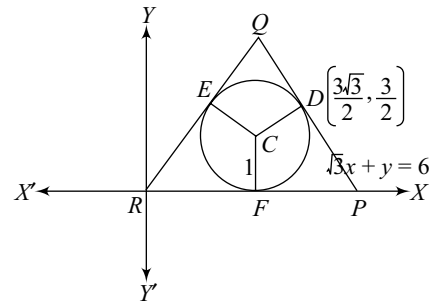
So, the radius = 2

Distance between the parallel lines  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  is

$$\left| \frac{(p+3) - (p-3)}{\sqrt{4+9}} \right| = \frac{6}{\sqrt{13}} < \text{radius } (2)$$

So, the Statement II is false, but the Statement I is true.

### Comprehension



83. Co-ordinates of  $C$  are

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x - \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}}{\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)} = \frac{y - \frac{3}{2}}{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow x - \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, y - \frac{3}{2} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \sqrt{3}, y = 1$$

Thus,  $C = (\sqrt{3}, 1)$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

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

84. Clearly, the point  $F$  is  $(\sqrt{3}, 0)$ .

Now the co-ordinates of  $E$  are

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x - \sqrt{3}}{\cos(150^\circ)} = \frac{y - 1}{\sin(150^\circ)} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x - \sqrt{3}}{-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}} = \frac{y - 1}{\frac{1}{2}} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x - \sqrt{3} = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, y = 1 - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \sqrt{3} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, y = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, y = \frac{1}{2}$$

Therefore,  $E = \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right), F = (\sqrt{3}, 0)$

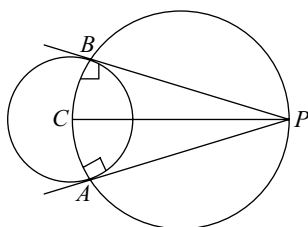
85. Co-ordinates of  $Q$  are  $(\sqrt{3}, 3)$ .

The equation of  $QR$  is  $y - 0 = \frac{3}{\sqrt{3}}(x - 0)$

$$\Rightarrow y = \sqrt{3}x$$

and the equation of  $RP$  is  $y = 0$ .

86. Given circle is  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 4y - 11 = 0$



Therefore, the centre is  $(3, 2)$

Since  $CA$  and  $CB$  are perpendicular to  $PA$  and  $PB$ .

So,  $CP$  is the diameter of the circumcircle  $PAB$ .

Thus, the equation of the circumcircle triangle  $PAB$  is

$$(x - 3)(x - 1) + (y - 2)(y - 8) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 10y + 19 = 0$$

87. Clearly, the length of the perpendicular from the centre of the circle is equal to the radius of the circle.

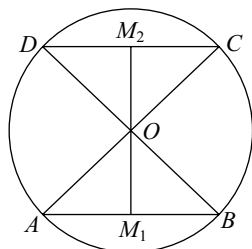
$$\text{Thus, } \left| \frac{h \cdot 0 + k \cdot 0 - 1}{\sqrt{h^2 + k^2}} \right| = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow (h^2 + k^2) = \frac{1}{4}$$

Hence, the locus of the  $(h, k)$  is

$$x^2 + y^2 = \frac{1}{4}$$

88.



In  $\Delta OM_1A$ ,

$$OA = 2, \angle AOM_1 = \frac{\pi}{2k}$$

$$\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2k}\right) = \frac{OM_1}{2} \Rightarrow OM_1 = 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2k}\right)$$

Similarly,  $OM_2 = 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{k}\right)$

It is given that,

$$OM_1 + OM_2 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2k}\right) + 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{k}\right) = (\sqrt{3} + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2k}\right) + \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{k}\right) = \left(\frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) + \cos(\theta) = \left(\frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{2}\right) \quad \text{where } \left(\frac{\pi}{k}\right) = \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) + 2 \cos^2\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) - 1 = \left(\frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \cos^2\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) + \cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) - \left(\frac{\sqrt{3} + 3}{2}\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2b^2 + b - \left(\frac{\sqrt{3} + 3}{2}\right) = 0, b = \cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4b^2 + 2b - (\sqrt{3} + 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow b = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4 + 16(3 + \sqrt{3})}}{8}$$

$$\Rightarrow b = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1 + 4(3 + \sqrt{3})}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow b = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1 + 4\sqrt{3} + 12}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow b = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{(1 + 2\sqrt{3})^2}}{2} = \frac{-1 \pm (1 + 2\sqrt{3})}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow b = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{-\sqrt{3} - 1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow b = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

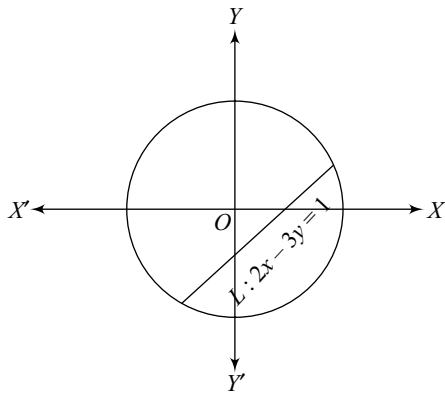
$$\Rightarrow \frac{\pi}{k} = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow [k] = 3$$



89. Let  $L: 2x - 3y = 1$



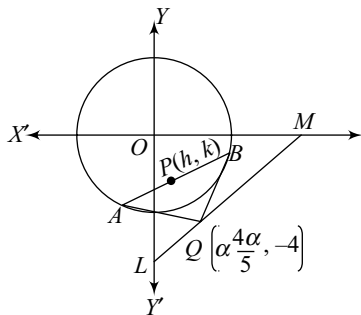
and  $S: x^2 + y^2 \leq 6$

If  $L > 0$  and  $S < 0$ , the points lie on the smaller part.

Thus, the points  $(2, \frac{3}{4})$  and  $(\frac{1}{4}, -\frac{1}{4})$  lie inside the triangle.

90. The equation of the chord bisected at  $P(h, k)$  is

$$hx + ky = h^2 + k^2 \quad \dots(i)$$



Let any point on line  $LM$  be  $(\alpha, \frac{4\alpha}{5} - 4)$ .

The equation of the chord of contact is

$$\alpha x + \left(\frac{4\alpha}{5} - 4\right)y = 9 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Comparing Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$\frac{h}{\alpha} = \frac{k}{\frac{4}{5}\alpha - 4} = \frac{h^2 + k^2}{9}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{20h}{4h - 5k}$$

$$\text{Therefore, } \frac{h}{\frac{20h}{4h - 5k}} = \frac{h^2 + k^2}{9}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{4h - 5k}{20} = \frac{h^2 + k^2}{9}$$

$$\Rightarrow 20(h^2 + k^2) = 9(4h - 5k)$$

Hence, the locus of  $P(h, k)$  is

$$20(x^2 + y^2) = 9(4x - 5y)$$

91. (i) Equation of the tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$

at  $P(\sqrt{3}, 1)$  is  $\sqrt{3}x + y = 4$

i.e  $PT: \sqrt{3}x + y = 4$

Now,  $m(PT) = -\sqrt{3}$

So,  $m(L) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ .

The line  $L$  is  $y = m(x - 3) \pm a\sqrt{1 + m^2}$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(x - 3) \pm 1\sqrt{1 + \frac{1}{3}}$$

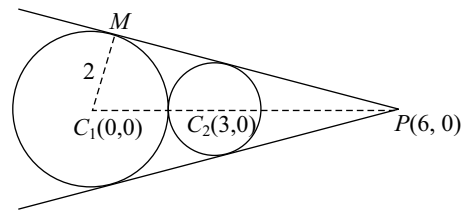
$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(x - 3) \pm \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{x - 5}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{x - 1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow x - \sqrt{3}y - 5 = 0, x - \sqrt{3}y - 1 = 0$$

(ii) Given circles are

$$x^2 + y^2 = 4, (x - 3)^2 + y^2 = 1$$



Clearly, the point of intersection is  $(6, 0)$ .

The equation of the direct common tangent is

$$y - 0 = m(x - 6)$$

$$\Rightarrow mx - y + 6m = 0$$

Now,  $C_1M = 2$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{6m}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} \right| = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 + 1 = 9m^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 8m^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \pm \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

Hence, the equation of the common tangents are

$$y = \pm \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}(x - 6) \text{ and } x = 2$$

92. Given circles are  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 15 = 0$

and  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$

Let the equation of the circle is

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

It passes through  $(0, 1)$ , so

$$1 + 2f + c = 0$$

Applying condition of orthogonality, we have

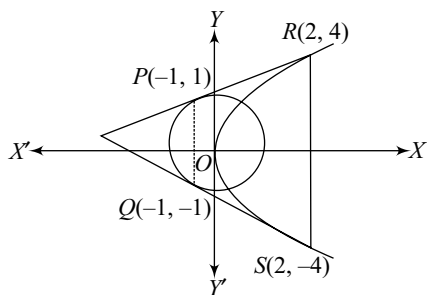
$$-2g = c - 15, 0 = c - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow c = 1, g = 7, f = -1$$

Thus,  $r = \sqrt{49 + 1 - 1} = 7$

and centre =  $(-7, 1)$

93.



The equation of any tangent to the parabola can be considered as  $y = mx + \frac{a}{m} = mx + \frac{2}{m}$ .

i.e.  $m^2x - my + 2 = 0$

As we know that the length of the perpendicular from the centre to the tangent to the circle is equal to the radius of a circle.

Thus,  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{m^4 + m^2}} = \sqrt{2}$

$$m^4 + m^2 = 2$$

$$m^4 + m^2 - 2 = 0$$

$$(m^2 + 2)(m^2 - 1) = 0$$

$$m = \pm 1$$

Hence, the equation of the tangents are

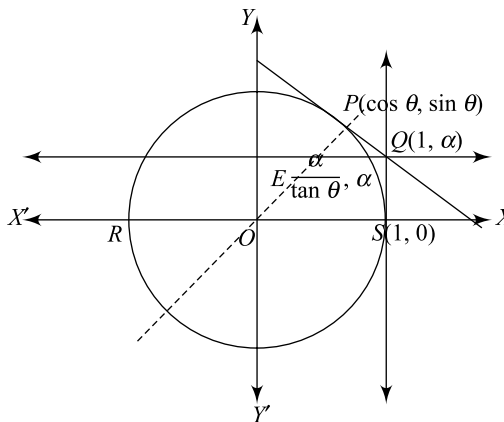
$$y = x + 2, y = -x - 2$$

Therefore, the points  $P, Q$  are  $(-1, 1), (-1, -1)$  and  $R, S$  are  $(2, 4)$  and  $(2, -4)$  respectively.

Thus, the area of the equadrilateral  $PQRS$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times (2 + 8) \times 3 = 15$$

94. Ans. (a, c)



$$E = \left( \frac{\alpha}{\tan \theta}, \alpha \right)$$

$$\cos \theta + \alpha \sin \theta = 1$$

$$\alpha = \tan \left( \frac{\theta}{2} \right)$$

Hence, the locus is  $y^2 = 1 - 2x$ .

Thus, the required points are  $\left( \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \right)$  and  $\left( \frac{1}{3}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \right)$ .



**CONCEPT BOOSTER**

**1. INTRODUCTION**

It is believed that the first definition of a conic section is due to Menaechmus (died 320 BC). His work did not survive and is only known through secondary accounts. The definition used at that time differs from the one commonly used today. It requires the plane cutting the cone to be perpendicular to one of the lines (a generatrix), that generates the cone as a surface of revolution. Thus the shape of the conic is determined by the angle formed at the vertex of the cone (between two opposite generatrices). If the angle is acute, the conic is an ellipse; if the angle is right, the conic is a parabola; and if the angle is obtuse, the conic is a hyperbola.

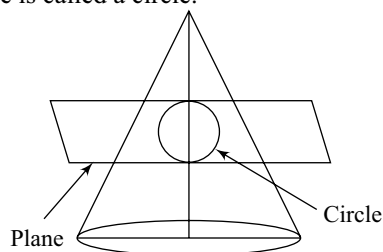
*Note:* The circle cannot be defined in this way and was not considered as a conic at this time.

Euclid (300 BC) is said to have written four books on conics but these were lost as well. Archimedes (died 212 BC) is known to have studied conics, having determined the area bounded by a parabola and an ellipse. The only part of this work to survive is a book on the solids of revolution of conics.

**2. BASIC DEFINITIONS**

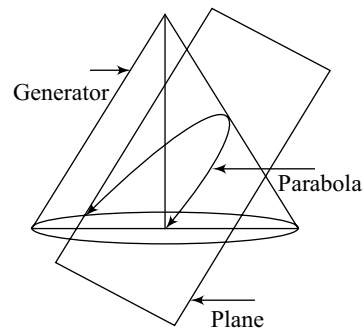
**(i) Circle**

The section of a right circular cone by a plane which is parallel to its base is called a circle.



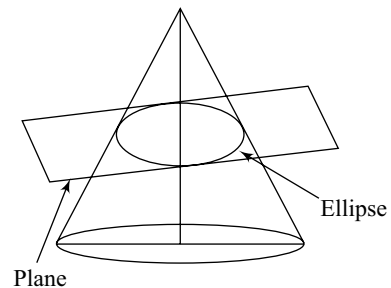
**(ii) Parabola**

The section of a right circular cone by a plane which is parallel to a generator of a cone is called a parabola.



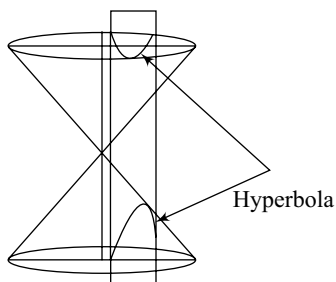
**(iii) Ellipse**

The section of a right circular cone by a plane which is neither parallel to a generator of a cone nor parallel or perpendicular to the axis of a cone is called an ellipse.



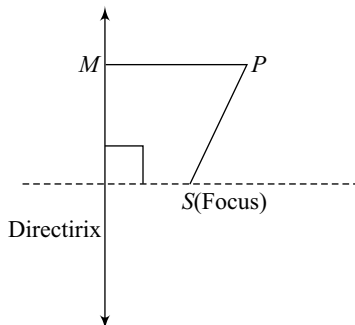
**(iv) Hyperbola**

The section of a double right circular cone by a plane which is parallel to the axis of a cone is called a hyperbola.



### 3. CONIC SECTION

It is the locus of a point which moves in a plane in such a way that its distance from a fixed point to its perpendicular distance from a fixed straight line is always constant. The fixed point is called the *focus* of the conic and this fixed straight line is called the *directrix* of the conic and this constant ratio is known as the *eccentricity* of the conic. It is denoted as  $e$ .



#### Conic Section with Respect to Eccentricity

- (i) If  $e = 0$ , the conic section is called a circle
- (ii) If  $e = 1$ , the conic section is called a parabola.
- (iii) If  $e < 1$ , the conic section is called an ellipse.
- (iv) If  $e > 1$ , the conic section is called a hyperbola.
- (v) If  $e = \sqrt{2}$ , the conic section is called a rectangular hyperbola.

#### Some Important Definitions to Remember

**Axis:** The straight line passing through the focus and perpendicular to the directrix is called the axis of the conic section.

**Vertex:** The point of intersection of the conic section and the axis is called the vertex of the conic section.

#### Double ordinate

Any chord, which is perpendicular to the axis of the conic section, is called a double ordinate of the conic section.

#### Focal chord

Any chord passing through the focus is called the focal chord of the conic section.

#### Focal distance

The distance between the focus and any point on the conic is known as the focal distance of the conic section.

#### Latus rectum

Any chord passing through the focus and perpendicular to the axis is known as latus rectum of the conic section.

#### Centre

The point which bisects every chord of the conic passing through it, is called the centre of the conic section.

### 4. RECOGNITION OF CONICS

A general equation of 2nd degree is

$$ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0,$$

$$\text{where } \Delta = \begin{vmatrix} a & h & g \\ h & b & f \\ g & f & c \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= abc + 2fgh - af^2 - bg^2 - ch^2$$

$$\text{and } H = \begin{vmatrix} a & h \\ h & b \end{vmatrix} = ab - h^2$$

There are two types of conics.

- (i) Degenerate conic, and
- (ii) Non-degenerate conic.

We use the term degenerate conic sections to describe the single point, single line and pair of lines and the term non-degenerate conic sections to describe those conic sections that are circles, parabolas, ellipses or hyperbolas.

A non-degenerate conic represents

- (i) a circle if,  $\Delta \neq 0, h = 0, a = b$
- (ii) a parabola if  $\Delta \neq 0, H = 0$
- (iii) an ellipse, if  $\Delta \neq 0, H < 0$
- (iv) a hyperbola, if  $\Delta \neq 0, H > 0$
- (v) a rectangular hyperbola, if  $\Delta \neq 0, H > 0$  and  $a + b = 0$ .

Now, the centre of the conics is obtained by

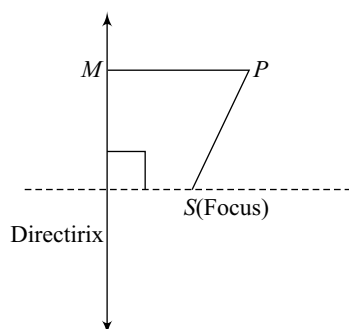
$$\frac{\delta f}{\delta x} = 2ax + 2hy + 2g = 0$$

$$\text{and } \frac{\delta f}{\delta y} = 2hx + 2by + 2f = 0.$$

$$\Rightarrow ax + hy + g = 0, hx + by + f = 0$$

Solving the above equations, we get the required centre of the given conic.

### 5. EQUATION OF CONIC SECTION



Let the focus be  $(h, k)$ , directrix be  $ax + by + c = 0$  and the eccentricity is  $e$ .

Then the equation of the conic section is  $\frac{SP}{PM} = e$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{(x-h)^2 + (y-k)^2} = e \left| \frac{ax + by + c}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-h)^2 + (y-k)^2 = e^2 \left( \frac{(ax + by + c)^2}{a^2 + b^2} \right)$$

which is the general equation of the conic section.

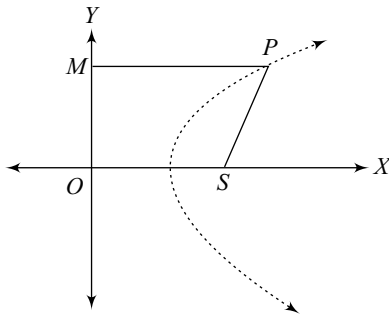
### 6. PARABOLA

The term parabola comes from Greek word, *para* ‘alongside, nearby, right up to,’ and *bola*, from the verb *ballein* means ‘to cast, to throw.’ Understandably, parallel and many of its derivatives start with the same root. The word parabola may thus mean ‘thrown parallel’ in accordance with the definition.

### 7. MATHEMATICAL DEFINITIONS

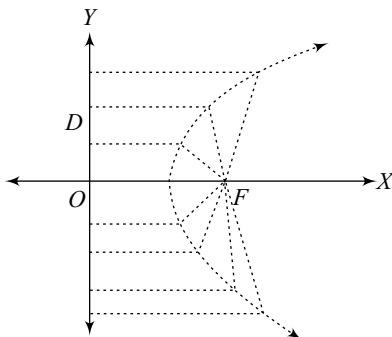
#### Definition 1

It is the locus of a point which moves in a plane in such a way that its distance from a fixed point is equal to its distance from a fixed straight line. The fixed point  $S$  is called the focus and the fixed straight line  $OM$  is called the directrix.



#### Definition 2

Let  $D$  be a line in the plane and  $F$  a fixed point not on  $D$ . A parabola is the collection of points in the plane that are equidistant from  $F$  and  $D$ . The point  $F$  is called the focus and the line  $D$  is called the directrix.



#### Definition 3

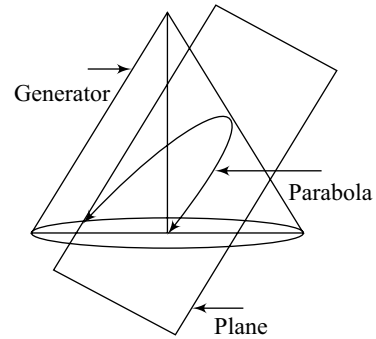
In algebra, the parabolas are frequently encountered as graphs of quadratic functions, such as  $y = ax^2 + bx + c$  or  $x = ay^2 + by + c$ .

#### Definition 4

It is a section of a conic, whose eccentricity is 1.

#### Definition 5

A plane curve formed by the intersection of a right circular cone and a plane parallel to an element of the cone is called parabola.

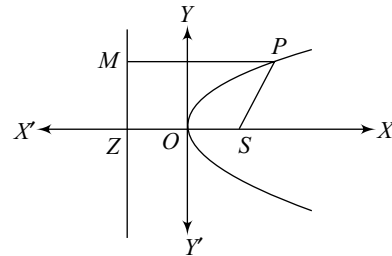


#### Definition 6

A conic  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  represents a parabola if

- (i)  $\Delta \neq 0$
- (ii)  $h^2 - ab = 0$ , where  $\Delta = abc + 2fgh - af^2 - bg^2 - ch^2$

### 8. STANDARD EQUATION OF A PARABOLA



Let  $S$  be the focus and  $MN$  be the directrix of the parabola. Draw  $SZ$  perpendicular to  $ZM$  and let  $O$  be the mid-point of  $FN$ .

Thus  $OS = OZ$

So  $O$  lies on the parabola.

Consider  $O$  as the origin and  $OX$  and  $OY$  as  $x$  and  $y$  axes, respectively.

Let  $OS = OZ = a$ .

Then the co-ordinates of  $F$  is  $(a, 0)$  and the equation of  $ZM$  is  $x + a = 0$ .

Now from the definition of the parabola, we get,

$$SP = PM$$

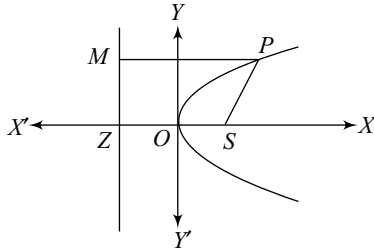
$$\Rightarrow SP^2 = PM^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - a)^2 + (y - 0)^2 = (x + a)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 = 4ax$$

which is the required equation of a parabola. This is also known as horizontal parabola or right-ward parabola.

### 9. IMPORTANT TERMS RELATED TO PARABOLA



#### Focus

It is the fixed point with reference to which the parabola is constructed. Here,  $S$  is the focus.

#### Directrix

It is a straight line outside the parabola. Here  $ZM$  is the directrix.

#### Axis of symmetry

It is the line which is perpendicular to the directrix and passes through the focus. It divides the parabola into two equal halves.

#### Vertex

It is the point on the axis of symmetry that intersects the parabola when the turn of the parabola is the sharpest.

The vertex is halfway between the directrix and the focus.

#### Focal chord

It is any chord that passes through the focus.

#### Latus rectum

It is that focal chord which is perpendicular to the axis of symmetry. The latus rectum is parallel to the directrix. Half of the latus rectum is called the semi-latus rectum.

#### Focal parameter

The distance from the focus to the directrix is called the focal parameter.

#### Focal distance

The distance between any point on the parabola to the focus is called the focal distance. Here,  $SP$  is the focal distance.

#### Parametric equation

From the equation of the parabola, we can write

$$\frac{y}{2a} = \frac{2x}{y} = t$$

Then  $x = at^2$ ,  $y = 2at$ , where  $t$  is a parameter.

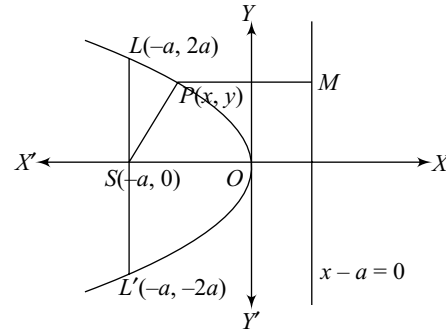
The equations  $x = at^2$  and  $y = 2at$  are called the parametric equations and the point  $(at^2, 2at)$  is also referred to as the point  $t$ .

- Vertex is:  $(0, 0)$
- Focus is:  $(a, 0)$
- Equation of the directrix is:  $x + a = 0$ .
- Equation of the axis is:  $y = 0$
- Equation of the tangent at the vertex is:  $x = 0$

- Length of the latus rectum:  $4a$
- Extremities of the latus rectum are:  $L(a, 2a)$ ,  $L'(a, -2a)$
- Equation of the latus rectum is:  $x = a$
- Parametric equations of the parabola:  $y^2 = 4ax$  are  $x = at^2$  and  $y = 2at$
- Focal distance:  $x + a$
- Any point on the parabola can be considered as  $(at^2, 2at)$ .

#### Parabola opening leftwards

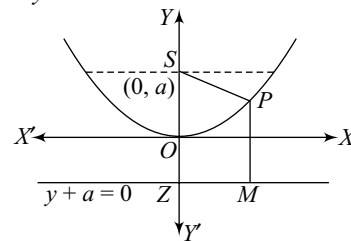
i.e.  $y^2 = -4ax$



- Vertex is  $(0, 0)$
- Focus is  $(-a, 0)$
- Equation of the directrix is  $x - a = 0$
- Equation of the axis is  $y = 0$
- Equation of the tangent at the vertex is  $x = 0$
- Length of the latus rectum is  $4a$
- Extremities of the latus rectum are:  $L(-a, 2a)$ ,  $L'(a, -2a)$
- Equation of the latus rectum is  $x = -a$
- Parametric equations of the parabola:  $y^2 = -4ax$  are  $x = -at^2$  and  $y = 2at$
- Focal distance is  $x - a$
- Any point on the parabola can be considered as  $(-at^2, 2at)$ .

#### Parabola opening upwards

i.e.  $x^2 = 4ay$

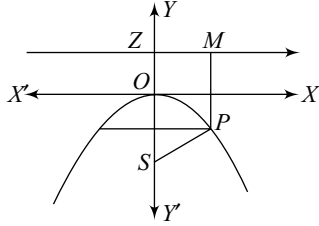


- Vertex is  $(0, 0)$
- Focus is  $(0, a)$
- Equation of the directrix is  $y + a = 0$
- Equation of the axis is  $x = 0$
- Equation of the tangent at the vertex is  $y = 0$
- Length of the latus rectum  $4a$
- Extremities of the latus rectum are  $L(2a, a)$ ,  $L'(-2a, a)$
- Equation of the latus rectum is  $y = a$
- Parametric equations of the parabola  $x^2 = 4ay$  are  $x = -2at$  and  $y = at^2$

- (x) Focal distance is  $y + a$
- (xi) Any point on the parabola can be considered as  $(2at, at^2)$ .

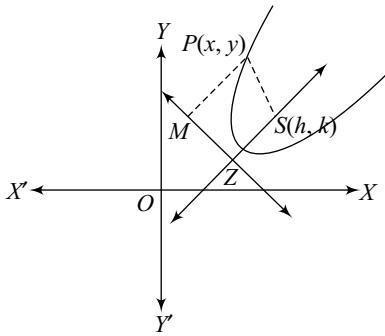
**Parabola Opening Downwards**

i.e.  $x^2 = -4ay$



- (i) Vertex is  $(0, 0)$
- (ii) Focus is  $(0, -a)$
- (iii) Equation of the directrix is  $y - a = 0$
- (iv) Equation of the axis is  $x = 0$
- (v) Equation of the tangent at the vertex is  $y = 0$
- (vi) Length of the latus rectum is  $4a$
- (vii) Extremities of the latus rectum are:  
 $L(2a, -a), L'(-2a, -a)$
- (viii) Equation of the latus rectum is  $y = -a$
- (ix) parametric equations of the parabola  $x^2 = -4ay$  are  $x = 2at$  and  $y = -at^2$
- (x) Any point on the parabola can be considered as  $(2at, -at^2)$ .
- (xi) Focal distance is  $y - a$

**10. GENERAL EQUATION OF A PARABOLA**



Let  $S(h, k)$  be the focus and  $lx + my + n = 0$  is the equation of the directrix and  $P(x, y)$  be any point on the parabola.

Then,

$$SP = PM$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{(x - h)^2 + (y - k)^2} = \frac{|lx + my + n|}{\sqrt{l^2 + m^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - h)^2 + (y - k)^2 = \frac{(lx + my + n)^2}{(l^2 + m^2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2x^2 + l^2y^2 - 2lmxy + (\text{term})x + (\text{term})y + (\text{constant term}) = 0$$

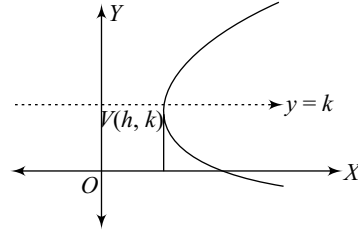
$$\Rightarrow (mx - ly)^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$$

which is the general equation of a parabola.

**11. EQUATION OF A PARABOLA WHEN THE VERTEX IS  $(h, k)$  AND AXIS IS PARALLEL TO X-AXIS**

The equation of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  can be written as  $(y - 0)^2 = 4a(x - 0)$

The vertex of the parabola is  $O(0, 0)$ . Now the origin is shifted to  $V(h, k)$  without changing the direction of axes, its equation becomes  $(y - k)^2 = 4a(x - h)$

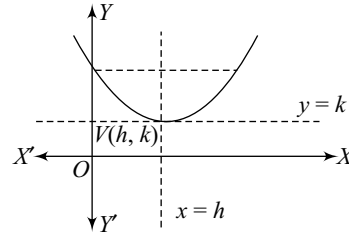


Thus its focus is  $F(a + h, k)$ , latus rectum =  $4a$  and the equation of the directrix is

$$x = h - a, \text{ i.e. } x + a - h = 0$$

The parametric equation of the curve  $(y - k)^2 = 4a(x - h)$  are  $x - h + at^2$  and  $y = k + 2at$ .

**12. EQUATION OF A PARABOLA WHEN THE VERTEX IS  $(h, k)$  AND AXIS IS PARALLEL TO Y-AXIS**



The equation of a parabola with the vertex  $V(h, k)$  is

$$(x - h)^2 = 4a(y - k)$$

Thus, its focus is  $F(h, a + k)$ , latus rectum =  $4a$  and the equation of the directrix is

$$y = k - a, \text{ i.e. } y + a - k = 0$$

The parametric equation of the curve  $(x - h)^2 = 4a(y - k)$  are  $x = h + 2at$  and  $y = k + at^2$ .

**Note:** The equation of a parabola, whose axis is parallel to  $y$ -axis can also be considered as  $y = ax^2 + bx + c$ .

**Polar form of a Parabola**

In polar coordinates, the equation of a parabola with parameters  $r$  and  $\theta$  and the centre  $(0, 0)$  is given by

$$r = -\frac{2a}{1 + \cos \theta}$$

**13. FOCAL CHORD**

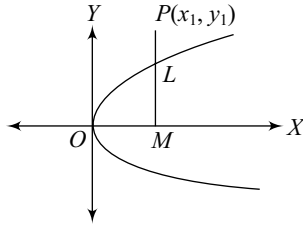
Any line passing through the focus and intersects the parabola in two distinct points, it is known as focal chord of the parabola.

Any point on the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  can be considered as  $(at^2, 2at)$ .



**14. POSITION OF A POINT RELATIVE TO A PARABOLA**

Consider the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  and the point be  $(x_1, y_1)$ .



The point  $(x_1, y_1)$  lies outside, on and inside of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  according as

$$y_1^2 - 4ax_1 > 0, = 0, < 0$$

**15. INTERSECTION OF A LINE AND A PARABOLA**

Let the parabola be  $y^2 = 4ax$  and the line be  $y = mx + c$ .

Eliminating  $x$  between these two equations, we get

$$y^2 = 4a\left(\frac{y - c}{m}\right)$$

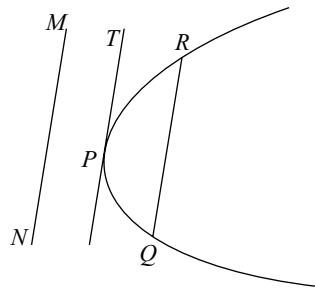
$$\Rightarrow my^2 - 4ay + 4ac = 0$$

The given line will cut the parabola in two distinct, coincident and imaginary points according as

$$D > 0, = 0, < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 16a^2 - 16amc > 0, = 0, < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a > cm, a = cm, a < cm$$



**Condition of tangency:** The line  $y = mx + c$  will be a tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ , if  $c = \frac{a}{m}$ .

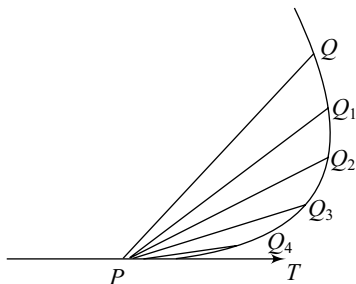
The equation of any tangent to the parabola can be considered as  $y = mx + \frac{a}{m}$ .

The co-ordinates of the point of contact in terms of  $m$  is

$$\left(\frac{a}{m^2}, \frac{2a}{m}\right)$$

**16. TANGENT**

If a line intersects the parabola in two coincident points, it is known as the tangent to a parabola.



**Equation of the Tangent to a Parabola in Different Forms**

**(i) Point form**

The equation of the tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$yy_1 = 2a(x + x_1)$$

Now the given equation is

$$y^2 = 4ax.$$

Differentiating with respect to  $x$ , we get

$$2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 4a$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2a}{y}$$

$$\text{Now } m = \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)_{(x_1, y_1)} = \frac{2a}{y_1}.$$

Thus the equation of tangent is

$$\Rightarrow yy_1 - y_1^2 = 2ax - 2ax_1$$

$$\Rightarrow yy_1 = 2ax - 2ax_1 + 4ax_1 = 2a(x + x_1)$$

which is the required equation of the tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at  $(x_1, y_1)$ .

**(ii) Parametric form**

The equation of the tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at  $(at^2, 2at)$  is

$$yt = x + at^2$$

The equation of the tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$yy_1 = 2a(x + x_1)$$

$$\Rightarrow y \cdot 2at = 2a(x + at^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow yt = x + at^2$$

**(iii) Slope form**

The equation of the tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at

$$\left(\frac{a}{m^2}, \frac{2a}{m}\right) \text{ is}$$

$$y = mx + \frac{a}{m}, \text{ where } m = \text{slope}$$

The equation of the tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$yy_1 = 2a(x + x_1) \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{Here, } m = \frac{2a}{y_1} \Rightarrow y_1 = \frac{2a}{m}$$

Since the point  $(x_1, y_1)$  lies on the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ , we have,

$$y_1^2 = 4ax_1.$$

$$\Rightarrow 4ax_1 = \frac{4a^2}{m^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 = \frac{a}{m^2}$$

Putting the values of  $x_1$  and  $y_1$  in Eq. (i), we get

$$y \cdot \left(\frac{2a}{m}\right) = 2a \left(x + \frac{a}{m^2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = mx + \frac{a}{m}$$

**(iv) Condition of tangency**

The line  $y = mx + c$  will be a tangent to the parabola

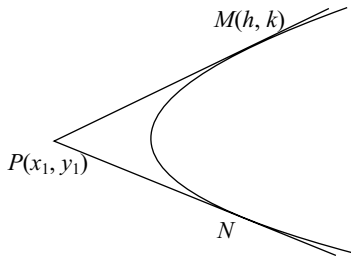
$$y^2 = 4ax \text{ is } c = \frac{a}{m}.$$

**Note:** Any tangent to the parabola can be considered as  $y = mx + \frac{a}{m}$ .

**(v) Director circle**

The locus of the point of intersection of two perpendicular tangents to a parabola is known as the director circle.

**(vi)** The equation of the pair of tangents can be drawn to the parabola from the **point**  $(x_1, y_1)$ .



Let  $(h, k)$  be any point on either of the tangents drawn from  $(x_1, y_1)$ .

The equation of the line joining  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(h, k)$  is

$$y - y_1 = \frac{k - y_1}{h - x_1} (x - x_1)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{k - y_1}{h - x_1} x + \frac{hy_1 - kx_1}{h - x_1}$$

If this be a tangent, it must be of the form  $y = mx + \frac{a}{m}$ .

Thus,  $m = \frac{k - y_1}{h - x_1}$  and  $\frac{a}{m} = \frac{hy_1 - kx_1}{h - x_1}$

Therefore, by multiplication we get

$$a = \left(\frac{k - y_1}{h - x_1}\right) \left(\frac{hy_1 - kx_1}{h - x_1}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow a(h - x_1)^2 = (k - y_1)(hy_1 - kx_1)$$

Hence, the locus of the point  $(h, k)$  is

$$\Rightarrow a(x - x_1)^2 = (y - y_1)(xy_1 - yx_1)$$

$$\Rightarrow (y^2 - 4ax)(y_1^2 - 4ax_1) = \{yy_1 - 2a(x + x_1)\}^2.$$

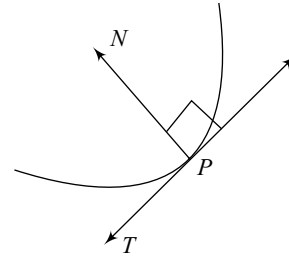
$$\Rightarrow SS_1 = T^2$$

where,  $S: (y^2 - 4ax)$ ,  $S_1: (y_1^2 - 4ax_1)$

and  $T: \{yy_1 - 2a(x + x_1)\}$ .

**17. NORMAL**

It is a line which is perpendicular to the point of contact to the tangent.



Here  $PT$  is a tangent and  $PN$  is a normal.

**Equation of Normals to the Parabola in Different Forms**

**(i) Point form**

The equation of the normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$\frac{y - y_1}{y_1} = \frac{x - x_1}{2a}$$

The equation of the tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$yy_1 = 2a(x + x_1) \quad \dots(i)$$

Slope of the tangent is  $m(T) = \frac{2a}{y_1}$

Slope of the normal is  $m(N) = -\frac{y_1}{2a}$

Thus the equation of the normal is

$$y - y_1 = -\frac{y_1}{2a}(x - x_1)$$

**(ii) Parametric form**

The equation of the normal to the parabola

$$y^2 = 4ax \text{ at } (at^2, 2at) \text{ is}$$

$$y = -tx + 2at + at^3$$

As we know that the equation of the normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$\frac{y - y_1}{y_1} = -\frac{x - x_1}{2a}$$

Replacing  $x_1$  by  $at^2$  and  $y_1$  by  $2at$ , we get

$$\frac{y - 2at}{2at} = -\frac{x - at^2}{2a}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -tx + 2at + at^3$$

which is the required equation of the normal to the given parabola.

**(iii) Slope form**

The equation of the normal to the parabola

$$y^2 = 4ax \text{ at } (ax^2, -2am) \text{ is}$$

$$y = mx - 2am - am^3$$

As we know that the equation of the normal to the parabola

$$y^2 = 4ax \text{ at } (at^2, 2at) \text{ is} \\ y = -tx + 2at + at^3 \quad \dots(i)$$

The slope of the normal is

$$m = -t$$

$$\Rightarrow t = -m$$

Putting the values of  $m$  in Eq. (i), we get

$$y = mx - 2am - am^3$$

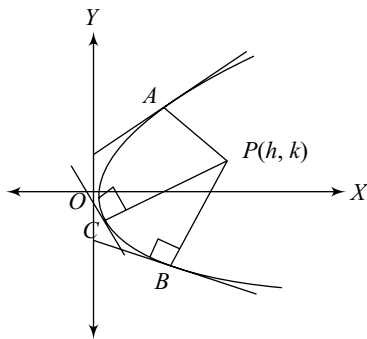
which is the required equation of the normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at  $(am^2, -2am)$ .

#### (iv) Condition of normal

The line  $y = mx + c$  will be a normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ , if  $c = -2am - am^3$  and the co-ordinates of the point of contact are  $(am^2, -2am)$ .

#### (v) Co-normal points

In general, three normals can be drawn from a point to a parabola and their feet (points) where they meet the parabola are called the co-normal points.



Here  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$  are three co-normal points.

Let  $P(h, k)$  be any given point  $y^2 = 4ax$  be a parabola.

The equation of any normal to the parabola

$$y^2 = 4ax \text{ is}$$

$$y = mx - 2am - am^3$$

which passes through  $P(h, k)$ . Then

$$k = mh - 2am - am^3$$

$$\Rightarrow am^3 + (2a - h)m + k = 0$$

which is a cubic equation in  $m$ . So it has three roots.

Thus, in total, three normals can be drawn from a point lies either outside or inside of a parabola.

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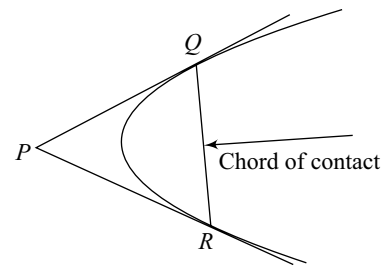
1. We can draw one and only one normal to a parabola, if a point lies on the parabola.
2. From an external point to a parabola, only one normal can be drawn.

### 18. CHORD OF CONTACT

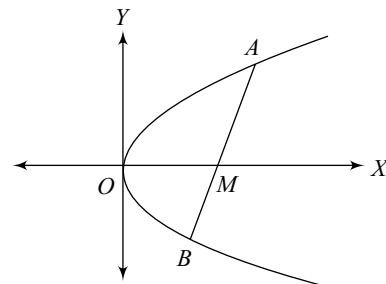
The chord joining the points of contact of two tangents drawn from an external point to a parabola is known as the chord of contact.

The equation of the chord of contact of tangents drawn from a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  to the parabola

$$y^2 = 4ax \text{ is} \\ yy_1 = 2a(x + x_1)$$



### 19. CHORD BISECTED AT A GIVEN POINT



The equation of the chord of the parabola

$$y^2 = 4ax \text{ is bisected at the point } (x_1, y_1) \text{ is}$$

$$T = S_1$$

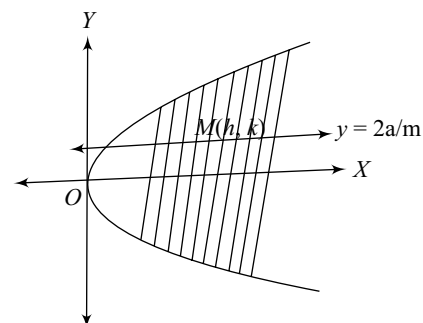
$$\Rightarrow yy_1 - 2a(x + x_1) = y_1^2 - 4ax_1$$

where

$$T: y_1 - 2a(x + x_1), S: y_1^2 - 4ax_1$$

### 20. DIAMETER

The locus of the mid-points of a system of parallel chords to a parabola is known as the diameter of the parabola.



The equation of the diameter to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  bisecting a system of parallel chords with slope  $m$  is

$$y = \frac{2a}{m}$$

Let  $(h, k)$  be the mid-point of the chord  $y = mx + c$  of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ .

Then,  $T = S_1$

$$\Rightarrow ky - 2a(x + h) = k^2 - 2ah$$

Now slope =  $\frac{2a}{k}$

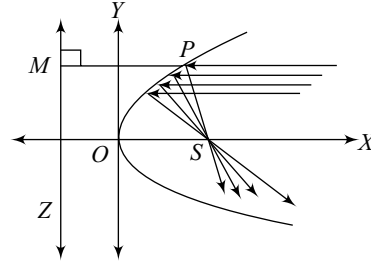
$$m = \frac{2a}{k} \Rightarrow k = \frac{2a}{m}$$

Hence the locus of the mid-point  $(h, k)$  is  $y = \frac{2a}{m}$ .

**Note:** Any line which is parallel to the axis of the parabola drawn through any point on the parabola is called the diameter of the parabola and its equation is the  $y$ -coordinate of that point.

### 21. REFLECTION PROPERTY OF A PARABOLA

All rays of light coming from the positive direction of  $x$ -axis and parallel to the axis of the parabola are reflected through the focus of the parabola



## EXERCISES

### LEVEL I

#### (Problems based on Fundamentals)

1. What conic does  $\sqrt{ax} + \sqrt{by} = 1$  represent?
2. If the conic  $x^2 - 4xy + 4y^2 + 2x + 4y + 10 = 0$  represents a parabola, find the value of  $\lambda$ .
3. If the conic  $16(x^2 + (y - 1)^2) = (x + \sqrt{3}y - 5)^2$  represents a non-degenerate conic, write its name and also find its eccentricity.
4. If the focus and the directrix of a conic be  $(1, 2)$  and  $x + 3y + 10 = 0$  respectively and the eccentricity be  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ , then find its equation.
5. Find the equation of a parabola, whose focus is  $(1, 1)$  and the directrix is  $x - y + 3 = 0$ .

#### ABC OF PARABOLA

6. Find the vertex, the focus, the latus rectum, the directrix and the axis of the parabolas
  - (i)  $y^2 = x + 2y + 2$
  - (ii)  $y^2 = 3x + 4y + 2$
  - (iii)  $x^2 = y + 4x + 2$
  - (iv)  $x^2 + x + y = 0$
7. If the focal distance on a point to a parabola  $y^2 = 12x$  is 6, find the co-ordinates of that point.
8. Find the equation of a parabola, whose focus  $(-6, -6)$  and the vertex is  $(-2, -2)$ .
9. The parametric equation of a parabola is  $x = t^2 + 1$  and  $y = 2t + 1$ . Find its directrix.
10. If the vertex of a parabola be  $(-3, 0)$  and the directrix is  $x + 5 = 0$ , find its equation.
11. Find the equation of the parabola whose axis is parallel to  $y$ -axis and which passes through the points  $(0, 2)$ ,  $(-1, 0)$  and  $(1, 6)$ .

12. Find the equation of a parabola whose vertex is  $(1, 2)$  and the axis is parallel to  $x$ -axis and also passes through the point  $(3, 4)$ .
13. If the axis of a parabola is parallel to  $y$ -axis, the vertex and the length of the latus rectum are  $(3, 2)$  and 12 respectively, find its equation.

#### PROPERTIES OF THE FOCAL CHORD

14. If the chord joining  $P(at_1^2, 2at_1)$  and  $Q(at_2^2, 2at_2)$  is the focal chord, prove that  $t_1 t_2 = -1$ .
15. If the point  $(at^2, 2at)$  be the extremity of a focal chord of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ , prove that the length of the focal chord is  $a\left(t + \frac{1}{t}\right)^2$ .
16. If the length of the focal chord makes an angle  $\theta$  with the positive direction of  $x$ -axis, prove that its length is  $4a \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta$ .
17. Prove that the semi-latus rectum of a parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  is the harmonic mean between the segments of any focal chord of the parabola.
18. Prove that the length of a focal chord of the parabola varies inversely as the square of its distance from the vertex.
19. Prove that the circle described on the focal chord as the diameter touches the tangent to the parabola.
20. Prove that the circle described on the focal chord as the diameter touches the directrix of the parabola.

#### POSITION OF A POINT RELATIVE TO A PARABOLA

21. If a point  $(\lambda, -\lambda)$  lies in an interior point of the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ , find the range of  $\lambda$ .
22. If a point  $(\lambda, 2)$  is an exterior point of both the parabolas  $y^2 = (x + 1)$  and  $y^2 = -x + 1$ , find the value of  $\lambda$ .

#### INTERSECTION OF A LINE AND A PARABOLA

23. If  $2x + 3y + 5 = 0$  is a tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$ , find the co-ordinates of the point of contact.

24. If  $3x + 4y + \lambda = 0$  is a tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 12x$ , find the value of  $\lambda$ .
25. Find the length of the chord intercepted by the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  and the line  $y = mx + c$ .

**TANGENT AND TANGENCY**

26. Find the point of intersection of tangents at  $P(t_1)$  and  $Q(t_2)$  on the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ .
27. Find the equation of tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 2x + 5y - 8$  at  $x = 1$ .
28. Find the equation of the tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$  having slope 2 and also find its point of contact.
29. Two tangents are drawn from a point  $(-1, 2)$  to a parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ . Find the angle between the tangents.
30. Find the equation of the tangents to the parabola  $y = x^2 - 3x + 2$  from the point  $(1, -1)$ .
31. Find the equation of the common tangent to the parabolas  $y^2 = 4ax$  and  $x^2 = 4ay$ .
32. Find the equation of the common tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  and  $x^2 = 4by$ .
33. Find the equation of the common tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 16x$  and the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 8$ .
34. Find the equation of the common tangents to the parabolas  $y = x^2$  and  $y = -(x - 2)^2$ .
35. Find the equation of the common tangents to the curves  $y^2 = 8x$  and  $xy = -1$ .
36. Find the equation of the common tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 6y + 4 = 0$  and the parabola  $y^2 = x$ .
37. Find the equation of the common tangent touching the circle  $x^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 9$  and the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  above the  $x$ -axis.
38. Find the points of intersection of the tangents at the ends of the latus rectum to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ .
39. Find the angle between the tangents drawn from a point  $(1, 4)$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ .
40. Find the shortest distance between the line  $y = x - 2$  and the parabola  $y = x^2 + 3x + 2$ .
41. Find the shortest distance from the line  $x + y = 4$  and the parabola  $y^2 + 4x + 4y = 0$ .
42. If  $y + b = m_1(x + a)$  and  $y + b = m_2(x + a)$  are two tangents of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ , find the value of  $m_1 m_2$ .
43. The tangent to the curve  $y = x^2 + 6$  at a point  $(1, 7)$  touches the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 16x + 12y + c = 0$  at  $Q$ . Find the co-ordinates of  $Q$ .
44. Two straight lines are perpendicular to each other. One of them touches the parabola  $y^2 = 4a(x + a)$  and the other touches  $y^2 = 4b(x + b)$ . Prove that the point of intersection of the lines lie on the line  $x + a + b = 0$ .
45. Prove that the area of the triangle formed by three points on a parabola is twice the area of the triangle formed by the tangents at these points.
46. Prove that the circle circumscribing the triangle formed by any three tangents to a parabola passes through the focus.
47. Prove that the orthocentre of any triangle formed by three tangents to a parabola lies on the directrix.
48. Prove that the equation of the director circle to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  is  $x + a = 0$ .
49. Find the equation of the director circle to the following parabolas:  
 (i)  $y^2 = x + 2$       (ii)  $x^2 = 4x + 4y$   
 (iii)  $y^2 = 4x + 4y - 8$

**NORMAL AND NORMALCY**

50. Find the point of intersection of normals at  $P(t_1)$  and  $Q(t_2)$  on the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ .
51. Find the relation between  $t_1$  and  $t_2$ , where the normal at  $t_1$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  meets the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  again at  $t_2$ .
52. If the normal at  $t_1$  meets the parabola again at  $t_2$ , prove that the minimum value of  $t_2^2$  is 8.
53. If two normals at  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  meet again the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at  $t_3$ , prove that  $t_1 t_2 = 2$ .
54. Find the equation of the normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  at the point  $(1, 2)$ .
55. Find the equation of the normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$  at  $m = 2$ .
56. If  $x + y = k$  is a normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 12x$ , find the value of  $k$ .
57. If the normal at  $P(18, 12)$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$  cuts it again at  $Q$ , prove that  $9PQ = 80\sqrt{10}$ .
58. Find the locus of the point of intersection of two normals to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ , which are at right angles to one another.
59. If  $lx + my + n = 0$  is a normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ , prove that  $al^3 + 2alm^2 + m^2n = 0$ .
60. If a normal chord subtends a right angle at the vertex of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ , prove that it is inclined at an angle of  $\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{2})$  to the axis of the parabola.
61. At what point on the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ , the normal makes equal angles with the axes?
62. Find the length of the normal chord which subtends an angle of  $90^\circ$  at the vertex of the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ .
63. Prove that the normal chord of a parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at the point  $(p, p)$  subtends a right angle at the focus.
64. Show that the locus of the mid-point of the portion of the normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  intercepted between the curve and the axis is another parabola.
65. Find the shortest distance between the curves  $y^2 = 4x$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 12x + 31 = 0$ .
66. Find the shortest distance between the curves  $x^2 + y^2 + 12y + 35 = 0$  and  $y^2 = 8x$ .

**CO-NORMAL POINT**

67. Prove that the algebraic sum of the three concurrent normals to a parabola is zero.
68. Prove that the algebraic sum of the ordinates of the feet of three normals drawn to a parabola from a given point is also zero.

69. Prove that the centroid of the triangle formed by the feet of the three normals lies on the axis of the parabola. Also find the centroid of the triangle.
70. If three normals drawn from a given point  $(h, k)$  to any parabola be real, prove that  $h > 2a$ .
71. If three normals from a given point  $(h, k)$  to any parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  be real and distinct, prove that  $27ak^2 < 4(h - 2a)^3$ .
72. If a normal to a parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  makes an angle  $\theta$  with the axis of the parabola, prove that it will cut the curve again at an angle of  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\tan \theta}{2}\right)$ .
73. Prove that the normal chord to a parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at the point whose ordinate is equal to its abscissa, which subtends a right angle at the focus of the parabola.
74. Prove that the normals at the end-points of the latus rectum of a parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  intersect at right angle on the axis of the parabola and their point of intersection is  $(3a, 0)$ .
75. If  $S$  be the focus of the parabola and the tangent and the normal at any point  $P$  meet the axes in  $T$  and  $G$  respectively, prove that  $ST = SG = SP$ .
76. From any point  $P$  on the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ , a perpendicular  $PN$  is drawn on the axis meeting at  $N$ , the normal at  $P$  meets the axis in  $G$ . Prove that the sub-normal  $NG$  is equal to its semi-latus rectum.
77. The normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at a point  $P$  on it, meets the  $x$ -axis in  $G$ , prove that  $P$  and  $G$  are equidistant from the focus  $S$  of the parabola.
78. The normal at  $P$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  meets its axis at  $G$ .  $Q$  is another point on the parabola such that  $QG$  is perpendicular to the axis of the parabola. Prove that  $QG^2 - PG^2 = \text{constant}$ .

**CHORD OF CONTACT**

79. Find the equation of the chord of contact to the tangents from the point  $(2, 3)$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ .
80. Find the chord of contact of the tangents to the parabola  $y^2 = 12x$  drawn through the point  $(-1, 2)$ .
81. Prove that the locus of the point of intersection of two tangents to a parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  which make a given angle  $\theta$  with one another is  $y^2 - 4ax = (x + a)^2 \tan^2 \theta$ .
82. Prove that the length of the chord of contact of tangents drawn from  $(h, k)$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  is  $\frac{1}{a} |(k^2 + 4a^2)(k^2 - 4ah)|^{1/2}$ .
83. Prove that the area of the triangle formed by the tangents from the point  $(h, k)$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  and a chord of contact is  $\frac{(k^2 - 4ah)^{3/2}}{2a}$ .

**CHORD BISECTED AT A POINT**

84. Find the equation of the chord of the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$  which is bisected at  $(2, 3)$ .

85. Prove that the locus of the mid-points of the focal chord of the parabola is another parabola.
86. Prove that the locus of the mid-points of the chord of a parabola passes through the vertex is a parabola.
87. Prove that the locus of the mid-points of a normal chords of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  is  $y^4 - 2a(x - 2a)y^2 + 8a^4 = 0$
88. Prove that the locus of the mid-point of a chord of a parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  which subtends a right angle at the vertex is  $y^2 = 2a(x - 4a)$ .
89. Prove that the locus of the mid-points of chords of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  which touches the parabola  $y^2 = 4bx$  is  $y^2(2a - b) = 4a^2x$ .
90. Find the locus of the mid-point of the chord of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ , which passes through the point  $(3b, b)$ .
91. Prove that the locus of the mid-points of all tangents drawn from points on the directrix to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  is  $y^2(2x + a) = a(3x + a)^2$ .

**DIAMETER OF A PARABOLA**

92. Prove that the tangent at the extremity of a diameter of a parabola is parallel to the system of chords it bisects.
93. Prove that tangents at the end of any chord meet on the diameter which bisects the chords.

**REFLECTION PROPERTY OF A PARABOLA**

94. A ray of light moving parallel to the  $x$ -axis gets reflected from a parabolic mirror whose equation is  $(y - 4)^2 = 8(x + 1)$ . After reflection, the ray passes through the point  $(\alpha, \beta)$ , find the value of  $\alpha + \beta + 10$ .
95. A ray of light is moving along the line  $y = x + 2$ , gets reflected from a parabolic mirror whose equation is  $y^2 = 4(x + 2)$ . After reflection, the ray does not pass through the focus of the parabola. Find the equation of the line which containing the reflected ray.

**LEVEL II****(Mixed Problems)**

- Three normals to the parabola  $y^2 = x$  are drawn through a point  $(c, 0)$ , then  
(a)  $c = 1/4$  (b)  $c = 1/2$  (c)  $c > 1/2$  (d) none
- The line which is parallel to  $x$ -axis and crosses the curve  $y = \sqrt{x}$  at an angle of  $45^\circ$  is  
(a)  $x = 1/4$  (b)  $y = 1/4$  (c)  $y = 1/2$  (d)  $y = 1$
- Consider a circle with its centre lying on the focus of the parabola  $y^2 = 2px$  such that it touches the directrix of the parabola, the point of intersection of the circle and the parabola is  
(a)  $\left(\frac{p}{2}, p\right)$  (b)  $\left(\frac{p}{2}, -p\right)$   
(c)  $\left(-\frac{p}{2}, p\right)$  (d)  $\left(-\frac{p}{2}, -p\right)$

4. If the line  $x - 1 = 0$  is the directrix of the parabola  $y^2 - kx + 8 = 0$ , one of the value of  $k$  is  
 (a)  $1/8$  (b)  $8$  (c)  $4$  (d)  $1/4$
5. If  $x + y = k$  is a normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 12x$ , the value of  $k$  is  
 (a)  $9$  (b)  $3$  (c)  $-9$  (d)  $-3$
6. The equation of the directrix of the parabola  $y^2 + 4y + 4x + 2 = 0$  is  
 (a)  $x = -1$  (b)  $x = 1$   
 (c)  $x = -3/2$  (d)  $x = 3/2$
7. The equation of the common tangent touching the circle  $(x - 3)^2 + y^2 = 9$  and the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  above the  $x$ -axis is  
 (a)  $\sqrt{3}y = 3x + 1$  (b)  $\sqrt{3}y = -(x + 3)$   
 (c)  $\sqrt{3}y = (x + 3)$  (d)  $\sqrt{3}y = -(3x + 1)$
8. The locus of the mid-point of the line segment joining the focus to a moving point on the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  is another parabola with directrix  
 (a)  $x + a = 0$  (b)  $x = -a/2$   
 (c)  $x = 0$  (d)  $x = a/2$
9. The focal chord of  $y^2 = 16x$  is a tangent to  $(x - 6)^2 + y^2 = 2$ , the possible values of the slope of this chord are  
 (a)  $1, -1$  (b)  $-1/2, 2$   
 (c)  $-2, 1/2$  (d)  $1/2, 2$
10. The tangent to the parabola  $y = x^2 + 6$  touches the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 16x + 12y + c = 0$  at the point  
 (a)  $(-6, -9)$  (b)  $(-13, -9)$   
 (c)  $(-6, -7)$  (d)  $(13, 7)$
11. The axis of a parabola is along the line  $y = x$  and the distance of its vertex from the origin is  $\sqrt{2}$  and that from its focus is  $2\sqrt{2}$ . If the vertex and the focus both lie in the first quadrant, then the equation of the parabola is  
 (a)  $(x + y)^2 = (x + y - 2)$  (b)  $(x - y)^2 = (x + y - 2)$   
 (c)  $(x - y)^2 = 4(x + y - 2)$  (d)  $(x - y)^2 = 8(x + y - 2)$
12. The equations of the common tangents to the parabola  $y = x^2$  and  $y = -(x - 2)^2$  is  
 (a)  $y = 4(x - 1)$  (b)  $y = 0$   
 (c)  $y = -4(x - 1)$  (d)  $y = -10(3x + 5)$
13. The tangent  $PT$  and the normal  $PN$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at a point  $P$  on it meet its axis at points  $T$  and  $N$ , respectively. The locus of the centroid of the triangle  $PTN$  is a parabola whose  
 (a) vertex is  $\left(\frac{2a}{3}, 0\right)$  (b) directrix is  $x = 0$   
 (c) latus rectum is  $2a$  (d) focus is  $(a, 0)$
14. The normal at the point  $(bt_1^2, 2bt_1)$  on a parabola meets the parabola again at  $(bt_2^2, 2bt_2)$ , then  
 (a)  $t_2 = -t_1 + \frac{2}{t_1}$  (b)  $t_2 = t_1 - \frac{2}{t_1}$   
 (c)  $t_2 = t_1 + \frac{2}{t_1}$  (d)  $t_2 = -t_1 - \frac{2}{t_1}$
15. If  $a \neq 0$  and the line  $2bx + 3cy + 4d = 0$  passes through the point of intersection of the parabolas  $y^2 = 4ax$  and  $x^2 = 4ay$ , then  
 (a)  $d^2 + (2b - 3c)^2 = 0$  (b)  $d^2 + (2b + 3c)^2 = 0$   
 (c)  $d^2 + (3b + 2c)^2 = 0$  (d)  $d^2 + (3b - 2c)^2 = 0$
16. The locus of the vertices of the family of parabolas  $y = \frac{a^2x^2}{2} + \frac{a^2x}{2} - 2a$  is  
 (a)  $xy = \frac{105}{64}$  (b)  $xy = \frac{3}{4}$   
 (c)  $xy = \frac{35}{16}$  (d)  $xy = \frac{64}{105}$
17. The angle between the tangents to the curve  $y = x^2 - 5x + 6$  at the point  $(2, 0)$  and  $(3, 0)$  is  
 (a)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  (b)  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  (c)  $\frac{\pi}{6}$  (d)  $\frac{\pi}{4}$
18. The equation of a tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$  is  $y = x + 2$ . The point on this from which the other tangent to the parabola is perpendicular to the given tangent is  
 (a)  $(-2, 0)$  (b)  $(-1, 1)$  (c)  $(0, 2)$  (d)  $(2, 4)$
19. A parabola has the origin as its focus and the line  $x = 2$  as its directrix. The vertex of the parabola is at  
 (a)  $(0, 1)$  (b)  $(2, 0)$   
 (c)  $(0, 2)$  (d)  $(1, 0)$
20. The length of the chord of the parabola  $y^2 = x$  which is bisected at the point  $(2, 1)$  is  
 (a)  $2\sqrt{3}$  (b)  $4\sqrt{3}$  (c)  $3\sqrt{2}$  (d)  $2\sqrt{5}$
21. Two mutually perpendicular tangents to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  meet the axis in  $P_1$  and  $P_2$ . If  $S$  be the focus of the parabola,  $\frac{1}{l(SP_1)} + \frac{1}{l(SP_2)}$  is  
 (a)  $\frac{4}{a}$  (b)  $\frac{2}{a}$  (c)  $\frac{1}{a}$  (d)  $\frac{1}{4a}$
22. Which of the following equations represents a parabolic profile, represented parametrically, is  
 (a)  $x = 3 \cos t, y = 4 \sin t$   
 (b)  $x^2 - 2 = -2 \cos t, y = 4 \cos^2\left(\frac{t}{2}\right)$   
 (c)  $\sqrt{x} = \tan t, \sqrt{y} = \sec t$   
 (d)  $x = \sqrt{1 - \sin t}, y = \sin\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) + \cos\left(\frac{t}{2}\right)$
23. The points of contact  $Q$  and  $R$  of tangent from the point  $P(2, 3)$  on the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  are  
 (a)  $(9, 6), (1, 2)$  (b)  $(1, 2), (4, 4)$   
 (c)  $(4, 4), (9, 6)$  (d)  $(9, 6), \left(\frac{1}{4}, 1\right)$
24. A tangent is drawn to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  at the point  $P$  whose abscissa lies in  $[1, 4]$ . The maximum possible area of the triangle formed by the tangents at  $P$  ordinate of the point  $P$  and the  $x$ -axis is  
 (a)  $8$  (b)  $16$  (c)  $24$  (d)  $32$

25. The length of the normal chord  $y^2 = 4x$  which makes an angle of  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  with the axis of  $x$  is  
 (a) 8 (b)  $8\sqrt{2}$  (c) 4 (d)  $4\sqrt{2}$
26. The co-ordinates of the end points of a focal chord of a parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  are  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$ , then  $(x_1x_2 + y_1y_2)$  is  
 (a)  $2a^2$  (b)  $-3a^2$  (c)  $-a^2$  (d)  $4a^2$
27. If the normal to a parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at  $P$  meets the curve again at  $Q$  and if  $PQ$  and the normal at  $Q$  makes angles  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ , respectively with the  $x$ -axis, then  $\tan \alpha + \tan \beta$  is  
 (a) 0 (b)  $-2$  (c)  $-1/2$  (d)  $-1$
28. If the normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at the point with parameter  $t_1$  cuts the parabola again at the point with parameter  $t_2$ , then  
 (a)  $2 \leq t_2^2 \leq 8$  (b)  $2 \leq t_2^2 \leq 4$   
 (c)  $t_2^2 \geq 4$  (d)  $t_2^2 \geq 8$
29. A parabola  $y = ax^2 + bx + c$  crosses the  $x$ -axis at  $(\alpha, 0)$  and  $(\beta, 0)$  both to the right of the origin.  
 A circle also passes through these two points. The length of a tangent from the origin to the circle is  
 (a)  $\sqrt{\frac{bc}{a}}$  (b)  $ac^2$  (c)  $\frac{b}{a}$  (d)  $\sqrt{\frac{c}{a}}$
30. Two parabolas have the same focus. If their directrices are the  $x$ -axis and the  $y$ -axis respectively, the slope of their common chord is  
 (a) 1,  $-1$  (b)  $4/3$  (c)  $3/4$  (d) none
31. The straight line joining the point  $P$  on the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  to the vertex and the perpendicular from the focus to the tangent at  $P$  intersect at  $R$ . Then the locus of  $R$  is  
 (a)  $x^2 + 2y^2 - ax = 0$  (b)  $x^2 + y^2 - 2ax = 0$   
 (c)  $2x^2 + 2y^2 - ax = 0$  (d)  $2x^2 + y^2 - 2ay = 0$
32. A normal chord of the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  subtending a right angle at the vertex makes an acute angle  $\theta$  with the  $x$ -axis, then  $\theta$  is  
 (a)  $\tan^{-1}2$  (b)  $\sec^{-1}(\sqrt{3})$   
 (c)  $\cot^{-1}(\sqrt{3})$  (d) none
33.  $C$  is the centre of the circle with centre  $(0, 1)$  and the radius unity of the parabola  $y = ax^2$ . The set of values of  $a$  for which they meet at a point other than the origin is  
 (a)  $a > 0$  (b)  $0 < a < \frac{1}{2}$   
 (c)  $\frac{1}{4} < a < \frac{1}{2}$  (d)  $a > \frac{1}{2}$
34.  $TP$  and  $TQ$  are two tangents to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at  $P$  and  $Q$ . If the chord  $PQ$  passes through the fixed point  $(-a, b)$ , the locus of  $T$  is  
 (a)  $ay = 2b(x - b)$  (b)  $by = 2a(x - a)$   
 (c)  $by = 2a(x - a)$  (d)  $ax = 2a(y - b)$
35. Through the vertex  $O$  of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  two chords  $OP$  and  $OQ$  are drawn and the circles on  $OP$  and  $OQ$  as diameters intersect in  $R$ . If  $\theta_1, \theta_2$  and  $\phi$  are the angles made with the axis by the tangents at  $P$  and  $Q$  on the parabola and by  $OR$ , the value of  $\cot(\theta_1) + \cot(\theta_2)$  is  
 (a)  $-2 \tan(\phi)$  (b)  $-2 \tan(\pi - \phi)$   
 (c) 0 (d)  $-2 \cot(\phi)$
36. The tangent at  $P$  to a parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  meets the directrix at  $U$  and the base of the latus rectum at  $V$ , then  $SUV$  (where  $S$  is the focus) must be a/an  
 (a) right  $\Delta$  (b) equilateral  $\Delta$   
 (c) isosceles  $\Delta$  (d) right isosceles  $\Delta$
37. Two parabolas  $y^2 = 4a(x - m_1)$  and  $x^2 = 4a(y - m_2)$  always touch one another, the quantities  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  are both variables. The locus of their points of contact has the equation  
 (a)  $xy = a^2$  (b)  $xy = 2a^2$   
 (c)  $xy = 4a^2$  (d) none
38. If a normal to a parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  makes an angle  $\phi$  with its axis, it will cut the curve again at an angle  
 (a)  $\tan^{-1}(2 \tan \phi)$  (b)  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2} \tan \phi\right)$   
 (c)  $\cot^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2} \tan \phi\right)$  (d) none
39. The vertex of a parabola is  $(2, 2)$  and the co-ordinates of its extremities of the latus rectum are  $(-2, 0)$  and  $(6, 0)$ . The equation of the parabola is  
 (a)  $y^2 - 4y + 8x - 12 = 0$  (b)  $x^2 + 4x + 8y - 12 = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 - 4x + 8y - 12 = 0$  (d)  $x^2 + 4x - 8y + 20 = 0$
40. The length of the chord of the parabola  $y^2 = x$  which is bisected at the point  $(2, 1)$  is  
 (a)  $2\sqrt{3}$  (b)  $4\sqrt{3}$  (c)  $3\sqrt{2}$  (d)  $2\sqrt{5}$
41. If the tangent and the normal at the extremities of a focal chord of a parabola intersect at  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$  respectively, then  
 (a)  $x_1 = x_2$  (b)  $x_1 = x_2$   
 (c)  $y_1 = y_2$  (d)  $x_2 = y_1$
42. If the chord of contact of tangents from a point  $P$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  touches the parabola  $xy = 4by$ , then the locus of  $P$  is a/an  
 (a) circle (b) parabola  
 (c) ellipse (d) hyperbola
43. The latus rectum of a parabola whose focal chord  $PSQ$  is such that  $SP = 3$  and  $SP = 2$  is given by  
 (a)  $24/5$  (b)  $12/5$  (c)  $6/5$  (d) none
44. If two normals to a parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  intersect at right angles, then the chord joining their feet passes through a fixed point whose co-ordinates are  
 (a)  $(-2a, 0)$  (b)  $(a, 0)$  (c)  $(2a, 0)$  (d) None
45. The straight line passing through  $(3, 0)$  and cutting the curve  $y = \sqrt{x}$  orthogonally is  
 (a)  $4x + y = 18$  (b)  $x + y = 9$   
 (c)  $4x - y = 6$  (d) None



46.  $PQ$  is a normal chord of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at  $P$ .  $A$  being the vertex of the parabola. Through  $P$  a line is drawn parallel to  $AQ$  meeting the  $x$ -axis in  $R$ . Then the length of  $AR$  is
- the length of latus rectum.
  - the focal distance of the point  $P$ .
  - $2 \times$  Focal distance of the point  $P$ .
  - the distance of  $P$  from the directrix.
47. The locus of the point of intersection of the perpendicular tangents of the curve  $y^2 + 4y - 6x - 2 = 0$  is
- $2x = 1$
  - $2x + 3 = 0$
  - $2y + 3 = 0$
  - $2x + 5 = 0$
48. The length of the focal chord of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at a distance  $p$  from the vertex is
- $\frac{2a^2}{p}$
  - $\frac{a^3}{p^2}$
  - $\frac{4a^3}{p^2}$
  - $\frac{p^3}{a}$
49. The locus of a point such that two tangents drawn from it to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  are such that the slope of one is double the other is
- $y^2 = \frac{9}{2}ax$
  - $y^2 = \frac{9}{4}ax$
  - $y^2 = 9ax$
  - $x^2 = 4ay$
50. The point on the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  which are closest to the curve  $x^2 + y^2 - 24y + 128 = 0$  is
- $(0, 0)$
  - $(2, \sqrt{2})$
  - $(4, 4)$
  - none
8. If the focal chord of  $y^2 = 16x$  is a tangent to  $(x-6)^2 + y^2 = 2$ , find the possible values of the slope of the chord.
9. Find the points of intersection of the tangents at the end of the latus rectum of the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ .
10. If the tangent at the point  $P(2, 4)$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$  meets the parabola  $y^2 = 8x + 5$  at  $Q$  and  $R$ , find the mid-point of  $QR$ .
11. If  $y + b = m_1(x + a)$  and  $y + b = m_2(x + a)$  are two tangents to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ , prove that  $m_1 m_2 = -1$ .
12. Find the equation of the common tangent to the circle  $(x-3)^2 + y^2 = 9$  and the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  above the  $x$ -axis.
13. Find the equation of the common tangent to the curves  $y^2 = 8x$  and  $xy = -1$ .
14. Find the common tangents of  $y = x^2$  and  $y = -x^2 + 4x - 4$ .
15. Consider a circle with the centre lying on the focus of the parabola  $y^2 = 2px$  such that it touches the directrix of that parabola. Find a point of intersection of the circle and the parabola.
16. If the normal drawn at a point  $(at_1^2, 2at_1)$  of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  meets it again at  $(at_2^2, 2at_2)$ , prove that  $t_1^2 + t_1 t_2 + 2 = 0$ .
17. Three normals to the parabola  $y^2 = x$  are drawn through a point  $(c, 0)$ , find  $c$ .
18. A tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$  makes an angle  $45^\circ$  with the straight line  $y = 3x + 5$ . Find the equation of the tangent and its point of contact.
19. Find the equations of the normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at the ends of the latus rectum. If the normal again meets the parabola at  $Q$  and  $Q'$ , prove that  $QQ' = 12a$ .
20. Prove that from any point  $P(at^2, 2at)$  on the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ , two normals can be drawn and their feet  $Q$  and  $R$  have the parameters satisfying the equation  $\lambda^2 + \lambda t + 2 = 0$ .
21. Find the locus of the points of intersection of those normals to the parabola  $x^2 = 8y$  which are at right angles to each other.
22. Two lines are drawn at right angles, one being a tangent to  $y^2 = 4ax$  and the other to  $x^2 = 4by$ . Show that the locus of their points of intersection is the curve  $(ax + by)(x^2 + y^2) + (bx - ay)^2 = 0$ .
23. Prove that the locus of the centroid of an equilateral triangle inscribed in the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  is  $9y^2 = 4a(x - 8a)$ .
24. Prove that the locus of the mid-points of chords of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  which subtends a right angle at the vertex is  $y^2 = 2a^2(x - 4)$ .
25. Prove that the locus of a point that divides a chord of slope 2 of the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  internally in the ratio 1 : 2 is a parabola. Find the vertex of the parabola.
26. From a point  $A$ , common tangents are drawn to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{a^2}{2}$  and the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ . Find the area of the quadrilateral formed by the common tangents, the chord of contact of the circle and the chord of contact of the parabola.

**LEVEL III****(Problems for JEE Advanced)**

- If two ends of a latus rectum of a parabola are the points  $(3, 6)$  and  $(-5, 6)$ , find its focus.
- Find the locus of the focus of the family of parabolas  $y = \frac{a^2 x^2}{3} + \frac{a^2 x}{2} - 2a$ .
- Find the equation of the parabola whose vertex and the focus lie on the axis of  $x$  at distances  $a$  and  $a_1$  from the origin, respectively.
- A square has one vertex at the vertex of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  and the diagonal through the vertex lies along the axis of the parabola. If the ends of the other diagonal lie on the parabola, find the co-ordinates of the vertices of the square.
- Find the equation of the parabola whose axis is  $y = x$ , the distance from origin to vertex is  $\sqrt{2}$  and the distance from the origin to the focus is  $2\sqrt{2}$ .
- If  $a \neq 0$  and the line  $2bx + 3cy + 4d = 0$  passes through the points of intersection of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  and  $x^2 = 4ay$ , prove that  $d^2 + (2b + 3c)^2 = 0$ .
- Two straight lines are perpendicular to each other. One of them touches the parabola  $y^2 = 4a(x + a)$  and the other  $y^2 = 4b(x + b)$ . Prove that their points of intersection lie on the line  $x + a + b = 0$ .

27. Normals are drawn from the point  $P$  with slopes  $m_1, m_2, m_3$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ . If the locus of  $P$  with  $m_1 m_2 = \alpha$  is a part of the parabola, find the value of  $\alpha$ .
28. The tangent at a point  $P$  to the parabola  $y^2 - 2y - 4x + 5 = 0$  intersects the directrix at  $Q$ . Find the locus of a point  $R$  such that it divides  $PQ$  externally in the ratio  $\frac{1}{2} : 1$ .
29. Prove that the curve  $y = -\frac{x^2}{2} + x + 1$  is symmetric with respect to the line  $x = 1$ . And also prove that it is symmetric about its axis.
30. Three normals are drawn from the point  $(14, 7)$  to the parabola  $y^2 - 16x - 8y = 0$ . Find the co-ordinates of the feet of the normals.
31. Find the locus of the foot of the perpendicular drawn from a fixed point to any tangent to a parabola.
32. Find the locus of the point of intersection of the normals to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at the extremities of a focal chord.
7. The ordinates of points  $P$  and  $Q$  on the parabola  $y^2 = 12x$  are in the ratio  $1 : 2$ . Find the locus of the points of intersection of the normals to the parabola at  $P$  and  $Q$ . **[Roorkee Main, 1998]**
8. Find the equations of the common tangents of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 6y + 4 = 0$  and  $y^2 = x$ . **[Roorkee, 1999]**
9. Find the locus of points of intersection of tangents drawn at the ends of all normals chords to the parabola  $y^2 = 4(x - 1)$ . **[Roorkee Main, 2001]**
10. Find the locus of the trisection point of any double ordinate  $y^2 = 4ax$ .
11. Find the locus of the trisection point of any double ordinate  $x^2 = 4by$ .
12. Find the shortest distance between the curves  $y^2 = 4x$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - 12x + 31 = 0$ .
13. Find the radius of the circle that passes through the origin and touches the parabola at  $(a, 2a)$ .
14. Find the condition if two different tangents of  $y^2 = 4x$  are the normals to  $x^2 = 4by$ .
15. A circle is drawn to pass through the extremities of the latus rectum of the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$ . It is also given that the circle touches the directrix of the parabola. Find the radius of the circle.

**LEVEL IV****(Tougher Problems for JEE Advanced)**

1. From the point  $(-1, 2)$ , tangent lines are drawn to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ . Find the equation of the chord of contact. Also find the area of the triangle formed by the chord of contact and the tangents. **[Roorkee Main, 1994]**
2. The equation  $y^2 - 2x - 2y + 5 = 0$  represents  
 (a) a circle with centre  $(1, 1)$   
 (b) a parabola with focus  $(1, 2)$   
 (c) a parabola with directrix  $x = 3/2$   
 (d) a parabola with directrix  $x = -1/2$  **[Roorkee, 1995]**
3. A ray of light is coming along the line  $y = b$  from the positive direction of  $x$ -axis and strikes a concave mirror whose intersection with the  $xy$ -plane is a parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ . Find the equation of the reflected ray and show that it passes through the focus of the parabola. Both  $a$  and  $b$  are positive. **[Roorkee Main, 1995]**
4. If a tangent drawn at a point  $(t^2, t^2)$  on the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  is the same as the normal drawn at a point  $(\sqrt{5} \cos \phi, 2 \sin \phi)$  on the ellipse  $4x^2 + 5y^2 = 20$ , find the values of  $t$  and  $\phi$ . **[Roorkee, 1996]**
5. The equations of normals to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at the point  $(5a, 2a)$  are  
 (a)  $y = x - 3a$  (b)  $y = x + 3a$   
 (c)  $y + 2x = 12a$  (d)  $3x + y = 33a$  **[Roorkee, 1997]**
6. Find the locus of the points of intersection of those normals to the parabola  $x^2 = 8y$  which are at right angles to each other. **[Roorkee Main, 1997]**

**Integer Type Questions**

1. Find the maximum number of common chords of a parabola and a circle.
2. If the straight lines  $y - b = m_1(x + a)$  and  $y - b = m_2(x + a)$  are the tangents of  $y^2 = 4ax$ , find the value of  $(m_1 m_2 + 4)$ .
3. A normal chord of  $y^2 = 4ax$  subtends an angle  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  at the vertex of the parabola. If its slope is  $m$ , then find the value of  $(m^2 + 3)$ .
4. Find the slope of the normal chord of  $y^2 = 8x$  that gets bisected at  $(8, 2)$ .
5. Find the maximum number of common normals of  $y^2 = 4ax$  and  $x^2 = 4by$ .
6. Find the length of the latus rectum of the parabola whose parametric equation are given by  $x = t^2 + t + 1$  and  $y = t^2 - t + 1$ .
7. If the shortest distance between the curves  $y^2 = x - 1$  and  $x^2 = y - 1$  is  $d$ , find the value of  $(8d^2 - 3)$ .
8. If  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  be the slopes of the tangents that are drawn from  $(2, 3)$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ , find the value of  $\left(\frac{1}{m_1} + \frac{1}{m_2} + 2\right)$ .
9. Let  $P(t_1)$  and  $Q(t_2)$  are two points on the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ . If the normals at  $P$  and  $Q$  meet the parabola again at  $R$ , find the value of  $(t_1 t_2 + 3)$ .
10. Find the length of the chord intercepted between the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  and the straight line  $x + y = 1$ .
11. If  $x + y = k$  is a normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 12x$ , find the value of  $k$ .
12. Find the number of distinct normals drawn from the point  $(-2, 1)$  to the parabola  $y^2 - 4x - 2y - 3 = 0$ .

### Comprehensive Link Passages

#### Passage I

$y = x$  is a tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = ax^2 + c$ .

- (i) If  $a = 2$ , the value of  $c$  is  
 (a) 1 (b)  $-1/2$  (c)  $1/2$  (d)  $1/8$
- (ii) If  $(1, 1)$  is a point of contact, the value of  $a$  is  
 (a)  $1/4$  (b)  $1/3$  (c)  $1/2$  (d)  $1/6$
- (iii) If  $c = 2$ , the point of contact is  
 (a)  $(3, 3)$  (b)  $(2, 2)$  (c)  $(6, 6)$  (d)  $(4, 4)$ .

#### Passage II

Consider, the parabola whose focus is at  $(0, 0)$  and the tangent at the vertex is  $x - y + 1 = 0$ .

- (i) The length of the latus rectum is  
 (a)  $4\sqrt{2}$  (b)  $2\sqrt{2}$  (c)  $8\sqrt{2}$  (d)  $3\sqrt{2}$
- (ii) The length of the chord of the parabola on the  $x$ -axis is  
 (a)  $4\sqrt{2}$  (b)  $2\sqrt{2}$  (c)  $8\sqrt{2}$  (d)  $3\sqrt{2}$
- (iii) Tangents drawn to the parabola at the extremities of the chord  $3x + 2y = 0$  intersect at an angle  
 (a)  $\frac{\pi}{6}$  (b)  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  (c)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  (d) none

#### Passage III

Two tangents on a parabola are  $x - y = 0$  and  $x + y = 0$ . If  $(2, 3)$  is the focus of the parabola.

- (i) The equation of the tangent at the vertex is  
 (a)  $4x - 6y + 5 = 0$  (b)  $4x - 6y + 3 = 0$   
 (c)  $4x - 6y + 1 = 0$  (d)  $4x - 6y + 3/2 = 0$
- (ii) The length of the latus rectum of the parabola is  
 (a)  $\frac{6}{\sqrt{3}}$  (b)  $\frac{10}{\sqrt{13}}$  (c)  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{13}}$  (d)  $\frac{9\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{13}}$
- (iii) If  $P$  and  $Q$  are ends of the focal chord of the parabola, then is  
 (a)  $\frac{2\sqrt{13}}{3}$  (b)  $2\sqrt{13}$  (c)  $\frac{2\sqrt{13}}{3}$  (d)  $\frac{2\sqrt{13}}{7}$

#### Passage IV

If  $l, m$  are variable real numbers such that  $5l^2 + 6m^2 - 4lm + 3l = 0$ , the variable line  $lx + my = 1$  always touches a fixed parabola, whose axis is parallel to  $x$ -axis.

- (i) The vertex of the parabola is  
 (a)  $\left(-\frac{5}{3}, \frac{4}{3}\right)$  (b)  $\left(-\frac{7}{4}, \frac{3}{4}\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(\frac{5}{6}, -\frac{7}{6}\right)$  (d)  $\left(\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{3}{4}\right)$
- (ii) The focus of the parabola is  
 (a)  $\left(\frac{1}{6}, -\frac{7}{6}\right)$  (b)  $\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{4}{3}\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(\frac{3}{2}, -\frac{3}{2}\right)$  (d)  $\left(-\frac{3}{4}, \frac{3}{4}\right)$

- (iii) The equation of the directrix of the parabola is  
 (a)  $6x + 7 = 0$  (b)  $4x + 11 = 0$   
 (c)  $3x + 11 = 0$  (d)  $2x + 13 = 0$

#### Passage V

The normals at three points  $P, Q, R$  on the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  meet at  $(\alpha, \beta)$ .

- (i) The centroid of  $\Delta PQR$  is  
 (a)  $\left(\frac{\alpha - 2a}{3}, 0\right)$  (b)  $\left(\frac{2\alpha - 4a}{3}, 0\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(\frac{\alpha}{3}, \frac{\beta}{3}\right)$  (d)  $\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{3}, \frac{\beta - \alpha}{3}\right)$
- (ii) The orthocentre of  $\Delta PQR$  is  
 (a)  $\left(\alpha + 6a, \frac{\beta}{2}\right)$  (b)  $\left(\alpha + 3a, \frac{\beta}{2}\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(\alpha - 6a, -\frac{\beta}{2}\right)$  (d)  $\left(\alpha - 3a, \frac{\beta}{2}\right)$
- (iii) The circumcentre of  $\Delta PQR$  is  
 (a)  $\left(\frac{\alpha + 2a}{2}, -\frac{\beta}{4}\right)$  (b)  $\left(\frac{\alpha + 2a}{2}, \frac{\beta}{4}\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(\frac{\alpha}{4}, \frac{\beta}{4}\right)$  (d)  $\left(\frac{\alpha}{2}, \frac{\beta}{2}\right)$

#### Passage VI

Consider the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  and the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$ . They intersect at  $P$  and  $Q$  in the first and the fourth quadrants, respectively. The tangents to the circle at  $P$  and  $Q$  intersect the  $x$ -axis at  $R$  and tangents to the parabola at  $P$  and  $Q$  intersect the  $x$ -axis at  $S$ .

- (i) The ratio of the areas of  $\Delta s PQS$  and  $PQR$  is  
 (a)  $1 : \sqrt{2}$  (b)  $1 : 2$  (c)  $1 : 4$  (d)  $1 : 8$
- (ii) The radius of the circumcircle of  $\Delta PRS$  is  
 (a) 5 (b)  $3\sqrt{3}$  (c)  $3\sqrt{2}$  (d)  $2\sqrt{3}$
- (iii) The radius of the incircle of  $\Delta PQR$  is  
 (a) 4 (b) 3 (c)  $8/3$  (d) 2

#### Passage VII

If  $P$  is a point moving on a parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  and  $Q$  is a moving point on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 24ay + 128a^2 = 0$ . The points  $P$  and  $Q$  will be closest when they lie along the normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  passing through the centre of the circle.

- (i) If the normal at  $(at^2, 2at)$  of the parabola passes through the centre of the circle, the value of  $t$  must be  
 (a) 1 (b) 2 (c) 3 (d) 4
- (ii) The shortest distance between  $P$  and  $Q$  must be  
 (a)  $a(\sqrt{2} - 1)$  (b)  $2a(\sqrt{5} - 1)$   
 (c)  $4a(\sqrt{5} - 1)$  (d)  $4a(\sqrt{5} + 1)$
- (iii) When  $P$  and  $Q$  are closest, the point  $P$  must be  
 (a)  $(1, 2a)$  (b)  $(2a, 2\sqrt{2}a)$   
 (c)  $(4a, 4a)$  (d)  $(5a, 4a)$

- (iv) When  $P$  and  $Q$  are closest, the point  $Q$  must be
- (a)  $\left(\frac{4a}{\sqrt{5}}, 6a - \frac{8a}{\sqrt{5}}\right)$  (b)  $\left(\frac{4a}{\sqrt{5}}, 12a - \frac{8a}{\sqrt{5}}\right)$
- (c)  $\left(\frac{4a}{\sqrt{5}}, -12a - \frac{8a}{\sqrt{5}}\right)$  (d)  $\left(\frac{4a}{\sqrt{5}}, -8a - \frac{12a}{\sqrt{5}}\right)$
- (v) When  $P$  and  $Q$  are closest and the diameter  $QR$  of the circle is drawn through  $Q$ , the  $x$ -coordinate of  $Q$  is
- (a)  $-\frac{2a}{\sqrt{5}}$  (b)  $-\frac{8a}{\sqrt{5}}$  (c)  $-\frac{4a}{\sqrt{5}}$  (d)  $-\frac{6a}{\sqrt{5}}$

**Passage VIII**

If a source of light is placed at the fixed point of a parabola and if the parabola is reflecting surface, the ray will bounce back in a line parallel to the axis of the parabola.

- (i) A ray of light is coming along the line  $y = 2$  from the positive direction of  $x$ -axis and strikes a concave mirror whose intersection with the  $xy$  plane is a parabola  $y^2 = 8x$ , the equation of the reflected ray is
- (a)  $2x + 3y = 4$  (b)  $3x + 2y = 6$
- (c)  $4x + 3y = 8$  (d)  $5x + 4y = 10$
- (ii) A ray of light moving parallel to the  $x$ -axis gets reflected from a parabolic mirror whose equation is  $y^2 + 10y - 4x + 17 = 0$ . After reflection, the ray must pass through the point
- (a)  $(-2, -5)$  (b)  $(-1, -5)$
- (c)  $(-3, -5)$  (d)  $(-4, -5)$
- (iii) A ray of light is coming along the line  $x = 2$  from the positive direction of  $y$ -axis and strikes a concave mirror whose intersection with the  $xy$  plane is a parabola  $x^2 = 4y$ , the equation of the reflected ray after second reflection is
- (a)  $2x + y = 1$  (b)  $3x - 2y + 2 = 0$
- (c)  $y = 1$  (d) none
- (iv) Two rays of light coming along the line  $y = 1$  and  $y = -2$  from the positive direction of  $x$ -axis and strikes a concave mirror whose intersection with the  $xy$  plane is a parabola  $y^2 = x$  at  $A$  and  $B$ , respectively. The reflected rays pass through a fixed point  $C$ , the area of  $\Delta ABC$  is
- (a)  $21/8$  s.u. (b)  $19/2$  s.u.
- (c)  $17/2$  s.u. (d)  $15/2$  s.u.

**Matrix Match  
(For JEE-Advanced Examination Only)**

1. Match the following columns:  $AB$  is a chord of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  joining  $A(at_1^2, 2at_1)$  and  $B(at_2^2, 2at_2)$ .

Column I	Column II
(A) $AB$ is a normal chord, if	(P) $t_2 = 2 - t_1$
(B) $AB$ is a focal chord, if	(Q) $t_1 t_2 = -4$
(C) $AB$ subtends $90^\circ$ at $(0, 0)$ , if	(R) $t_1 t_2 = -1$
(D) $AB$ is inclined at $45^\circ$ to the axis of the parabola	(S) $t_1^2 + t_1 t_2 + 2 = 0$

2. Match the following columns:

Column I	Column II
(A) The point, from which perpendicular tangents can be drawn to the parabola $y^2 = 4x$ , is	(P) $(-1, 2)$
(B) The point, from which only one normal can be drawn to the parabola $y^2 = 4x$ , is	(Q) $(3, 2)$
(C) The point, at which chord $x - y + 1 = 0$ of the parabola $y^2 = 4x$ is bisected, is	(R) $(-1, -5)$
(D) The point, from which tangents cannot be drawn to the parabola $y^2 = 4x$ , is	(S) $(5, -2)$

3. Match the following columns:

Column I	Column II
(A) The equation of the director circle to the parabola $y^2 = 12x$ is	(P) $2y - 1 = 0$
(B) The equation of the director circle to the parabola $x^2 = 16y$ is	(Q) $x - 2 = 0$
(C) The equation of the director circle to the parabola $y^2 + 4x + 4y = 0$ is	(R) $y + 4 = 0$
(D) The equation of the director circle to the parabola $y = x^2 + x + 1$ is	(S) $x + 3 = 0$

4. Match the following columns:

Column I	Column II
(A) Number of distinct normals can be drawn from $(-2, 1)$ to the parabola $y^2 - 4x - 2y - 3 = 0$ is	(P) 3
(B) Number of distinct normals can be drawn from $(2, 3)$ to the parabola $y = x^2 + x + 1$ is	(Q) 1
(C) Number of distinct normals can be drawn from $(-5, 3)$ to the parabola $y^2 - 4x - 6y - 1 = 0$ is	(R) 0
(D) Number of tangents can be drawn from $(1, 2)$ to the parabola $y^2 - 2x - 2y + 1 = 0$ is	(S) 2

5. Match the following columns:  
Normals are drawn at points  $P, Q$  and  $R$  lying on the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  which intersect at  $(3, 0)$ .

Column I	Column II
(A) Area of $\Delta PQR$	(P) 2
(B) Radius of the circumcircle $\Delta PQR$	(Q) $5/2$
(C) Centroid of $\Delta PQR$	(R) $(5/2, 0)$
(D) Circumcentre of $\Delta PQR$	(S) $(2/3, 0)$

6. Match the following columns:

Column I	Column II
(A) If $y + 3 = m_1(x + 2)$ and $y + 3 = m_2(x + 2)$ are two tangents to the parabola $y^2 = 8x$ , then	(P) $m_1 + m_2 = 0$
(B) If $y = m_1x + c_1$ and $y = m_2x + c_2$ are two tangents to a parabola $y^2 = 4a(x + a)$ , then	(Q) $m_1 + m_2 = -1$
(C) If $y = m_1(x + 4) + 2013$ and $y + 1 = m_2(x + 4) + 2014$ are two tangents to the parabola $y^2 = 16x$ , then	(R) $m_1, m_2 = -1$
(D) If $y = m_1(x - 2) + 2010$ and $y = m_1(x - 2) + 2010$ are two tangents to the parabola $y^2 = -8x$ , then	(S) $m_1 - m_2 = 0$

7. Match the following columns:

Column I	Column II
(A) If $2x + y + \lambda = 0$ is a normal to the parabola $y^2 = -8x$ , then $\lambda$ is	(P) 9
(B) If $x + y = k$ is a normal to the parabola $y^2 = 12x$ , then $k$ is	(Q) 24
(C) If $2x - y - c = 0$ is a tangent to the parabola $y^2 = 16x$ , then $c$ is	(R) 17
(D) If $y = 4x + d$ is a tangent to the parabola $y^2 = 4(x + 1)$ , then $4d$ is	(S) 2

8. Match the following columns

Column I	Column II
(A) The equation of the directrix of the parabola $y^2 + 4x + 4y + 2 = 0$ is	(P) $x - 2y + 4 = 0$
(B) The equation of the axis of the parabola $x^2 + 4x + 4y + 2013 = 0$ is	(Q) $2x - 3 = 0$
(C) The equation of the tangent to the parabola $y^2 = 4x$ from the point $(2, 3)$ is	(R) $x + 3 = 0$
(D) The equation of the directrix of the parabola $y^2 = 4x + 8$ is	(S) $x + 2 = 0$

### Questions asked in Previous Years' JEE-Advanced Examinations

1. Suppose that the normals drawn at three different points on the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  pass through the point  $(h, k)$ . Show that  $h > 2a$ . [IIT-JEE, 1981]

2.  $A$  is a point on the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ . The normal at  $A$  cuts the parabola again at  $B$ . If  $AB$  subtends a right angle at the vertex of the parabola, find the slope of  $AB$ . [IIT-JEE -1982]

No questions asked in 1983.

3. Find the equation of the normal to the curve  $x^2 = 4y$  which passes through the point  $(1, 2)$ . [IIT-JEE, 1984]
4. Three normals are drawn from the point  $(c, 0)$  to the curve  $y^2 = x$ . Show that  $c$  must be greater than  $1/2$ . One normal is always the  $x$ -axis. Find  $c$  for which the other two normals are perpendicular to each other. [IIT-JEE, 1991]
5. Through the vertex  $O$  of the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ , chords  $OP$  and  $OQ$  are drawn at right angles, show that for all positions of  $P$ ,  $PQ$  cuts the axis at the parabola at a fixed point. Also find the locus of the mid-point of  $PQ$ . [IIT-JEE, 1994]
6. Consider a circle with its centre lying on the focus of the parabola  $y^2 = 2px$  such that it touches the directrix of the parabola. Then a point of intersection of the circle and the parabola is

(a)  $\left(\frac{p}{2}, p\right)$  or  $\left(-\frac{p}{2}, p\right)$  (b)  $\left(\frac{p}{2}, \frac{p}{2}\right)$

(c)  $\left(-\frac{p}{2}, p\right)$  (d)  $\left(-\frac{p}{2}, -\frac{p}{2}\right)$

[IIT-JEE, 1995]

7. Show that the locus of a point that divides a chord of slope 2 of the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  internally in the ratio  $1 : 2$  is parabola. Also find its vertex. [IIT-JEE, 1995]
8. Points  $A, B, C$  lie on the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ . The tangent to the parabola at  $A, B$  and  $C$  taken in pair intersect at the points  $P, Q$  and  $R$ . Determine the ratio of the areas of  $\Delta s ABC$  and  $PQR$ . [IIT-JEE, 1996]
9. From a point  $A$ , common tangents are drawn to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{a^2}{2}$  and the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ . Find the area of the quadrilateral formed by the common tangents drawn from  $A$  and the chord of contact of the circle and the parabola. [IIT-JEE, 1996]

No questions asked in between 1997 to 1999.

10. If  $x + y = k$  is normal to  $y^2 = 12x$ , then  $k$  is  
 (a) 3 (b) 9 (c)  $-9$  (d)  $-3$   
 [IIT-JEE, 2000]
11. If the line  $x - 1 = 0$  is the directrix of the parabola  $y^2 = kx - 8$ , one of the value of the  $k$  is  
 (a)  $1/8$  (b) 8 (c) 4 (d)  $1/4$   
 [IIT-JEE, 2000]
12. The equation of the directrix of the parabola  $y^2 + 4y + 4x + 2 = 0$  is  
 (a)  $x = -1$  (b)  $x = 1$   
 (c)  $x = -3/2$  (d)  $x = 3/2$   
 [IIT-JEE, 2001]

13. The equation of the common tangent touching the circle  $(x - 3)^2 + y^2 = 9$  and the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  above the  $x$ -axis is

- (a)  $y\sqrt{3} = (3x + 1)$  (b)  $y\sqrt{3} = -x - 3$   
 (c)  $y\sqrt{3} = x + 3$  (d)  $y\sqrt{3} = -(3x + 1)$

[IIT-JEE, 2001]

14. The locus of the mid-point of the line segment joining the focus to a moving point on the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  is another parabola with directrix

- (a)  $x = -a$  (b)  $x = -a/2$   
 (c)  $x = 0$  (d)  $x = a/2$

[IIT-JEE, 2002]

15. The equation of the common tangent to the curve  $y^2 = 8x$  and  $xy = -1$  is

- (a)  $3y = 9x + 2$  (b)  $y = 2x + 1$   
 (c)  $2y = x + 8$  (d)  $y = x + 2$

[IIT-JEE, 2002]

16. The focal chord to  $y^2 = 16x$  is tangent to  $(x - 6)^2 + y^2 = 2$ , the possible values of the slope of this chord, are

- (a)  $\{-1, 1\}$  (b)  $\{-2, 2\}$   
 (c)  $\{-2, 1/2\}$  (d)  $\{2, -1/2\}$

[IIT-JEE, 2003]

17. Let  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  be, respectively, the parabolas  $x^2 = y - 1$  and  $y^2 = x - 1$ , let  $P$  be any point on  $C_1$  and  $Q$  be any point on  $C_2$ . Let  $P_1$  and  $Q_1$  be the reflections of  $P$  and  $Q$  respectively, with respect to the line  $y = x$ . Prove that  $P_1$  lies on  $C_2$ ,  $Q_1$  lies on  $C_1$  and  $PQ \geq \min[PP_1, QQ_1]$ . Hence or otherwise determine points  $P_0$  and  $Q_0$  on the parabolas  $C_1$  and  $C_2$ , respectively such that  $P_0Q_0 \leq PQ$  for all pairs of points  $(P, Q)$  with  $P$  on  $C_1$  and  $Q$  on  $C_2$

[IIT-JEE, 2003]

18. Three normals with slopes  $m_1, m_2$  and  $m_3$  are drawn from a point  $P$  not on the axis of the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ . If  $m_1m_2 = \alpha$ , results in the locus of  $P$  being a part of the parabola, find the value of  $\alpha$ .

[IIT-JEE, 2003]

19. The angle between the tangents drawn from the point  $(1, 4)$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  is

- (a)  $\frac{\pi}{6}$  (b)  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  (c)  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  (d)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$

[IIT-JEE, 2004]

20. At any point  $P$  on the parabola  $y^2 - 2y - 4x + 5 = 0$ , a tangent is drawn which meets the directrix at  $Q$ . Find the locus of point  $R$  which divides  $QP$  externally in the ratio  $\frac{1}{2} : 1$ .

[IIT-JEE, 2004]

No questions asked in 2005.

21. The axis of a parabola is along the line  $y = x$  and the distances of its vertex and focus from the origin are  $\sqrt{2}$  and  $2\sqrt{2}$ , respectively. If the vertex and the focus both lie in the first quadrant, the equation of the parabola is

- (a)  $(x - y)^2 = (x - y - 2)$  (b)  $(x - y)^2 = (x + y - 2)$   
 (c)  $(x - y)^2 = 4(x + y - 2)$  (d)  $(x - y)^2 = 8(x + y - 2)$

[IIT-JEE, 2006]

22. The equation of the common tangent to the parabola  $y = x^2$  and  $y = -(x - 2)^2$  is/are

- (a)  $y = 4(x - 1)$  (b)  $y = 0$   
 (c)  $y = -4(x - 1)$  (d)  $y = -30x - 50$

[IIT-JEE, 2006]

26. Match the following:

Normals are drawn at points  $P, Q$  and  $R$  lying on the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  which intersect at  $(3, 0)$ .

Column I		Column II	
(i)	Area of $\Delta PQR$	(A)	2
(ii)	Radius of circumcircle of $\Delta PQR$	(B)	5/2
(iii)	Centroid of $\Delta PQR$	(C)	(1, 0)
(iv)	Circumcentre of $\Delta PQR$	(D)	(2/3, 0)

[IIT-JEE, 2006]

24. Comprehension

Consider the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  and the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$ . They intersect at  $P$  and  $Q$  in the first and the fourth quadrants, respectively. The tangents to the circle at  $P$  and  $Q$  intersect the  $x$ -axis at  $R$  and tangents to the parabola at  $P$  and  $Q$  intersect the  $x$ -axis at  $S$ .

- (i) The ratio of the areas of  $\Delta PQS$  and  $\Delta PQR$  is  
 (a)  $1 : \sqrt{2}$  (b)  $1 : 2$  (c)  $1 : 4$  (d)  $1 : 8$   
 (ii) The radius of the circumcircle of  $\Delta PRS$  is  
 (a) 5 (b)  $3\sqrt{3}$  (c)  $3\sqrt{2}$  (d)  $2\sqrt{3}$   
 (iii) The radius of the incircle of  $\Delta PQR$  is  
 (a) 4 (b) 3 (c)  $8/3$  (d) 2

[IIT-JEE, 2007]

25. **Statement 1:** The curve  $y = -\frac{x^2}{2} + x + 1$  is symmetric with respect to the line  $x = 1$ .

**Statement 2:** A parabola is symmetric about its axis.

[IIT-JEE, 2007]

26. Let  $P(x_1, y_1), Q(x_2, y_2), y_1 < 0, y_2 < 0$ , be the end-points of the latus rectum of the ellipse  $x^2 + 4y^2 = 4$ . The equation of the parabola with the latus rectum  $PQ$  are

- (a)  $x^2 + 2\sqrt{3}y = 3 + \sqrt{3}$  (b)  $x^2 - 2\sqrt{3}y = 3 + \sqrt{3}$   
 (c)  $x^2 + 2\sqrt{3}y = 3 - \sqrt{3}$  (d)  $x^2 - 2\sqrt{3}y = 3 - \sqrt{3}$

[IIT-JEE, 2008]

27. The tangent  $PT$  and the normal  $PN$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at a point  $P$  on it meet axes at points  $T$  and  $N$ , respectively. The locus of the centroid of  $\Delta PTN$  is a parabola whose

- (a) vertex is  $(2a/3, 0)$  (b) directrix is  $x = 0$   
 (c) latus rectum is  $2a/3$  (d) focus is  $(a, 0)$

[IIT-JEE, 2009]

28. Let  $A$  and  $B$  be two distinct points on the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ . If the axis of the parabola touches a circle of radius  $r$  having  $AB$  as the diameter, the slope of the line joining  $A$  and  $B$  can be

- (a)  $-\frac{1}{r}$  (b)  $\frac{1}{r}$  (c)  $\frac{2}{r}$  (d)  $-\frac{2}{r}$

[IIT-JEE, 2010]

29. Let  $L$  be a normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ . If  $L$  passes through the point  $(9, 6)$ , then  $L$  is given by  
 (a)  $y - x + 3 = 0$  (b)  $y + 3x - 33 = 0$   
 (c)  $y + x - 15 = 0$  (d)  $y - 2x + 12 = 0$

[IIT-JEE, 2011]

30. Consider the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$ , Let  $\Delta_1$  be the area of the triangle formed by the end-points of its latus rectum and the point  $P\left(\frac{1}{2}, 2\right)$  on the parabola, and  $\Delta_2$  be the area of the triangle formed by drawing tangents at  $P$  and at the end-points of the latus rectum. Then  $\frac{\Delta_1}{\Delta_2}$  is...

[IIT-JEE, 2011]

31. Let  $S$  be the focus of the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$  and let  $PQ$  be the common chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y = 0$  and the given parabola. The area of  $\Delta PQS$  is ...

[IIT-JEE, 2012]

**Comprehension**

Let  $PQ$  be a focal chord of a parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ . The tangents to the parabola at  $P$  and  $Q$  meet at a point lying on the line  $y = 2x + a, a > 0$ .

32. The length of the chord  $PQ$  is  
 (a)  $7a$  (b)  $5a$  (c)  $2a$  (d)  $3a$   
 33. If the chord  $PQ$  subtends an angle  $\theta$  at the vertex of  $y^2 = 4ax$ , then  $\tan \theta$  is  
 (a)  $\frac{2\sqrt{7}}{3}$  (b)  $-\frac{2\sqrt{7}}{3}$  (c)  $\frac{2\sqrt{5}}{3}$  (d)  $-\frac{2\sqrt{5}}{3}$

[IIT-JEE, 2013]

**37. Match Matrix**

A line  $L: y = mx + 3$  meets  $y$ -axis at  $E(0, 3)$  and the arc of the parabola  $y^2 = 16x, 0 \leq y \leq 6$  at the point  $F(x_0, y_0)$ . The tangent to the parabola at  $F(x_0, y_0)$  intersects the  $y$ -axis at  $G(0, y_1)$ . The slope  $m$  of the line  $L$  is chosen such that the area of  $\Delta EFG$  has a local maximum. Match List I and List II and select the correct answers using the code given below the lists.

List I		List II	
P	$m =$	1.	$1/2$
Q	Maximum area of $\Delta EFG$ is	2.	$4$
R	$y_0 =$	3.	$2$
S	$y_1 =$	4.	$1$

[IIT-JEE, 2013]

35. The common tangents to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 2$  and the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$  touch the circle at the points  $P, Q$  and the parabola at the points  $R, S$ . Then the area of the quadrilateral  $PQRS$  is  
 (a)  $3$  (b)  $6$  (c)  $9$  (d)  $15$

[IIT-JEE, 2014]

**Comprehension**

Let  $a, r, s, t$  be non-zero real numbers. Let  $P(at^2, 2at), Q, R(ar^2, 2ar)$  and  $S(as^2, 2as)$  be distinct points on the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ . Suppose that  $PQ$  is the focal chord and lines  $QR$  and  $PK$  are parallel, where  $K$  is the point  $(2a, 0)$ .

36. The value of  $r$  is  
 (a)  $-\frac{1}{t}$  (b)  $\frac{t^2+1}{t}$  (c)  $\frac{1}{t}$  (d)  $\frac{t^2-1}{t}$

[IIT-JEE, 2104]

37. If  $st = 1$ , the tangent at  $P$  and the normal at  $S$  to the parabola meet at a point whose ordinate is  
 (a)  $\frac{(t^1+1)^2}{2t^3}$  (b)  $\frac{a(t^2+1)^2}{2t^3}$   
 (c)  $\frac{a(t^2+1)^2}{t^3}$  (d)  $\frac{a(t^2+2)^2}{t^3}$

[IIT-JEE, 2014]

38. Let the curve  $C$  be the mirror image of the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  with respect to the line  $x + y + 4 = 0$ . If  $A$  and  $B$  are the points of intersection of  $C$  with the line  $y = -5$ , then the distance between  $A$  and  $B$  is... [IIT-JEE-2015]  
 39. If the normals of the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  drawn at the end points of its latus rectum are tangents to the circle  $(x - 3)^2 + (y + 2)^2 = r^2$ , then the value of  $r^2$  is...

[IIT-JEE-2015]

40. Let  $P$  and  $Q$  be distinct points on the parabola  $y^2 = 2x$  such that a circle with  $PQ$  as diameter passes through the vertex  $O$  of the parabola. If  $P$  lies in the first quadrant and the area of the triangle  $\Delta OPQ$  is  $3:2$ , then which of the following is (are) the coordinates of  $P$ ?  
 (a)  $(4, 2\sqrt{2})$  (b)  $(9, 3\sqrt{2})$   
 (c)  $\left(\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$  (d)  $(1, \sqrt{2})$

[IIT-JEE-2015]

41. The circle  $C_1: x^2 + y^2 = 3$ , with centre at  $O$ , intersects the parabola  $x^2 = 2y$  at the point  $P$  in the first quadrant. Let the tangent to the circle  $C_1$  at  $P$  touches other two circles  $C_2$  and  $C_3$  at  $R_2$  and  $R_3$ , respectively. Suppose  $C_2$  and  $C_3$  have equal radii  $2\sqrt{3}$  and centres  $Q_2$  and  $Q_3$ , respectively. If  $Q_2$  and  $Q_3$  lie on the  $y$ -axis, then  
 (a)  $Q_2Q_3 = 12$  (b)  $R_2R_3 = 4\sqrt{6}$   
 (c)  $ar(\Delta OR_2R_3) = 6\sqrt{2}$  (d)  $ar(\Delta PQ_2Q_3) = 4\sqrt{2}$

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42. Let  $P$  be the point on the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  which is at the shortest distance from the center  $S$  of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 16y + 64 = 0$ . Let  $Q$  be the point on the circle dividing the line segment  $SP$  internally. Then  
 (a)  $SP = 2\sqrt{5}$   
 (b)  $SQ:SP = (\sqrt{5} + 1):2$   
 (c) the  $x$ -intercept of the normal to the parabola at  $P$  is  $6$ .  
 (d) the slope of the tangent to the circle at  $Q$  is  $\frac{1}{2}$

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## ANSWERS

## LEVEL I

1. Parabola
2.  $\lambda = 4$
3.  $\frac{1}{2}$
4.  $20\{x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y + 5\}$   
 $= (x^2 + 9y^2 + 100 + 6xy + 20x + 6y)$
5.  $x^2 + 2xy + y^2 + 2x + 2y + 4 = 0$
6. (i)  $V: (-3, 1), S: \left(-\frac{11}{4}, 1\right), L.R. = 1, A: y = 1$
- (ii)  $V: (-2, 2), S: \left(-\frac{5}{4}, 2\right); L.R. = 3, A: y = 2$
- (iii)  $V: (2, -6), S: \left(2, -\frac{23}{4}\right); L.R. = 1, A: x = 2$
- (iv)  $V: \left(-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right); S: (-1/2, 3/4); L.R. = 1,$   
 $A: 2y - 1 = 0.$
7. (3, 6) and (3, -6)
8.  $x^2 - 2xy + y^2 + 32x + 32y + 76 = 0$
9.  $x = 0$
10.  $y^2 = 8x + 24 = 8(x + 3)$
11.  $y = x^2 + 3x + 2$
12.  $(y - 2)^2 = 2(x - 1)$
13.  $(x - 3)^2 = 12(y - 1)$
14.  $t_1 t_2 = -1$
15.  $a\left(t + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2$
16.  $4a \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta$
18. (0, at)
21. (0, 4)
22.  $-3 < x < 3$
23.  $(1/2, -2)$  or  $(25/2, -10)$
24. 16
25.  $\frac{4}{m^2} \sqrt{1 + m^2} \sqrt{a(a - mc)}$
26.  $(at_1 t_2, a(t_1 + t_2))$
27.  $2x + y - 4 = 0$  and  $2x - y + 1 = 0$
28.  $\left(\frac{1}{2}, 2\right)$  or  $\left(\frac{1}{2}, -2\right)$
29.  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$
30.  $y = x - 2$  and  $y = -3x + 2$
31.  $x + y + a = 0$
32.  $y = \left(-\frac{a^{1/3}}{b^{1/3}}\right)x + a\left(-\frac{b^{1/3}}{a^{1/3}}\right)$
33.  $y = \pm x \pm 4$
34.  $y = 4x - 4$
35.  $y = x + 2$
36.  $x + 2y = 1$
37.  $x - \sqrt{3}y + 3 = 0$
38.  $L(1, 2)$  and  $L'(1, -2)$  is (1, 0)
39.  $\frac{\pi}{3}$
40.  $\frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}$
41.  $2\sqrt{2}$
42. -1
43. (-2, -9)
44.  $x + a + b = 0$
45.  $\frac{1}{2}a^2(t_1 - t_2)(t_2 - t_3)(t_3 - t_1)$
46.  $x^2 + y^2 - a(1 + t_2 t_3 + t_3 t_1 + t_1 t_2)x$   
 $- a(t_1 + t_2 + t_3 - t_1 t_2 t_3)y$   
 $+ a^2(t_2 t_3 + t_3 t_1 + t_1 t_2) = 0$
47.  $\left(-a, a\left(\frac{1}{m_1} + \frac{1}{m_2} + \frac{1}{m_3} + \frac{1}{m_1 m_2 m_3}\right)\right)$
48.  $x + a = 0$
49. (i)  $4x + 9 = 0$   
(ii)  $y + 2 = 0$   
(iii)  $x = 0$
50.  $x = 2a + a(t_1^2 + t_2^2 + t_1 t_2)$   
and  $y = -at_1 t_2(t_1 + t_2)$
51.  $t_2 = -t_1 - \frac{2}{t_1}$
52.  $\geq 8$
53. 2
54.  $x + y = 3$
55.  $y = 2x - 24$
56.  $k = 9$
57.  $9PQ = 80\sqrt{10}$
58.  $y^2 = a(x - 3a)$
59.  $al^3 + 2alm^2 + nm^2 = 0$
60.  $\theta = \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{2})$
61.  $(m^2, -2m) = (1, \mp 2)$
62.  $PQ = 6\sqrt{3}$
64.  $y^2 = a(x - a)$
65.  $\sqrt{5}$
66.  $2\sqrt{5} - 1$
69.  $\left(\frac{2h - 4a}{3}, 0\right)$



70.  $h > 2a$   
 71.  $27ak^2 < 4(h - 2a)^3$   
 72.  $\varphi = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\tan \theta}{2}\right)$   
 74.  $(3a, 0)$   
 79.  $2x - 3y + 4 = 0$   
 80.  $y = 3x - 3$   
 81.  $(y^2 - 4ax) = (x + a)^2 \tan^2 \theta$   
 82.  $\frac{1}{|a|} \times \sqrt{(k^2 - 4ah)(k^2 + 4a^2)}$   
 83.  $\frac{(k^2 - 4ah)^{3/2}}{2a}$   
 84.  $4x - 3y + 1 = 0$   
 85.  $y^2 = 2a(x - a)$   
 86.  $y^2 = 2ax$   
 87.  $y^4 - 2a(x - 2a)y^2 + 8a^4 = 0$   
 88.  $y^4 = 2a(x - 4a)$   
 89.  $(2a - b)y^2 = 4a^2x$   
 90.  $y^2 - 2ax - by + 6ab = 0$   
 91.  $y^2(2x + a) = a(3x + a)^2$   
 93.  $y = a(t_1 + t_2)$   
 94. 15  
 95.  $x - 7y + 10 = 0$

**LEVEL II**

1. (c)    2. (c)    3. (b)    4. (c)    5. (a)  
 6. (d)    7. (c)    8. (c)    9. (a)    10. ()  
 11. (d)    12. (b)    13. (a)    14. (d)    15. (b)  
 16. (a)    17. (a)    18. (a)    19. ()    20. (d)  
 21. (c)    22. (b)    23. (b)    24. (b)    25. (b)  
 26. (b)    27. (b)    28. (d)    29. (d)    30. (a)  
 31. (b)    32. (b)    33. (d)    34. (c)    35. (a)  
 36. (c)    37. (c)    38. (b)    39. (c)    40. (d)  
 41. (c)    42. (d)    43. (a)    44. (b)    45. (a)  
 46. (c)    47. (d)    48. (c)    49. (a)    50. (c)

**LEVEL III**

1. (4, 0)  
 2.  $4ya^2 + 8a^3 - xa^4 + 4x = 0$   
 3.  $y^2 = 4(a_1 - a)(x - a)$   
 4. (0, 0), (4a, 4a), (4a, -4a), (8a, 0)  
 5.  $(x - y)^2 = 8(x + y - 2)$   
 8.  $m = 1, -1$   
 9. (-1, 0)  
 10. (2, 4)  
 12.  $y\sqrt{3} = x + 3$   
 13.  $y = x + 2$   
 14.  $y = 0, y = 4(x - 1)$

15.  $\left(\frac{p}{2}, p\right), \left(\frac{p}{2}, -p\right)$   
 17.  $c > 1/2$   
 18.  $x - 2y + 8 = 0, (8, 8)$   
 19.  $12a$   
 21.  $x^2 = 2(y - 6)$   
 22.  $(ax + by)(x^2 + y^2) + (bx - ay)^2 = 0$   
 23.  $9y^2 = 4a(x - 8a)$   
 24.  $y^2 = 2a^2(x - 4)$   
 25.  $\left(\frac{2}{9}, \frac{8}{9}\right)$   
 26.  $\frac{15a^2}{4}$   
 27.  $\alpha = 2$   
 28.  $(y - 1)^2(x + 1) + 4 = 0$   
 30. (3, -4), (0, 0), (8, 16)  
 31.  $y = -\frac{(x - h)}{(y - k)} - \frac{a(y - k)}{(x - h)}$   
 32.  $y^2 = a(x - 3a)$

**LEVEL IV**

1.  $8\sqrt{2}$  s.u.  
 2. (c)  
 3.  $(b^2 - 4a^2)y - 4abx + 4a^2b = 0$   
 4.  $t = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, \varphi = \cos^{-1}\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}\right)$   
 5. (a, c)  
 6.  $x^2 = 2(y - 6)$   
 7.  $y + 18\left(\frac{x - 6}{21}\right)^{3/2} = 0$   
 8.  $x - 2y + 1 = 0$   
 9.  $(2 - x)y^2 = (5y^2 + 32)$   
 10.  $9y^2 = 4ax$   
 11.  $9x^2 = 4by$   
 12.  $(\sqrt{21} - \sqrt{5})$   
 13.  $\frac{5a}{\sqrt{2}}$   
 14.  $|b| < \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}$   
 15. 4

**INTEGER TYPE QUESTIONS**

1. 6  
 2. 3  
 3. 5

4. 2
5. 6
6. 2
7. 6
8. 5
9. 5
10. 8
11. 9
12. 3

**COMPREHENSIVE LINK PASSAGES**

- Passage I: (i) (d) (ii) (c) (iii) (d)  
 Passage II: (i) (b) (ii) (a) (iii) (c)  
 Passage III: (i) (d) (ii) (b) (iii) (c)  
 Passage IV: (i) (a) (ii) (b) (iii) (c)  
 Passage V: (i) (b) (ii) (c) (iii) (a)  
 Passage VI: (i) (c) (ii) (b) (iii) (d)  
 Passage VII: (i) (a) (ii) (c) (iii) (c) (iv) (b) (v) (c)  
 Passage VIII: (i) (c) (ii) (b) (iii) (d)

**MATRIX MATCH**

1. (A) → (S); (B) → (R); (C) → (Q); (D) → (P)
2. (A) → (P, R); (B) → (P, R); (C) → (Q); (D) → (Q, S)
3. (A) → (S); (B) → (R); (C) → (Q); (D) → (P)
4. (A) → (Q); (B) → (P); (C) → (Q); (D) → (R)
5. (A) → (P); (B) → (Q); (C) → (S); (D) → (R)
6. (A) → (R); (B) → (R); (C) → (R); (D) → (R)
7. (A) → (Q); (B) → (P); (C) → (S); (D) → (R)
8. (A) → (Q); (B) → (S); (C) → (P); (D) → (R)

**QUESTIONS ASKED IN PREVIOUS YEARS' JEE-ADVANCED EXAMINATIONS**

2.  $\pm\sqrt{2}$
3.  $x + y = 3$
4.  $3/4$
5.  $y^2 = 2x - 8$
6. (a)

7.  $\left(\frac{2}{9}, \frac{8}{9}\right)$
8. 2 : 1
9.  $\frac{15a^2}{4}$
10. (b)
11. (c)
12. (d)
13. (c)
14. (c)
15. (d)
16. (a)
- 17.
18.  $\alpha = 2$
19. (c)
20.  $(y - 1)^2(x + 1) + 4 = 0$
21. (d)
22. (a, b)
23. (i) → A; (ii) → B; (iii) → D; (iv) → C
24. (i) - (c) (ii)-(b) (iii)-(d)
25. (a)
26. (b, c)
27. (a, d)
28. (c, d)
29. (a, b, d)
30. 2
31. 4
32. (b)
33. (d)
34.  $m = 1$
35. (d)
36. (d)
37. (b)
38. 4
39. 2
40. (a, c)
41. (a, b, c)
42. (a, c, d)

**HINTS AND SOLUTIONS****LEVEL I**

1. The given equation is

$$\begin{aligned} & \sqrt{ax} + \sqrt{by} = 1 \\ \Rightarrow & (\sqrt{ax} + \sqrt{by})^2 = 1 \\ \Rightarrow & ax + by + 2\sqrt{abxy} = 1 \\ \Rightarrow & (ax + by - 1)^2 = (2\sqrt{abxy})^2 \\ \Rightarrow & a^2x^2 + b^2y^2 + 1 + 2abxy - 2ax - 2by \\ & = 4abxy \end{aligned}$$

$$a^2x^2 - 2abxy + b^2y^2 - 2ax - 2by + 1 = 0$$

Here  $A = a^2$ ,  $B = b^2$  and  $H = -ab$

$$\text{Now, } H^2 - AB = a^2b^2 - a^2b^2 = 0$$

Hence, it represents a parabola.

2. Here,  $a = 1$ ,  $h = -2$  and  $b = \lambda$ .

Since, it represents a parabola, so

$$\begin{aligned} & h^2 - ab = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & 4 - \lambda = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & \lambda = 4 \end{aligned}$$

3. The given conic is

$$16(x^2 + (y-1)^2) = (x + \sqrt{3}y - 5)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + (y-1)^2) = \frac{1}{4} \left( \frac{x + \sqrt{3}y - 5}{\sqrt{1+3}} \right)^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

which represents an ellipse.

Now, Eq. (i) can also be written as

$$SP^2 = e^2 \times PM^2$$

Thus, the eccentricity is  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

4. Let  $S$  be the focus,  $PM$  be the directrix and the eccentricity =  $e$

From the definition of conic section, we get

$$\frac{SP}{PM} = e$$

$$\Rightarrow SP = e \times PM$$

$$\Rightarrow SP^2 = e^2 \times PM^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-1)^2 + (y-2)^2 = \frac{1}{2} \times \left( \frac{x+3y+10}{\sqrt{1+9}} \right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 20\{(x-1)^2 + (y-2)^2\} = (x+3y+10)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 20\{x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y + 5\}$$

$$= (x^2 + 9y^2 + 100 + 6xy + 20x + 6y)$$

5. Let  $S$  be the focus and  $PM$  be the directrix.

From the definition of conic section, it is clear that,

$$SP = PM$$

$$\Rightarrow SP^2 = PM^2$$

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

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

$$\Rightarrow 2(x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y + 2)$$

$$= (x^2 + y^2 + 9 - 2xy - 6x - 6y)$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 2xy + y^2 + 2x + 2y + 4 = 0$$

6. (i) The given equation is

$$y^2 = x + 2y + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 - 2y = x + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow (y-1)^2 = x + 3$$

$$\Rightarrow Y^2 = X, \text{ where } X = x + 3, Y = y - 1$$

Vertex:  $V(0, 0)$

$$\Rightarrow X = 0, Y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 3 = 0, y - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -3, y = 1$$

Hence, the vertex is  $(-3, 1)$

Focus:  $(a, 0)$

$$\therefore X = a, Y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 3 = \frac{1}{4}, y - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{4} - 3, y = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -\frac{11}{4}, y = 1$$

Hence, the focus is  $\left(-\frac{11}{4}, 1\right)$

Latus rectum:  $4a = 1$

Directrix:  $X + a = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x + 3 = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -\frac{11}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x + 11 = 0$$

Axis:  $Y = 0$

$$\Rightarrow y - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 1$$

- (ii) The given equation is

$$y^2 = 3x + 4y + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 - 4y = x^2 + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 - 4y + 4 = 2x + 6$$

$$\Rightarrow (y-2)^2 = 3(x+2)$$

$$\Rightarrow Y^2 = 3X,$$

where  $X = x + 2$  and  $Y = y - 2$

Vertex:  $(0, 0)$

$$\Rightarrow X = 0, Y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 2 = 0 \text{ and } y - 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -2 \text{ and } y = 2$$

Hence, the vertex is  $(-2, 2)$

Focus:  $(a, 0)$

$$\Rightarrow X = a, Y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 2 = \frac{3}{4}, y - 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -\frac{5}{4} \text{ and } y = 2$$

Hence, the focus is  $\left(-\frac{5}{4}, 2\right)$

Latus rectum:  $4a = 3$

Directrix:  $X + a = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x + 2 = 3/4$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -5/3$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x + 5 = 0$$

Axis:  $Y = 0$

$$\Rightarrow y - 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 2$$

- (iii) The given equation is

$$x^2 = y + 4x + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 4x = y + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 4x + 4 = y + 6$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-2)^2 = y + 6$$

$$\Rightarrow X^2 = Y,$$

where  $X = x - 2$  and  $Y = y + 6$

Vertex:  $(0, 0)$

$$\Rightarrow X = 0, Y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 2 = 0 \text{ and } y + 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2 \text{ and } y = -6$$

Hence, the vertex is  $(2, -6)$

Focus:  $(0, a)$

$$\Rightarrow X = 0, Y = a$$

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

$$\Rightarrow x = 2 \text{ and } y = -23/4$$

Hence, the focus is  $\left(2, -\frac{23}{4}\right)$

Latus rectum:  $4a = 1$

Directrix:  $Y + a = 0$

$$\Rightarrow y + 6 = 1/4$$

$$\Rightarrow 4y + 23 = 0$$

Axis:  $X = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x - 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2$$

(iv) The given equation is

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

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + x = -y$$

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

$$\Rightarrow X^2 = -Y, \text{ where}$$

$$X = x + \frac{1}{2}, Y = y - \frac{1}{4}$$

Vertex:  $(0, 0) \Rightarrow X = 0, Y = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x + \frac{1}{2} = 0, y - \frac{1}{4} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -\frac{1}{2}, y = \frac{1}{4}$$

Hence, the vertex is  $\left(-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}\right)$ .

Focus:  $(0, -a)$

$$\Rightarrow X = 0, Y = -a$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 1/2 = 0, y - 1/2 = 1/4$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -1/2, y = 3/4$$

Hence, the focus is  $(-1/2, 3/4)$

Latus rectum:  $4a = 1$

Directrix:  $Y - a = 0$

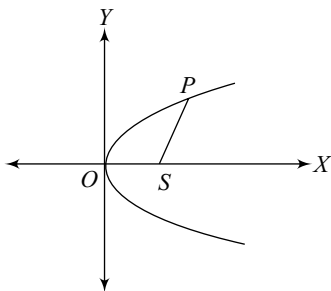
$$\Rightarrow y - 1/2 - 1/4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y - 3/4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4y - 3 = 0$$

$$\text{Axis: } Y = 0 \Rightarrow y - 1/2 = 0 \Rightarrow 2y - 1 = 0$$

7. Let the point be  $(x, y)$



The given equation is

$$y^2 = 12x$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 12/4 = 3$$

Given focal distance = 6

$$\therefore x + a = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 3 = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 6 - 3 = 3$$

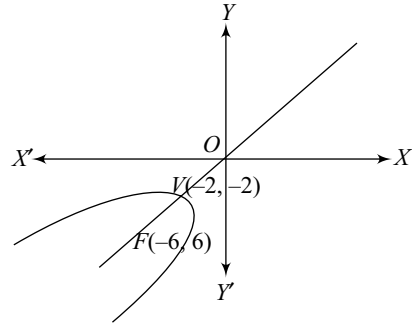
When  $x = 3, y^2 = 12 \times 3 = 36$

$$\Rightarrow y = \pm 6$$

Hence, the co-ordinates of the points are  $(3, 6)$  and  $(3, -6)$ .

8. Let the vertex be  $V$  and the focus be  $S$ .

The equation of axis is  $x - y = 0$ .



Let the point  $Q$  is the point of intersection of the axis and the directrix.

Clearly,  $V$  is the mid-point of  $Q$  and  $S$ .

Then  $Q$  is  $(2, 2)$ .

As we know that the directrix is perpendicular to the axis of the parabola. So, the equation of the directrix is

$$x + y - k = 0$$

which is passing through  $(2, 2)$ .

Therefore,  $k = 4$ .

Hence, the equation of the directrix is

$$x + y - 4 = 0$$

Thus the equation of the parabola is

$$\sqrt{(x + 6)^2 + (y + 6)^2} = \left(\frac{x + y - 4}{\sqrt{1 + 1}}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2((x + 6)^2 + (y + 6)^2) = (x + y - 4)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(x^2 + y^2 + 12x + 12y + 36)$$

$$= (x^2 + y^2 + 16 + 2xy + 8x - 8y)$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 2xy + y^2 + 32x + 32y + 76 = 0$$

9. The given equations are  $x = t^2 + 1$  and  $y = 2t + 1$

Eliminating  $t$ , we get

$$(y - 1)^2 = 4(x - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow Y^2 = 4X, \text{ where } X = (x - 1)$$

$$\text{and } Y = (y - 1)$$

Hence, the equation of the directrix is

$$X + a = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 1 + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0.$$

10. Let the vertex be  $V$  and the focus be  $S$ .

Let  $Q$  be the point of intersection of the axis and the directrix.

Clearly,  $Q$  be  $(-5, 0)$  and  $V$  be the mid-point of  $S$  and  $Q$ .

Then focus  $S$  is  $(-1, 0)$ .

Hence, the equation of the parabola is

$$\sqrt{(x + 1)^2 + y^2} = \left(\frac{x + 5}{\sqrt{1^2}}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow (x + 1)^2 + y^2 = (x + 5)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 = 8x + 24 = 8(x + 3)$$

11. Let the equation of the parabola be  $y = ax^2 + bx + c$  ... (i)  
 which is passing through (0, 2), (-1, 0) and (1, 6). So  
 $c = 2, a + c = b, a + b + c = 6$

Solving, we get  
 $a = 1, b = 3$  and  $c = 2$

Hence, the equation of the parabola is  $y = x^2 + 3x + 2$ .

12. Let the equation of the parabola be  $(y - k)^2 = 4a(x - h)$ ,  
 where vertex is (h, k).

Then the equation becomes  
 $(y - 2)^2 = 4a(x - 1)$   
 which is passing through (3, 4).

Therefore,  $8a = 4 \Rightarrow a = \frac{1}{2}$

Hence, the equation of the parabola is  
 $(y - 2)^2 = 2(x - 1)$

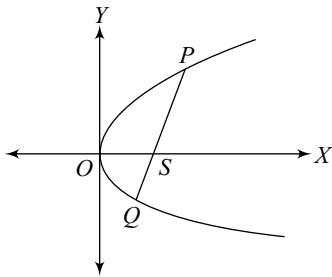
13. Let the equation of the parabola be  $(x - H)^2 = 4a(y - k)$ ,  
 where vertex is (h, k).

Thus the equation becomes  
 $(x - 3)^2 = 4a(y - 2)$

Also it given that, the length of the latus rectum = 12  
 $\Rightarrow 4a = 12 \Rightarrow a = 3$ .

Hence, the equation of the parabola is  
 $(x - 3)^2 = 12(y - 1)$ .

14. Let  $y^2 = 4ax$  be a parabola, if  $PQ$  be a focal chord.



Consider any two points on the parabola  $(at_1^2, 2at_1)$  and  $(at_2^2, 2at_2)$ .

Since  $PQ$  passes through the focus  $S(a, 0)$ , so  $P, S, Q$  are collinear.

Thus,  $m(PS) = m(QS)$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2at_1 - 0}{at_1^2 - a} = \frac{0 - 2at_2}{a - at_2^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2at_1}{at_1^2 - a} = \frac{2at_2}{at_2^2 - a}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2t_1}{t_1^2 - 1} = \frac{2t_2}{t_2^2 - 1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{t_1}{t_1^2 - 1} = \frac{t_2}{t_2^2 - 1}$$

$$\Rightarrow t_1(t_2^2 - 1) = t_2(t_1^2 - 1)$$

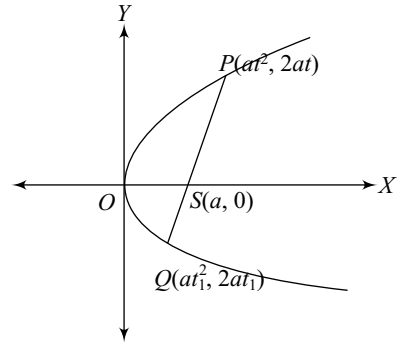
$$\Rightarrow t_1t_2(t_2 - t_1) + (t_2 - t_1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t_1t_2 + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t_1t_2 = -1$$

which is the required relation.

15. Since one extremity of the focal chord is  $P(at^2, 2at)$ ,  
 then the other extremity will be  $Q\left(\frac{a}{t^2}, -\frac{2a}{t}\right)$ .



Thus,  $PQ = SP + SQ$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (at^2 + a) + \left(\frac{a}{t^2} + a\right) \\ &= a\left(t^2 + \frac{1}{t^2} + 2\right) = a\left(t + \frac{1}{t}\right)^2 \end{aligned}$$

16. Now, slope of  $PQ = \frac{2}{t - \frac{1}{t}} = \tan \theta$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \cot \theta = t - \frac{1}{t}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus, } PQ &= a\left(t + \frac{1}{t}\right)^2 \\ &= a\left[\left(t - \frac{1}{t}\right)^2 + 4\right] \\ &= a(4 \cot^2 \theta + 4) \\ &= 4a \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta \end{aligned}$$

17.  $S = (a, 0), P = (at^2, 2at)$  and  $Q = \left(\frac{a}{t^2}, -\frac{2a}{t}\right)$

$$\text{Thus, } SP = a + at^2, SQ = a + \frac{a}{t^2}$$

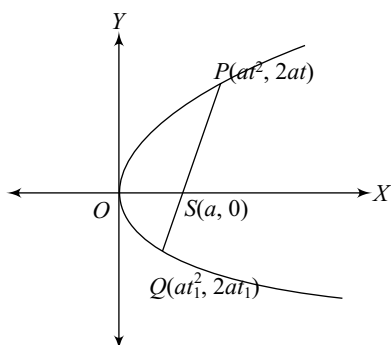
Now, Harmonic mean of  $SP$  and  $SQ$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{2SP \cdot SQ}{SP + SQ} = \frac{2}{\frac{1}{SP} + \frac{1}{SQ}} \\ &= \frac{1}{\frac{1}{SP} + \frac{1}{SQ}} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{a + at^2} + \frac{1}{a + \frac{a}{t^2}}} = \frac{1 + t^2}{a(1 + t^2)} = \frac{1}{a} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{2}{\frac{1}{SP} + \frac{1}{SQ}} = \frac{2}{\frac{1}{a}} = 2a$$

= semi-latus rectum.

18.



The equation of the focal chord  $SP$ :

$$y - 0 = \frac{2at - 0}{at^2 - a}(x - a)$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t^2 - 1) = 2tx - 2at$$

$$\Rightarrow 2tx - (t^2 - 1)y - 2at = 0$$

Let  $d$  be the distance of the focal chord  $SP$  from the vertex  $(0, 0)$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } d &= \frac{|(0 - 0 - 2at)|}{\sqrt{4t^2 + (t^2 - 1)^2}} \\ &= \frac{2at}{(t^2 + 1)} = \frac{2a}{\left(t + \frac{1}{t}\right)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Also, } PQ = a \left(t + \frac{1}{t}\right)^2 = a \times \frac{4a^2}{d^2} = \frac{4a^3}{d^2}$$

$$\text{Thus, } PQ \propto \frac{1}{d^2}$$

Hence the length of the focal chord varies inversely as the square of its distance from the vertex of the given parabola.

19. Let the circle described on the focal chord  $SP$ , where  $S = (a, 0)$  and  $P = (at^2, 2at)$ .

The equation of the circle is

$$(x - at^2)(x - a) + (y - 2at)(y - 0) - 0$$

Solving it with  $y$ -axis,  $x = 0$ , we have

$$y^2 - 2aty + a^2t^2 = 0$$

Clearly, it has equal roots.

So the circle touches the  $y$ -axis.

Also, the point of contact is  $(0, at)$ .

20. The equation of the circle described on  $AB$  as diameter is

$$(x - at^2) \left(x - \frac{a}{t^2}\right) + (y - 2at) \left(y + \frac{2a}{t}\right) = 0$$

Put  $x = a$ , we have

$$y^2 - 2a \left(t - \frac{1}{t}\right)y + a^2 \left(t - \frac{1}{t}\right)^2 = 0$$

Clearly, it has equal roots.

Hence the circle touches the directrix at  $x = -a$ .

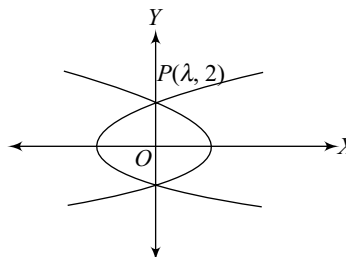
21. Since, the point  $(\lambda, -\lambda)$  lies inside of the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ , then  $\lambda^2 - 4\lambda < 0$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda(\lambda - 4) < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 < \lambda < 4$$

Hence, the range of  $\lambda$  is  $(0, 4)$ .

22. Since the point  $(\lambda, 2)$  is an exterior point of both the parabolas



$$y^2 = (x + 1) \text{ and } y^2 = -(x - 1),$$

So we have

$$4 - x - 1 > 0 \text{ and } 4 + x - 1 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 - x > 0 \text{ and } 3 + x > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 3 < 0 \text{ and } x + 3 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x < 3 \text{ and } x > -3$$

$$\Rightarrow -3 < x < 3$$

23. The given line is

$$2x + 3y + 5 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

and the parabola is  $y^2 = 8x$   $\dots(ii)$

Since (i) is a tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$ , so

$$\left(\frac{-2x - 5}{3}\right)^2 = 8x$$

$$\Rightarrow (2x + 5)^2 = 72x$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 + 20x + 25 = 72x$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 - 52x + 25 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 - 2x - 50x + 25 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x(2x - 1) - 25(2x - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2x - 1)(2x - 25) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 1/2, x = 25/2$$

$$\text{When } x = 1/2, \text{ then } y = \left(\frac{-1 - 5}{3}\right) = -2$$

Also, when  $x = 25/2$ , then  $y = -10$

Hence, the points of contact are

$$(1/2, -2) \text{ or } (25/2, -10)$$

24. The given parabola is

$$y^2 = 12x \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 3$$

The given line is  $3x + 4y + \lambda = 0$

$$\Rightarrow y = -\frac{3}{4}x - \frac{\lambda}{4} \quad \dots(ii)$$

Since, the line (ii) is a tangent to the parabola (i), so

$$c = \frac{a}{m}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{\lambda}{4} = \frac{3}{\left(-\frac{3}{4}\right)} = -4$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 16$$

Hence, the value of  $\lambda$  is 16.

25. Let the equation of the parabola be

$$y^2 = 4ax$$

and the line be  $y = mx + c$ .

Solving the above equations, we get

$$(mx + c)^2 = 4ax$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2x^2 + (2mc + 4a)x + c^2 = 0$$

Let the line  $y = mx + c$  intersects the parabola in two real and distinct points, say  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$ .

$$\text{Thus } (x_1 - x_2)^2 = (x_1 + x_2)^2 - 4x_1x_2$$

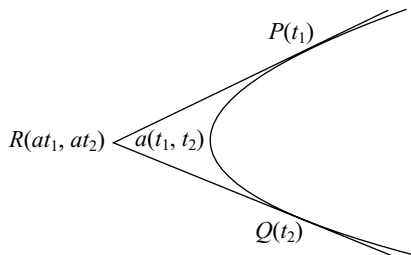
$$= \frac{4(mc - 2a)^2}{m^4} - \frac{4c^2}{m^2} = \frac{16a(a - mc)}{m^4},$$

and  $y_1 - y_2 = m(x_1 - x_2)$

Thus, the required length

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sqrt{(y_1 - y_2)^2 + (x_1 - x_2)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{(x_1 - x_2)^2 m^2 + (x_1 - x_2)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{1 + m^2} (x_1 - x_2) \\ &= \frac{4}{m^2} \sqrt{1 + m^2} \sqrt{a(a - mc)} \end{aligned}$$

26. Let the parabola be  $y^2 = 4ax$  and the two points on the parabola are  $P(at_1^2, 2at_1)$  and  $Q(at_2^2, 2at_2)$ , respectively.



The equation of the tangent at  $P(at_1^2, 2at_1)$  and  $Q(at_2^2, 2at_2)$  are

$$t_1y = x + at_1^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{and } t_2y = x + at_2^2 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Solving these equations, we get

$$x = at_1t_2, y = a(t_1 + t_2)$$

Hence the co-ordinates of the point of intersection of the tangents are  $(at_1t_2, a(t_1 + t_2))$ .

**Notes:**

1.  $x$ -co-ordinate is the geometric mean of the  $x$ -co-ordinates of  $P$  and  $Q$ .
2.  $y$ -co-ordinate is the arithmetic mean of the  $y$ -co-ordinates of  $P$  and  $Q$ .

27. The given parabola is  $y^2 = 2x + 5y - 8$ .

$$\text{when } x = 1, y^2 = 5y - 8$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 - 5y + 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (y - 2)(y - 3)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 2, 3$$

Thus, the points are  $(1, 2)$  and  $(1, 3)$ .

Hence, the equations of tangents can be at  $(1, 2)$  and  $(1, 3)$  be

$$2y = (x + 1) + \frac{5}{2}(y + 2) - 8$$

$$\text{and } 3y = (x + 1) + \frac{5}{2}(y + 3) - 8$$

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

28. Let the equation of the tangent be

$$y = 2x + c \quad \dots(i)$$

If the equation (i) be a tangent to the parabola, then

$$c = \frac{a}{m} = \frac{2}{2} = 1.$$

Thus, the equation of the tangent is

$$y = 2x + 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

The given parabola is  $y^2 = 8x$

$$\dots(iii)$$

Solving (ii) and (iii), we get

$$(2x + 1)^2 = 8x$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 + 4x + 1 = 8x$$

$$\Rightarrow (2x - 1)^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{2}$$

When  $x = 1/2$ , then  $y = \pm 2$

Hence, the point of contacts are

$$\left(\frac{1}{2}, 2\right) \text{ or } \left(\frac{1}{2}, -2\right)$$

29. The equation of line from  $(-1, 2)$  is

$$(y - 2) = m(x + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow mx - y + (m + 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = mx + (m + 2) \quad \dots(i)$$

The line (i) will be a tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ , if

$$(m + 2) = \frac{1}{m}$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 + 2m - 1 = 0$$

which is a quadratic in  $m$ .

Let its roots are  $m_1, m_2$ .

Thus,  $m_1 + m_2 = -2$  and  $m_1m_2 = -1$

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between them.

$$\text{Then, } \tan(\theta) = \left| \frac{m_2 - m_1}{1 + m_1m_2} \right|$$

$$= \left| \frac{\sqrt{(m_1 + m_2)^2 - 4m_1m_2}}{1 + m_1m_2} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan(\theta) = \infty = \tan \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

Hence, the angle between the tangents is  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

30. Let the equation of the tangent be  
 $(y + 1) = m(x - 1)$   
 $\Rightarrow y = mx - (m + 1)$  ... (i)  
 Equation (i) be a tangent to the parabola  
 $y = x^2 - 3x + 2$ ,  
 then  $mx - m - 1 = x^2 - 3x + 2$   
 $\Rightarrow x^2 - (m + 3)x + (m + 3) = 0$   
 Since it has equal roots, so  
 $D = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (m + 3)^2 - 4(m + 3) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (m + 3)(m + 3 - 4) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (m + 3)(m - 1) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow m = 1, -3$

Hence, the equation of the tangents are  
 $y = x - 2$  and  $y = -3x + 2$

31. The given parabolas are  
 $y^2 = 4ax$  and  $x^2 = 4ay$   
 Let the equation of the tangent be  $y = mx + \frac{a}{m}$ .  
 If it is a tangent to the parabola  $x^2 = 4ay$ , then

$$x^2 = 4a\left(mx + \frac{a}{m}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow mx^2 + 4am^2x + 4a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow mx^2 - 4am^2x - 4a^2 = 0$$

Now  $D = 0$  gives,

$$16a^2m^2 + 16a^2m = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 16a^2m(m^3 + 1) = 0$$

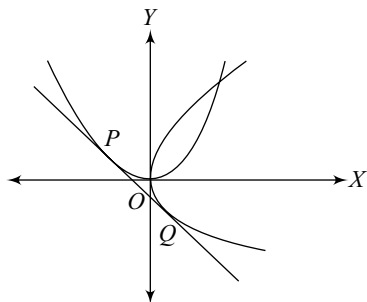
$$\Rightarrow m(m^3 + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 0 \text{ and } -1$$

Since  $m = 0$  will not satisfy the given tangent, so  
 $m = -1$

Hence, the equation of the common tangent be  
 $y = -x - a$   
 $\Rightarrow x + y + a = 0$

32. The given parabolas are  $y^2 = 4ax$  and  $x^2 = 4by$ .



Let the equation of the tangent be  
 $y = mx + \frac{a}{m}$  ... (i)

Since the equation (i) is also a tangent to the parabola  $x^2 = 4by$ , so

$$x^2 = 4b\left(mx + \frac{a}{m}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow mx^2 = 5m^2x + 4ab$$

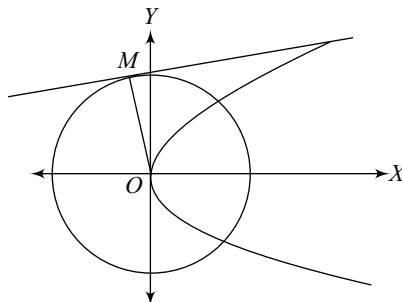
$$\Rightarrow mx^2 - 4bm^2x - 4ab = 0$$

Since it has equal roots, so  
 $D = 0$   
 $16b^2m^4 + 16abm = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 16bm(bm^3 + a) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow m^3 = -\frac{a}{b}$   
 $\Rightarrow m = -\frac{a^{1/3}}{b^{1/3}}$

Hence, the equation of the common tangent be

$$y = \left(-\frac{a^{1/3}}{b^{1/3}}\right)x + a\left(-\frac{b^{1/3}}{a^{1/3}}\right)$$

33. Let the equation of the tangent to the parabola  
 $y^2 = 16x$  is  
 $y = mx + \frac{4}{m}$   
 $\Rightarrow m^2x - my + 4 = 0$  ... (i)



If the Eq. (i) be a tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 8$ , the length of the perpendicular from the centre to the tangent is equal to the radius of the circle.

Therefore,

$$\left| \frac{0 - 0 + 4}{\sqrt{m^4 + m^2}} \right| = 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 8(m^4 + m^2) = 16$$

$$\Rightarrow (m^4 + m^2 - 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (m^4 + 2m^2 - m^2 - 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (m^2 + 2)(m^2 - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (m^2 - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \pm 1$$

Hence, the common tangents are  $y = \pm x \pm 4$ .

34. Any point on the parabola  $y = x^2$  is  $(t, t^2)$ .  
 Now the tangent at  $(t, t^2)$  is

$$xx_1 = \frac{1}{2}(y + y_1)$$

$$\Rightarrow tx = \frac{1}{2}(y + t^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2tx - y - t^2 = 0$$



If it is a tangent to the parabola,

$$\begin{aligned} y &= -(x-2)^2, \text{ then} \\ 2tx - t^2 &= -(x-2)^2 \\ \Rightarrow 2tx - t^2 &= -x^2 + 4x - 4 \\ \Rightarrow x^2 + 2(2-t)x + (t^2 - 4) &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Since it has equal roots,

$$\begin{aligned} D &= 0 \\ 4(2-t)^2 - 4(t^2 - 4) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (2-t)^2 - (t^2 - 4) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow t &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the equation of the common tangent is

$$y = 4x - 4$$

35. Let the equation of the tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$  is

$$y = mx + \frac{2}{m} \quad \dots(i)$$

If it is a tangent to the curve  $xy = -1$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} x\left(mx + \frac{2}{m}\right) &= -1 \\ \Rightarrow m^2x^2 + 2x + m &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Since it has equal roots, so,

$$\begin{aligned} D &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow 4 - 4m^3 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow m^3 &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow m &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the equation of the common tangent is  $y = x + 2$ .

36. Any point on the parabola  $y^2 = x$  can be considered as  $(t^2, t)$ .

The equation of the tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = x$  at  $(t^2, t)$  is

$$\begin{aligned} y_1 &= \frac{1}{2}(x + x_1). \\ \Rightarrow yt &= \frac{1}{2}(x + t^2) \\ \Rightarrow x + 2yt - t^2 &= 0 \quad \dots(i) \end{aligned}$$

If it is a tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 6y + 4 = 0$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} (2yt - t^2)^2 + y^2 - 6y + 4 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow 4y^2t^2 + t^4 - 4yt^3 + y^2 - 6y + 4 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (4t^2 + 1)y^2 - 2(2t^3 + 3)y + (t^4 + 4) &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Since it has equal roots, so

$$\begin{aligned} D &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow 4(2t^3 + 1)^2 - 4(4t^2 + 1)(t^4 + 4) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (2t^3 + 1)^2 - (4t^2 + 1)(t^4 + 4) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow t^4 - 12t^3 + 16t^2 - 5 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow t &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the equation of the common tangent is  $x + 2y = 1$ .

37. Any tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  is

$$\begin{aligned} y &= mx + \frac{a}{m} \\ \Rightarrow y &= mx + \frac{1}{m} \\ \Rightarrow m^2x - my + 1 &= 0 \quad \dots(i) \end{aligned}$$

If it is a tangent to the circle  $x^2 + (y-3)^2 = 9$  the length of the perpendicular from the centre to the tangent is equal to the radius of the circle.

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \frac{3m^2 + 1}{\sqrt{m^4 + m^2}} \right| &= 3 \\ \Rightarrow (3m^2 + 1)^2 &= 9(m^4 + m^2) \\ \Rightarrow (9m^4 + 6m^2 + 1) &= 9(m^4 + m^2) \\ \Rightarrow 3m^2 &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow m &= \pm \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Since, the tangent touches the parabola above  $x$ -axis, so it will make an acute angle with  $x$ -axis, so that  $m$  is positive.

$$\text{Thus } m = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}.$$

Hence, the common tangent is  $x - \sqrt{3}y + 3 = 0$ .

38. The equation of the given parabola is  $y^2 = 4x$ .

We have,  $4a = 4 \Rightarrow a = 1$

Let the end-points of the latus rectum are  $L(a, 2a)$  and  $L'(a, -2a)$ .

Therefore  $L = (1, 2)$  and  $L' = (1, -2)$ .

As we know that the point of intersection to the tangents at  $(at_1^2, 2at_1)$  and  $(at_2^2, 2at_2)$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  is

$$\left( at_1t_2, a\left(\frac{t_1 + t_2}{2}\right) \right)$$

Thus, the point of intersection of the tangents at  $L(1, 2)$  and  $L'(1, -2)$  is  $(1, 0)$ .

39. The equation of the tangent to the parabola

$$y^2 = 4x \quad \dots(i)$$

from  $(1, 4)$  is

$$\begin{aligned} y - 4 &= m(x - 1) \\ \Rightarrow y &= mx + (4 - m) \quad \dots(ii) \end{aligned}$$

Since (ii) is a tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ , so

$$\begin{aligned} c &= \frac{a}{m} \\ \Rightarrow (4 - m) &= \frac{1}{m} \\ \Rightarrow 4m - m^2 - 1 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow m^2 - 4m + 1 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

It has two roots, say  $m_1$  and  $m_2$ .

Therefore,  $m_1 + m_2 = 4$  and  $m_1m_2 = 1$

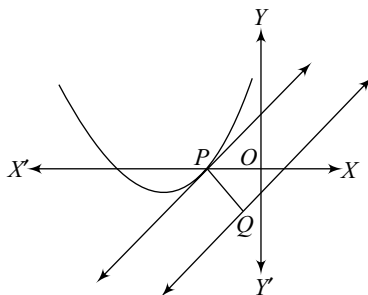
Let  $\theta$  be the angle between the tangents

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } \tan(\theta) &= \left| \frac{m_2 - m_1}{1 + m_1 m_2} \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{\sqrt{(m_1 + m_2)^2 - 4m_1 m_2}}{1 + m_1 m_2} \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{\sqrt{12}}{2} \right| = \sqrt{3} = \tan \frac{\pi}{3} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

Hence, the angle between the tangents is  $\frac{\pi}{3}$ .

40. The shortest distance between a line and the parabola means the shortest distance between a line and a tangent to the parabola parallel to the given line.



Thus, the slopes of the tangent and the line will be the same.

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} 2x + 3 &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow x &= -1 \end{aligned}$$

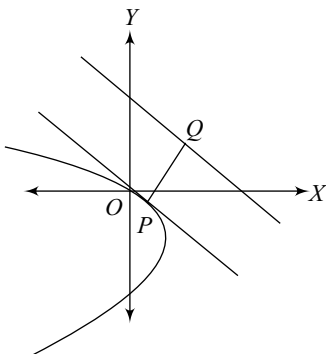
When  $x = -1$ , then  $y = 0$ .

Hence, the point on the parabola is  $(-1, 0)$ .

Thus, the required shortest distance

$$= \left| \frac{-1 - 0 - 2}{\sqrt{1 + 1}} \right| = \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}$$

41. The shortest distance between a line and the parabola means the shortest distance between a line and a tangent to the parabola parallel to the given line.



Thus, the slopes of the tangent and the line will be the same.

$$\text{Therefore, } -\frac{4}{2y + 4} = -1 \Rightarrow y = 0$$

When  $y = 0$ , then  $x = 0$ .

Thus, the point on the parabola is  $(0, 0)$ .

Hence, the required shortest distance

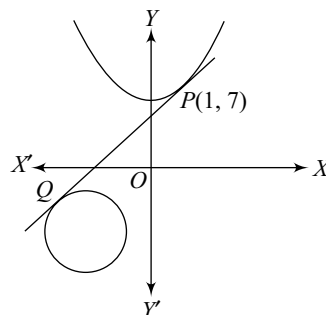
$$= \left| \frac{0 + 0 - 4}{\sqrt{1 + 1}} \right| = \frac{4}{\sqrt{2}} = 2\sqrt{2}$$

42. The given tangents are  $y + b = m_1(x + a)$  and  $y + b = m_2(x + a)$   
Therefore, both the tangents pass through  $(-a, -b)$  which is a point lying on the directrix of the parabola. Thus, the angle between them is  $90^\circ$ . Hence, the value of  $m_1 m_2$  is  $-1$ .
43. The equation of the tangent to the curve  $y = x^2 + 6$  at  $(1, 7)$  is

$$\frac{1}{2}(y + y_1) = xx_1 + 6$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}(y + 7) = x + 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x - y - 5 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$



The given circle is

$$(x + 8)^2 + (y + 6)^2 = (\sqrt{100 - c})^2 \quad \dots(ii)$$

If the line (i) be a tangent to the circle (ii), the length of the perpendicular from the centre of the circle is equal to the radius of the circle.

$$\text{Therefore, } \left| \frac{-16 + 6 - 5}{\sqrt{2^2 + 1}} \right| = \sqrt{100 - c}$$

$$\Rightarrow 45 = 100 - c$$

$$\Rightarrow c = 100 - 45 = 5$$

Thus, the equation of the circle is

$$(x + 8)^2 + (y + 6)^2 = 45$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + 16x + 12y + 55 = 0 \quad \dots(iii)$$

Solving Eqs (i) and (iii), we get

$$x^2 + (2x - 5)^2 + 16x + 12(2x - 5) + 55 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 4x^2 + 25 - 20x + 16x + 24x - 60 + 55 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 5x^2 + 20x + 20 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 4x + 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x + 2)^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -2$$

When  $x = -2$ , then  $y = 2x - 5 = -4 - 5 = -9$ .

Hence, the point  $Q$  is  $(-2, -9)$ .

44. Any tangent to  $y^2 = 4(x + a)$  is

$$y = m_1(x + a) + \frac{a}{m_1} \quad \dots(i)$$

Also, any tangent to  $y^2 = 4b(x + b)$  is

$$y = m_2(x + b) + \frac{b}{m_2} \quad \dots(ii)$$

Since, two tangents are perpendicular, so

$$m_1 m_2 = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow m_2 = -\frac{1}{m_1}$$

From Eq. (ii), we get

$$y = -\frac{1}{m_1}(x + b) - \frac{b}{m_1} \quad \dots(iii)$$

Now subtracting Eq. (i) and Eq. (iii), we get

$$m_1(x + a) + \frac{1}{m_1}(x + b) + \frac{a}{m_1} + \frac{b}{m_1} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(m_1 + \frac{1}{m_1}\right)x + \left(m_1 + \frac{1}{m_1}\right)a + \left(m_1 + \frac{1}{m_1}\right)b = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x + a + b = 0$$

Hence, the result.

45. Let the three points of the parabola be

$$P(at_1^2, 2at_1), Q(at_2^2, 2at_2) \text{ and } R(at_3^2, 2at_3)$$

and the points of intersection of the tangents at these points are  $A(t_2 t_3, a(t_2 + t_3))$ ,  $B(t_1 t_3, a(t_1 + t_3))$  and  $A(t_1 t_2, a(t_1 + t_2))$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ar}(\Delta PQR) &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} at_1^2 & 2at_1 & 1 \\ at_2^2 & 2at_2 & 1 \\ at_3^2 & 2at_3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= a^2(t_1 - t_2)(t_2 - t_3)(t_3 - t_1) \end{aligned}$$

Also,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ar}(\Delta ABC) &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} at_2 t_3 & a(t_2 + t_3) & 1 \\ at_3 t_1 & a(t_3 + t_1) & 1 \\ at_1 t_2 & a(t_1 + t_2) & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} a^2(t_1 - t_2)(t_2 - t_3)(t_3 - t_1) \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the result.

46. Let  $P, Q$  and  $R$  be the points on the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at which tangents are drawn and let their co-ordinates be

$$P(at_1^2, 2at_1), Q(at_2^2, 2at_2) \text{ and } R(at_3^2, 2at_3).$$

The tangents at  $Q$  and  $R$  intersect at the point

$$A[at_2 t_3, a(t_2 + t_3)]$$

Similarly, the other pairs of tangents at the points  $B[at_1 t_3, a(t_1 + t_3)]$  and  $C[at_1 t_2, a(t_1 + t_2)]$

Let the equation to the circle be

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

Since it passes through the above three points, we have

$$a^2 t_2^2 t_3^2 + a^2 (t_2 + t_3)^2 + 2gat_2 t_3 + 2fa(t_2 + t_3) + c = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$a^2 t_1^2 t_3^2 + a^2 (t_1 + t_3)^2 + 2gat_1 t_3 + 2fa(t_1 + t_3) + c = 0 \quad \dots(iii)$$

and

$$a^2 t_1^2 t_2^2 + a^2 (t_1 + t_2)^2 + 2gat_1 t_2 + 2fa(t_1 + t_2) + c = 0 \quad \dots(iv)$$

Subtracting Eq. (iii) from Eq. (ii) and dividing by  $a(t_2 - t_1)$ , we get

$$a(t_3^2(t_1 + t_2) + t_1 + t_2 + 2t_3) + 2gt_3 + 2f = 0$$

similarly from Eqs (iii) and (iv), we get

$$a(t_1^2(t_3 + t_2) + t_3 + t_2 + 2t_1) + 2gt_1 + 2f = 0$$

From these two equations, we get

$$2g = -a(1 + t_2 t_3 + t_3 t_1 + t_1 t_2),$$

$$2f = -a(t_1 + t_2 + t_3 - t_1 t_2 t_3)$$

Substituting these values of  $g$  and  $f$  in Eq. (ii), we get

$$c = a^2(t_2 t_3 + t_3 t_1 + t_1 t_2).$$

Thus, the equation of the circle is

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + y^2 - a(1 + t_2 t_3 + t_3 t_1 + t_1 t_2)x \\ - a(t_1 + t_2 + t_3 - t_1 t_2 t_3)y \\ + a^2(t_2 t_3 + t_3 t_1 + t_1 t_2) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

47. Let the equations of the three tangents be

$$y = m_1 x + \frac{a}{m_1} \quad \dots(i)$$

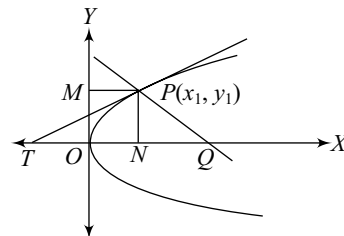
$$y = m_2 x + \frac{a}{m_2} \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$\text{and } y = m_3 x + \frac{a}{m_3} \quad \dots(iii)$$

The point of intersection of (ii) and (iii) is

$$\left( \frac{a}{m_2 m_3}, a \left( \frac{1}{m_2} + \frac{1}{m_3} \right) \right)$$

The equation of any line perpendicular to (i) and



The equation of any tangent to the parabola at  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

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

$$\text{where } m = \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)_{(x_1, y_1)}$$

passes through the point of intersection of tangents (ii) and (iii) is

$$y - a \left( \frac{1}{m_2} + \frac{1}{m_3} \right) = -\frac{1}{m_1} \left( x - \frac{a}{m_2 m_3} \right)$$

i.e.  $y + \frac{x}{m_1} = a \left[ \frac{1}{m_2} + \frac{1}{m_3} + \frac{1}{m_1 m_2 m_3} \right]$  ... (iv)

Similarly the equation to the straight line through the point of intersection of (iii) and (i) and perpendicular to (ii) is

$$y + \frac{x}{m_2} = a \left[ \frac{1}{m_3} + \frac{1}{m_1} + \frac{1}{m_1 m_2 m_3} \right]$$
 ... (v)

and the equation of the straight line through the point of intersection of (i) and (ii) and perpendicular to (iii) is

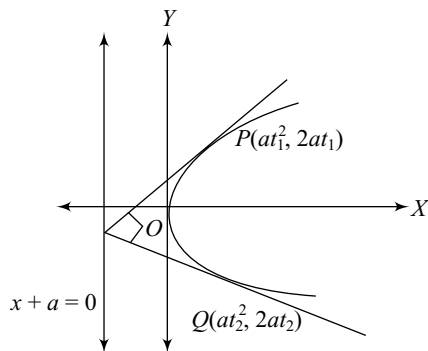
$$y + \frac{x}{m_3} = a \left[ \frac{1}{m_1} + \frac{1}{m_2} + \frac{1}{m_1 m_2 m_3} \right]$$
 ... (vi)

The point which is common to the straight lines (iv), (v) and (vi), i.e. the orthocentre of the triangle is

$$\left( -a, a \left( \frac{1}{m_1} + \frac{1}{m_2} + \frac{1}{m_3} + \frac{1}{m_1 m_2 m_3} \right) \right)$$

Hence, the point lies on the directrix.

48.



The equations of tangents at  $P$  and  $Q$  are  $yt_1 = x + at_1^2$  and  $yt_2 = x + at_2^2$ .

The point of intersection of these tangents is

$$[at_1 t_2, a(t_1 + t_2)]$$

Let this point be  $(h, k)$ .

The slope of the tangents are  $m_1 = \frac{1}{t_1}$  and  $m_2 = \frac{1}{t_2}$ .

Since these two tangents are perpendicular, so

$$m_1 m_2 = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{t_1} \cdot \frac{1}{t_2} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow t_1 \cdot t_2 = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow h = -a$$

Thus the locus of the points of intersection is  $x + a = 0$  which is the directrix of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ .

49. (i) The given parabola is

$$y^2 = x + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow Y^2 = X,$$

where  $X = x + 2$  and  $Y = y$

We have,

$$4a = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{1}{4}$$

Hence, the equation of the director circle is

$$X + a = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 2 + \frac{1}{4} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x + 9 = 0$$

(ii) The given parabola is

$$x^2 = 4x + 4y$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 - 4x + 4) = 4y + 4 = 4(y + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 2)^2 = 4(y + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow X^2 = 4Y,$$

where  $X = x - 2$

and  $Y = y + 1$

We have,  $4a = 4$

$$\Rightarrow a = 1$$

Hence, the equation of the director circle is

$$Y + a = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y + 1 + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y + 2 = 0$$

(iii) The given parabola is

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

$$\Rightarrow y^2 - 4y + 4 = 4x - 8 + 4$$

$$\Rightarrow (y - 2)^2 = 4x - 4 = 4(x - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow Y^2 = 4X,$$

where  $X = (x - 1)$

and  $Y = (y - 2)$

We have  $4a = 4 \Rightarrow a = 1$

Hence, the equation of the director circle is

$$X + a = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 1 + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0$$

50. Let the parabola be  $y^2 = 4ax$  and two points on the parabola are  $P(at_1^2, 2at_1)$  and  $Q(at_2^2, 2at_2)$ .

The equation of the normals at  $P(at_1^2, 2at_1)$  and  $Q(at_2^2, 2at_2)$  are

$$y = -t_1 x + 2at_1 + at_1^3$$
 ... (i)

and

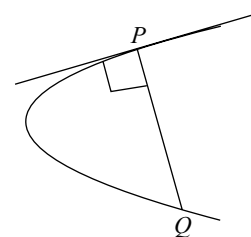
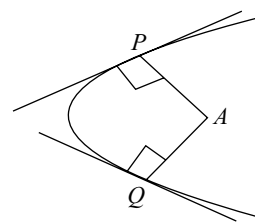
$$y = -t_2 x + 2at_2 + at_2^3$$
 ... (ii)

Solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$x = 2a + a(t_1^2 + t_2^2 + t_1 t_2)$$

and  $y = -at_2 t_2 (t_1 + t_2)$ .

51. Let the parabola be  $y^2 = 4ax$  and the two points on the parabola are  $P(at_1^2, 2at_1)$  and  $Q(at_2^2, 2at_2)$ .



The equation of the normal to the parabola at  $P(at_1^2, 2at_1)$  is  $y = -t_1x + 2at_1 + at_1^3$  which meets the parabola again at  $Q(at_2^2, 2at_2)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus, } 2at_2 &= -at_1t_2^2 + 2at_1 + at_1^3 \\ \Rightarrow 2a(t_2 - t_1) + at_1(t_2^2 - t_1^2) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (t_2 - t_1)[2a + at_1(t_2 + t_1)] &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow [2 + t_1(t_2 + t_1)] &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow t_1^2 + t_1t_2 + 2 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow t_2 &= -t_1 - \frac{2}{t_1} \end{aligned}$$

which is the required condition.

52. As we know that if the normal at  $t_1$  meets the parabola again at  $t_2$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} t_2 &= -t_1 - \frac{2}{t_1} \\ \Rightarrow t_2^2 &= \left(-t_1 - \frac{2}{t_1}\right)^2 \\ &= t_1^2 + \frac{4}{t_1^2} + 4 \geq 4 + 4 = 8 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the result.

53. Since the normal at  $t_1$  meets the parabola at  $t_3$ , so  $t_3 = -t_1 - \frac{2}{t_1}$ .

Similarly,  $t_3 = -t_2 - \frac{2}{t_2}$

Thus,  $-t_1 - \frac{2}{t_1} = -t_2 - \frac{2}{t_2}$

$$\Rightarrow (t_1 - t_2) = \left(\frac{2}{t_1} - \frac{2}{t_2}\right) = \frac{2(t_1 - t_2)}{t_1t_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow t_1t_2 = 2$$

54. The equation of the normal is

$$y - y_1 = -\frac{y_1}{2a}(x - x_1), \text{ where } a = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow y - 2 = -\frac{2}{2}(x - 1) = -x + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x + y = 3$$

55. The equation of the normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  is  $y = mx - 2am - am^3$

Here,  $a = 2$  and  $m = 2$ .

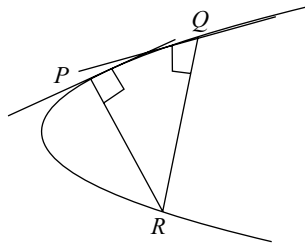
Therefore,  $y = 2x - 8 - 16 = 2x - 24$

Hence, the equation of the normal is  $y = 2x - 24$ .

56. The given parabola is  $y^2 = 12x$ .

We have,  $4a = 12 \Rightarrow a = 3$ .

The given line  $x + y = k \Rightarrow y = -x + k$  ... (i)

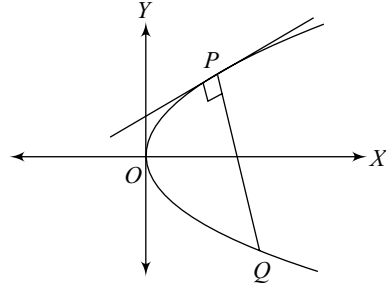


The line (i) will be a normal to the given parabola, if  $k = -2am - am^3 = 6 + 3 = 9$ .

Hence, the value of  $k$  is 9.

57. The equation of the parabola is  $y^2 = 8x$ .

We have,  $4a = 8 \Rightarrow a = 2$



The equation of the normal to the given parabola at  $P(8, 12)$  is

$$\begin{aligned} y - y_1 &= -\frac{y_1}{2a}(x - x_1) \\ \Rightarrow y - 12 &= -\frac{12}{4}(x - 18) \\ \Rightarrow y - 12 &= -3x + 54 \\ \Rightarrow 3x + y &= 66 \end{aligned}$$

Solving  $y = 66 - 3x$  and the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$ , we get

$$x = -\frac{44}{3} \text{ and } y = \frac{242}{9}$$

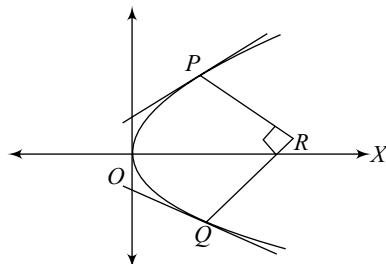
Hence, the co-ordinates of  $Q$  is  $\left(-\frac{44}{3}, \frac{242}{9}\right)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus, } PQ &= \sqrt{\left(\frac{242}{9} - 12\right)^2 + \left(-\frac{44}{3} - 12\right)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{6400}{81} + \frac{6400}{9}} \\ &= 80\sqrt{\frac{1}{81} + \frac{1}{9}} \\ &= \frac{80}{9} \times \sqrt{10} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow 9PQ = 80\sqrt{10}$$

58. The equations of normals at  $P(t_1)$  and  $Q(t_2)$  are

$$\begin{aligned} y &= -t_1x + 2at_1 + at_1^3 \\ \text{and } y &= -t_2x + 2at_2 + at_2^3 \end{aligned}$$



Since these two normals are at right angles, so  $t_1t_2 = -1$ .

Let  $M(h, k)$  be the point of intersection of two normals.

Then,  $h = 2a + a(t_1^2 + t_1t_2 + t_2^2)$

and  $k = -at_1t_2(t_1 + t_2)$

$\Rightarrow h = 2a + a \{(t_1 + t_2)^2 - 2t_1t_2\}$

and  $k = -at_1t_2(t_1 + t_2)$

$\Rightarrow h = 2a + a\{(t_1 + t_2)^2 + 2\}$

and  $k = a(t_1 + t_2)$

Eliminating  $t_1$  and  $t_2$ , we get,

$k^2 = a(h - 3a)$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is  $y^2 = a(x - 3a)$ .

59. The given line is

$lx + my = 0$

$\Rightarrow my = -lx - n$

$\Rightarrow y = \left(-\frac{l}{m}\right)x + \left(-\frac{n}{m}\right)$

As we know that the line  $y = mx + c$  will be a normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  if

$c = -2am - am^3$

$\Rightarrow \left(-\frac{n}{m}\right) = -2a\left(-\frac{l}{m}\right) - a\left(-\frac{l}{m}\right)^3$

$\Rightarrow al^3 + 2alm^2 + nm^2 = 0$

Hence, the result.

60. The equation of the parabola is  $y^2 = 4ax$ .

If the normal at  $P(t_1)$  meets the parabola again at  $Q(t_2)$ , then

$t_2 = -t_1 - \frac{2}{t_1}$

$\Rightarrow t_1t_2 = -t_1^2 - 2$

$\Rightarrow t_1^2 + t_1t_2 + 2 = 0 \dots(i)$

The chord joining  $t_1, t_2$  subtends a right angle at the vertex, so the product of their slopes = -1

$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{t_1} \cdot \frac{2}{t_2} = -1$

$\Rightarrow t_1t_2 = -4 \dots(ii)$

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$t_1^2 - 4 + 2 = 0$

$\Rightarrow t_1^2 = 2$

$\Rightarrow t_1 = \sqrt{2}$

$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = \sqrt{2}$

$\Rightarrow \theta = \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{2})$

61. The given equation of the parabola is  $y^2 = 4x$ .

We have  $4a = 4 \Rightarrow a = 1$ .

The equation of the normal to the parabola

$y^2 = 4x$  at  $(am^2, -2am)$  is

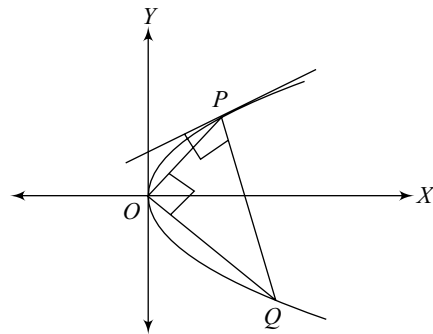
$y = mx - 2am - am^3 = mx - 2m - m^3$

Since, the normal makes equal angles with the axes, so  $m = \pm 1$

Thus, the points are  $(m^2, -2m) = (1, \mp 2)$

62. If the normal at  $P(t_1)$  meets the parabola at  $Q(t_2)$ , then

$t_2 = -t_1 - \frac{2}{t_1} \dots(i)$



Since the normal chord subtends an angle of  $90^\circ$  at the vertex, then

$t_1t_2 = -4$

From Eq. (i), we get

$t_1^2 + t_1t_2 + 2 = 0$

$\Rightarrow t_1^2 - 4 + 2 = 0$

$\Rightarrow t_1^2 - 2 = 0$

Also,  $t_2^2 = \left(-t_1 - \frac{2}{t_1}\right)^2$

$= t_1^2 + \frac{4}{t_1^2} + 4$

$= 2 + 2 + 4 = 8$

Therefore,

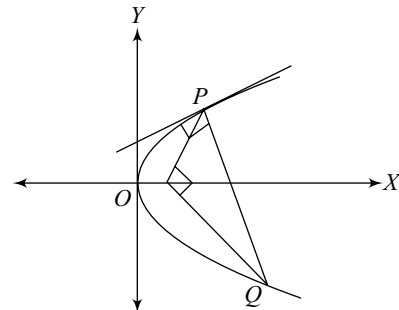
$PQ^2 = a^2(t_1^2 - t_2^2)^2 + 4a^2(t_1 - t_2)^2$

$= 1 \cdot (2 - 8)^2 + 4(\sqrt{2} + 2\sqrt{2})^2$

$= 36 + 72 = 108$

$\Rightarrow PQ = 6\sqrt{3}$

63. The equation of the parabola is  $y^2 = 4ax$ .



Let the normal chord be  $PQ$ , where  $P(t_1)$  and  $Q(t_2)$ .

Since the abscissa and ordinate of the point  $(p, p)$  are same, then

$2at_1 = at_1^2$

$\Rightarrow t_1 = 2$

If the normal at  $P(t_1)$  meets the parabola  $Q(t_2)$ , then

$t_2 = -t_1 - \frac{2}{t_1}$

$\Rightarrow t_2 = -2 - 1 = -3$

Let  $S(a, 0)$  be the focus of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ .

Then the slope of  $SP = \frac{2at_1}{at_1^2 - a} = \frac{4}{4-1} = \frac{4}{3}$

and the slope of  $SQ = \frac{2at_2}{at_2^2 - a} = \frac{-6}{9-1} = \frac{-6}{8} = -\frac{3}{4}$

It is clear that

$$m(SP) \times m(SQ) = \frac{4}{3} \times -\frac{3}{4} = -1$$

Hence, the result.

64. The given equation of the parabola is  $y^2 = 4ax$ .

The equation of the normal at  $P(am^2, -2am)$  is

$$y = mx - 2am - am^3 \quad \dots(i)$$

Let  $Q$  be a point on the axis of the parabola.

Put  $y = 0$  in Eq. (i), we get

$$x = 2a + am^2$$

Hence, the co-ordinates of the point  $Q$  is  $(2a + am^2, 0)$ .

Let  $M(h, k)$  be the mid-point of the normal  $PQ$ .

Then,  $h = \frac{am^2 + 2a + am^2}{2}$

and  $k = -\frac{2am}{2} = -am$

Eliminating  $m$ , we get

$$h = a + \frac{k^2}{a}$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 + k^2 = ah$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

$$a^2 + y^2 = ax$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 = a(x - a)$$

65. The given equation of the parabola is  $y^2 = 4x$ .

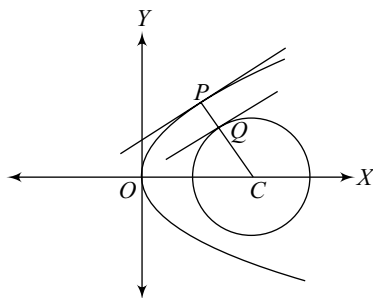
The equation of the normal at  $P(m^2, -2m)$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  is

$$y = mx - 2m - m^3 \quad \dots(i)$$

The given equation of the circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 - 12x + 31 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 6)^2 + y^2 = 5 \quad \dots(ii)$$



The shortest distance between the parabola and the circle lies along the common normal.

Therefore, the centre of a circle passes through the normal, so we have

$$0 = 6m - 2m - m^3$$

$$\Rightarrow m^3 - 4m = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 0, -2, 2$$

Therefore,  $P$  is  $(4, -4)$  or  $(4, 4)$  and let  $C(6, 0)$  be the centre of the circle and  $Q$  be a point on the circle.

Therefore,

$$CP = \sqrt{(6-4)^2 + (4-0)^2} = \sqrt{20} = 2\sqrt{5}$$

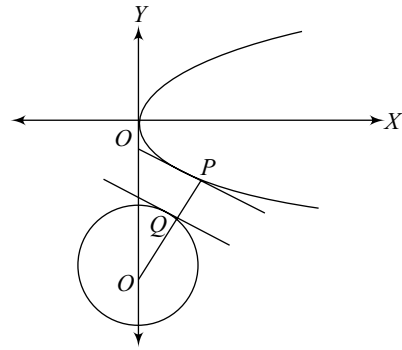
and  $CQ = \sqrt{5}$

Thus, the shortest distance =  $CP - CQ$

$$= 2\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{5} = \sqrt{5}$$

66. The given equation of the parabola is  $y^2 = 8x$ .

We have,  $4a = 8 \Rightarrow a = 2$ .



The equation of the normal to the parabola

$$y^2 = 8x \text{ at } P(4m^2, -4m) \text{ is}$$

$$y = mx - 4m - 2m^3 \quad \dots(i)$$

The given equation of the circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 + 12y + 35 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + (y + 6)^2 = 1$$

Thus, the centre of the circle is  $C(0, -6)$ .

As we know that the shortest distance between a circle and the parabola lies along the common normal.

Therefore, the normal always passes through the centre of the circle. So

$$-6 = -4m - 2m^3$$

$$\Rightarrow m^3 + 2m - 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 1$$

Thus, the point  $P$  is  $(4, -4)$ .

Let  $Q$  be any point on the circle.

Then  $CQ = 1$  and

$$CP = \sqrt{(4-0)^2 + (-4+6)^2} = \sqrt{20} = 2\sqrt{5}$$

Hence, the shortest distance =  $PQ$

$$= CP - CQ = 2\sqrt{5} - 1.$$

67. The equation of any normal to a parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  is

$$y = mx - 2am - am^3$$

which meets at a point, say  $(h, k)$ .

Thus,  $am^3 + (2a - h)m + k = 0$ .

which is a cubic equation in  $m$ .

So it has three roots, say  $m_1, m_2$  and  $m_3$ .

Therefore,  $m_1 + m_2 + m_3 = 0$

Hence the result.

68. Let the ordinates of  $A, B$  and  $C$  be  $y_1, y_2$  and  $y_3$  respectively.

$$\text{Then, } y_1 = -2am_1, y_2 = -2am_2, y_3 = -2am_3.$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} y_1 + y_2 + y_3 &= -2am_3 - 2am_2 - 2am_1 \\ &= -2a(m_1 + m_2 + m_3) = -2a \cdot 0 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

69. If  $A(x_1, y_1), B(x_2, y_2)$  and  $C(x_3, y_3)$  be the vertices of a  $\Delta ABC$ , then its centroid is

$$\begin{aligned} &\left( \frac{x_1 + x_2 + x_3}{3}, \frac{y_1 + y_2 + y_3}{3} \right) \\ &= \left( \frac{x_1 + x_2 + x_3}{3}, 0 \right) \end{aligned}$$

Hence the centroid lies on the axis of the parabola.

Also,

$$\begin{aligned} \left( \frac{x_1 + x_2 + x_3}{3} \right) &= \frac{1}{3}(am_1^2 + am_2^2 + am_3^2) \\ &= \frac{a}{3} \left\{ 0 - 2 \left( \frac{2a-h}{a} \right) \right\} = \frac{2h-4a}{3} \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the centroid of  $\Delta ABC$  is  $\left( \frac{2h-4a}{3}, 0 \right)$ .

70. When three normals are real, then all the three roots of  $am^3 + (2a-h)m + k = 0$  are real.

Let its three roots are  $m_1, m_2, m_3$ .

For any real values of  $m_1, m_2, m_3$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} m_1^2 + m_2^2 + m_3^2 &> 0 \\ \Rightarrow (m_1 + m_2 + m_3)^2 - 2(m_1m_2 + m_2m_3 + m_3m_1) &> 0 \\ \Rightarrow 0 - 2 \left( \frac{2a-h}{a} \right) &> 0 \\ \Rightarrow h - 2a &> 0 \\ \Rightarrow h &> 2a \end{aligned}$$

71. Let  $f(m) = am^3 + (2a-h)m + k$

$$\Rightarrow f'(m) = 3am^2 + (2a-h)2a$$

If  $f(m)$  has three distinct roots, so  $f'(m)$  has two distinct roots.

Let two distinct roots of  $f'(m) = 0$  are  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ .

$$\text{Thus, } \alpha = \sqrt{\left( \frac{h-2a}{3} \right)} \text{ and } \beta = -\sqrt{\left( \frac{h-2a}{3} \right)}.$$

Now,  $f(\alpha)f(\beta) = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} f(\alpha)f(-\alpha) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (a\alpha^3 + (2a-h)\alpha + k)(-a\alpha^3 - (2a-h)\alpha + k) &< 0 \\ \Rightarrow k^2 - ((a\alpha^2 + (2a-h))\alpha^2) &< 0 \\ \Rightarrow k^2 - \left( \frac{h-2a}{3} + (2a-h) \right)^2 \left( \frac{h-2a}{3} \right) &< 0 \\ \Rightarrow k^2 - \left( \frac{4a-2h}{3} \right)^2 \left( \frac{h-2a}{3} \right) &< 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 - \frac{4(h-2a)^3}{27a} < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 27ak^2 < 4(h-2a)^3$$

Hence, the result.

72. Let the normal at  $P(at_1^2, 2at_1)$  be  $y = -t_1x + 2at_1 + at_1^3$

Thus slope of the normal =  $\tan \theta = -t_1$

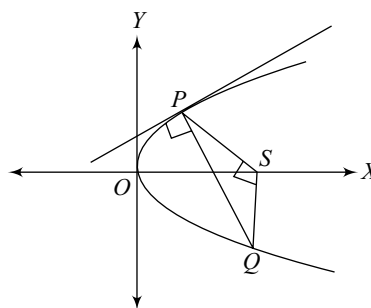
It meets the parabola again at  $Q(at_2^2, 2at_2)$

$$\text{Then } t_2 = -t_1 - \frac{2}{t_1}.$$

Now the angle between the normal and the parabola = angle between the normal and the tangent at  $Q$ . If  $\phi$  be the angle between them, then

$$\begin{aligned} \tan \phi &= \frac{m_1 - m_2}{1 + m_1m_2} \\ &= \frac{-t_1 - \frac{1}{t_2}}{1 + (-t_1)\left(\frac{1}{t_2}\right)} \\ &= -\frac{t_1t_2 + 1}{t_2 - t_1} \\ &= \frac{t_1 \left( -t_1 - \frac{2}{t_1} \right) + 1}{-t_1 - \frac{2}{t_1} - t_1} \\ &= -\frac{-t_1^2 - 1}{-2 \left( \frac{1+t_1^2}{t_1} \right)} \\ &= -\frac{t_1}{2} \\ &= \frac{\tan \theta}{2} \\ \Rightarrow \phi &= \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\tan \theta}{2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

73. The equation of the normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at  $P(at^2, 2at)$  is  $y = -tx + 2at + at^3$





It is given that  $at^2 = 2at \Rightarrow t = 2$ .

Thus, the co-ordinates of  $P$  is  $(4a, 4a)$  and focus is  $S(a, 0)$ .

Also, the normal chord meets the parabola at some point, say  $Q$ . Then the co-ordinates of  $Q$  is  $(9a, -6a)$ .

Now,

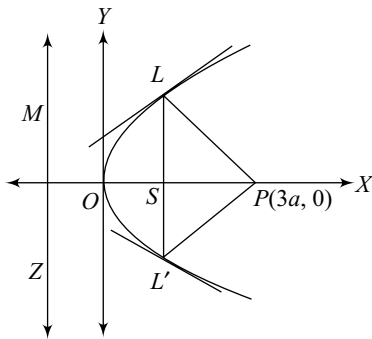
$$\text{Slope of } SP = m_1 = \frac{4a}{3a} = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\text{and the slope of } SQ = m_2 = \frac{-6a}{8a} = -\frac{3}{4}$$

$$\text{Thus, } m_1 \times m_2 = \frac{4}{3} \times -\frac{3}{4} = -1$$

Hence, the result.

74. Let the latus rectum be  $LSL'$ , where  $L = (a, 2a)$  and  $L' = (a, -2a)$ .



Normal at  $L(a, 2a)$  is  $x + y = 3a$  ... (i)

Normal at  $L'(a, -2a)$  is  $x - y = 3a$  ... (ii)

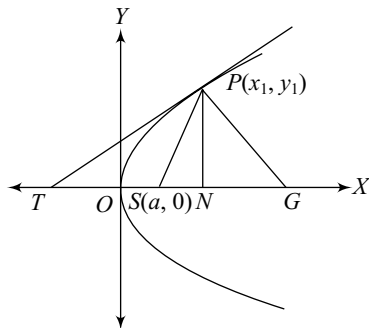
Clearly, (ii) is perpendicular to (i).

Solving, we get

$$x = 3a \text{ and } y = 0$$

Hence, the point of intersection is  $(3a, 0)$ .

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Let  $P(x_1, y_1)$  be any point on the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ .

The equation of any tangent and any normal at  $P(x_1, y_1)$  are

$$yy_1 = 2a(x + x_1) \text{ and } \frac{y - y_1}{y_1} = -\frac{x - x_1}{2a}$$

Since the tangent and the normal meet its axis at  $T$  and  $G$ , respectively, so the co-ordinates of  $T$  and  $G$  are  $(-x_1, 0)$  and  $(x_1 + 2a, 0)$ , respectively.

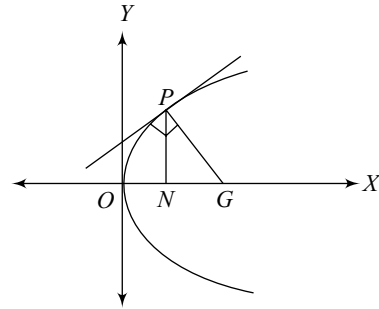
Thus,  $SP = PM = x_1 + a$ ,

$$SG = AG - AS = x_1 + 2x - a = x_1 + a.$$

$$\text{and } ST = AS + AT = a + x_1.$$

Hence,  $SP = SG = ST$ .

76. The normal at  $P(t)$  is  $y = -tx + 2at + at^3$ .



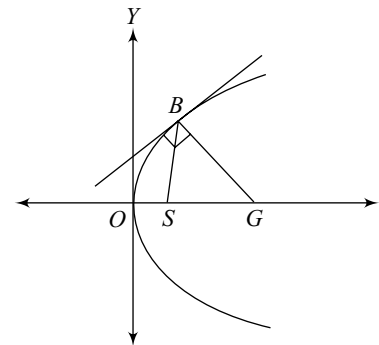
It meets the  $x$ -axis at  $G$ .

Thus the co-ordinates of  $G$  be  $(2a + at^2, 0)$ .

Also  $N$  is  $(at^2, 0)$ .

Thus  $NG = 2a + at^2 - at^2 = 2a = \text{semi-latus rectum}$ .

77. The normal at  $P(t)$  is  $y = -tx + 2at + at^3$



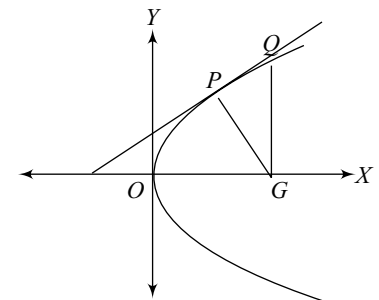
Thus,  $S$  is  $(a, 0)$ ,  $G$  is  $(2a + at^2, 0)$  and  $P$  is  $(at^2, 2at)$ .

$$\text{Now, } SP = a + x = a + at^2 = a(1 + t^2)$$

$$SG = 2a + at^2 - a = a + at^2 = a(1 + t^2) = SP$$

Thus,  $P$  and  $G$  are equidistant from the focus.

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The normal at  $P(t)$  is  $y = -tx + 2at + at^3$

Thus  $G$  is  $(2a + at^2, 0)$  and  $P$  is  $(at^2, 2at)$ .

$$\text{Now, } PG^2 = 4a^2 + 4a^2t^2 \quad \dots (i)$$

$Q$  is a point on the parabola such that  $QG$  is perpendicular to axis so that its ordinate is  $QG$  and abscissa is the same as of  $G$ .

Hence, the point  $Q$  is  $(2a + at^2, QG)$ .

But  $Q$  lies on the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ .

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} QG^2 &= 4a(2a + at^2) \\ &= 8a^2 + 4a^2t^2 \\ &= (4a^2 + 4a^2t^2) + 4a^2 \\ &= PG^2 + 4a^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow QG^2 - PG^2 = 4a^2 = \text{constant.}$$

Hence, the result.

79. The equation of the chord of contact of the tangents from the point  $(2, 3)$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  is

$$yy_1 = 2(x + x_1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3y = 2(x + 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x - 3y + 4 = 0$$

80. The equation of the chord of contact of the tangents to the parabola  $y^2 = 12x$  drawn through the point  $(-1, 2)$  is

$$2y = 6(x - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 3x - 3$$

81. Let the point of intersection of the tangents be  $R(\alpha, \beta)$ . The equation of the tangent to the parabola at  $P(at_1^2, 2at_1)$  and  $Q(at_2^2, 2at_2)$  are

Thus, the slopes of the tangents are

$$m_1 = \frac{1}{t_1} \text{ and } m_2 = \frac{1}{t_2}$$

Then the point of intersection of the two tangents be  $[at_1t_2, a(t_1 + t_2)]$ .

Therefore  $\alpha = at_1t_2$  and  $\beta = a(t_1 + t_2)$ .

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between the two tangents. Then

$$\tan(\theta) = \frac{\left| \frac{1}{t_1} - \frac{1}{t_2} \right|}{\left| 1 + \frac{1}{t_1t_2} \right|} = \frac{|t_2 - t_1|}{|t_1t_2 + 1|}$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 + t_1t_2) \tan(\theta) = (\sqrt{(t_1 + t_2)^2 - 4t_1t_2})$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 + t_1t_2)^2 \tan^2 \theta = (t_1 + t_2)^2 - 4t_1t_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(1 + \frac{\alpha}{a}\right)^2 \tan^2 \theta = \frac{\beta^2}{a^2} - \frac{4\alpha}{a} = \frac{\beta^2 - 4a\alpha}{a^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\alpha + a)^2 \tan^2 \theta = (\beta^2 - 4a\alpha)$$

Hence, the locus of  $(\alpha, \beta)$  is

$$(y^2 - 4ax) = (x + a)^2 \tan^2 \theta$$

82. The equation of the parabola is  $y^2 = 4ax$  and the point  $(h, k)$  be  $P$ .

Let the tangents from  $P$  touch the parabola at  $Q(at_1^2, 2at_1)$  and  $R(at_2^2, 2at_2)$ , then  $P$  is the point of intersection of the tangents.

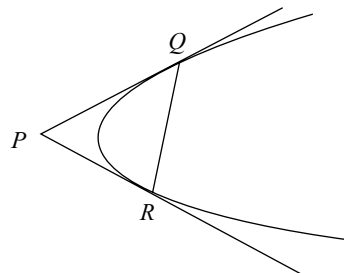
Therefore,  $h = at_1t_2$  and  $k = a(t_1 + t_2)$

$$\Rightarrow t_1t_2 = \frac{h}{a} \text{ and } (t_1 + t_2) = \frac{k}{a}$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} QR &= \sqrt{(at_1^2 - at_2^2)^2 + (2at_1 - 2at_2)^2} \\ &= |a(t_1 - t_2)| \sqrt{(t_1 + t_2)^2 - 4} \\ &= |a| \sqrt{\left(\frac{k^2}{a^2} - \frac{4h}{a}\right) \left(\frac{k^2}{a^2} + 4\right)} \\ &= \frac{1}{|a|} \times \sqrt{(k^2 - 4ah)(k^2 + 4a^2)} \end{aligned}$$

83. Let tangents are drawn from  $P(h, k)$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ , intersects the parabola at  $Q$  and  $R$ .



Then the chord of contact of the tangents to the given parabola is  $QR$ .

Then  $QR$  is

$$yk = 2a(x + h)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2ax - yk + 2ah = 0$$

Therefore  $PM$  = the length of perpendicular from  $P(h, k)$  to  $QR$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{|2ah - k^2 + 2ah|}{\sqrt{k^2 + 4a^2}} \\ &= \frac{|k^2 - 4ah|}{\sqrt{k^2 + 4a^2}} \\ &= \frac{|k^2 - 4ah|}{\sqrt{k^2 + 4a^2}} \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the area  $(\Delta PQR)$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot QR \cdot PM \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{|a|} \sqrt{(k^2 - 4ah)(k^2 + 4a^2)} \times \frac{(k^2 - 4ah)}{\sqrt{k^2 + 4a^2}} \\ &= \frac{(k^2 - 4ah)^{3/2}}{2a} \text{ if } a > 0 \end{aligned}$$

84. The equation of the chord of the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ , which is bisected at  $(2, 3)$  is

$$T = S_1$$

$$\Rightarrow yy_1 - 2a(x + x_1) = y_1^2 - 4ax_1$$

$$\Rightarrow 3y - 4(x + 2) = 9 - 8.2 = 7.$$

$$\Rightarrow 3y - 4x - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x - 3y + 1 = 0$$

85. Let the equation of the parabola be  $y^2 = 4ax$ .  
 The equation of the chord of the parabola, whose mid-point  $(x_1, y_1)$  is  
 $T = S_1$   
 $\Rightarrow yy_1 - 2a(x + x_1) = y_1^2 - 4ax_1$   
 If it is a focal chord, then it will pass through the focus  $(a, 0)$  of the parabola.

Therefore,  
 $0 \cdot y_1 - 2a(x + x_1) = y_1^2 - 4ax_1$   
 $\Rightarrow y_1^2 = -2a^2 - 2ax_1 + 4ax_1 = 2a(x_1 - a)$   
 Hence, the locus of  $(x_1, y_1)$  is  $y^2 = 2a(x - a)$ .

86. Let the equation of the parabola be  $y^2 = 4ax$ .  
 Let  $VP$  be any chord of the parabola through the vertex and  $M(h, k)$  be the mid-point of it.  
 Then, the co-ordinates of  $P$  becomes  $(2h, 2k)$ .  
 Since  $P$  lies on the parabola, so  
 $(2k)^2 = 4a \cdot (2h)$   
 $\Rightarrow 4k^2 = 8ah$   
 $\Rightarrow k^2 = 2ah$   
 Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is  $y^2 = 2ax$ .

87. Equation of the normal at any point  $(at^2, 2at)$  of the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  is  
 $y = -tx + 2at + at^3$  ... (i)  
 Let  $PQ$  be the normal, whose mid-point is  $M(\alpha, \beta)$ .

Therefore,  
 $T = S_1$   
 $\Rightarrow y\beta - 2a(x + \alpha) = \beta^2 - 3a\alpha$   
 $\Rightarrow y\beta = 2a(x + \alpha) = (\beta^2 - 4a\alpha)$  ... (ii)

Equations (i) and (ii) are identical.

Therefore,  $\frac{1}{\beta} = \frac{t}{-2a} = \frac{2at + at^3}{\beta^2 - 2a\alpha}$   
 $\Rightarrow t = -\frac{2a}{\beta}$  and  $\frac{t}{-2a} = \frac{2at + at^3}{\beta^2 - 2a\alpha}$

From the above two relations, eliminating  $t$ , we get

$$\frac{\left(-\frac{2a}{\beta}\right)}{-2a} = \frac{2a\left(\frac{-2a}{\beta}\right) + a\left(\frac{-2a}{\beta}\right)^3}{\beta^2 - 2a\alpha}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\beta^2 - 2a\alpha) = -2a\left(2a + a\left(\frac{-2a}{\beta}\right)^2\right)$$

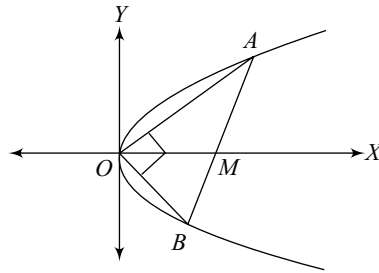
$$\Rightarrow \beta^2(\beta^2 - 2a\alpha) = -2a(2a\beta^2 + 4a^3)$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta^2(\beta^2 - 2a\alpha) = -4a^2\beta^2 - 8a^4$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta^4 - 2a(\alpha - 2a)\beta^2 + 8a^4 = 0$$

Hence the locus of  $M(\alpha, \beta)$  is  
 $y^4 - 2a(x - 2a)y^2 + 8a^4 = 0$

88. Let  $QR$  be the chord and  $M(\alpha, \beta)$  be the mid-point of it.



Then the equation of the chord of a parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at  $M(\alpha, \beta)$  is  
 $T = S_1$   
 $\Rightarrow y\beta - 2a(x + \alpha) = \beta^2 - 2a\alpha$   
 $\Rightarrow y\beta - 2ax = \beta^2 - 2a\alpha$  ... (i)

Let  $V(0, 0)$  be the vertex of the parabola.  
 The combined equation of  $VQ$  and  $VR$ , making homogeneous by means of (i), we have

$$y^2 = 4ax \times \left(\frac{y\beta - 2ax}{\beta^2 - 2a\alpha}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2(\beta^2 - 2a\alpha) - 4a\beta xy + 8a^2x^2 = 0$$

Since, the chord  $QR$  subtends a right angle at the vertex, so we have  
 co-efficient of  $x^2$  + co-efficient of  $y^2 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (\beta^2 - 2a\alpha) + 8a^2 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow \beta^2 = 2a(a - 4a)$

Hence, the locus of  $M(\alpha, \beta)$  is  
 $y^2 = 2a(x - 4a)$

89. Let  $QR$  be the chord of the parabola and  $M(\alpha, \beta)$  be its mid-point. Then the equation of the chord  $QR$  bisected at  $M(\beta, \beta)$  is

$$T = S_1$$

$$\Rightarrow y\beta - 2a(x + \alpha) = \beta^2 - 4a\alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow y\beta = 2a(x + \alpha) + (\beta^2 - 4a\alpha)$$

$$\Rightarrow y\beta = 2ax + (\beta^2 - 2a\alpha)$$
 ... (i)

If the Eq. (i) be a tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4bx$ , then

$$c = \frac{b}{m}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{\beta^2 - 2a\alpha}{\beta}\right) = \frac{b}{(2a/\beta)} = \frac{b\beta}{2a}$$

$$\Rightarrow (b - 2a)\beta^2 + 4a^2\alpha = 0$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(\alpha, \beta)$  is  
 $(2a - b)y^2 = 4a^2x$

90. Let the mid-point of the chord be  $M(h, k)$ .

Then the equation of the chord at  $M(h, k)$  is  
 $T = S_1$   
 $\Rightarrow yk - 2a(x + h) = k^2 - 4ah$   
 which passes through the point  $(3b, b)$ .  
 Then,  $bk - 2a(3b + h) = k^2 - 4ah$ .  
 $\Rightarrow k^2 - 2ah - bk + 6ab = 0$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is  
 $y^2 - 2ax - by + 6ab = 0$

91. The equation of the given parabola is  
 $y^2 = 4ax$  ... (i)

The equation of the tangent at  $P(at^2, 2at)$  is  
 $yt = x + at^2$  ... (ii)

The equation of the directrix of the parabola  
 $y^2 = 4ax$  is  $x + a = 0$  ... (iii)

Solving Eqs (ii) and (iii), we get

$$x = -a \text{ and } y = \frac{a(t^2 - 1)}{t}$$

Thus, the point on the directrix, say  $Q$ , whose co-ordinates are  $\left(-a, \frac{a(t^2 - 1)}{t}\right)$ .

Let  $M(h, k)$  be the mid-point of  $P$  and  $Q$ . Then

$$h = \frac{at^2 - a}{2} \text{ and } k = \frac{a(t^2 - 1)}{2t} + \frac{2at}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow t^2 = \frac{2h + a}{a} \text{ and } 4k^2t^2 = a^2(3t^2 - 1)^2$$

Eliminating  $t$ , we get

$$4k^2 \left(\frac{2h + a}{a}\right) = a^2 \left(3\left(\frac{2h + a}{a}\right) - 1\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 4k^2(2h + a) = a(6h + 3a - a)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2(2h + a) = a(3h + a)^2$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is  
 $y^2(2x + a) = a(3x + a)^2$

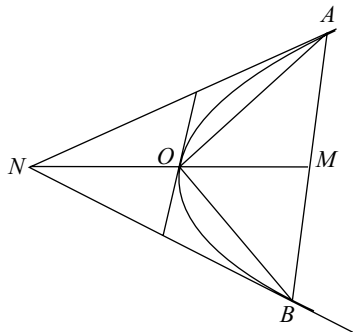
92. Let  $y = mx + c$  represents the system of parallel chords.  
 The equation of the diameter to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  is  
 $y = \frac{2a}{m}$ .

The diameter meets the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at  $\left(\frac{a}{m^2}, \frac{2a}{m}\right)$ .

The equation of the tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at  $\left(\frac{a}{m^2}, \frac{2a}{m}\right)$  is  $y = mx + \frac{a}{m}$ .

which is parallel to  $y = mx + c$ .

93.



Let  $AB$  be the chord, where  $A = (at_1^2, 2at_1)$  and  $B = (at_2^2, 2at_2)$ .

Now,  
 Slope of  $AB$

$$= m(AB) = \frac{2a(t_2 - t_1)}{a(t_2^2 - t_1^2)} = \frac{2}{t_1 + t_2}$$

The equation of the diameter is

$$y = \frac{2a}{m} \Rightarrow y = a(t_1 + t_2) \quad \dots (i)$$

Now the tangents at  $A = (at_1^2, 2at_1)$  and  $B = (at_2^2, 2at_2)$  meet at  $N[at_1t_2, a(t_1 + t_2)]$ .

Thus,  $N$  lies on  $y = a(t_1 + t_2)$ .

94. As we know that all rays of light parallel to  $x$ -axis of the parabola are reflected through the focus of the parabola.

The equation of the given parabola is

$$(y - 4)^2 = 8(x + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow Y^2 = 8X,$$

where  $Y = y - 4$  and  $X = x + 1$

Now the focus of the parabola is  $(a, 0)$ .

Therefore,

$$X = a \text{ and } Y = 0$$

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

$$\Rightarrow x = 1 \text{ and } y = 4$$

Hence, the focus is  $(1, 4)$ .

Thus  $\alpha = 1$  and  $\beta = 4$

Now,  $\alpha + \beta + 10 = 1 + 4 + 10 = 15$ .

95. Let the line  $y = x + 2$  intersects the parabola at  $P$ .  
 Solving the line  $y = x + 2$  and the parabola  $y^2 = 4(x + 2)$ , we get  
 the point  $P$  is  $(2, 4)$ .

Now the equation of the tangent to the parabola

$$y^2 = 4(x + 2) \text{ at } P(2, 4) \text{ is}$$

$$yy_1 = 2(x + x_1) + 8$$

$$\Rightarrow 4y = 2(x + 2) + 8$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 2y + 6 = 0$$

Let  $IP$  be the incident ray,  $PM$  be the reflected ray and  $PN$  be the normal

As we know that the normal is equally inclined with the incident ray as well as the reflected ray.

Now the slope of  $IP = 1$ , slope of normal  $PN = -2$  and let the slope of the reflected ray =  $m$ . Then

$$\frac{1 + 2}{1 - 2} = \frac{-2 - m}{1 - 2m}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{1}{7}$$

Hence, the equation of the reflected ray is

$$y - 2 = \frac{1}{7}(x - 4)$$

$$\Rightarrow 7y - 14 = x - 4$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 7y + 10 = 0$$

**LEVEL III**

- Clearly, focus =  $\left(\frac{3-5}{2}, \frac{6+6}{2}\right) = (-1, 6)$
- Given  $y = \frac{a^2x^2}{3} + \frac{a^2x}{2} - 2a$

$$\Rightarrow 6y = 2a^2x^2 + 3a^2x - 12a$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a^2\left(x^2 + \frac{3}{2}x\right) = 6y + 12a = 6(y + 2a)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(x^2 + \frac{3}{2}x\right) = \frac{3}{a^2}(y + 2a)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(x + \frac{3}{4}\right)^2 = \frac{3}{a^2}(y + 2a) + \frac{9}{16}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(x + \frac{3}{4}\right)^2 = \frac{3}{a^2}\left(y + 2a + \frac{3a^2}{16}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow X^2 = \frac{3}{a^2}Y,$$

where  $X = x + \frac{3}{4}, Y = y + 2a + \frac{3a^2}{16}$

Let focus =  $(h, k)$

$$X = 0 \text{ and } Y = \frac{3}{4a^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x + \frac{3}{4} = 0 \text{ and } y + 2a + \frac{3a^2}{16} = \frac{3}{4a^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow h = -\frac{3}{4}, k + 2a + \frac{3a^2}{16} = \frac{3}{4a^2}$$

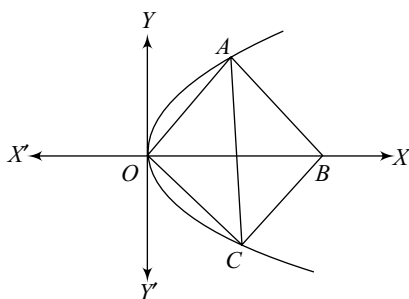
$$\Rightarrow k + 2a + \frac{-4ha^2}{16} = \frac{-4h}{4a^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 16ka^2 + 32a^3 - 4ha^4 + 16h = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4ka^2 + 8a^3 - ha^4 + 4h = 0$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is  $4ya^2 + 8a^3 - xa^4 + 4x = 0$

- Clearly, the equation of the parabola is  $y^2 = 4(a_1 - a)(x - a)$
- Let  $A = (at^2, 2at), C = (at^2, -2at)$



and  $B = (2at^2, 0)$

Now,  $m(OA) \times m(OC) = -1$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2at}{at^2} \times \frac{-2at}{at^2} = -1$$

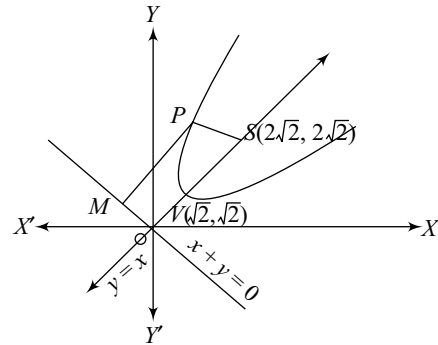
$$\Rightarrow \frac{2t}{t^2} \times \frac{-2t}{t^2} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow t^2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow t = 2$$

Hence, the co-ordinates of the vertices are  $O = (0, 0); A = (4a, 4a); B = (8a, 0),$  and  $C = (4a, -4a).$

- Let  $P = (x, y).$



We have,

$$\Rightarrow SP = PM$$

$$\Rightarrow SP^2 = PM^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 2\sqrt{2})^2 + (y - 2\sqrt{2})^2 = \left(\frac{x+y}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2[(x - 2\sqrt{2})^2 + (y - 2\sqrt{2})^2] = (x + y)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - y)^2 = 8\sqrt{2}(x + y - 2\sqrt{2})$$

- Clearly, the point of intersection is  $(4a, 4a)$  which satisfies the straight line

$$2bx + 3cy + 4d = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2b(4a) + 3c(4a) + 4d = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2ab + 3ac + d = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a(2b + 3c) + d = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a(2b + 3c) = -d$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2(2b + 3c)^2 = d^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (2b + 3c)^2 = \left(\frac{d}{a}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow d^2 = a^2(2b + 3c)^2$$

- Any tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4a(x + a)$  is

$$y = m_1(x + a) + \frac{a}{m_1} \quad \dots(i)$$

and to the parabola  $y^2 = 4b(x + b)$  is

$$y = m_2(x + b) + \frac{b}{m_2} \quad \dots(ii)$$

Since two tangents are perpendicular, so

$$m_1m_2 = -1 \quad \dots(iii)$$

Thus,  $y = m_2(x + b) + \frac{b}{m_2}$

$$y = -\frac{1}{m_1}(x + b) - bm_1 \quad \dots(\text{iv})$$

Eliminating  $m_1$  from Eqs (i) and (iv), we get

$$m_1(x + a) + \frac{a}{m_1} = -\frac{1}{m_1}(x + b) - bm_1$$

$$\Rightarrow m_1(x + a + b) = -\frac{1}{m_1}(x + a + b)$$

$$\Rightarrow (x + a + b)\left(m_1 + \frac{1}{m_1}\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x + a + b) = 0 \quad (\because m_1 \neq 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow (x + a + b) = 0$$

Hence, the result.

8. Let the focal chord be  $y = mx + c$  which is passing through the focus. So

$$0 = 4m + c$$

$$\Rightarrow c = -4m$$

Thus, the focal chord is  $y = mx - 4m$

$$mx - y - 4m = 0 \quad \dots(\text{i})$$

(i) is tangent to the circle  $(x - 6)^2 + y^2 = 2$ , so

$$\left| \frac{6m - 4m}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} \right| = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{2m}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} \right| = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4m^2 = 2(m^2 + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2m^2 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \pm 1$$

9. The co-ordinates of the latus rectum are  $L = (a, 2a) = (1, 2)$  and  $L' = (a, -2a) = (1, -2)$

The equation of the tangent at  $L$  is

$$yy_1 = 2(x + x_1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2y = 2(x + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = (x + 1) \quad \dots(\text{i})$$

The equation of the tangent at  $L$  is

$$-2y = 2(x + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -(x + 1) \quad \dots(\text{ii})$$

Solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$x = -1, y = 0$$

Hence, the point of intersection is  $(-1, 0)$ .

10. The equation of the tangent at  $P$  to the parabola

$$y^2 = 8x \text{ is}$$

$$4y = 4(x + 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = (x + 2) \quad \dots(\text{i})$$

Given parabola is  $y^2 = 8x + 5$  ...(\text{ii})

Solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$(x + 2)^2 = 8x + 5$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 4x + 4 = 8x + 5$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 4x - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 2)^2 = (\sqrt{5})^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2 \pm \sqrt{5}$$

$$\text{Thus, } y = 4 \pm \sqrt{5}$$

$$\text{Therefore, } Q = (2 + \sqrt{5}, 4 + \sqrt{5})$$

$$\text{and } R = (2 - \sqrt{5}, 4 - \sqrt{5})$$

Thus, the mid-point of  $Q$  and  $R$  is  $(2, 4)$ .

11. Clearly, both the lines pass through  $(-a, -b)$  which a point lying on the directrix of the parabola.

Thus,  $m_1 m_2 = -1$ , since tangents drawn from any point on the directrix are always mutually perpendicular.

12. The equation of any tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  is

$$y = mx + \frac{1}{m}$$

$$\Rightarrow my = m^2x + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2x - my + 1 = 0 \quad \dots(\text{i})$$

Also (i) is a tangent to the circle  $(x - 3)^2 + y^2 = 9$

Thus, the length of the perpendicular from the centre to the tangent is equal to the radius of the circle.

$$\text{So, } \left| \frac{3m^2 + 1}{\sqrt{m^4 + m^2}} \right| = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow (3m^2 + 1)^2 = 9(m^4 + m^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 9m^4 + 6m^2 + 1 = 9(m^4 + m^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3m^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Hence, the equation of the common tangent which lies

$$\text{above } x\text{-axis is } y = \frac{x}{\sqrt{3}} + \sqrt{3}$$

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

13. The equation of any tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$  is

$$y = mx + \frac{2}{m} \quad \dots(\text{i})$$

Since (i) is also a tangent of  $xy = -1$ , so

$$x\left(mx + \frac{2}{m}\right) = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow mx^2 + \frac{2x}{m} + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2x^2 + 2x + m = 0$$

Since it will provide us equal roots, so

$$D = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 - 4m^3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m^3 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 1$$

Hence, the equation of the common tangent is  $y = x + 2$ .

14. Given parabola is  $y = x^2$ .

So,  $4a = 1$   
 $a = 1/4$

The equation of any tangent is

$$x = my + \frac{a}{m} = my + \frac{1}{4m}$$

which is also a tangent of

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

$$\Rightarrow x = m(-x^2 + 4x - 4) + \frac{1}{4m}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4mx = 4m^2(-x^2 + 4x - 4) + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow -4m^2x^2 + 4(4m^2 - m) + (1 - 16m^2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4m^2x^2 - 4(4m^2 - m)x - (1 - 16m^2) = 0$$

Since it will provide us equal roots, so

$$D = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 16(4m^2 - m)^2 + 16m^2(1 - 16m^2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (4m^2 - m)^2 + m^2(1 - 16m^2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 16m^4 - 8m^3 + m^2 + m^2 - 16m^4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -8m^3 + 2m^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4m^3 - m^2 = 0$$

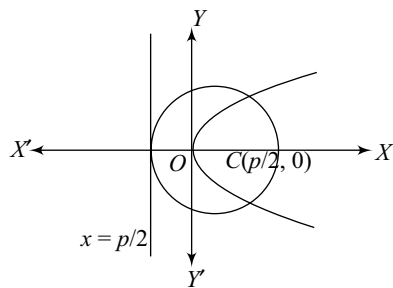
$$\Rightarrow m = 0, \frac{1}{4}$$

Hence, the equation of the common tangents are

$$y = 0 \text{ and } y = 4(x - 1)$$

15. Given parabola is  $y^2 = 2px$ .

So, the focus is  $\left(\frac{p}{2}, 0\right)$ .



Clearly, the equation of the circle is

$$\left(x - \frac{p}{2}\right)^2 + y^2 = p^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(x - \frac{p}{2}\right)^2 + 2px = p^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - px + \frac{p^2}{4} + 2px = p^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + px + \frac{p^2}{4} = p^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(x + \frac{p}{2}\right)^2 = p^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(x + \frac{p}{2}\right) = \pm p$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -\frac{p}{2} \pm p = \frac{p}{2}, -\frac{3p}{2}$$

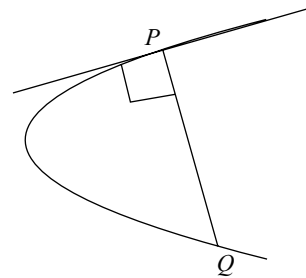
when  $x = \frac{p}{2}$ , then,  $y = \pm p$

Thus the point of intersection are

$$\left(\frac{p}{2}, p\right) \text{ and } \left(\frac{p}{2}, -p\right)$$

16. Let the parabola be  $y^2 = 4ax$  and the two points on the parabola are

$$P(at_1^2, 2at_1) \text{ and } Q(at_2^2, 2at_2)$$



The equation of the normal to the parabola at

$$P(at_1^2, 2at_1) \text{ is}$$

$$y = -t_1x + 2at_1 + at_1^3$$

which meets the parabola again at  $Q(at_2^2, 2at_2)$

$$\text{Thus, } 2at_2 = -at_1t_2^2 + 2at_1 + at_1^3$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a(t_2 - t_1) + at_1(t_2^2 - t_1^2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (t_2 - t_1)[2a + at_1(t_2 + t_1)] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow [2 + t_1(t_2 + t_1)] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t_1^2 + t_1t_2 + 2 = 0$$

Hence, the result.

17. Given parabola is  $y^2 = x$ .

So,  $4a = 1$

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{1}{4}$$

The equation of any normal to the parabola

$$y = mx - \frac{1}{2}m - \frac{1}{4}m^3$$

which is passing through  $(c, 0)$ . So

$$mc - \frac{1}{2}m - \frac{1}{4}m^3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4mc - 2m - m^3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m^3 + 2(1 - 2c) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 + 2(1 - 2c) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 - 2c) = -\frac{m^2}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 - 2c) = -\frac{m^2}{2} < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow c > \frac{1}{2}$$

18. The equation of any tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$  is  

$$y = mx + \frac{2}{m}$$

Clearly,

$$\tan(\pm 45^\circ) = \frac{m-3}{1+3m}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{m-3}{1+3m} = \pm 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{m-3}{1+3m} = 1, \frac{m-3}{1+3m} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow m = -2, \frac{1}{2}$$

Hence, the equations of tangents are

$$y = -2x - 1, y = \frac{x}{2} + 4$$

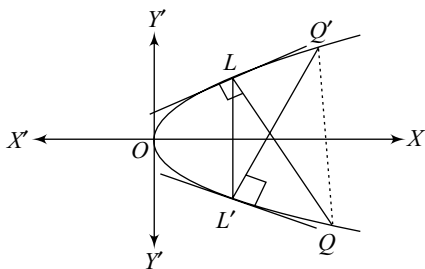
$$\Rightarrow y = -2x - 1, x - 2y + 8 = 0$$

Solving  $y^2 = 8x$  and  $y = -2x - 1$  we get, the point of intersection is  $\left(\frac{1}{2}, -2\right)$ .

Again, solving  $y^2 = 8x$  and  $x - 2y + 8 = 0$  we get the point of intersection is  $(8, 8)$ .

Thus, the point of contacts are  $\left(\frac{1}{2}, -2\right)$  and  $(8, 8)$ .

19. Clearly, the ends of a latus rectum are  $L(a, 2a)$  and  $L'(a, -2a)$ .



The equation of the normal at  $L$  is

$$y = mx - 2am - am^3$$

putting  $m = -1$ , we get

$$y = -x + 2a + a$$

$$\Rightarrow x + y = 3a$$

The equation of the normal at  $L'$  is

$$y = mx - 2am - am^3$$

putting  $m = 1$ , we get

$$y = x - 2a - a$$

$$\Rightarrow x - y = 3a$$

On solving  $x + y = 3a$  and  $y^2 = 4ax$ , we get  
 $Q = (9a, -6a)$

Again, solving  $x - y = 3a$  and  $y^2 = 4ax$ , we get  
 $Q' = (9a, 6a)$

Thus, the length of  $QQ' = \sqrt{(9a - 9a)^2 + (6a + 6a)^2} = 12a$

Hence, the result.

20. Prove that from any point  $P(at^2, 2at)$  on the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ , two normals can be drawn and their feet  $Q$  and  $R$  have the parameters satisfying the equation  $\lambda^2 + \lambda t + 2 = 0$ .

21. Given parabola is  $x^2 = 8y$ .

We have  $4a = 8$

$$\Rightarrow a = 2$$

The equation of the normal to the parabola  $x^2 = 8y$  at  $(-2am_1, am_1^2), (-2am_2, am_2^2)$  are

$$x = m_1y - 2am_1 - am_1^3 \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$\text{and } x = m_2y - 2am_2 - am_2^3 \quad \dots(i)$$

Let  $(h, k)$  be the point of intersection.

$$\text{Thus, } h = -a(m_1 + m_2) \quad \dots(iii)$$

$$\text{and } k = 2a + a(m_1^2 + m_2^2 - 1) \quad \dots(iv)$$

From Eqs (iii) and (iv), we get

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} = \frac{y-2a}{a} - 1 = \frac{y-2a-a}{a} = \frac{y-3a}{a}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = a(y-3a)$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = 2(y-6)$$

which is the required locus.

22. The equation of the tangent at  $P(at_1^2, 2at_1)$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  is

$$yt_1 = x + at_1^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x - yt_1 + at_1^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow at_1^2 - yt_1 + x = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

Also, the equation of the tangent at  $Q(2bt_2, bt_2^2)$  to the parabola  $x^2 = 4by$  is

$$xt_2 = y + bt_2^2 \quad \dots(ii)$$

It is given that the tangents (i) and (ii) are perpendicular, so

$$\left(\frac{1}{t_1}\right) \cdot t_2 = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow t_2 = -t_1$$

Equation (ii) reduces to

$$-xt_1 = y + bt_1^2$$

$$\Rightarrow xt_1 + y + bt_1^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow bt_1^2 + xt_1 + y = 0 \quad \dots(iii)$$

Solving Eqs (i) and (iii), we get

$$\frac{t_1^2}{-(x^2 + y^2)} = \frac{t_1}{bx - ay} = \frac{1}{ax + by}$$

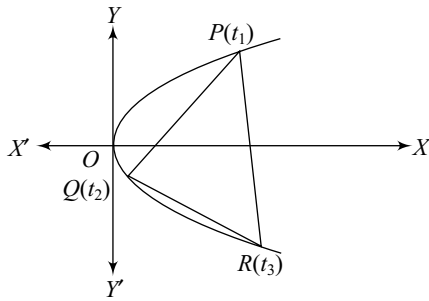
Eliminating  $t_1$ , we get

$$(ax + by)(x^2 + y^2) + (bx - ay)^2 = 0$$

which is the required locus of the point of intersection of two tangents.



23. Let  $P, Q,$  and  $R$  be three points on the parabola.



Let the co-ordinates of the centroid be  $G(\alpha, \beta)$ .

Clearly,  $\alpha = \frac{a(t_1^2 + t_2^2 + t_3^2)}{3}$

and  $\beta = \frac{2a(t_1 + t_2 + t_3)}{3}$

Now

Slope of  $PQ = \frac{2a(t_1 - t_2)}{a(t_1^2 - t_2^2)} = \frac{2}{(t_1 + t_2)}$

and the slope of  $PR = \frac{2a(t_1 - t_3)}{a(t_1^2 - t_3^2)} = \frac{2}{(t_1 + t_3)}$

Clearly,  $\angle QPR = 60^\circ$

$$\text{Thus, } \tan(60^\circ) = \frac{\frac{2}{t_1 + t_2} - \frac{2}{t_1 + t_3}}{1 + \frac{2}{t_1 + t_2} \cdot \frac{2}{t_1 + t_3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{3} = \frac{2(t_3 - t_2)}{(t_1 + t_2)(t_2 + t_3) + 4}$$

$$\sqrt{3} [(t_1 + t_2)(t_2 + t_3) + 4] = 2(t_3 - t_2) \quad \dots(i)$$

Similarly,  $\angle Q = 60^\circ$  and  $\angle R = 60^\circ$

$$\text{Thus, } \sqrt{3} [(t_1 + t_2)(t_1 + t_3) + 4] = 2(t_3 - t_1) \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$\text{and } \sqrt{3} [(t_1 + t_3)(t_2 + t_3) + 4] = 2(t_1 - t_2) \quad \dots(iii)$$

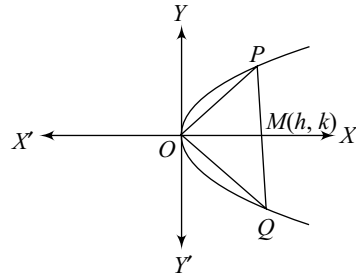
Adding Eqs (i), (ii) and (iii), we get

$$\begin{aligned} & 3(t_1t_2 + t_2t_3 + t_3t_1) + (t_1^2 + t_2^2 + t_3^2 + 12) = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & 3(t_1t_2 + t_2t_3 + t_3t_1) + \frac{3\alpha}{a} + 12 = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & (t_1t_2 + t_2t_3 + t_3t_1) + \frac{\alpha}{a} + 4 = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & a(t_1t_2 + t_2t_3 + t_3t_1) + \alpha + 4a = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & 2a(t_1t_2 + t_2t_3 + t_3t_1) + 2\alpha + 8a = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & a\{(t_1 + t_2 + t_3)^2 - (t_1^2 + t_2^2 + t_3^2)\} + 2\alpha + 8a = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & a\left\{\frac{9\beta^2}{4a^2} - \frac{3\alpha}{a}\right\} + 2\alpha + 8a = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{9\beta^2}{4a} - 3\alpha + 2\alpha + 8a = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow 9\beta^2 = 4a(\alpha - 8a)$$

Hence, the locus of  $G(\alpha, \beta)$  is  $9y^2 = 4a(x - 8a)$

24. Let  $P = (at_1^2, 2at_1)$  and  $Q = (at_2^2, 2at_2)$ .



Slope of  $PQ = \frac{2a(t_2 - t_1)}{a(t_2^2 - t_1^2)} = \frac{2}{(t_1 + t_2)}$

Equation of  $PQ$  is

$$y - 2at_1 = \frac{2}{(t_1 + t_2)}(x - at_1^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x - (t_1 + t_2)y = -2at_1t_2 \quad \dots(i)$$

Now,  $m_1 = m(OP) = \frac{2}{t_1}$

and  $m_2 = m(OQ) = \frac{2}{t_2}$

As  $OP$  is perpendicular to  $OQ$ , so

$$m_1m_2 = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{4}{t_1t_2} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow t_1t_2 = -4 \quad \dots(ii)$$

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$2(x - 4a) - (t_1 + t_2)y = 0$$

Let  $M(h, k)$  be the mid-point of  $PQ$ . So

$$h = \frac{a}{2}(t_1^2 + t_2^2) \text{ and } k = \frac{a}{2}(2t_1 + 2t_2)$$

$$\Rightarrow h = \frac{a}{2}(t_1^2 + t_2^2) \text{ and } k = a(t_1 + t_2)$$

Now,  $k^2 = a^2(t_1 + t_2)^2$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 = a^2\{(t_1^2 + t_2^2) + 2t_1t_2\}$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 = a^2(2h + 2(-4))$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

$$y^2 = 2a^2(x - 4)$$

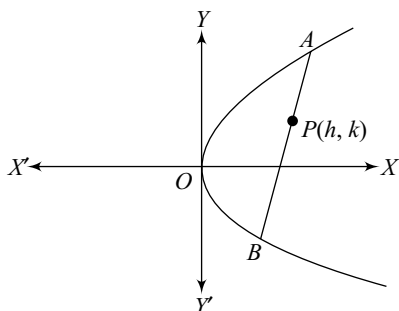
25. Let  $AB$  be a chord of a parabola, in which

$$A = (t_1^2, 2t_1), B = (t_2^2, 2t_2)$$

Slope of  $AB = 2$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{t_1 + t_2} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow t_1 + t_2 = 1$$



Let  $P$  be a point which divides  $AB$  internally in the ratio  $1 : 2$

$$\text{So, } h = \frac{2t_1^2 + t_2^2}{3} \text{ and } k = \frac{4t_1 + 2t_2}{3}$$

$$3h = (2t_1^2 + t_2^2) \text{ and } 3k = (4t_1 + 2t_2)$$

Eliminating  $t_1$  and  $t_2$ , we get

$$\left(k - \frac{8}{9}\right)^2 = \frac{4}{9}\left(h - \frac{2}{9}\right)$$

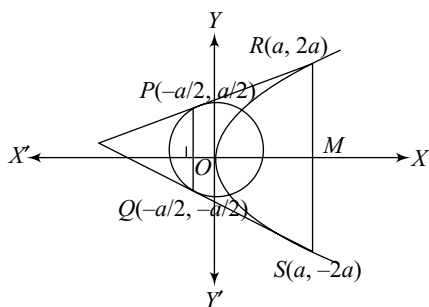
Thus, the locus of  $P(h, k)$  is

$$\left(y - \frac{8}{9}\right)^2 = \frac{4}{9}\left(x - \frac{2}{9}\right)$$

Hence, the vertex is  $\left(\frac{2}{9}, \frac{8}{9}\right)$ .

26. The equation of any tangent to the parabola can be considered as

$$y = mx + \frac{a}{m}$$



i.e.  $m^2x - my + a = 0$

As we know that the length of perpendicular from the centre to the tangent to the circle is equal to the radius of a circle.

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{a}{\sqrt{m^4 + m^2}} = \frac{a}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow m^4 + m^2 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow m^4 + m^2 - 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (m^2 + 2)(m^2 - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \pm 1$$

Hence, the equation of the tangents are

$$y = x + a, y = -x - a$$

Therefore, the points  $P, Q$  are  $\left(-\frac{a}{2}, \frac{a}{2}\right), \left(-\frac{a}{2}, -\frac{a}{2}\right)$

and  $R, S$  are  $(a, 2a)$  and  $(a, -2a)$  respectively.

Thus, the area of the equadrilateral  $PQRS$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2}(PQ + RS) \times LM \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times (a + 4a) \times \left(\frac{a}{2} + a\right) = \frac{15a^2}{4} \end{aligned}$$

27. Let the point  $P$  be  $(h, k)$ .

The equation of any normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  is  $y = mx - 2m - m^3$  which is passing through  $P$ . So

$$\begin{aligned} k &= mh - 2m - m^3 \\ \Rightarrow m^3 + (2 - h)m + k &= 0 \end{aligned} \quad \dots(i)$$

which is a cubic equation in  $m$ .

Let its roots are  $m_1, m_2, m_3$ .

$$\text{Thus, } m_1 + m_2 + m_3 = 0$$

$$m_1m_2 + m_2m_3 + m_3m_1 = (2 - h)$$

$$m_1m_2m_3 = -k$$

It is given that  $m_1m_2 = \alpha$ , so

$$m_3 = -\frac{k}{\alpha}$$

Since  $m_3$  is root of Eq. (i), so

$$m_3^3 + (2 - h)m_3 + k = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{k^3}{\alpha^3} + (2 - h)\left(-\frac{k}{\alpha}\right) + k = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{k^2}{\alpha^3} + (2 - h)\left(-\frac{1}{\alpha}\right) + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -k^2 - (2 - h)\alpha^2 + \alpha^3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 + (2 - h)\alpha^2 - \alpha^3 = 0$$

Hence, the locus of  $P$  is

$$y^2 + (2 - x)\alpha^2 - \alpha^3 = 0$$

which represents a parabola.

clearly,  $\alpha = 2$ , since  $\alpha = 2$  satisfies the given parabola  $y^2 = 4x$ .

28. Given parabola is

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

$$\Rightarrow (y - 1)^2 = 4x - 4 = 4(x - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow Y^2 = 4X$$

where  $X = (x - 1), Y = (y - 1)$

So, the directrix is

$$X + a = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 1) + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0$$

Any point on the parabola is

$$P(1 + t^2, 2t + 1)$$

The equation of the tangent at  $P$  is

$$t(y - 1) = x - 1 + t^2$$

which meets the directrix  $x = 0$  at

$$Q\left(0, 1+t-\frac{1}{t}\right)$$

Let the co-ordinates of  $R$  be  $(h, k)$ .

Since it divides  $QP$  externally in the ratio  $\frac{1}{2}:1$ , so  $Q$  is the mid-point of  $R$  and  $P$ .

$$\therefore \frac{h+1+t^2}{2} = 0 \text{ and } 1+t-\frac{1}{t} = \frac{k+1+2t}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow t^2 = -(h+1) \text{ and } t = \frac{2}{1-k}$$

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{4}{(k-1)^2} + (h+1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (k-1)^2(h+1) + 4 = 0$$

Hence, the locus of  $R(h, k)$  is

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

29. Now,  $f(x+1) = -\frac{(x+1)^2}{2} + x + 2$

$$= \frac{-x^2 - 2x - 1 + 2x + 4}{2} = \frac{-x^2 + 3}{2}$$

Also,  $f(1-x) = \frac{-(1-x)^2}{2} + 1 - x + 1$

$$= \frac{-1 + 2x - x^2 + 4 - 2x}{2} = \frac{-x^2 + 3}{2}$$

Thus,  $y = -\frac{x^2}{2} + x + 1$  is symmetric about the line  $x = 1$

Also, given curve is  $y = -\frac{x^2}{2} + x + 1$

$$\Rightarrow 2y = -x^2 + 2x + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 2x = -2y + 2$$

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

$$\Rightarrow X^2 = -2Y$$

$$X = (x-1), Y = \left(y - \frac{3}{2}\right)$$

Axis is  $X = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 1$$

which is already proved that the given curve is symmetric about the line  $x = 1$ .

Hence, the result.

30. Given parabola is  $y^2 - 16x - 8y = 0$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 - 8y = 16x$$

$$\Rightarrow (y-4)^2 = 16(x+1)$$

$$\Rightarrow Y^2 = 16X$$

where  $Y = y - 4, X = x + 1$

The equation of any normal to the parabola

$$Y = mX - 2am - am^3 \text{ at } (am^2, -2am)$$

$$y - 4 = m(x + 1) - 8m - 4m^3 \text{ at}$$

$$(am^2 - 1, 4 - 2am)$$

i.e.  $(4m^2 - 1, 4 - 8m)$

which is passing through  $(14, 7)$ . So

$$3 = 15m - 8m - 4m^3$$

$$\Rightarrow 4m^3 - 7m + 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4m^3 - 4m^2 + 4m^2 - 4m - 3m + 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4m^2(m-1) + 4m(m-1) - 3(m-1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (m-1)(4m^2 + 4m - 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (m-1) = 0, (4m^2 + 4m - 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (m-1) = 0, (4m^2 + 6m - 2m - 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (m-1) = 0, (2m-1)(2m+3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (m-1) = 0, (2m-1) = 0, (2m+3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 1, \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{3}{2}$$

Hence, the feet of the normals are

$$(3, -4), (0, 0), (8, 16)$$

31. Let the parabola be  $y^2 = 4ax$ .

The equation of any tangent to the given parabola is

$$y = mx + \frac{a}{m} \quad \dots(i)$$

Let the fixed point be  $(h, k)$ .

The equation of any line passing through  $P$  and perpendicular to (i) is

$$y - k = -\frac{1}{m}(x - h) \quad \dots(ii)$$

Eliminating  $m$  between Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$y = -\frac{(x-h)}{(y-k)} - \frac{a(y-k)}{(x-h)}$$

which is the required locus.

32. Let  $P(at_1^2, 2at_1)$  and  $(at_2^2, 2at_2)$  be the extremities of the focal chord.

Thus,  $t_1 t_2 = -1$

Let the points of intersection of the normals at  $P$  and  $Q$  are  $R(\alpha, \beta)$ .

Then  $\alpha = a(t_1^2 + t_2^2 + t_1 t_2 + 2)$

$$= a(t_1^2 + t_2^2 - 1 + 2)$$

$$= a(t_1^2 + t_2^2 + 1)$$

$$= a[(t_1 + t_2)^2 - 2t_1 t_2 + 1]$$

$$= a[(t_1 + t_2)^2 + 3]$$

$$\dots(i)$$

and  $b = -at_1 t_2 (t_1 + t_2)$

$$= a(t_1 + t_2)$$

$$\dots(ii)$$

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get,

$$\alpha = a\left(\frac{\beta^2}{a^2} + 3\right)$$

$$= \left(\frac{\beta^2}{a} + 3a\right)$$

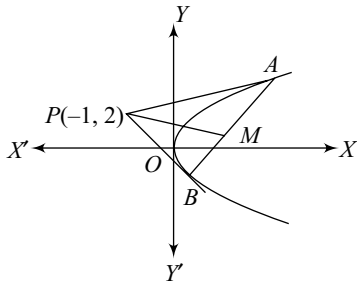
$$\Rightarrow \beta^2 = a(\alpha - 3a)$$

Hence, the locus of  $(\alpha, \beta)$  is  $y^2 = a(x - 3a)$

**LEVEL IV**

1. The equation of the chord of contact is

$$\begin{aligned} yy_1 - 2(x + x_1) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow 2y - 2(x - 1) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow y &= (x - 1) \end{aligned}$$



On solving  $y^2 = 4x$  and  $y = x - 1$ , we get, the co-ordinates of the points  $A$  and  $B$ .

Thus,  $A = (3 - 2\sqrt{2}, 2 - 2\sqrt{2})$

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

Now, the length  $AB = 8$

Therefore, the area of  $\Delta PAB$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \times PM \times AB \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times \left| \frac{-1 - 2 - 1}{\sqrt{2}} \right| \times 8 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{4}{\sqrt{2}} \times 8 \\ &= 8\sqrt{2} \text{ s.u.} \end{aligned}$$

2. Given curve is  $y^2 - 2x - 2y + 5 = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow y^2 - 2y &= 2x - 5 \\ \Rightarrow (y - 1)^2 &= 2x - 5 + 1 \\ \Rightarrow (y - 1)^2 &= 2x - 4 = 2(x - 2) \\ \Rightarrow Y^2 &= 2X \end{aligned}$$

where  $X = x - 2, Y = y - 1$   
which represents a parabola.

Now, the focus =  $(a, 0)$

$\Rightarrow X = a, Y = 0$

$\Rightarrow x - 2 = \frac{1}{2}, y - 1 = 0$

$\Rightarrow x = \frac{5}{2}, y = 1$

Hence, the focus is  $\left(\frac{5}{2}, 1\right)$ .

Also, the directrix:  $X + a = 0$

$\Rightarrow x - 2 + \frac{1}{2} = 0$

$\Rightarrow x = \frac{3}{2}$

3.

4. The equation of the tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  at  $(t^2, 2t)$  is  $yy_1 = 2(x + x_1)$

$\Rightarrow 2t \cdot y = 2(x + t^2)$

$\Rightarrow t \cdot y = (x + t^2)$

$\Rightarrow x - ty + t^2 = 0$

...(i)

and the equation of the normal to the ellipse is

$$\frac{a^2x}{x_1} - \frac{b^2y}{y_1} = a^2 - b^2$$

$\Rightarrow \frac{5x}{\sqrt{5} \cos \varphi} - \frac{4y}{2 \sin \varphi} = 5 - 4 = 1$

$\Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{5}x}{\cos \varphi} - \frac{2y}{\sin \varphi} = 1$

Equations (i) and (ii) are identical, so

$$\frac{1}{\cos \varphi} = \frac{-t}{\sin \varphi} = \frac{-t^2}{1}$$

$\Rightarrow \frac{\cos \varphi}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{t \sin \varphi}{2} = -t^2$

$\Rightarrow \cos \varphi = -\sqrt{5}t^2, \sin \varphi = -2t$

Now,  $\cos^2 \varphi = 5t^4$

$\Rightarrow 1 - \sin^2 \varphi = 5t^4$

$\Rightarrow 1 - 4t^2 = 5t^4$

$\Rightarrow 5t^4 + 4t^2 - 1 = 0$

$\Rightarrow (t^2 + 1)(5t^2 - 1) = 0$

$\Rightarrow (5t^2 - 1) = 0$

$\Rightarrow t = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$

Now,  $\cos \varphi = -\sqrt{5} \times \frac{1}{5} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$

$\Rightarrow \varphi = \cos^{-1}\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}\right)$

5. The equation of the normal to the parabola

$y^2 = 4ax$  is  $y = mx - 2am - am^3$

which is passing through  $(5a, 2a)$ .

$\Rightarrow 2a = 5am - 2am - am^3$

$\Rightarrow 2 = 5m - 2m - m^3$

$\Rightarrow m^3 - 3m + 2 = 0$

$\Rightarrow m^3 - m^2 + m^2 - m - 2m + 2 = 0$

$\Rightarrow m^2(m - 1) + m(m - 1) - 2(m - 1) = 0$

$\Rightarrow (m - 1)(m^2 + m - 2) = 0$

$\Rightarrow (m - 1) = 0, (m^2 + m - 2) = 0$

$\Rightarrow (m - 1) = 0, (m - 1)(m + 2) = 0$

$\Rightarrow m = 1, -2$

Hence, the equation of the normals are

$y = x - 2a - a = x - 3a$

and  $y = -2x + 4a + 8a = -2x + 12a$ .

6. Let the point of intersection be  $P(h, k)$ .

The equation of any normal to the given parabola is

$$x = my - 2am - am^3$$

$$\Rightarrow x = my - 4m - 2m^3 \quad (\because a = 2)$$

which is passing through  $P$ .

$$\Rightarrow h = mk - 4m - 2m^3$$

$$\Rightarrow 2m^3 + (4 - k)m + h = 0$$

Let its roots be  $m_1, m_2, m_3$ .

$$m_1 + m_2 + m_3 = 0$$

$$m_1m_2 + m_1m_3 + m_2m_3 = \frac{4 - k}{2}$$

and  $m_1m_2m_3 = -\frac{h}{2}$

Now,  $m_1m_2m_3 = -\frac{h}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow m_3 = \frac{h}{2}, \quad (\because m_1m_2 = -1)$$

Also,  $m_1 + m_2 = -m_3$

and  $m_1m_2 + m_1m_3 + m_2m_3 = \frac{4 - k}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow -1 + (m_1 + m_2)m_3 = \frac{4 - k}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 - m_3^2 = \frac{4 - k}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 - \frac{h^2}{4} = \frac{4 - k}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{4 + h^2}{4} = \frac{k - 4}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 + h^2 = 2k - 8$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 = 2(k - 6)$$

Hence, the locus of  $P$  is  $x^2 = 2(y - 6)$ .

7. Let the parabola be  $y^2 = 4ax$  and two points on the parabola are  $P(at_1^2, 2at_1)$  and  $Q(at_2^2, 2at_2)$ , where  $a = 3$

It is given that

$$\frac{2at_1}{2at_2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{t_1}{t_2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2t_1 = t_2$$

The equation of the normal at  $P(at_1^2, 2at_1)$  and  $Q(at_2^2, 2at_2)$  are

$$y = -t_1x + 2at_1 + at_1^3 \quad \dots(i)$$

and

$$y = -t_2x + 2at_2 + at_2^3 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$x = 2a + a(t_1^2 + t_2^2 + t_1t_2)$$

and  $y = -at_1t_2(t_1 + t_2)$

Therefore,

$$x = 2a + a(t_1^2 + 4t_1^2 + 2t_1^2) = 2a + 7at_1^2$$

$$\Rightarrow t_1^2 = \left(\frac{x - 2a}{7a}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow t_1 = \left(\frac{x - 2a}{7a}\right)^{1/2}$$

and  $y = -at_1 \cdot 2t_1(t_1 + 2t_1) = -6at_1^3$

$$\Rightarrow y = -6a \left(\frac{x - 2a}{7a}\right)^{3/2}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -18 \left(\frac{x - 6}{21}\right)^{3/2}$$

$$\Rightarrow y + 18 \left(\frac{x - 6}{21}\right)^{3/2} = 0.$$

8. Given circle is  $x^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 5$ .

The equation of any tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = x$  can be considered as

$$y = mx + \frac{1}{4m}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4my = 4m^2x + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 4m^2x - 4my + 1 = 0$$

Now,  $OM = \sqrt{5}$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{0 - 12m + 1}{\sqrt{16m^4 + 16m^2}} \right| = \sqrt{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 - 12m)^2 = 5(16m^4 + 16m^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 - 12m)^2 = 5(16m^4 + 16m^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - 24m + 144m^2 = 80m^4 + 80m^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 80m^4 - 64m^2 + 24m - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 80m^4 - 40m^3 + 40m^3 - 20m^2$$

$$-44m^2 + 22m + 2m - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 40m^3(2m - 1) + 20m^2(2m - 1)$$

$$-22m(2m - 1) + 1(2m - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2m - 1)(40m^3 + 20m^2 - 22m + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{1}{2}$$

Hence, the equation of the common tangent be

$$y = \frac{x}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2y = x + 1,$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 2y + 1 = 0$$

9. The equation of the normal to the given parabola  $y^2 = 8(x - 1)$  is

$$y = m(x - 1) - 2am - am^3$$

$$\Rightarrow y = m(x - 1) - 4m - 2m^3$$

$$\Rightarrow y = mx - 5m - 2m^3 \quad \dots(i)$$

Let the co-ordinates of the point of intersection of the tangents be  $P(h, k)$ .

Thus,  $yy_1 = 8\left(\frac{x+x_1}{2}\right) - 8$

$\Rightarrow yk = 4(x+h) - 8 = 4(x+h-2)$

$\Rightarrow y = \frac{4}{k}(x+h-2)$

$\Rightarrow y = \frac{4}{k}x + \frac{4}{k}(h-2)$

...(ii)

Comparing Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$m = \frac{4}{k}, \frac{4}{k}(h-2) = -(5m + 2m^3)$

$\Rightarrow \frac{4}{k}(h-2) = -\left(5 \cdot \frac{4}{k} + 2 \cdot \left(\frac{4}{k}\right)^3\right)$

$\Rightarrow (h-2) = -\left(5 + 2 \cdot \left(\frac{4}{k}\right)^2\right)$

$\Rightarrow (h-2)k^2 = -(5k^2 + 32)$

Hence, the locus of  $P(h, k)$  is

$(2-x)y^2 = (5y^2 + 32)$

10. Let  $AB$  be a double ordinate, where

$A = (at_1^2, 2at_1), B = (at_2^2, 2at_2)$

Let  $P(h, k)$  be the point of trisection. Then

$3h = 2at^2 + at^2$  and  $3k = 4at - 2at$

$\Rightarrow 3h = 3at^2$  and  $3k = 2at$

$\Rightarrow h = at^2$  and  $3k = 2at$

Solving, we get

$t^2 = \frac{h}{a}$  and  $t = \frac{3k}{2a}$

$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{3k}{2a}\right)^2 = \frac{h}{a}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{9k^2}{4a^2} = \frac{h}{a}$

$\Rightarrow 9k^2 = 4ah$

Hence, the locus of  $P(h, k)$  is

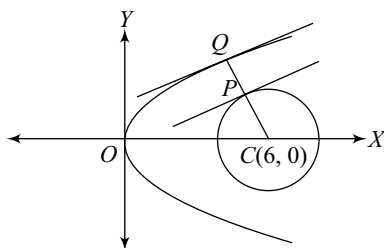
$9y^2 = 4ax$

11. Do yourself.

12. Given circle is  $x^2 + y^2 - 12x + 31 = 0$

$\Rightarrow (x-6)^2 + y^2 = 5$

The centre is  $(6, 0)$  and the radius is  $\sqrt{5}$ .



Given parabola is

$y^2 = 4x$

$\Rightarrow 2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 4$

$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2}{y}$

Also, given circle is

$x^2 + y^2 - 12x + 31 = 0$

$\Rightarrow 2x + 2y \frac{dy}{dx} - 12 = 0$

$\Rightarrow x + y \frac{dy}{dx} - 6 = 0$

$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{6-x}{y}$

Since the tangents are parallel, so their slopes are the same.

Thus,  $\frac{2}{y} = \frac{6-x}{y}$

$\Rightarrow x = 4$

When  $x = 4$ , then  $y^2 = 16$

$\Rightarrow y = \pm 4$

Thus, the point  $Q$  is  $(4, 4)$ .

Therefore, the shortest distance,

$PQ = CQ - CP$   
 $= \sqrt{(6-4)^2 + (4-0)^2} - 1$   
 $= \sqrt{20} - 1$   
 $= (2\sqrt{5} - 1)$

13. Let the parabola be  $y^2 = 4ax$

The equation of the tangent to the parabola at  $(a, 2a)$  is

$y \cdot 2a = 2a(x+a)$

$\Rightarrow y = x + a$

$\Rightarrow x - y - a = 0$

The equation of a circle touching the parabola at  $(a, 2a)$  is

$(x-a)^2 + (y-2a)^2 + \lambda(x-y-a) = 0$

which is passing through  $(0, 0)$ . So

$a^2 + 4a^2 - \lambda a = 0$

$\Rightarrow \lambda = 5a$

Thus, the required circle is

$x^2 + y^2 - 7ax + ay = 0$

Hence, the radius  $= \sqrt{\left(\frac{7a}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{a}{2}\right)^2} = \sqrt{\frac{50a^2}{4}} = \frac{5a}{\sqrt{2}}$

14. The tangent to  $y^2 = 4x$  in terms of  $m$  is

$y = mx + \frac{1}{m}$

and the normal to  $x^2 = 4by$  in terms of  $m$  is

$y = mx + 2b + \frac{b}{m^2}$

If these are the same line, then

$$\frac{1}{m} = 2b + \frac{b}{m^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2bm^2 - m + b = 0$$

For two different tangents, we get

$$D > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - 8b^2 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 8b^2 < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow b^2 < \frac{1}{8}$$

$$\Rightarrow |b| < \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

which is the required condition.

15. Given parabola is  $y^2 = 8x$

Extremities of the latus rectum are  $(2, 4)$  and  $(2, -4)$ .

Since any circle is drawn with any focal chord as its diameter touches the directrix, the equation of the required circle is

$$(x-2)(x-2) + (y-4)(y+4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 12 = 0$$

Hence, the radius =  $\sqrt{4+12} = 4$ .

### Integer Type Questions

1. A circle and a parabola can meet at most in four points. Thus, the maximum number of common chords is  ${}^4C_2 = \frac{4 \times 3}{2} = 6$ .

2. Clearly, both the lines pass through  $(-a, b)$  which a point lying on the directrix of the parabola.

Thus,  $m_1 m_2 = -1$ , since tangents are drawn from any point on the directrix always mutually perpendicular. Hence, the value of  $(m_1 m_2 + 4)$  is 3.

3. Let  $AB$  be a normal chord, where

$$A = (at_1^2, 2at_1), B = (at_2^2, 2at_2)$$

Now, the normal at  $A$  meets the parabola again at  $B$ , so

$$t_2 = -t_1 - \frac{2}{t_1} \text{ and } t_1 t_2 = -4$$

Solving, we get

$$t_1^2 = 2$$

$$\text{Thus, } m = m(AB) = \frac{2}{t_1 + t_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{2}{(-2/t_1)} = -t_1 = \mp\sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow (m^2 + 3) = 2 + 3 = 5$$

4. Let  $AB$  be a normal chord, where

$$A = (at_1^2, 2at_1), B = (at_2^2, 2at_2)$$

Clearly,

$$4(t_1 + t_2) = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow (t_1 + t_2) = 1$$

$$\text{Now, } m = m(AB) = \frac{2}{t_1 + t_2} = \frac{2}{1} = 2$$

Hence, the slope of the normal chord is 2.

5. Normals to  $y^2 = 4ax$  and  $x^2 = 4by$  in terms of  $m$  are

$$y = mx - 2am - am^3$$

$$\text{and } y = mx + 2b + \frac{b}{m^2}$$

For a common normal,

$$2b + \frac{b}{m^2} = -2am - am^3$$

$$\Rightarrow 2bm^2 + b + 2am^3 + am^5 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow am^5 + 2am^3 + 2b^2 + b = 0$$

Thus, the number of common normals is 5.

6. We have,  $x + y = 2(t^2 + 1)$

$$\text{and } x - y = 2t$$

Eliminating  $t$ , we get,

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

$$\Rightarrow x + y = \frac{(x-y)^2}{2} + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(x+y) = (x-y)^2 + 4$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-y)^2 - 2(x+y) + 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-y)^2 = 2(x+y-2)$$

Comparing with  $y^2 = 4ax$ , we get

$$4a = 2$$

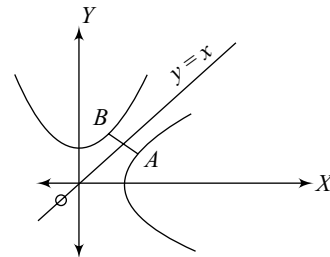
Thus, the length of latus rectum is 2.

7. Both the given curves are symmetrical about the line  $y = x$ .

If the line  $AB$  is the shortest distance then at  $A$  and  $B$  the slopes of the curve should be equal to 1.

$$\text{For } y^2 = x - 1, \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2y} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{1}{2}$$



$$\text{Then } x = \frac{1}{4} + 1 = \frac{5}{4}$$

$$\text{Therefore, } A = \left(\frac{5}{4}, \frac{1}{2}\right) \text{ and } B = \left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{4}\right)$$

Hence, the shortest distance,

$$d = \sqrt{\left(\frac{5}{4} - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{5}{4}\right)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^2} = \sqrt{\frac{18}{16}} = \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{4}$$

Hence, the value of

$$(8d^2 - 3)$$

$$= 9 - 3 = 6$$

8. The equation of any tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  is

$$y = mx + \frac{a}{m} = mx + \frac{1}{m}$$

which is passing through  $(2, 3)$ . So

$$3 = 2m + \frac{1}{m}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2m^2 - 3m + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2m^2 - 2m - m + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2m(m - 1) - 1(m - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (m - 1)(2m - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 1 \text{ and } 1/2$$

$$\Rightarrow m_1 = 1, m_2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

Hence, the value of  $\left(\frac{1}{m_1} + \frac{1}{m_2} + 2\right) = 1 + 2 + 2 = 5$ .

9. Let the co-ordinates of the point  $R$  be  $(at_3^2, 2at_3)$ .

The normal at  $P$  meets the parabola again at  $R$ , so

$$t_3 = -t_1 - \frac{2}{t_1} \quad \dots(i)$$

and the normal at  $Q$  meets the parabola again at  $R$ , so

$$t_3 = -t_2 - \frac{2}{t_2} \quad \dots(ii)$$

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$-t_1 - \frac{2}{t_1} = -t_2 - \frac{2}{t_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow t_2 - t_1 = \frac{2}{t_1} - \frac{2}{t_2} = \frac{2(t_2 - t_1)}{t_1 t_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow t_2 - t_1 = \frac{2(t_2 - t_1)}{t_1 t_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow t_1 t_2 = 2$$

Hence, the value of  $(t_1 t_2 + 3) = 5$

10. Solving, we get,

$$y^2 = 4(1 - y)$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 = 4 - 4y$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 + 4y - 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (y + 2)^2 = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -2 \pm 2\sqrt{2}$$

when  $y = -2 + 2\sqrt{2}$ , then

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

when  $y = -2 - 2\sqrt{2}$ , then

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

Let the chord be  $AB$ ,

where  $A = (3 - 2\sqrt{2}, -2 + 2\sqrt{2})$ ,

and  $B = (3 + 2\sqrt{2}, -2 - 2\sqrt{2})$

Hence, the length of the chord  $AB$

$$= \sqrt{(4\sqrt{2})^2 + (4\sqrt{2})^2} = \sqrt{32 + 32} = 8$$

11. Given  $L: y = -x + k$

Here,  $m = -1$  and  $c = k$

The line  $L$  will be a normal to the parabola, if

$$c = -2am - am^3$$

$$\Rightarrow k = -2 \times 3 \times (-1) - 3 \times (-1)^3$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 6 + 3 = 9$$

Hence, the value of  $k$  is 9.

12. Given parabola is

$$y^2 - 4x - 2y - 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 - 2y = 4x + 3$$

$$\Rightarrow (y - 1)^2 = 4(x + 1)$$

The equation of any normal to the given parabola is

$$(y - 1) = m(x + 1) - 2am - am^3$$

$$\Rightarrow (y - 1) = m(x + 1) - 2m - m^3$$

which is passing through  $(-2, 1)$ , so

$$(1 - 1) = m(-2 + 1) - 2m - m^3$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = -m - 2m - m^3$$

$$\Rightarrow m^3 + 3m = 0$$

Hence, the number of distinct normals is 3.

### Previous Years' JEE-Advanced Examinations

1. The equation of the normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  is  $y = mx - 2am - am^3$  which is passing through  $(h, 0)$ . So

$$mh - 2am - am^3 = k$$

$$\Rightarrow am^3 + (2a - h)m + k = 0$$

Let its roots are  $m_1, m_2$  and  $m_3$ .

Thus,  $m_1 + m_2 + m_3 = 0$

$$m_1 m_2 + m_2 m_3 + m_3 m_1 = \frac{2a - h}{a}$$

and  $m_1 m_2 m_3 = -\frac{k}{a}$

For any real values of  $m_1, m_2, m_3$ ,

$$m_1^2 + m_2^2 + m_3^2 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (m_1 + m_2 + m_3)^2 - 2(m_1 m_2 + m_2 m_3 + m_3 m_1) > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 - 2\left(\frac{2a - h}{a}\right) > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow h - 2a > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow h > 2a$$



2. Let the point  $A$  be  $(at^2, 2at)$ .

The equation of the normal at  $A$  is

$$y = -tx + 2at + at^3$$

and the equation of the pair of lines  $OA$  and  $OB$  is

$$y^2 = 4ax \left( \frac{y + tx}{2at + at^3} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow (t^3 + 2t)y^2 = 4tx^2 + 4xy$$

As  $\angle AOB = \frac{\pi}{2}$ , we get

co-efficient of  $x^2$  + co-efficient of  $y^2 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow -4t + t^3 + 2t = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t^3 - 2t = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t(t^2 - 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t = 0, t = \pm\sqrt{2}$$

Clearly,  $t \neq 0$ , so  $t = \pm\sqrt{2}$

Thus, slope of normal =  $-t = \pm\sqrt{2}$ .

3. The equation of the normal to the given parabola is

$$x = my - 2am - am^3$$

$$\Rightarrow x = my - 2m - m^3$$

which is passing through  $(1, 2)$

$$1 = 2m - 2m - m^3$$

$$\Rightarrow m^3 = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow m = -1$$

Hence, the equation of the normal is

$$x = -y + 2 + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x + y = 3$$

4. The equation of the normal to the given parabola is

$$y = mx - 2am - am^3$$

$$\Rightarrow y = mx - 2 \cdot \frac{1}{4}m - \frac{1}{4}m^3$$

$$\Rightarrow y = mx - \frac{1}{2}m - \frac{1}{4}m^3$$

$$\Rightarrow 4y = 4mx - 2m - m^3$$

which is passing through  $(c, 0)$ , so

$$0 = 4mc - 2m - m^3$$

$$\Rightarrow m^3 + 2m - 4mc = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m^3 + 2(1 - 2c)m = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 0, m^2 + 2(1 - 2c) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 0, m^2 = 2(2c - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 0, m = \pm\sqrt{2(2c - 1)}$$

So, one normal is always the  $x$ -axis.

$$\text{Let } m_1 = \sqrt{2(2c - 1)} \text{ and } m_2 = -\sqrt{2(2c - 1)}$$

It is given that,

$$m_1 m_2 = -1$$

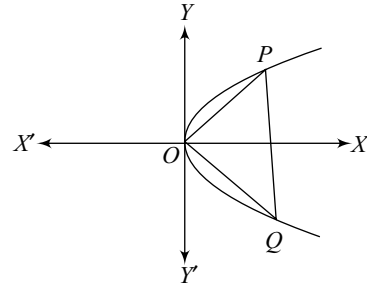
$$\Rightarrow 2(2c - 1) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (2c - 1) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2c = 1 + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow c = \frac{3}{4}$$

5. Let  $P = (t_1^2, 2t_1)$  and  $Q = (t_2^2, 2t_2)$



The equation of  $PQ$  is

$$2x - (t_1 + t_2)y = -2t_1t_2 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{Now, } m_1 = m(OP) = \frac{2}{t_1}$$

$$\text{and } m_2 = m(OQ) = \frac{2}{t_2}$$

As  $OP$  is perpendicular to  $OQ$ , so

$$m_1 m_2 = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{4}{t_1 t_2} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow t_1 t_2 = -4 \quad \dots(ii)$$

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$2(x - 4) - (t_1 + t_2)y = 0$$

which is passing through a fixed point  $(4, 0)$  on the axis of the parabola.

Let  $M(h, k)$  be the mid-point of  $PQ$ .

$$\text{Thus, } h = \frac{1}{2}(t_1^2 + t_2^2) \text{ and } k = \frac{1}{2}(2t_1 + 2t_2)$$

$$\Rightarrow h = \frac{1}{2}(t_1^2 + t_2^2) \text{ and } k = (t_1 + t_2)$$

$$\text{Now, } k^2 = (t_1 + t_2)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 = (t_1^2 + t_2^2) + 2t_1 t_2$$

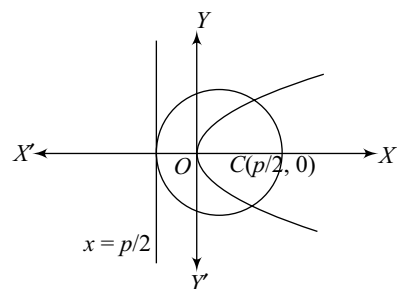
$$\Rightarrow k^2 = 2h + 2(-4)$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

$$y^2 = 2(x - 4) = 2x - 8$$

6. Given parabola is  $y^2 = 2px$ . So

the focus is  $\left(\frac{p}{2}, 0\right)$ .



Clearly, the equation of the circle is

$$\begin{aligned} & \left(x - \frac{p}{2}\right)^2 + y^2 = p^2 \\ \Rightarrow & \left(x - \frac{p}{2}\right)^2 + 2px = p^2 \\ \Rightarrow & x^2 - px + \frac{p^2}{4} + 2px = p^2 \\ \Rightarrow & x^2 + px + \frac{p^2}{4} = p^2 \\ \Rightarrow & \left(x + \frac{p}{2}\right)^2 = p^2 \\ \Rightarrow & \left(x + \frac{p}{2}\right) = \pm p \\ \Rightarrow & x = -\frac{p}{2} \pm p = \frac{p}{2}, -\frac{3p}{2} \end{aligned}$$

when  $x = \frac{p}{2}$ , then,  $y = \pm p$

Thus the point of intersection are

$$\left(\frac{p}{2}, p\right) \text{ and } \left(\frac{p}{2}, -p\right)$$

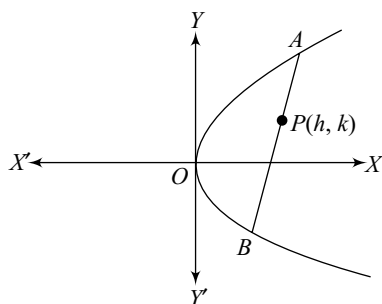
7. Let  $AB$  be a chord of a parabola, in which

$$A = (t_1^2, 2t_1), B = (t_2^2, 2t_2)$$

Slope of  $AB = 2$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{t_1 + t_2} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow t_1 + t_2 = 1$$



Let  $P$  be a point which divides  $AB$  internally in the ratio  $1 : 2$ . So

$$h = \frac{2t_1^2 + t_2^2}{3} \text{ and } k = \frac{4t_1 + 2t_2}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3h = (2t_1^2 + t_2^2) \text{ and } 3k = (4t_1 + 2t_2)$$

Eliminating  $t_1$  and  $t_2$ , we get

$$\left(k - \frac{8}{9}\right)^2 = \frac{4}{9}\left(h - \frac{2}{9}\right)$$

Thus, the locus of  $P(h, k)$  is

$$\left(y - \frac{8}{9}\right)^2 = \frac{4}{9}\left(x - \frac{2}{9}\right)$$

Hence, the vertex is  $\left(\frac{2}{9}, \frac{8}{9}\right)$ .

8. Let the three points of the parabola be

$$P(at_1^2, 2at_1), Q(at_2^2, 2at_2) \text{ and } R(at_3^2, 2at_3),$$

and the points of intersections of the tangents at these points are  $A[t_2t_3, a(t_2 + t_3)]$ ,  $B[t_1t_3, a(t_1 + t_3)]$  and  $A[t_1t_2, a(t_1 + t_2)]$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} ar(\Delta PQR) &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} at_1^2 & 2at_1 & 1 \\ at_2^2 & 2at_2 & 1 \\ at_3^2 & 2at_3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= a_2(t_1 - t_2)(t_1 - t_3)(t_3 - t_1) \end{aligned}$$

Also,

$$\begin{aligned} ar(\Delta ABC) &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} at_2t_3 & a(t_2 + t_3) & 1 \\ at_3t_1 & a(t_3 + t_1) & 1 \\ at_1t_2 & a(t_1 + t_2) & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} a^2 (t_1 - t_2)(t_2 - t_3)(t_3 - t_1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\Delta PQR}{\Delta ABC} = 2$$

9.

10. The equation of the normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 12x$

$$\text{is } y = mx - 2am - am^3$$

$$\Rightarrow y = mx - 6m - 3m^3 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{Given normal is } y = -x + k \quad \dots(ii)$$

Equations (i) and (ii) are identical, so

$$m = -1$$

$$\text{and } k = -6m - 3m^3 = 6 + 3 = 9$$

Hence, the value of  $k$  is 9.

11 Given parabola is  $y^2 = kx - 8$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 = k\left(x - \frac{8}{k}\right)$$

Here,  $4a = k$

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{k}{4}$$

So, the directrix is  $\left(x - \frac{8}{k}\right) + \frac{k}{4} = 0$

Given directrix is  $x - 1 = 0$ .

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{8}{k} - \frac{k}{4} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 32 - k^2 = 4k$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 + 4k - 32 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (k + 8)(k - 4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 4, -8$$

12. Given parabola is

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

$$\Rightarrow (y + 2)^2 = -4x - 2 + 4$$

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

So, the directrix is  $x - \frac{1}{2} = a = 1$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{3}{2}$$

13. Any tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  is

$$y = mx + \frac{a}{m}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = mx + \frac{1}{m}$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2x - my + 1 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

If it is a tangent to the circle  $x^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 9$  the length of the perpendicular from the centre to the tangent is equal to the radius of the circle. So

$$\left| \frac{3m^2 + 1}{\sqrt{m^4 + m^2}} \right| = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow (3m^2 + 1)^2 = 9(m^4 + m^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (9m^4 + 6m^2 + 1) = 9(m^4 + m^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3m^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \pm \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \right)$$

Since, the tangent touches the parabola above  $x$ -axis, so it will make an acute angle with  $x$ -axis, so that  $m$  is positive.

$$\text{Thus } m = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Hence, the common tangent is  $x - \sqrt{3}y + 3 = 0$ .

14. Ans. (c)

If  $(h, k)$  be the mid point of line joining the focus  $(a, 0)$  and  $Q(at^2, 2at)$  on the parabola, then  $h = \frac{a + at^2}{2}$ ,  $k = at$ .

Eliminating 't', we get,

$$2h = a + a\left(\frac{k^2}{a^2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 = 2a\left(h - \frac{a}{2}\right)$$

Now, directrix:  $\left(x - \frac{a}{2}\right) = -\frac{a}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0.$$

15. Let the equation of the tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$  is

$$y = mx + \frac{2}{m} \quad \dots(i)$$

If it is a tangent to the curve  $xy = -1$ , then

$$x\left(mx + \frac{2}{m}\right) = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2x^2 + 2x + m = 0$$

It has equal roots. So,

$$D = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 - 4m^3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m^3 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 1$$

Hence, the equation of the common tangent is  $y = x + 2$ .

16. Ans. (a)

For the parabola,  $y^2 = 16x$ , focus =  $(4, 0)$

Let  $m$  be the slope of the focal chord.

So, its equation is  $y = m(x - 4)$  ... (i)

which is a tangent to the circle

$$(x - 6)^2 + y^2 = 2$$

where centre =  $(6, 0)$  and radius =  $\sqrt{2}$ .

Length of perpendicular from  $(6, 0)$  to (i) is equal to  $r$

$$\left| \frac{6m - 4m}{m^2 + 1} \right| = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\left| \frac{2m}{m^2 + 1} \right| = \sqrt{2}$$

$$4m^2 = 2(m^2 + 1)$$

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

$$m^2 = 1$$

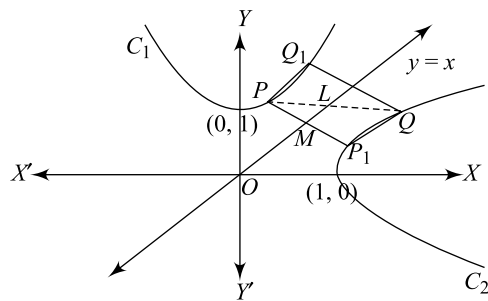
$$m = \pm 1$$

17 Given that

$$C_1: x^2 = y - 1$$

$$C_2: y^2 = x - 1$$

Let  $P(x_1, x_1^2 + 1)$  on  $C_1$  and  $Q(y_2^2 + 1, y_2)$  on  $C_2$ .



Now, the reflection of the point  $P$  in the line  $y = x$  can be obtained by interchanging the values of abscissa and the ordinate.

Thus, the reflection of the point  $P(x_1, x_1^2 + 1)$  is  $P_1(x_1^2 + 1, x_1)$

and the reflection of the point  $Q(y_2^2 + 1, y_2)$  is  $Q_1(y_2, y_2^2 + 1)$

It can be seen clearly that,  $P_1$  lies on  $C_2$  and  $Q_1$  on  $C_1$ . Now,  $PP_1$  and  $QQ_1$  both are perpendicular to the mirror line  $y = x$ .

Also,  $M$  is the mid point of  $PP_1$

$$\text{Thus, } PM = \frac{1}{2} PP_1$$

In triangle  $PML$ ,  $PL > PM$

$$PL > \frac{1}{2}PP_1 \quad \dots(i)$$

Similarly,  $LQ > \frac{1}{2}QQ_1 \quad \dots(ii)$

Adding (i) and (ii), we get,

$$PL + LQ > \frac{1}{2}(PP_1 + QQ_1)$$

$$PQ > \frac{1}{2}(PP_1 + QQ_1)$$

$PQ$  is more than the mean of  $PP_1$  and  $QQ_1$

$$PQ \geq \min(PP_1, QQ_1)$$

Let  $\min(PP_1, QQ_1) = PP_1$

then  $PQ^2 \geq PP_1^2$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (x_1^2 + 1 - x_1)^2 + (x_1^2 + 1 - x_1)^2 \\ &= 2(x_1^2 + 1 - x_1)^2 = f(x_1) \end{aligned}$$

Now,  $f'(x_1) = 4(x_1^2 + 1 - x_1)(2x_1 - 1)$

$$= 4\left(\left(x_1 - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{3}{4}\right)(2x_1 - 1)$$

$$f'(x_1) = 0 \text{ gives } x_1 = \frac{1}{2}$$

Also,  $f'(x_1) < 0$  if  $x_1 < \frac{1}{2}$

and  $f'(x_1) > 0$  if  $x_1 > \frac{1}{2}$

Thus,  $f(x_1)$  is minimum when  $x_1 = \frac{1}{2}$

Thus, if at  $x_1 = \frac{1}{2}$  at  $P$  is  $P_0$  on  $C_1$

$$\text{So, } P_0 = \left(\frac{1}{2}, \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 1\right) = \left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{4}\right)$$

Similarly  $Q_0$  on  $C_2$  will be image of  $P_0$  with respect to the line  $y = x$

$$\text{So, } Q_0 = \left(\frac{5}{4}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$$

18. Let the point  $P$  be  $(h, k)$ .

The equation of any normal to the given parabola is

$$y = mx - 2am - am^3$$

$$\Rightarrow y = mx - 2m - m^3, \text{ since } a = 1$$

which is passing through  $P$ . So

$$k = mh - 2m - m^3$$

$$\Rightarrow m^3 + (2 - h)m + k = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

Let its roots be  $m_1, m_2, m_3$ .

So,  $m_1 + m_2 + m_3 = 0$

$$m_1m_2 + m_2m_3 + m_3m_1 = (2 - h)$$

and  $m_1m_2m_3 = -k$

It is given that  $m_1m_2 = \alpha$ . So

$$m_3 = -\frac{k}{\alpha}$$

Since  $m_3$  is the roots of (i), so

$$m_3^3 + (2 - h)m_3 + k = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(-\frac{k}{\alpha}\right)^3 + (2 - h)\left(-\frac{k}{\alpha}\right) + k = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -\left(\frac{k}{\alpha}\right)^3 - (2 - h)\left(\frac{k}{\alpha}\right) + k = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{k^2}{\alpha^3} + \frac{(2 - h)}{\alpha} - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 + (2 - h)\alpha^2 - \alpha^3 = 0$$

Hence, the locus of  $P(h, k)$  is

$$y^2 + (2 - x)\alpha^2 - \alpha^3 = 0$$

As this locus is a part of the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  so,  $\alpha^2 = 4$  and  $-2\alpha^2 + \alpha^3 = 0$

Thus,  $\alpha = 2$ .

19. The equation of any tangent to the given parabola can be considered as

$$y = mx + \frac{a}{m} = mx + \frac{1}{m}$$

which is passing through  $(1, 4)$ . So

$$4 = m + \frac{1}{m}$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 - 4m + 1 = 0$$

Let its roots are  $m_1, m_2$ .

$$\therefore m_1 + m_2 = 4 \text{ and } m_1m_2 = 1$$

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between them. Then

$$\tan \theta = \left| \frac{m_2 - m_1}{1 + m_1m_2} \right|$$

$$= \left| \frac{\sqrt{(m_2 + m_1)^2 - 4m_1m_2}}{1 + m_1m_2} \right|$$

$$= \left| \frac{\sqrt{16 - 4}}{1 + 1} \right| = \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$= \sqrt{3} = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

20. Given parabola is

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

$$\Rightarrow (y - 1)^2 = 4x - 4 = 4(x - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow Y^2 = 4X$$

where  $X = (x - 1)$ ,  $Y = (y - 1)$

So, the directrix is

$$X + a = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-1) + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0$$

Any point on the parabola is

$$P(1+t^2, 2t+1)$$

The equation of the tangent at  $P$  is

$$t(y-1) = x-1+t^2$$

which meets the directrix  $x=0$  at

$$Q\left(0, 1+t-\frac{1}{t}\right)$$

Let the co-ordinates of  $R$  be  $(h, k)$ .

Since it divides  $QP$  externally in the ratio  $\frac{1}{2}:1$ , so  $Q$  is the mid-point of  $R$  and  $P$ . Thus

$$\frac{h+1+t^2}{2} = 0 \text{ and } 1+t-\frac{1}{t} = \frac{k+1+2t}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow t^2 = -(h+1) \text{ and } t = \frac{2}{1-k}$$

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{4}{(k-1)^2} + (h+1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (k-1)^2(h+1) + 4 = 0$$

Hence, the locus of  $R(h, k)$  is

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

21. Clearly, the vertex is  $(1, 1)$  and the focus is  $S(2, 2)$  and the directrix is  $x+y=0$ .

Let  $P$  be  $(x, y)$

Now,  $SP = PM$

$$\Rightarrow SP^2 = PM^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-2)^2 + (y-2)^2 = \left(\frac{x+y}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2[(x-2)^2 + (y-2)^2] = (x+y)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 4y + 8) = x^2 + y^2 + 2xy$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2 - 2xy) = 8(x+y+2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-y)^2 = 8(x+y+2)$$

22. Any point on the parabola  $y = x^2$  is  $(t, t^2)$ .

Now tangent at  $(t, t^2)$  is

$$xx_1 = \frac{1}{2}(y+y_1)$$

$$\Rightarrow tx = \frac{1}{2}(y+t^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2tx - y - t^2 = 0$$

If it is a tangent to the parabola,  $y = -(x-2)^2$ , then

$$2tx - t^2 = -(x-2)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2tx - t^2 = -x^2 + 4x - 4$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 2(2-t)x + (t^2-4) = 0$$

Since it has equal roots, so

$$\Rightarrow D = 0$$

$$4(2-t)^2 - 4(t^2-4) = 0$$

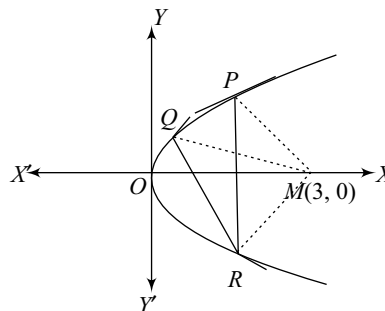
$$\Rightarrow (2-t)^2 - (t^2-4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t = 2, 0$$

Hence, the equation of the common tangent is

$$y = 4x - 4, y = 0$$

23.



Equation of any normal to the given parabola is

$$y = mx - 2am - am^3 \quad \dots(i)$$

Let  $P = (am_1^2, -2am_1)$ ,  $Q = (am_2^2, -2am_2)$

and  $R = (am_3^2, -2am_3)$

Equation (i) passing through  $(3, 0)$

$$\text{So, } 0 = 3m - 2am - am^3$$

$$m^3 - m = 0,$$

$$m(m+1)(m-1) = 0$$

$$m = -1, 0, 1$$

Thus,  $m_1 = -1$ ,  $m_2 = 0$ ,  $m_3 = 1$

Now,  $P = (m_1^2, 2m_1) = (1, -2)$

$$Q = (m_2^2, 2m_2) = (0, 0)$$

and  $R = (m_3^2, 2m_3) = (1, 2)$

(i) Area of  $\Delta PQR$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times 1 = 2$$

(ii) Radius of circumcircle of  $\Delta PQR = 2$

(iii) Centroid of  $\Delta PQR$

$$= \left( \frac{m_1^2 + m_2^2 + m_3^2}{3}, \frac{2(m_1 + m_2 + m_3)}{3} \right)$$

$$= \left( \frac{2}{3}, 0 \right)$$

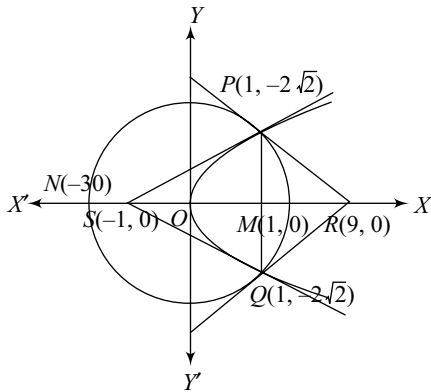
(iv) Clearly,  $\Delta PQR$  is a right-angled triangle and right angle at  $Q$ .

Thus, Circumcentre of  $\Delta PQR$

= Mid-point of the hypotenuse  $PR$

$$= (1, 0).$$

24.



(i) Co-ordinates of P and Q are

$$P = (1, 2\sqrt{2}), Q = (1, -2\sqrt{2})$$

$$\text{Area of } \Delta PQR = \frac{1}{2} \times 4\sqrt{2} \times 8 = 16\sqrt{2}$$

$$\text{Area of } \Delta PQS = \frac{1}{2} \times 4\sqrt{2} \times 2 = 4\sqrt{2}$$

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{\text{ar}(\Delta PQS)}{\text{ar}(\Delta PQR)} = \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{16\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$(ii) R = \frac{abc}{4\Delta} = \frac{2\sqrt{3} \times 6\sqrt{2} \times 10}{4 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2} \times 10 \times 2\sqrt{2}\right)} = 3\sqrt{3}$$

$$(iii) r = \frac{\Delta}{s} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \times 4\sqrt{2} \times 8}{\frac{1}{2} \times (6\sqrt{2} + 6\sqrt{2} + 4\sqrt{2})} = \frac{32\sqrt{2}}{16\sqrt{2}} = 2$$

25. Given curve is

$$y = -\frac{x^2}{2} + x + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -\frac{1}{2} \left( x^2 - \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \left( y - \frac{3}{2} \right) = -\frac{1}{2}(x-1)^2$$

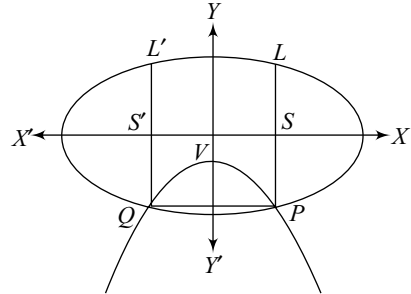
which is symmetric about the line  $x=1$ .

**Note:** A function  $f(x)$  is symmetric about the line  $x=1$  then,  $f(1-x) = f(x+1)$

26. Given ellipse is

$$x^2 + 4y^2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{1} = 1$$



$$\text{Thus, } e = \sqrt{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{4}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\text{Foci: } S = (ae, 0) = (\sqrt{3}, 0)$$

$$\text{and } S' = (-ae, 0) = (-\sqrt{3}, 0)$$

End-points of latus recta:

$$\text{and } L = \left( ae, \frac{b^2}{a} \right) = \left( \sqrt{3}, \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$L' = \left( -ae, \frac{b^2}{a} \right) = \left( -\sqrt{3}, \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{Thus, } P = \left( \sqrt{3}, -\frac{1}{2} \right) \text{ and } Q = \left( -\sqrt{3}, -\frac{1}{2} \right)$$

As we know that, the focus is the mid-point of the P and Q.

$$\text{Thus, the focus of a parabola is } \left( 0, -\frac{1}{2} \right).$$

$$\text{The length of } PQ = 2\sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{Now, } 4a = 2\sqrt{3} \Rightarrow a = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Thus, the vertices of a desired parabola

$$= \left( 0, -\frac{1}{2} \pm a \right) = \left( 0, -\frac{1}{2} \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$$

Therefore, two desired parabolas are

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = \pm 4a \left( y - \left( -\frac{1}{2} \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) \right)$$

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

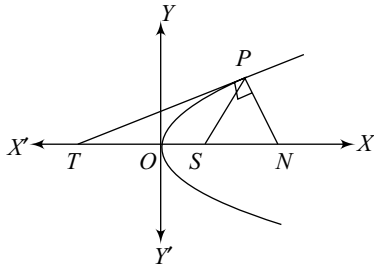
or

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

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

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

27. Let the co-ordinates  $P$  be  $(at^2, 2at)$ .



The equation of  $PT$  is  $yt = x + at^2$

So,  $T$  is  $(-at^2, 0)$ .

and the equation of  $PN$  is  $y = -tx + 2at + at^3$

So,  $N$  is  $(2a + at^2, 0)$ .

Let the centroid be  $G(h, k)$ .

Thus,  $h = \frac{at^2 - at^2 + 2a + at^2}{3}$  and  $k = \frac{2at}{3}$

$$\Rightarrow h = \frac{2a + at^2}{3} \text{ and } k = \frac{2at}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{3h - 2a}{a}\right) = \left(\frac{3k}{2a}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 3\left(h - \frac{2a}{3}\right) = \frac{9k^2}{4a}$$

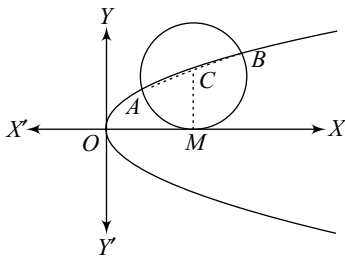
$$\Rightarrow k^2 = \frac{4a}{3}\left(h - \frac{2a}{3}\right)$$

Hence, the locus of  $G(h, k)$  is

$$y^2 = \frac{4a}{3}\left(x - \frac{2a}{3}\right)$$

So the vertex is  $\left(\frac{2a}{3}, 0\right)$  and focus is  $(a, 0)$ .

28. Let  $A = (t_1^2, 2t_1), B = (t_2^2, 2t_2)$



Then  $C = \left(\frac{t_1^2 + t_2^2}{2}, t_1 + t_2\right)$

Clearly,  $|t_1 + t_2| = r$

$$\Rightarrow (t_1 + t_2) = \pm r$$

$$\text{Now, } m(AB) = \frac{2(t_2 - t_1)}{(t_2^2 - t_1^2)} = \frac{2}{(t_1 + t_2)} = \pm \frac{2}{r}$$

29. Here  $a = 1$

The equation of normal to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$

$$\text{is } y = mx - 2am - am^3$$

$$\Rightarrow y = mx - 2m - m^3$$

which is passing through  $(9, 6)$ .

$$\Rightarrow 6 = 9m - 2m - m^3$$

$$\Rightarrow m^3 - 7m + 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m^3 - m^2 + m^2 - m - 6m + 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2(m - 1) + m(m - 1) - 6(m - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (m - 1)(m^2 + m - 6) = 0$$

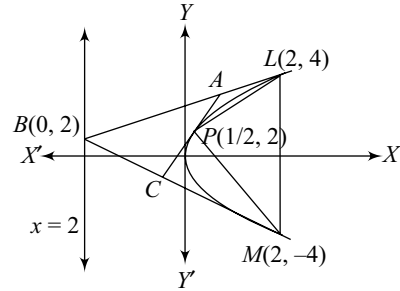
$$\Rightarrow (m - 1)(m - 2)(m + 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 1, 2, -3$$

Thus, the equation of normal can be

$$y = x - 3, y = 2x - 12, y + 3x - 33 = 0.$$

30.



Clearly,  $\frac{\Delta LPM}{\Delta ABC} = 2$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\Delta_1}{\Delta_2} = 2$$

31. The parabola is  $x = 2t^2, y = 4t$

Solving it with the circle, we get

$$4t^4 + 16t^2 - 4t^2 - 16t = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t^4 + 3t^2 - 4t = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t(t^3 + 3t - 4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t = 0, 1$$

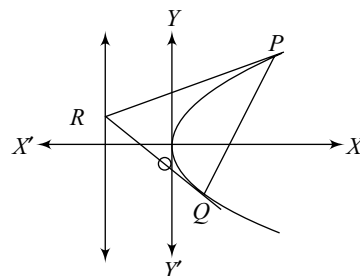
So, the points  $P$  and  $Q$  are  $(0, 0)$  and  $(2, 4)$ , respectively which are also diametrically opposite points on the circle.

The focus is  $S = (2, 0)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{The area of } \Delta PQS &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times 4 = 4 \end{aligned}$$

32. Let  $P = (at^2, 2at), Q = \left(\frac{a}{t^2}, -\frac{2a}{t}\right)$

and  $R = \left(-a, a\left(t - \frac{1}{t}\right)\right)$



Since  $R$  lies on  $y = 2x + a$ , so

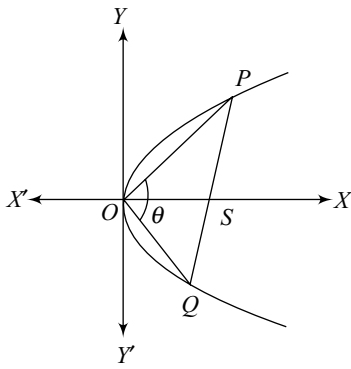
$$a\left(t - \frac{1}{t}\right) = -a$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(t - \frac{1}{t}\right) = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(t + \frac{1}{t}\right)^2 = \left(t - \frac{1}{t}\right)^2 + 4 = 1 + 4 = 5$$

Thus,  $PQ = a\left(t + \frac{1}{t}\right)^2 = 5a$

33. Here,  $P = (at^2, 2at)$ ,  $Q = \left(\frac{a}{t^2}, -\frac{2a}{t}\right)$



Now,  $t - \frac{1}{t} = -1$

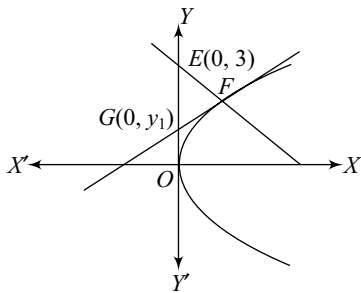
$$\Rightarrow \left(t + \frac{1}{t}\right)^2 = 1 + 4 = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(t + \frac{1}{t}\right) = \sqrt{5}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{\left(\frac{2}{t} + 2t\right)}{1 - 4} = \frac{2\left(t + \frac{1}{t}\right)}{-3} = -\frac{2\sqrt{5}}{3}$$

34. The tangent at  $F(4t^2, 8t)$ , is

$$\begin{aligned} yy_1 &= 8(x + x_1) \\ \Rightarrow y \cdot 8t &= 8(x + 4t^2) \\ \Rightarrow y \cdot t &= (x + 4t^2) \end{aligned}$$



Put  $x = 0$ , then  $y = 4t$

Thus, pt  $G$  is  $(0, 4t)$

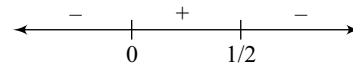
Now,

$$\begin{aligned} ar(\Delta EFG) &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 4t & 1 \\ 4t^2 & 8t & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} [4t^2(3 - 4t)] \\ &= 2t^2(3 - 4t) \\ &= (6t^2 - 8t^3) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dA}{dt} = 12t - 24t^2 = 12t(1 - 2t)$$

For maximum or minimum,

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = 0 \text{ gives } t = 0, 1/2$$



So,  $t = 1/2$  has a point of local maxima.

Thus,  $G = (0, 4t) = (0, 2) \Rightarrow y_1 = 2$

$F = (x_0, y_0) = (4t^2, 8t) = (1, 4) \Rightarrow y_0 = 4$

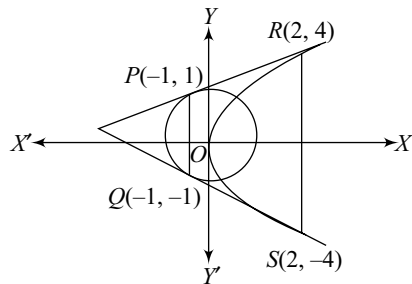
$$\text{Area} = 2\left(\frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{2}\right) = 2 \times \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$$

So,  $y = mx + 3$  passes through  $(1, 4)$ .

Thus,  $m = 1$ .

35. The equation of any tangent to the parabola can be considered as

$$y = mx + \frac{a}{m} = mx + \frac{2}{m}$$



i.e.  $m^2x - my + 2 = 0$

As we know that the length of the perpendicular drawn from the centre to the tangent to the circle is equal to the radius of a circle.

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{2}{\sqrt{m^4 + m^2}} = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow m^4 + m^2 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow m^4 + m^2 - 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (m^2 + 2)(m^2 - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \pm 1$$

Hence, the equation of the tangents are

$$y = x + 2, y = -x - 2$$

Therefore, the points  $P, Q$  are  $(-1, 1), (-1, -1)$  and  $R, S$  are  $(2, 4)$  and  $(2, -4)$  respectively.

Thus, the area of the quadrilateral  $PQRS$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times (2 + 8) \times 3 = 15$$



36. Given  $P = (at^2, 2at)$   
 Since  $PQ$  is a focal chord, so the co-ordinates of  $Q$  are  $\left(\frac{a}{t^2}, -\frac{2a}{t}\right)$ .

Also,  $R = (ar^2, 2ar)$ ,  $S = (as^2, 2as)$   
 and  $K = (2a, 0)$

It is given that,

$$m(PK) = m(QR)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{0 - 2at}{2a - at^2} = \frac{2ar + \frac{2a}{t}}{ar^2 - \frac{a}{t^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{t}{t^2 - 2} = \frac{r + \frac{1}{t}}{r^2 - \frac{1}{t^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{t}{t^2 - 2} = \frac{r + \frac{1}{t}}{\left(r + \frac{1}{t}\right)\left(r - \frac{1}{t}\right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{t}{t^2 - 2} = \frac{1}{\left(r - \frac{1}{t}\right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(r - \frac{1}{t}\right)t = (t^2 - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow rt - 1 = (t^2 - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \left(\frac{t^2 - 1}{t}\right) = \left(t - \frac{1}{t}\right)$$

37. Now,  $S = (as^2, 2as) = \left(\frac{a}{t^2}, \frac{2a}{t}\right)$

Tangent at  $P$ ,  $y \cdot t = x + at^2$  ... (i)

Tangent at  $S$ ,  $yy_1 = 2a(x + x_1)$

$$\Rightarrow y \cdot \frac{2a}{t} = 2a\left(x + \frac{a}{t^2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow y \cdot t = 2\left(x + \frac{a}{t^2}\right)$$

Normal at  $S$ ,  $y - \frac{2a}{t} = -\frac{1}{t}\left(x - \frac{a}{t^2}\right)$

$$\Rightarrow y \cdot t - 2a = -\left(x - \frac{a}{t^2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow y \cdot t = -\left(x - \frac{a}{t^2}\right) + 2a$$
 ... (ii)

Solving (i) and (ii), we get

$$\Rightarrow yt - at^2 = \frac{a}{t^2} + 2a - yt$$

$$\Rightarrow 2yt = at^2 + \frac{a}{t^2} + 2a$$

$$\Rightarrow 2yt = a\left(t^2 + \frac{1}{t^2} + 2\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2yt = a\left(t + \frac{1}{t}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{a}{2t}\left(t + \frac{1}{t}\right)^2 = \frac{a(t^2 + 1)^2}{2t^3}$$

38. Image of  $y = -5$  about the line  $x + y + 4 = 0$  is  $x = 1$   
 Hence, the required distance  $AB = 4$

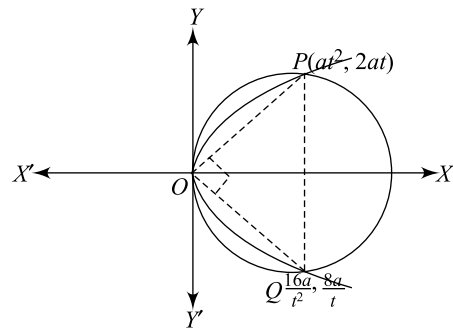
39. Equation of normals are  $x + y = 3$  and  $x - y = 3$

Hence, the distance from  $(3, -2)$  on both the normals is  $r$

$$\text{Thus, } \left|\frac{3 - 2 - 3}{\sqrt{2}}\right| = r$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 = 2$$

40.



Clearly,  $P = (at^2, 2at)$  and  $Q = \left(\frac{16a}{t^2}, -\frac{8a}{t}\right)$

Area of the triangle  $OPQ = 3\sqrt{2}$

$$\frac{1}{2} \cdot OP \cdot OQ = 3\sqrt{2}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \left| at\sqrt{t^2 + 4} \times \frac{-4a}{t} \sqrt{\frac{16}{t^2} + 4} \right| = 3\sqrt{2}$$

$$t^2 - 3\sqrt{2}t + 4 = 0$$

$$P = (at^2, 2at) = \left(\frac{t^2}{2}, t\right)$$

when  $t = \sqrt{2}$ ,  $P = (1, \sqrt{2})$

when  $t = 2\sqrt{2}$ ,  $P = (4, 2\sqrt{2})$

41. Equation of tangent at  $P(\sqrt{2}, 1)$  is

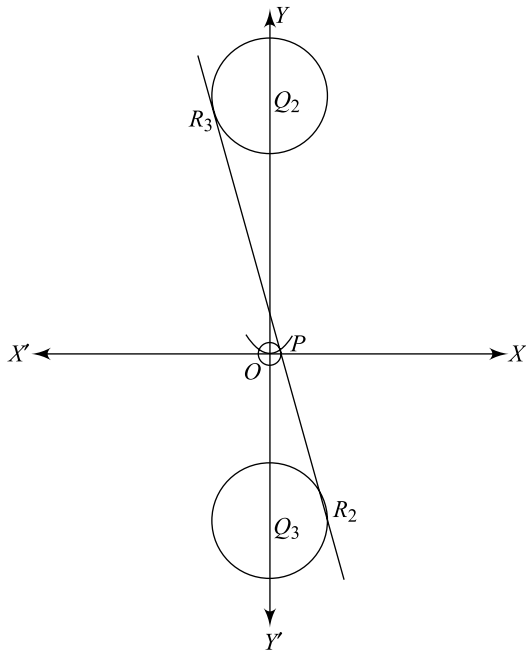
$$\sqrt{2}x + y = 3$$

If centre of  $C_2$  at  $(0, \alpha)$  and the radius equal to  $2\sqrt{3}$

$$\Rightarrow 2\sqrt{3} = \left|\frac{\alpha - 3}{\sqrt{3}}\right|$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = -3, 9$$

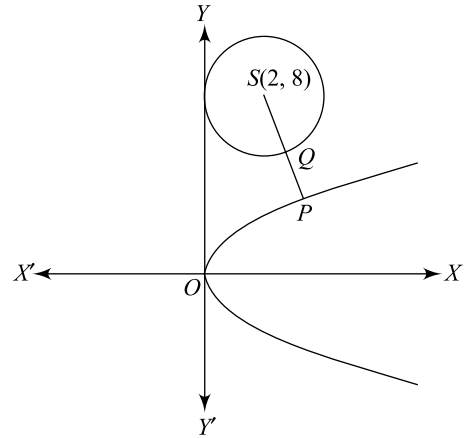
- (a)  $Q_2Q_3 = 12$   
 (b)  $R_2R_3 =$  length of the transverse common tangent  
 $= \sqrt{(Q_2Q_3)^2 - (r_1 + r_2)^2}$   
 $= \sqrt{(12)^2 - (2\sqrt{3} + 2\sqrt{3})^2}$   
 $= 4\sqrt{6}$



- (c) Area of  $\Delta OR_2R_3$   
 $= \frac{1}{2} \times R_2R_3 \times \perp^r$  distance from  $O$  to the line  
 $= \frac{1}{2} \times 4\sqrt{6} \times \sqrt{3} = 6\sqrt{2}$

- (d)  $ar(\Delta PQ_2Q_3)$   
 $= \frac{1}{2} \times 12 \times \sqrt{2} = 6\sqrt{2}$

42. Equation of normal of parabola is  
 $y + tx = 2t + t^3$



- Normal passes through  $S(2, 8)$   
 $8 + 2t = 2t + t^3$   
 $t^3 = 8$   
 $t = 2$   
 Hence,  $P = (4, 4)$  and  $SQ =$  radius  $= 2$



CONCEPT BOOSTER

1. INTRODUCTION

An oval is generally regarded as any ovum (egg)-shaped smooth, convex closed curve. The word convex means any chord connecting two points of the curve lies completely within the curve, and smooth means that the curvature does not change rapidly at any point. The ellipse is a typical oval, but a very particular one with a shape that is regular and can be exactly specified.

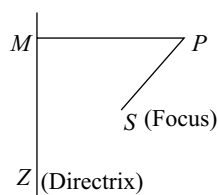
It has two diameters at right angles that are lines of symmetry. It is best to reserve the word ellipse for real ellipses, and to call others ovals. A diameter is any chord through the centre of the ellipse. The diameters that are lines of symmetry are called the major axis ( $2a$ ), and the minor axis ( $2b$ ), where  $a > b$ . If  $a = b$ , we have the very special ellipse, the circle, which has enough special properties that it should be distinguished from an ellipse, though, of course, it has all the properties of an ellipse in addition to its own remarkable properties.

A vertex of a curve is a point of maximum or minimum radius of curvature. An ellipse has vertices at the ends of the major axis (minimum) and at the ends of the minor axis (maximum).

2. MATHEMATICAL DEFINITIONS

Definition 1

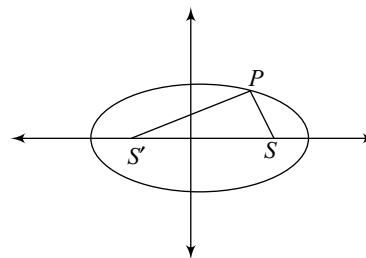
It is the locus of a point which moves in a plane in such a way that its distance from a fixed point is a constant ratio from a fixed straight line. This ratio is always less than 1. This fixed point is called the focus and the fixed straight line is called the directrix. The constant ratio is called the eccentricity.



Definition 2

An ellipse is the set of all points in a plane, the sum of whose distances from two fixed points is a constant, i.e.

$$SP + S'P = 3a$$



Definition 3

A conic

$$ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$$

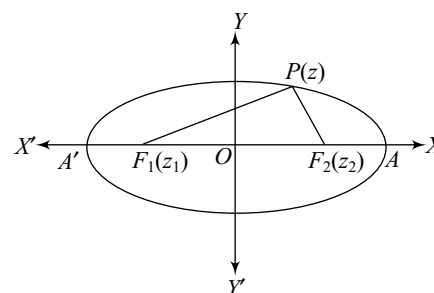
represents an ellipse if

- (i)  $\Delta \neq 0$  and
- (ii)  $h^2 - ab < 0$ , where

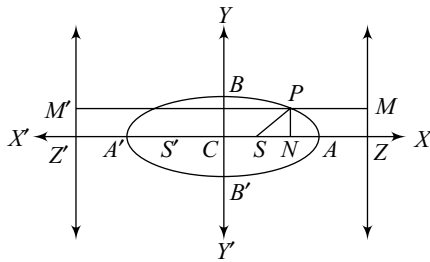
$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} a & h & g \\ h & b & f \\ g & f & c \end{vmatrix}$$

Definition 4

Let  $z, z_1$  and  $z_3$  be three complex numbers such that  $|z - z_1| + |z - z_2| = k$ , where  $k > |z_1 - z_2|$  and  $k$  be a positive real number, the locus of  $z$  is an ellipse.



### 3. EQUATION OF AN ELLIPSE



Let  $S$  be the focus and  $ZM$  be the directrix of the ellipse. Draw  $SZ \perp ZM$ . Divide  $SZ$  internally and externally in the ratio  $e : 1$  ( $e < 1$ ) and let  $A$  and  $A'$  be the internal and external point of division.

$$\text{Then } SA = e AZ \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{and } SA' = e A'Z \quad \dots(ii)$$

Clearly  $A$  and  $A'$  will lie on the ellipse.

Let  $AA' = 2a$  and take  $C$  be the mid-point of  $AA'$  as origin.

$$\text{Thus, } CA = CA' = a \quad \dots(iii)$$

Let  $P(x, y)$  be any point on the ellipse referred to  $CA$  and  $CB$  as co-ordinate axes.

Adding Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$SA + SA' = e(AZ + A'Z)$$

$$\Rightarrow AA' = e(CZ - CA + CA' + CZ)$$

$$\Rightarrow AA' = e(2CZ)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a = 2eCZ$$

$$\Rightarrow CZ = \frac{a}{e}$$

Thus the directrix  $ZM$  is  $x = CZ = \frac{a}{e}$ .

Again subtracting Eqs (i) from (ii), we get

$$SA - SA' = e(A'Z - AZ)$$

$$\Rightarrow (CA' + CS) - (CA - CS) = e(AA')$$

$$\Rightarrow 2CS = e(AA')$$

$$\Rightarrow 2CS = e(2a)$$

$$\Rightarrow CS = ae$$

Thus the focus is  $S(CS, 0) = S(ae, 0)$

Now draw  $PM \perp ZM$ ,

$$\frac{SP}{PM} = e$$

$$\Rightarrow SP^2 = e^2 PM^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - ae)^2 + y^2 = e^2 \left( \frac{a}{e} - x \right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + a^2 e^2 - 2aex + y^2 = a^2 - 2aex + e^2 x^2$$

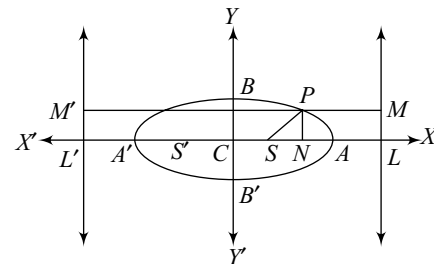
$$\Rightarrow x^2(1 - e^2) + y^2 = a^2(1 - e^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{a^2(1 - e^2)} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1, \quad b^2 = a^2(1 - e^2), \dots$$

This is the standard equation of an ellipse.

### 4. PROPERTIES OF AN ELLIPSE



#### Centre

A point inside the ellipse which is the mid-point of the line segment linking the two foci, i.e. the intersection of the major and minor axes. Here  $C = (0, 0)$ .

#### Major/minor axis

The longest and the shortest diameters of an ellipse are known as the major axis and the minor axis respectively. The length of the major axis is equal to the sum of the two generatrix lines.

Here, major axis =  $AA' = 2a$ ,

and minor axis =  $BB' = 2b$

#### Semi-major/Half the major axis

The distance from the centre to the farthest point on the ellipse is known as the semi-major axis.

#### Semi-minor axis/Half the minor axis

The distance from the centre to the closest point on the ellipse is known as the semi-minor axis.

#### Directrices

$LM$  and  $L'M'$  are two directrices of the ellipse.

Thus  $LM: x = \frac{a}{e}$  and  $L'M': x = -\frac{a}{e}$ .

The distance between two directrices:  $LL' = \frac{2a}{e}$

#### Foci (Focus points)

The two points that define the ellipse is known as the foci.

Here  $S = (ae, 0)$  and  $S' = (-ae, 0)$

**Distance between two foci:**  $SS' = 2ae$

#### Perimeter

The perimeter is the distance around the ellipse, i.e.

$$\text{Perimeter} = \pi \times \left[ \frac{3}{2}(a + b) + \sqrt{ab} \right].$$

It is not easy to calculate.

#### Area

The number of square units it takes to fill the region inside an ellipse is called the area of an ellipse.

**Ellipse**

If the equation of ellipse is  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , then its area is  $\pi ab$ .

If the equation of ellipse is

$$Ax^2 + Bxy + Cy^2 = 1, \text{ then its area is } \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{4AC - B^2}}.$$

**Chord**

A line segment linking any two points on an ellipse is known as the chord of the ellipse.

**Focal chord**

A chord of the ellipse passing through its focus is called the focal chord.

**Focal distances**

Let  $P(x, y)$  be any point on the ellipse.

Here,  $SP = ePM = e\left(\frac{a}{e} - x\right) = a - ex$

$$S'P = ePM' = e\left(\frac{a}{e} + x\right) = a + ex$$

Now,  $SP + S'P = a - ex + a + ex = 2a = \text{constant}$ .

Thus the sum of the focal distances of a point on the ellipse is constant.

**Notes**

Focal distances are also known as *focal radii* of the ellipse.

**Vertices**

The vertices of the ellipse are the points where the ellipse meets its major axis.

Here,  $A = (a, 0)$  and  $A' = (-a, 0)$  are the vertices of the ellipse.

**Co-vertices**

The co-vertices of the ellipse are the points where the ellipse meets its minor axis.

Here,  $B = (0, b)$  and  $B' = (0, -b)$  are the co-vertices of the ellipse.

**Double ordinate**

It is a chord perpendicular to the major axis and intersects the curve in two distinct points.

**Latus rectum**

It is a double ordinate, perpendicular to the major axis and passes through the foci. Here  $LSL'$  and  $L_1SL_1'$  are two latus recta.

**Length of the LR**

Let the co-ordinates of  $L$  and  $L'$  be  $(ae, y_1)$  and  $(ae, -y_1)$ .

Since  $L$  lies on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , so we have

$$\frac{a^2 e^2}{a^2} + \frac{y_1^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow y_1^2 = b^2(1 - e^2) = b^2\left(\frac{b^2}{a^2}\right) = \frac{b^4}{a^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow y_1 = b^2/a$$

Thus the co-ordinates of  $L$  and  $L'$  are

$$\left(ae, \frac{b^2}{a}\right) \text{ and } \left(ae, -\frac{b^2}{a}\right).$$

Hence the length of the latus rectum,

$$LL' = \frac{2b^2}{a}.$$

*Relation amongst  $a, b,$  and  $e$ :*

$$b^2 = a^2(1 - e^2)$$

**Eccentricity ( $e$ )**

$$e = \sqrt{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{\frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2}}$$

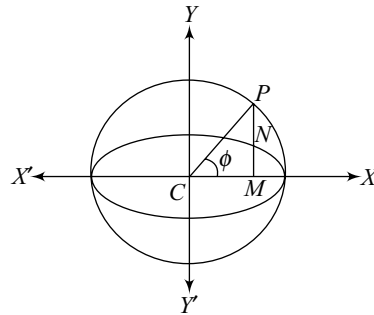
**Auxiliary circle**

The circle described on the major axis of an ellipse as diameter is called an auxilliary circle.

**Relation to a circle**

A circle is actually a special case of an ellipse. In an ellipse, if you make the major and minor axes of the same length, the result is a circle, with both foci at the center  $C$ .

**5. PARAMETRIC EQUATION OF AN ELLIPSE**



Let the equation of the ellipse be  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

The equation of its auxilliary circle is  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ .

Let  $Q$  be a point on the auxilliary circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  such that  $QP$  produced is perpendicular to the  $x$ -axis.

Thus  $P$  and  $Q$  are the corresponding points on the ellipse and the auxilliary circle.

Let  $\angle QCA = \phi$ , where  $0 \leq \phi < 2\pi$

Let  $Q = (a \cos \phi, a \sin \phi)$  and  $P = (a \cos \phi, y)$ .

Since  $P$  lies on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , so we can write

$$\frac{a^2 \cos^2 \phi}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 = b^2 \sin^2 \phi$$

$$\Rightarrow y = b \sin \phi$$

since  $P$  lies in the 1st quadrant.

Thus the parametric equations of the ellipse are

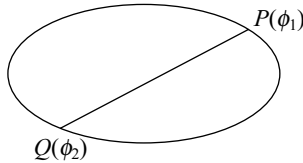
$$x = a \cos \phi, y = b \sin \phi.$$

**Notes**

Any point, say  $P$ , on the ellipse can be considered as  $(a \cos \phi, b \sin \phi)$ . Since the point is known when  $\phi$  is given, then it is often called 'the point  $\phi$ ' or  $P(\phi)$ .

**6. IMPORTANT PROPERTIES RELATED TO CHORD AND FOCAL CHORD**

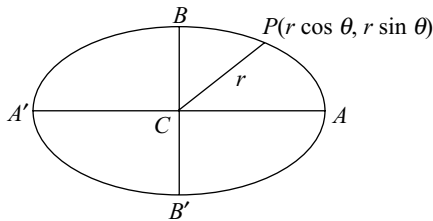
- (i) Equation of the chord joining the points  $P(\phi_1)$  and  $Q(\phi_2)$



The equation of the chord joining the points  $P(a \cos \phi_1, b \sin \phi_1)$  and  $Q(a \cos \phi_2, b \sin \phi_2)$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos\left(\frac{\phi_1 + \phi_2}{2}\right) + \frac{y}{b} \sin\left(\frac{\phi_1 + \phi_2}{2}\right) = \cos\left(\frac{\phi_1 - \phi_2}{2}\right)$$

- (ii) The length of a radius vector from the centre drawn in a given direction



As we know that the equation of the ellipse is  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

Put  $x = r \cos \theta, y = r \sin \theta$ , we have

$$\frac{r^2 \cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{r^2 \sin^2 \theta}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 = \frac{a^2 b^2}{b^2 \cos^2 \theta + a^2 \sin^2 \theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{ab}{\sqrt{b^2 \cos^2 \theta + a^2 \sin^2 \theta}}$$

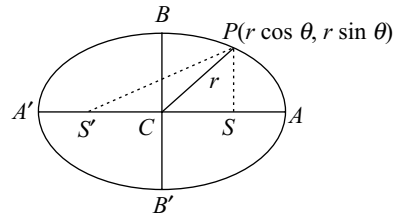
which is the required distance from the centre of the point  $P(\theta)$  on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

- (iii) Product of the focal radii of an ellipse from any point

$P(\theta)$  on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is

$$a^2 \sin^2 \theta + b^2 \cos^2 \theta.$$

**Proof**



We have,  $SP = a - ex$  and  $S'P = a + ex$ .

Thus,

$$SP \cdot S'P = (a^2 - e^2 x^2) = (a^2 - a^2 e^2 \cos^2 \theta)$$

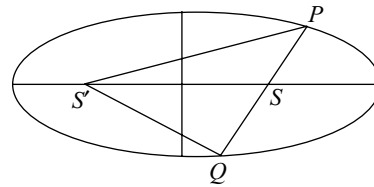
$$= a^2 + (b^2 - a^2) \cos^2 \theta$$

$$= a^2(1 - \cos^2 \theta) + b^2 \cos^2 \theta$$

$$= a^2 \sin^2 \theta + b^2 \cos^2 \theta$$

- (iv) If  $PQ$  be a focal chord and  $S, S'$  are the foci of an ellipse, the perimeter of the triangle described by  $\Delta S'PQ$  is  $4a$ .

**Proof**



We have, perimeter of the  $\Delta S'PQ$

$$= S'P + S'Q + PQ$$

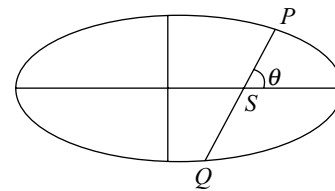
$$= (S'P + S'Q) + (SP + SQ)$$

$$= (S'P + SP) + (S'Q + SQ)$$

$$= 2a + 2a = 4a$$

- (v) The length of the focal chord of an ellipse which makes an angle  $\theta$  with the major axis is  $\frac{2ab^2}{a^2 \sin^2 \theta + b^2 \cos^2 \theta}$ .

**Proof**



Let the chord be  $PQ$ , where  $P = (x_1, y_1), Q = (x_2, y_2)$  and  $S(ae, 0)$  be the focus.

The chord  $PQ$  be

$$(y - 0) = \tan \theta (x - ae) \quad \dots(i)$$

Now  $PQ = SP + SQ$

$$= a - ex_1 + a - ex_2 = 2a = e(x_1 + x_2)$$

Let the equation of the ellipse be

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Now  $PQ = SP + SQ$

$$= a - ex_1 + a - ex_2$$

$$= 2a - e(x_1 + x_2)$$

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{\tan^2 \theta (x - ae)^2}{b^2} &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow b^2 x^2 + a^2 \tan^2 \theta (x - ae)^2 &= a^2 b^2 \\ \Rightarrow b^2 x^2 + a^2 \tan^2 \theta (x^2 - 2aex + a^2 e^2) &= a^2 b^2 \\ \Rightarrow (b^2 + a^2 \tan^2 \theta) x^2 - 2a^3 e \tan^2 \theta x & \\ &+ a^2 (a^2 e^2 \tan^2 \theta - b^2) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Let its roots are  $x_1$  and  $x_2$ .

$$\text{Then } x_1 + x_2 = \frac{2a^3 e \tan^2 \theta}{b^2 + a^2 \tan^2 \theta}$$

Therefore,  $PQ = 2a - e(x_1 + x_2)$

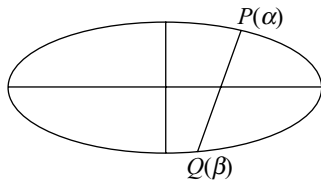
$$\begin{aligned} &= 2a - e \left( \frac{2a^3 e \tan^2 \theta}{b^2 + a^2 \tan^2 \theta} \right) \\ &= 2a \left( \frac{b^2 + a^2 \tan^2 \theta - a^2 e^2 \tan^2 \theta}{b^2 + a^2 \tan^2 \theta} \right) \\ &= 2a \left( \frac{b^2 + a^2 (1 - e^2) \tan^2 \theta}{b^2 + a^2 \tan^2 \theta} \right) \\ &= 2a \left( \frac{b^2 + b^2 \tan^2 \theta}{b^2 + a^2 \tan^2 \theta} \right) \\ &= 2a \left( \frac{b^2 (1 + \tan^2 \theta)}{b^2 + a^2 \tan^2 \theta} \right) \\ &= \frac{2ab^2}{a^2 \sin^2 \theta + b^2 \cos^2 \theta} \end{aligned}$$

Hence the result.

(vi) If  $P(\alpha)$  and  $P(\beta)$  are the extremities of a focal chord, then

$$\tan\left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right) \tan\left(\frac{\beta}{2}\right) = \frac{e-1}{e+1}.$$

**Proof**



Let the equation of the ellipse be

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1.$$

Equation of the chord  $PQ$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right) + \frac{y}{b} \sin\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right) = \cos\left(\frac{\alpha - \beta}{2}\right)$$

which is passing through the focus  $(ae, 0)$ , then

$$e \cos\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right) = \cos\left(\frac{\alpha - \beta}{2}\right)$$

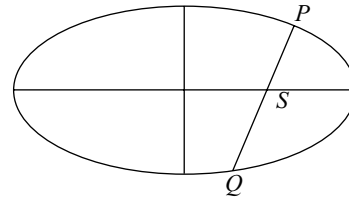
$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{\cos\left(\frac{\alpha - \beta}{2}\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right)} &= e \\ \Rightarrow \frac{\cos\left(\frac{\alpha - \beta}{2}\right) + \cos\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{\alpha - \beta}{2}\right) - \cos\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right)} &= \frac{e-1}{e+1} \\ \Rightarrow \tan\left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right) \tan\left(\frac{\beta}{2}\right) &= \frac{e-1}{e+1} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the result.

(vii) If  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are the eccentric angles of the extremities of a focal chord of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , then the eccentricity of the ellipse is

$$\frac{\sin \alpha + \sin \beta}{\sin (\alpha + \beta)}$$

**Proof**



The equation of the chord joining the points  $P(\alpha)$  and  $P(\beta)$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right) + \frac{y}{b} \sin\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right) = \cos\left(\frac{\alpha - \beta}{2}\right)$$

which is passing through  $(ae, 0)$ ,

We have,

$$\begin{aligned} e \cos\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right) &= \cos\left(\frac{\alpha - \beta}{2}\right) \\ \Rightarrow e \times 2 \sin\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right) \cos\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right) & \\ &= 2 \sin\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right) \cos\left(\frac{\alpha - \beta}{2}\right) \\ \Rightarrow e \times \sin(\alpha + \beta) &= \sin \alpha + \sin \beta \\ \Rightarrow e &= \frac{\sin \alpha + \sin \beta}{\sin (\alpha + \beta)} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the result.

### 7. POSITION OF A POINT WITH RESPECT TO AN ELLIPSE

The point  $(x_1, y_1)$  lies outside, on or inside the ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ according as}$$



$$\frac{x_1^2}{a^2} + \frac{y_1^2}{b^2} - 1 >, =, < 0$$

### 8. INTERSECTION OF A LINE AND AN ELLIPSE

The line  $y = mx + c$  intersects the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  into two

- (i) real and distinct points if  $c^2 < a^2m^2 + b^2$ .
- (ii) coincident points if  $c^2 = a^2m^2 + b^2$ .
- (iii) imaginary points if  $c^2 > a^2m^2 + b^2$ .

Also

- (iv) The line  $y = mx + c$  will be a tangent to the given ellipse if

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

- (v) The co-ordinates of the point of contact is  $\left(\pm \frac{a^2m}{c}, \pm \frac{b^2}{c}\right)$  which is also known as the  $m$ -point on the ellipse.

- (vi) The equation of any tangent to the ellipse can be considered as  $y = mx + \sqrt{a^2m^2 + b^2}$ .

- (vii) The line  $lx + my + n = 0$  will be a tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , if  $a^2l^2 + b^2m^2 = n^2$

### 9. THE LENGTH OF THE CHORD INTERCEPTED BY THE ELLIPSE ON THE LINE $Y = MX + C$ .

Let the equation of the ellipse be

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{(mx + c)^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (a^2m^2 + b^2)x^2 + 2a^2mcx + a^2(c^2 - b^2) = 0$$

Let its roots are  $x_1, x_2$ .

$$\text{Then } x_1 + x_2 = -\frac{2a^2mc}{a^2m^2 + b^2} \text{ and } x_1 \cdot x_2 = \frac{a^2(c^2 - b^2)}{a^2m^2 + b^2}.$$

$$\text{Thus, } x_1 - x_2 = \frac{2ab\sqrt{a^2m^2 + b^2 - c^2}}{a^2m^2 + b^2}.$$

Hence the length of the chord

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sqrt{(x_1 - x_2)^2 + (y_1 - y_2)^2} \\ &= (x_1 - x_2)\sqrt{1 + m^2} \\ &= \frac{2ab \times \sqrt{1 + m^2} \sqrt{a^2m^2 + b^2 - c^2}}{a^2m^2 + b^2} \end{aligned}$$

### 10. VARIOUS FORMS OF TANGENTS

#### (i) Point form

The equation of the tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  at  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$\frac{xx_1}{a^2} + \frac{yy_1}{b^2} = 1$$

#### (ii) Parametric form

The equation of the tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  at  $(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1$$

#### (iii) Slope form

The equation of the tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  in terms of the slope  $m$  is

$$y = mx + \sqrt{a^2m^2 + b^2}$$

#### (iv) The co-ordinates of the points of contact are

$$\left( \mp \frac{a^2m}{\sqrt{a^2m^2 + b^2}}, \pm \frac{b^2}{\sqrt{a^2m^2 + b^2}} \right).$$

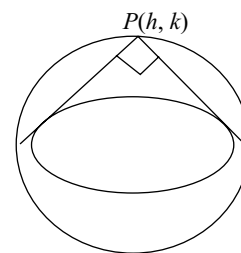
#### (v) The point of intersection of the tangents at $P(\theta)$ and $Q(\varphi)$ is

$$\left( \frac{a \cos \left( \frac{\theta + \varphi}{2} \right)}{\cos \left( \frac{\theta - \varphi}{2} \right)}, \frac{b \sin \left( \frac{\theta + \varphi}{2} \right)}{\cos \left( \frac{\theta - \varphi}{2} \right)} \right)$$

### 11. DIRECTOR CIRCLE

The locus of the point of intersection of two perpendicular tangents to an ellipse is known as the director circle.

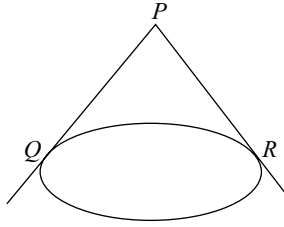
The equation of the director circle to an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2 + b^2$ .



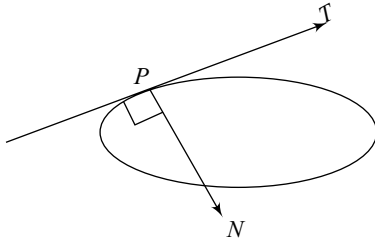
### 12. PAIR OF TANGENTS

Equation of a pair of tangents from a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  to an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is

$$\left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} - 1 \right) \left( \frac{x_1^2}{a^2} + \frac{y_1^2}{b^2} - 1 \right) = \left( \frac{xx_1}{a^2} + \frac{yy_1}{b^2} - 1 \right)^2$$



**13. VARIOUS FORMS OF NORMALS**



Here,  $PT$  be a tangent and  $PN$  be a normal. The angle between the tangent and the normal is  $90^\circ$ .

(i) **Point form**

The equation of the normal to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  at the point  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$\frac{a^2x}{x_1} - \frac{b^2y}{y_1} = a^2 - b^2.$$

(ii) **Parametric form**

The equation of the normal to an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  at the point  $(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$  is

$$ax \sec \theta - by \operatorname{cosec} \theta = a^2 - b^2.$$

(iii) **Slope form**

The equation of the normal in terms of slope is

$$y = mx \mp \frac{m(a^2 - b^2)}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2m^2}}$$

(iv) The line  $y = mx + c$  is a normal to an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  if

$$c^2 = \frac{m^2(a^2 - b^2)^2}{(a^2 + b^2m^2)}.$$

(v) The straight line  $lx + my + n = 0$  is a normal to an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  if

$$\frac{a^2}{l^2} + \frac{b^2}{m^2} = \frac{(a^2 - b^2)^2}{n^2}$$

**14. NUMBER OF NORMALS ARE DRAWN TO AN ELLIPSE FROM A POINT TO ITS PLANE**

The equation of the normal to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  at  $P(\theta)$  is

$$ax \sec \theta - by \operatorname{cosec} \theta = a^2 - b^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

Let  $Q(\alpha, \beta)$  be any point in the  $xy$ -plane.

Equation (i) passes through  $Q(\alpha, \beta)$ , so we have

$$a\alpha \sec \theta - b\beta \operatorname{cosec} \theta = a^2 - b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a\alpha \left( \frac{1 + \tan^2\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}{1 - \tan^2\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)} \right) - b\beta \left( \frac{1 + \tan^2\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)}{2 \tan\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)} \right) = a^2 - b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a\alpha \left( 1 + \tan^2\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) \right) \tan\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) - b\beta \left( 1 - \tan^4\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) \right) = 2(a^2 - b^2) \tan\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) \left( 1 - \tan^2\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow b\beta t^4 + 2(a^2 - b^2 + a\alpha)t^3 - 2(a^2 - b^2 - a\alpha)t - b\beta = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

where  $t = \tan\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$

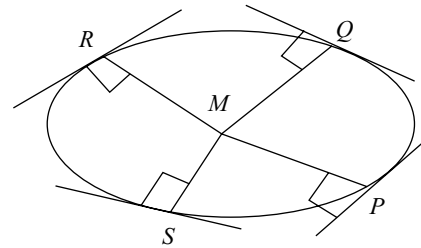
The above equation will give four values of  $t$  say,  $t_1, t_2, t_3, t_4$ .

Corresponding to these four values of  $t$ , we will get 4 points, say  $A, B, C, D$  on the ellipse, the normals to which pass through the point  $Q(\alpha, \beta)$ .

Hence, in general four normals can be drawn from any point to an ellipse.

(i) **Co-normal points**

Let  $P, Q, R, S$  are four points on the ellipse. If the normals at these points meet at a point, say  $M$ , then these four points are known as co-normal points.



(ii) If  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$  be the eccentric angles of the four points on the ellipse such that the normals at these points are concurrent, then  $\alpha + \beta + \gamma + \delta = (2n + 1)\pi, n \in 1$ .

As we know that if four normals are concurrent at a point, say,  $M(\alpha, \beta)$ , then

$$b\beta t^2 + 2(a^2 - b^2 + a\alpha)t^3 - 2(a^2 - b^2 - a\alpha)t = b\beta = 0,$$

$$\text{where } t = \tan\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } \tan\left(\frac{\alpha}{2} + \frac{\beta}{2} + \frac{\gamma}{2} + \frac{\delta}{2}\right) &= \frac{S_1 - S_3}{1 - S_2 + S_4} \\ &= \frac{-2[a\alpha + (a^2 - b^2)]}{b\beta} + \frac{2[ab - (a^2 - b^2)]}{b\beta} \\ &= \frac{1 - 0 - 1}{1 - 0 - 1} \\ &= \infty \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot\left(\frac{\alpha}{2} + \frac{\beta}{2} + \frac{\gamma}{2} + \frac{\delta}{2}\right) = 0$$

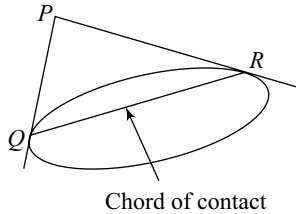
$$\Rightarrow \cot\left(\frac{\alpha}{2} + \frac{\beta}{2} + \frac{\gamma}{2} + \frac{\delta}{2}\right) = 0 = \cot\left(\frac{2n+1}{2}\right)\pi$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{\alpha}{2} + \frac{\beta}{2} + \frac{\gamma}{2} + \frac{\delta}{2}\right) = \left(\frac{2n+1}{2}\right)\pi$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha + \beta + \gamma + \delta = (2n+1)\pi.$$

Hence, the result.

### 15. CHORD OF CONTACT



The equation of the chord of contact of tangents drawn from a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  to an ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ is } \frac{xx_1}{a^2} + \frac{yy_1}{b^2} = 1$$

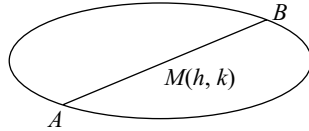
### 16. CHORD BISECTED AT A GIVEN POINT

The equation of the chord bisected at a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  to an ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ is}$$

$$\frac{xx_1}{a^2} + \frac{yy_1}{b^2} - 1 = \frac{x_1^2}{a^2} + \frac{y_1^2}{b^2} - 1$$

i.e.  $T = S_1$



### 17. POLE AND POLAR

The equation of the polar of an ellipse

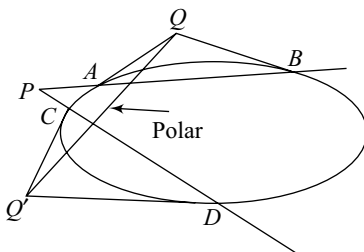
$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

from a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$\frac{xx_1}{a^2} + \frac{yy_1}{b^2} = 1,$$

where

$(x_1, y_1)$  is the pole of polar.

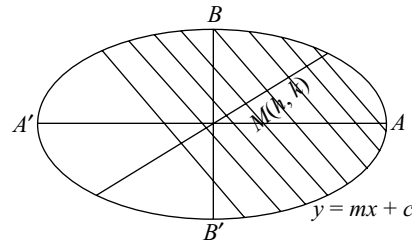


### Properties related to pole and polar

- (i) The polar of the focus is the directrix.
- (ii) Any tangent is the polar of the point of contact.
- (iii) The pole of a line  $lx + my + n = 0$  with respect to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is  $\left(-\frac{a^2l}{n}, -\frac{b^2m}{n}\right)$ .
- (iv) The pole of a given line is the same as the point of intersection of tangents at its extremities.
- (v) If the polar of  $P(x_1, y_1)$  passes through  $Q(x_2, y_2)$ , the polar of  $Q(x_2, y_2)$  goes through  $P(x_1, y_1)$  and such points are said to be **conjugate points**.
- (vi) If the pole of a line  $lx + my + n = 0$  lies on the another line  $l'x + m'y + n' = 0$ , the pole of the second line will lie on the first and such lines are said to be **conjugate lines**.

### 18. DIAMETER

The locus of the mid-points of a system of parallel chords of an ellipse is called a diameter and the point where the diameter intersects the ellipse is called the vertex of the diameter.



Let  $(h, k)$  be the mid-point of the chord, then

$$y = mx + c \text{ of the ellipse } \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1.$$

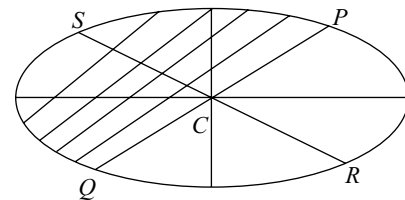
Then  $T = S_1$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{xh}{a^2} + \frac{yk}{b^2} = \frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow k = -\frac{b^2h}{a^2m}$$

Hence, the locus of the mid-point is  $y = -\frac{b^2x}{a^2m}$ .

### 19. CONJUGATE DIAMETERS



Two diameters are said to be conjugate when each bisects all chords parallel to the other.

If  $y = m_1x$  and  $y = m_2x$  be two conjugate diameters of an ellipse, then  $m_1m_2 = -\frac{b^2}{a^2}$ .

Let  $PQ$  and  $RS$  be two conjugate diameters.

Then the co-ordinates of the four extremities of two conjugate diameters are

$$P(a \cos \phi, b \sin \phi),$$

$$Q(-a \cos \phi, -b \sin \phi),$$

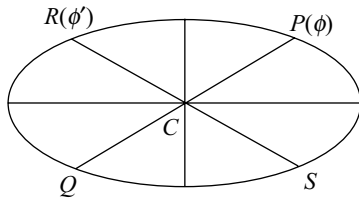
$$S(-a \sin \phi, b \cos \phi),$$

and  $R(a \sin \phi, -b \cos \phi)$

**Properties of conjugate diameters**

- (i) Prove that the eccentric angles of the ends of a pair of conjugate diameters of an ellipse differ by a right angle.

**Proof**



Let  $PCQ$  and  $RCS$  be two conjugate diameters of an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

Then the co-ordinates are  $P(a \cos \phi, b \sin \phi)$  and

$$R(a \cos \phi', a \sin \phi').$$

Now,  $m_1 = \text{Slope of } CP = \frac{b}{a} \tan \phi$  and

$$m_2 = \text{Slope of } CR = \frac{b}{a} \tan \phi'$$

Since the diameters  $PCQ$  and  $RCS$  are conjugate diameters, then

$$m_1 \cdot m_2 = -\frac{b^2}{a^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b^2}{a^2} \tan \phi \tan \phi' = -\frac{b^2}{a^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \phi \tan \phi' = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \phi = -\cot \phi' = \tan \left( \frac{\pi}{2} + \phi' \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi = \frac{\pi}{2} + \phi'$$

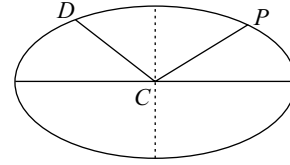
$$\Rightarrow \phi - \phi' = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

Hence, the result.

- (ii) Prove that the sum of the squares of any two conjugate semi-diameters of an ellipse is constant and equal to the sum of the squares of the semi-axes of the ellipse, i.e.

$$CP^2 + CD^2 = a^2 + b^2.$$

**Proof**



Let  $CP$  and  $CD$  be two conjugate semi-diameters of an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and the eccentric angle of  $P$  is  $\phi$ .

Thus the eccentric angle of  $D$  is  $\frac{\pi}{2} + \phi$ .

Therefore the co-ordinates of  $P$  and  $D$  are  $(a \cos \phi, b \sin \phi)$  and

$$\left( a \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2} + \phi \right), b \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} + \phi \right) \right)$$

i.e.  $(-a \sin \phi, b \cos \phi)$ .

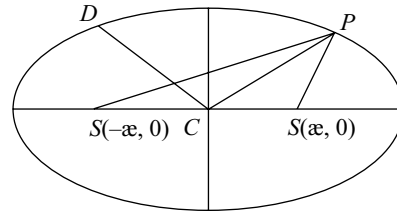
Thus  $CP^2 + CD^2$

$$= (a^2 \cos^2 \phi + b^2 \sin^2 \phi) + (a^2 \sin^2 \phi + b^2 \cos^2 \phi) = a^2 + b^2$$

Hence, the result

- (iii) Prove that the product of the focal distances of a point on an ellipse is equal to the square of the semi-diameter, which is conjugate to the diameter through the point.

**Proof**



Let  $CP$  and  $CD$  be the conjugate diameters of the ellipse.

Let  $P = (a \cos \phi, b \sin \phi)$ , then the co-ordinates of  $D$  is  $(-a \sin \phi, b \cos \phi)$ .

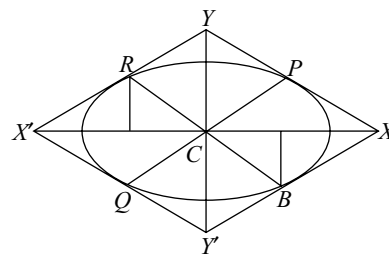
Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} SP \cdot S'P &= (a - ae \cos \phi) \cdot (a + ae \cos \phi) \\ &= a^2 - a^2 e^2 \cos^2 \phi \\ &= a^2 - (a^2 - b^2) \cos^2 \phi \\ &= a^2 \sin^2 \phi + b^2 \cos^2 \phi \\ &= CD^2 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the result.

- (iv) Prove that the tangent at the extremities of a pair of conjugate diameters form a parallelogram whose area is constant and equal to the product of the axes.

**Proof**



Let  $PCQ$  and  $RCS$  be two conjugate diameters of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

Then the co-ordinates of  $P$ ,  $Q$ ,  $R$ , and  $S$  are  $P(a \cos \varphi, b \sin \varphi)$ ,  $Q(-a \cos \varphi, -b \sin \varphi)$ ,  $R(-a \sin \varphi, b \cos \varphi)$  and  $S(a \sin \varphi, -b \cos \varphi)$  respectively.

Equations of tangents at  $P$ ,  $R$ ,  $Q$  and  $S$  are

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \varphi + \frac{y}{b} \sin \varphi = 1,$$

$$-\frac{x}{a} \sin \varphi + \frac{y}{b} \cos \varphi = 1,$$

$$-\frac{x}{a} \cos \varphi - \frac{y}{b} \sin \varphi = 1$$

and  $\frac{x}{a} \sin \varphi - \frac{y}{b} \cos \varphi = 1$

Thus, the tangents at  $P$  and  $Q$  are parallel.

Also the tangents at  $R$  and  $S$  are parallel.

Hence, the tangents at  $P$ ,  $R$ ,  $Q$ ,  $S$  form a parallelogram.

Area of the parallelogram =  $MNMQ$

$$= 4(\text{the area of the parallelogram } CPMR)$$

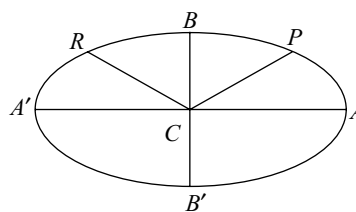
$$= 4 \times \sqrt{a^2 \cos^2 \varphi + b^2 \sin^2 \varphi} \times \frac{ab}{\sqrt{a^2 \cos^2 \varphi + b^2 \sin^2 \varphi}}$$

$$= 4ab$$

$$= \text{constant}$$

Hence, the result.

(v) Equi-conjugate diameters

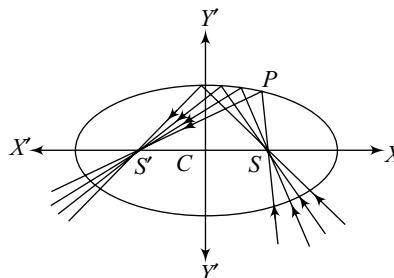


Two conjugate diameters are said to be equi-conjugate diameters if their lengths are equal.

$$\text{i.e. } CP = CR = \sqrt{\frac{a^2 + b^2}{2}}$$

## 20. REFLECTION PROPERTY OF AN ELLIPSE

If an incoming light ray passes through one focus ( $S$ ) strikes the concave side of the ellipse, it will get reflected towards other focus.



## EXERCISES

### LEVEL I

#### (Problems based on Fundamentals)

#### ABC OF AN ELLIPSE

- Find the centre, vertices, co-vertices, lengths of major and minor axes, eccentricity, lengths of latus rectum, equation of directrices and the end-points of a latus recta.
  - $9x^2 + 16y^2 = 144$
  - $2x^2 + 3y^2 - 4x - 12y + 8 = 0$
- Find the sum of the focal distances of any point on the ellipse  $16x^2 + 25y^2 = 400$ .
- If the equation  $\frac{x^2}{10-a} + \frac{y^2}{a-4} = 1$  represents of an ellipse such that the length of the interval, where  $a$  lies, is  $m$ , find  $m$ .
- If  $(5, 12)$  and  $(24, 7)$  are the foci of an ellipse passing through the origin, find the eccentricity of the ellipse.

- Find the equation of the ellipse whose axes are co-ordinate axes and foci are  $(\pm 2, 0)$  and the eccentricity is  $1/2$ .
- If the distance between the foci of an ellipse is equal to the length of its latus rectum, the eccentricity is  $\frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2}$ .
- Find the eccentricity of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  whose latus rectum is half of its major axis.
- Find the eccentric angle of a point on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{6} + \frac{y^2}{2} = 1$  whose distance from the centre of the ellipse is  $\sqrt{5}$ .
- Find the area of the greatest rectangle that can be inscribed in the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ .
- Find the locus of a point whose co-ordinates are given by  $x = 3 + 4 \cos \theta$   $y = 2 + 3 \sin \theta$ .
- If  $PSQ$  is a focal chord of an ellipse  $16x^2 + 25y^2 = 400$  such that  $SP = 8$ , find the length of  $SQ$ .

12. Find the area bounded by the curve  $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} \leq 1$  and the line  $\frac{x}{4} + \frac{y}{3} \geq 1$ .

**POSITION OF A POINT W.R.T. AN ELLIPSE**

13. Find the location of the point (2, 3) with respect to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{3} = 1$ .
14. If  $(\lambda, -\lambda)$  be an interior point of an ellipse  $4x^2 + 5y^2 = 1$  such that the length of the interval, where  $\lambda$  lies, is  $m$ , where  $m \in Q^+$ , find the value of  $(3m - 2)^{2013} + 2013$ .

**TANGENT AND TANGENCY**

15. Find the number of tangents drawn from a point (2, 3) to an ellipse  $4x^2 + 3y^2 = 12$ .
16. Find the equations of the tangents drawn from the point (2, 3) to the ellipse  $9x^2 + 16y^2 = 144$ .
17. If the line  $3x + 4y = 5$  touches the ellipse  $9x^2 + 16y^2 = 144$ , find the points of contact.
18. For what value of  $\lambda$  does the line  $y = x + \lambda$  touches the ellipse  $9x^2 + 16y^2 = 144$ ?
19. Find the equations of the tangents to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{3} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  having slope 2.
20. Prove that the locus of the feet of perpendicular drawn from the centre upon any tangent to the given ellipse is  $r^2 = a^2 \cos^2 \theta + b^2 \sin^2 \theta$ .
21. A circle of radius  $r$  is concentric with the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ . Prove that the common tangent is inclined to the major axis at an angle of  $\tan^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{r^2 - b^2}{a^2 - r^2}}$ .
22. Prove that the tangents at the extremities of latus rectum of an ellipse intersect on the corresponding directrix.
23. Prove that the locus of the mid-points of the portion of the tangents to the given ellipse intercepted between the axes is  $4r^2 = a^2 \sin^2 \theta + b^2 \cos^2 \theta$ .
24. A tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  meets the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a} + \frac{y^2}{b} = a + b$  in the points  $P$  and  $Q$ , prove that the tangents at  $P$  and  $Q$  are at right angles.
25. Prove that the product of the perpendiculars drawn from the foci upon any tangent to an ellipse is constant, i.e.  $b^2$ .
26. If an ellipse slides between two perpendicular straight lines, prove that the locus of its centre is a circle.
27. Prove that the locus of the feet of the perpendiculars from foci upon any tangent to an ellipse is an auxiliary circle.

28. If  $p$  be the length of perpendicular from the focus  $S$  of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  on the tangent at  $P$ , prove that  $\frac{b^2}{p^2} = \frac{2a}{SP} - 1$ .
29. If  $p$  be the perpendicular from the centre of an ellipse upon the tangent at any point  $P$  on it and  $r$  be the distance of  $P$  from the centre, prove that  $\frac{a^2 b^2}{p^2} = a^2 + b^2 - r^2$ .
30. Prove that the locus of the mid-points of the portion of the tangents to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  intercepted between the axes is  $\frac{a^2}{x^2} + \frac{b^2}{y^2} = 4$ .
31. Prove that the portion of the tangent to the ellipse intercepted between the curve and the directrix subtends a right angle at the corresponding focus.
32. Prove that in an ellipse, the perpendicular from a focus upon any tangent and the line joining the centre of the ellipse to the point of contact meet on the corresponding directrix.
33. Prove that the co-ordinates of those points on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  tangents at which make equal angles with the axes is  $\left( \pm \frac{a^2}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}, \pm \frac{b^2}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} \right)$ .
34. Find the locus of the point of intersection of two perpendicular tangents to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ .
35. Tangents are drawn from any point  $P$  on the parabola  $(y - 2)^2 = 4(x - 1)$  to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{1} = 1$ , which are mutually perpendicular to each other. Find the locus of the point  $P$ .
36. Find the equations of the pair of tangents to the ellipse  $2x^2 + 3y^2 = 1$  from the point (1, 1).
37. If the tangents are drawn from a point (1, 2) to the ellipse  $3x^2 + 2y^2 = 5$ , find the angle between the tangents.

**NORMAL AND NORMALCY**

38. Find the equation of the normal to the ellipse  $4x^2 + 9y^2 = 20$  at  $\left(1, \frac{4}{3}\right)$ .
39. Find the equation of the normal to the ellipse  $5x^2 + 3y^2 = 137$  at the point whose ordinate is 2.
40. Find the equation of the normal to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  at the negative end of the latus rectum.

41. If the normal at the point  $P(\theta)$  to the ellipse  $5x^2 + 14y^2 = 70$  intersects it again at the point  $Q(2\theta)$ , prove that  $3 \cos \theta + 2 = 0$ .
42. The normal at an end of a latus rectum of an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  passes through one extremity of the minor axis, then prove that  $e^4 + e^2 - 1 = 0$ .
43. Prove that the tangent and the normal at any point of an ellipse bisect the external and internal angles between the focal distances of the point.
44. The normal at any point  $P$  on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  meets the major and minor axes at  $G$  and  $G'$ , respectively and  $CF$  is perpendicular upon the normal from the centre  $C$  of the ellipse, show that  $PF \cdot PG = b^2$  and  $PF \times PG' = a^2$ .
45. The normal at a point  $P(\theta)$  on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  meets the axes of  $x$  and  $y$  at  $M$  and  $N$ , respectively, show that  $x^2 + y^2 = (a + b)^2$ .
46. An ordinate  $PN$  of an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  meets the auxiliary circle in  $Q$ . Show that the locus of the point of intersection of the normals at  $P$  and  $Q$  is the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = (a + b)^2$ .
47. Prove that the tangent of the angle between  $CP$  and the normal at  $P(\theta)$  is  $\left(\frac{a^2 - b^2}{2ab}\right) \times \sin 2\theta$  and its greatest value is  $\left(\frac{a^2 - b^2}{2ab}\right)$ .
48. Prove that in an ellipse, the distance between the centre and any normal does not exceed the difference between the semi-axes of the curve.
49. The tangent and the normal at any point  $P$  of an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  cut its major axis in points  $Q$  and  $R$ , respectively. If  $QR = a$ , show that the eccentric angle of the point  $P$  is satisfying the equation  $e^2 \cos^2 \phi + \cos \phi - 1 = 0$
50. If the normals at  $P(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $Q(x_2, y_2)$  and  $R(x_3, y_3)$  on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  are concurrent, show that

$$\begin{vmatrix} x_1 & y_1 & x_1 y_1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & x_2 y_2 \\ x_3 & y_3 & x_3 y_3 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

and if points  $P(\alpha)$ ,  $Q(\beta)$  and  $R(\gamma)$ , prove that

$$\begin{vmatrix} \sec \alpha & \operatorname{cosec} \alpha & 1 \\ \sec \beta & \operatorname{cosec} \beta & 1 \\ \sec \gamma & \operatorname{cosec} \gamma & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

### CHORD OF CONTACT/CHORD BISECTED AT A POINT

51. Prove that the locus of the point, the chord of contact of tangents from which to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  subtends a right angle at the centre of the ellipse is  $\frac{x^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2}{b^4} = \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}$ .
52. Prove that the locus of the point, from which the chord of contact of tangents are to be drawn to the ellipse touches the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = c^2$  is  $\frac{x^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2}{b^4} = \frac{1}{c^2}$ .
53. The perpendicular tangents are drawn to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ . Prove that the locus of the mid-point of the chord of contact is  $\left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)$ .
54. Tangents are drawn from any point on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = c^2$  to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ . Prove that the locus of the mid-points of the chord of contact is  $\left(\frac{x^2}{c^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{x^2}{c^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)$ .
55. Tangents  $PA$  and  $PB$  are drawn from a point  $P$  to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ . The area of the triangle formed by the chord of contact  $AB$  and axes of co-ordinates are constant. Prove that the locus of  $P$  is a hyperbola.
56. Prove that the locus of the mid-points of the normal chords of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is  $\left(\frac{a^6}{x^2} + \frac{b^6}{y^2}\right) \left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)^2 = (a^2 - b^2)^2$
57. Prove that the locus of the mid-points of the chords of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  which touch the auxiliary circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  is  $a^2 \left(\frac{x^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2}{b^4}\right) = \left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)^2$
58. Prove that the locus of the mid-points of the chords of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  which subtends a right angle at the centre of the ellipse is  $\left(\frac{x^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2}{b^4}\right) = \left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)^2 \left(\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}\right)$
59. The eccentric angles of two points  $P$  and  $Q$  on the ellipse differ by  $\pi/2$ . Prove that the locus of the mid-point of  $PQ$  is  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 2$ .

60. Prove that the locus of the mid-point of the chord of contact of the perpendicular tangents to the ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ is } \left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} \right)^2 = \frac{x^2 + y^2}{a^2 + b^2}.$$

61. Prove that the locus of the mid-points of the focal chords of the ellipse

$$\left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} \right) = 1 \text{ is } b^2x^2 + a^2y^2 = ab^2xe$$

62. Prove that the locus of the mid-points of the chords of the ellipse

$$\left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} \right) = 1 \text{ which are tangents to the ellipse } \frac{x^2}{\alpha^2} + \frac{y^2}{\beta^2} = 1 \text{ is}$$

$$\frac{x^2}{\alpha^2} + \frac{y^2}{\beta^2} = 1$$

$$\left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} \right)^2 = \left( \frac{x^2\alpha^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2\beta^2}{b^4} \right)$$

#### POLE AND POLAR

63. Prove that the polar of the focus of an ellipse is the directrix.

64. Find the pole of a given line  $lx + my + n = 0$  with respect to an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

65. Prove that the pole of a given line is the same as the point of intersection of tangents at its extremities.

66. Find the pole of the straight line  $x + 4y = 4$  with respect to the ellipse  $x^2 + 4y^2 = 4$ .

67. Find the locus of the poles of the tangents to  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  with respect to the concentric ellipse  $c^2x^2 + d^2y^2 = 1$ .

68. The perpendicular from the centre of an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  on the polar of a point with respect to the ellipse is constant and equal to  $c$ . Prove that the locus of the point is the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2}{b^4} = \frac{1}{c^2}$ .

69. Show that the equation of the locus of the poles of normal chords of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is

$$(a^2 - b^2)^2 x^2 y^2 = a^6 y^2 + b^6 x^2$$

70. If the polar with respect to  $y^2 = 4x$  touches the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{\alpha^2} + \frac{y^2}{\beta^2} = 1$ , find the locus of its pole.

#### CONJUGATE DIAMETERS

71. Prove that the equation of the diameter of the ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ is } y = -\frac{b^2x}{a^2m}.$$

72. Find the co-ordinates of the four extremities of two conjugate diameters of an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

73. Prove that the sum of the squares of any two conjugate semi-diameters of an ellipse is constant and equal to the sum of the squares of the semi-axes of the ellipse, i.e.  $CP^2 + CD^2 = a^2 + b^2$ .

74. Prove that the product of the focal distances of a point on an ellipse is equal to the square of the semi-diameter, which is conjugate to the diameter through the point. i.e.  $SP \cdot S'P = CD^2$ .

75. Prove that the locus of the poles of the line joining the eccentricities of two conjugate diameters is the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 2$ .

76. If  $P$  and  $D$  be the ends of the conjugate diameters of an ellipse, find the locus of the mid-point of  $PD$ .

77. For the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , find the equation of the diameter conjugate to  $ax - by = 0$ .

78. If the point of intersection of the ellipses  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and  $\frac{x^2}{c^2} + \frac{y^2}{d^2} = 1$  be at the extremities of the conjugate diameters of the former, prove that  $\frac{a^2}{c^2} + \frac{b^2}{d^2} = 1$ .

79. If  $CP$  and  $CD$  are the conjugate diameters of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , prove that the locus of the orthocentre of the  $\Delta PCD$  is  $2(b^2y^2 + a^2x^2)^2 = (a^2 - b^2)^2 (b^2y^2 - a^2x^2)^2$ .

80. Prove that the tangents at the extremities of a pair of conjugate diameters form a parallelogram whose area is constant and equal to the product of the axes.

81. Show that the tangents at the ends of conjugate diameters of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  intersect on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 2$ .

82. Find the eccentricity of the ellipse if  $y = x$  and  $2x + 3y = 0$  are the equations of a pair of its conjugate diameters.

#### REFLECTION PROPERTY OF AN ELLIPSE

83. A ray is emanating from the point  $(-3, 0)$  is incident on the ellipse  $16x^2 + 25y^2 = 400$  at the point  $P$  with ordinate 4. Find the equation of the reflected ray after first reflection.

84. A ray is coming along the line  $x - y + 2 = 0$  on the ellipse  $3x^2 + 4y^2 = 12$ . After striking the elliptic mirror, it is then reflected. Find the equation of the line containing the reflected ray.



**LEVEL II****(Mixed Problems)**

- Tangents are drawn from a point on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 50$  to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{30} + \frac{y^2}{20} = 1$ , the tangents are at the angle is  
 (a)  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  (b)  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  (c)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  (d)  $\frac{\pi}{8}$
- The centre of the ellipse  $4x^2 + 9y^2 - 8x - 36y + 4 = 0$  is  
 (a) (2, 4) (b) (3, 2) (c) (1, 2) (d) (0, 1)
- The co-ordinates of the foci of the ellipse  $4x^2 + 9y^2 - 8x - 36y + 4 = 0$  is  
 (a)  $(1 \pm \sqrt{5}, 2)$  (b)  $(2 \pm \sqrt{5}, 2)$   
 (c)  $(\pm\sqrt{5}, 2)$  (d)  $(1 \pm \sqrt{5}, 3)$
- The equation  $\frac{x^2}{10-a} + \frac{y^2}{4-a} = 1$  represents an ellipse if  
 (a)  $a < 4$  (b)  $a > 4$   
 (c)  $4 < a < 10$  (d)  $a > 10$
- Let  $P$  be a variable point on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$  with foci at  $F$  and  $F'$ . If  $A$  be the area of the  $\Delta PFF'$ , the maximum value of  $A$  is  
 (a) 12 s.u. (b) 24 s.u.  
 (c) 36 s.u. (d) 48 s.u.
- The eccentricity of the ellipse  $(10x - 5)^2 + (10y - 5)^2 = (3x + 4y - 1)^2$  is  
 (a)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  (b)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$  (c)  $\frac{1}{2}$  (d)  $\frac{1}{4}$
- If the line  $y = x + \lambda$  touches the ellipse  $9x^2 + 16y^2 = 144$ , the value of  $\lambda$  is  
 (a)  $\pm 5$  (b)  $\pm 4$  (c)  $\pm 7$  (d)  $\pm 3$
- The equation of the tangents to the ellipse  $3x^2 + 4y^2 = 12$  which are perpendicular to the line  $y + 2x = 4$  is/are  
 (a)  $x - 2y + 4 = 0$  (b)  $x - 2y + 7 = 0$   
 (c)  $x - 2y - 4 = 0$  (d)  $x - 2y - 7 = 0$
- The product of the perpendiculars from the foci of any tangent to an ellipse  $b^2x^2 + a^2y^2 = a^2b^2$  is  
 (a)  $a^2$  (b)  $b^2$  (c)  $2b^2$  (d)  $2a^2$
- The number of tangents to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$  from the point (4, 3) is  
 (a) 0 (b) 1 (c) 2 (d) 3
- If the normal at an end of a latus rectum of an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  passes through one extremity of the minor axis, then  $e^2$  is  
 (a)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2}$  (b)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2}$   
 (c)  $\frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2}$  (d)  $\frac{\sqrt{5}+1}{2}$
- The equation of common tangent between the ellipses  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  and  $\frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{y^2}{1} = 1$  is  
 (a)  $x = 3$  (b)  $y = 2$   
 (c)  $x = 1$  (d) not defined
- If the equation of the tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = \sqrt{2}$ , its eccentric angle is  
 (a)  $45^\circ$  (b)  $60^\circ$  (c)  $90^\circ$  (d)  $22.5^\circ$
- The equations of the tangents to the ellipse  $3x^2 + y^2 = 3$  making equal intercepts on the axes are  
 (a)  $y = \pm x \pm 2$  (b)  $y = \pm x \pm 4$   
 (c)  $y = \pm x \pm 5$  (d)  $y = \pm x \pm 7$
- The number of real tangents can be drawn from (3, 5) to the ellipse  $3x^2 + 5y^2 = 15$  is  
 (a) 4 (b) 2 (c) 1 (d) 0
- The number of normals that can be drawn from a point to a given ellipse is  
 (a) 4 (b) 2 (c) 1 (d) 0
- The set of possible values of  $m$  for which a line with the slope  $m$  is a common tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{b^2} + \frac{y^2}{c^2} = 1$  and the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  is  
 (a) (3, 5) (b) (2, 3) (c) (1, 3) (d) (0, 1)
- The angle between the normals of the ellipse  $4x^2 + y^2 = 5$ , at the intersection of  $2x + y = 3$  and ellipse is  
 (a)  $\tan^{-1}(3/5)$  (b)  $\tan^{-1}(3/4)$   
 (c)  $\tan^{-1}(4/3)$  (d)  $\tan^{-1}(4/5)$
- If the latus rectum of an ellipse  $x^2 \tan^2 \phi + y^2 \sec^2 \phi = 1$  is  $1/2$ , then  $\phi$  is  
 (a)  $\pi/2$  (b)  $\pi/6$  (c)  $\pi/3$  (d)  $5\pi/12$
- If pair of tangents are drawn to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$  from a point  $P$ , so that the tangents are at right angles to each other, the possible co-ordinates of the point  $P$  are  
 (a)  $(3\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{7})$  (b) (5, 0)  
 (c) (3, 4) (d)  $(2\sqrt{5}, \sqrt{5})$
- The eccentricity of the ellipse whose pair of a conjugate diameters are  $y = x$  and  $3y = -2x$  is  
 (a)  $1/\sqrt{3}$  (b)  $2/3$  (c)  $1/3$  (d)  $1/5$
- The minimum length of intercept of any tangent of an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  between the axes is  
 (a)  $2a$  (b)  $2b$  (c)  $a + b$  (d)  $a - b$
- The eccentric angle of a point on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{6} + \frac{y^2}{2} = 1$  whose distance from the centre is 2, is  
 (a)  $\pi/4$  (b)  $\pi/6$  (c)  $\pi/2$  (d)  $\pi/6$
- If  $\frac{x^2}{\lambda^2 - \lambda - 6} + \frac{y^2}{\lambda^2 - 6\lambda + 5} = 1$  represents an ellipse, then  $\lambda$  lies in

- (a)  $(-\infty, -2)$                       (b)  $(1, \infty)$   
 (c)  $(3, \infty)$                         (d)  $(5, \infty)$
25. The eccentricity of the ellipse  $ax^2 + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ , if its axis is parallel to  $x$ -axis, is  
 (a)  $\sqrt{\frac{a+b}{4}}$                       (b)  $\sqrt{\frac{a-b}{2}}$   
 (c)  $\sqrt{\frac{b}{a}-1}$                       (d)  $\sqrt{1-\frac{a}{b}}$
26.  $S$  and  $T$  are the foci of an ellipse and  $B$  is an end of the minor axis. If  $STB$  is an equilateral triangle, the eccentricity of the ellipse is  
 (a)  $1/4$       (b)  $1/3$       (c)  $1/2$       (d)  $2/3$
27. The centre of the ellipse  $\frac{(x+y-1)^2}{9} + \frac{(x-y)^2}{16} = 1$  is  
 (a)  $(0, 0)$       (b)  $(1, 1)$       (c)  $(2, 1)$       (d)  $(1, 2)$
28. Let  $P$  be a variable point on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  with foci  $F_1$  and  $F_2$ . If  $A$  be the area of the  $\Delta PF_1F_2$ , the maximum value of  $A$  is  
 (a)  $\frac{ea}{b}$       (b)  $\frac{ab}{e}$       (c)  $aeb$       (d)  $\frac{e}{ab}$
29. If the angle between the lines joining the foci of an ellipse to an extremity of a minor axis is  $90^\circ$ , the eccentricity of the ellipse is  
 (a)  $1/8$       (b)  $1/4$       (c)  $1/\sqrt{2}$       (d)  $1/\sqrt{3}$
30. On the ellipse  $4x^2 + 9y^2 = 1$ , the points at which the tangents are parallel to the line  $8x = 9y$  are  
 (a)  $\left(\frac{2}{5}, \frac{1}{5}\right)$                       (b)  $\left(-\frac{2}{5}, \frac{1}{5}\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(-\frac{2}{5}, -\frac{1}{5}\right)$                       (d)  $\left(\frac{2}{5}, -\frac{1}{5}\right)$
31. The equation of the largest circle with centre  $(1, 0)$  that can be inscribed in the ellipse  $x^2 + 4y^2 = 36$  is  
 (a)  $3x^2 + 3y^2 - 6x - 8 = 0$   
 (b)  $3x^2 + 3y^2 + 6x - 8 = 0$   
 (c)  $2x^2 + 2y^2 + 5x - 8 = 0$   
 (d)  $2x^2 + 2y^2 - 5x - 8 = 0$
32. Let  $E$  be the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and  $C$  be the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ . Let  $P$  and  $Q$  be the points  $(1, 2)$  and  $(2, 1)$  respectively. Then  
 (a)  $Q$  lies inside  $C$  but outside  $E$   
 (b)  $Q$  lies outside both  $C$  and  $E$   
 (c)  $P$  lies inside both  $C$  and  $E$   
 (d)  $P$  lies inside  $C$  but outside  $E$
33. The radius of the circle passing through the foci of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$  and having its centre at  $(0, 3)$  is  
 (a) 4      (b) 3      (c) 5      (d) 7
34. An ellipse has  $OB$  as semi-minor axis,  $F, F'$  are its foci and the angle  $FBF'$  is a right angle. The eccentricity of the ellipse is  
 (a)  $1/2$       (b)  $1/\sqrt{2}$       (c)  $1/3$       (d)  $1/4$
35. The sum of the focal distances from any point on the ellipse  $9x^2 + 16y^2 = 144$  is  
 (a) 32      (b) 18      (c) 16      (d) 8
36. If  $P = (x, y)$ ,  $F_1 = (3, 0)$ ,  $F_2 = (-3, 0)$  and  $16x^2 + 25y^2 = 400$ , then  $PF_1 + PF_2$  is equal to  
 (a) 8      (b) 6      (c) 10      (d) 12
37. The number of values of  $c$  such that the straight line  $y = 4x + c$  touches the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{4} + y^2 = 1$  is  
 (a) 0      (b) 1      (c) 2      (d) infinite
38. The area of the quadrilateral formed by the tangents at the points of latus recta to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{5} = 1$  is  
 (a)  $27/4$  s.u.                      (b) 9 s.u.  
 (c)  $27/2$  s.u.                      (d) 27 s.u.
39. Tangents are drawn to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{27} + y^2 = 1$  at  $(3\sqrt{3}\cos\theta, \sin\theta)$ , where  $0 < \theta < \pi/2$ . The value of  $\theta$  for which the sum of intercepts on the axes made by this tangent is minimum is  
 (a)  $\pi/3$       (b)  $\pi/4$       (c)  $\pi/8$       (d)  $\pi/6$
40. If tangents are drawn to the ellipse  $x^2 + 2y^2 = 2$ , the locus of the mid-point of the intercept made by the tangents between the co-ordinate axes is  
 (a)  $\frac{1}{2x^2} + \frac{1}{4y^2} = 1$                       (b)  $\frac{1}{4x^2} + \frac{1}{2y^2} = 1$   
 (c)  $\frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$                       (d)  $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{2} = 1$
41. The minimum area of the triangle formed by the tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and the co-ordinate axes is  
 (a)  $ab$  s.u.                      (b)  $\frac{a^2 + b^2}{2}$  s.u.  
 (c)  $\frac{(a+b)^2}{2}$  s.u.                      (d)  $\frac{a^2 + ab + b^2}{2}$  s.u.
42. The point on the curve  $x^2 + 2y^2 = 6$  whose distance from the line  $x + y = 7$  is minimum, is  
 (a)  $(1, 2)$       (b)  $(1, 3)$       (c)  $(2, 1)$       (d)  $(3, 1)$
43. The equation of the common tangent in 1st quadrant to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 16$  and the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  is  
 (a)  $2x + y\sqrt{3} = 4\sqrt{7}$                       (b)  $2x - y\sqrt{3} = 4\sqrt{7}$   
 (c)  $3x - y\sqrt{3} = 4\sqrt{7}$                       (d)  $3x + y\sqrt{3} = 4\sqrt{7}$

44. Let  $P(x_1, y_1)$  and  $Q(x_2, y_2)$ ,  $y_1 < 0$ , be the end-points of the latus rectum of the ellipse  $x^2 + 4y^2 = 4$ . The equation of the parabolas with latus rectum  $PQ$  are  
 (a)  $x^2 + 2\sqrt{3}y = 3 + \sqrt{3}$  (b)  $x^2 - 2\sqrt{3}y = 3 + \sqrt{3}$   
 (c)  $x^2 + 2\sqrt{3}y = 3 - \sqrt{3}$  (d)  $x^2 - 2\sqrt{3}y = 3 - \sqrt{3}$
45. The line passing through the extremity  $A$  of the major axis and extremity  $B$  of the minor axis of the ellipse  $x^2 + 9y^2 = 9$  meets the auxiliary circle at the point  $M$ . The area of the triangle with vertices at  $A$ ,  $M$  and the origin is  
 (a)  $\frac{31}{10}$  (b)  $\frac{29}{10}$  (c)  $\frac{21}{10}$  (d)  $\frac{27}{10}$
46. The normal at a point  $P$  on the ellipse  $x^2 + 4y^2 = 16$  meets the  $x$ -axis at  $Q$ . If  $M$  is the mid-point of the segment  $PQ$ , the locus of  $M$  intersects the latus rectum of the given ellipse at the points  
 (a)  $\left(\pm \frac{3\sqrt{5}}{2}, \pm \frac{2}{7}\right)$  (b)  $\left(\pm \frac{3\sqrt{5}}{2}, \pm \frac{\sqrt{19}}{4}\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(\pm 2\sqrt{3}, \pm \frac{1}{7}\right)$  (d)  $\left(\pm 2\sqrt{3}, \pm \frac{4\sqrt{3}}{7}\right)$
47. Tangents are drawn from the point  $P(3, 4)$  to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  touching the ellipse at  $A$  and  $B$ . Then the co-ordinates of  $A$  and  $B$  are  
 (a)  $(3, 0)$  and  $(0, 2)$   
 (b)  $\left(-\frac{8}{5}, \frac{2\sqrt{161}}{15}\right)$  and  $\left(-\frac{9}{5}, \frac{8}{5}\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(-\frac{8}{5}, \frac{2\sqrt{161}}{15}\right)$  and  $(0, 2)$   
 (d)  $(3, 0)$  and  $\left(-\frac{9}{5}, \frac{8}{5}\right)$
48. The maximum area of an isosceles triangle inscribed in an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  with its vertex at one end of the major axis is  
 (a)  $\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{4}ab$  (b)  $\frac{3\sqrt{2}}{4}ab$   
 (c)  $\frac{2\sqrt{3}}{5}ab$  (d)  $\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{5}ab$
49. The point  $(\alpha, \beta)$  on the ellipse  $4x^2 + 3y^2 = 12$ , in the first quadrant, so that the area enclosed by the lines  $y = x$  and  $y = \beta$ ,  $x = \alpha$  and the  $x$ -axis is maximum, is  
 (a)  $\left(\frac{3}{2}, 1\right)$  (b)  $\left(1, \frac{3}{2}\right)$  (c)  $\left(2, \frac{3}{2}\right)$  (d)  $\left(3, \frac{3}{2}\right)$
50. The number of points on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{50} + \frac{y^2}{20} = 1$  from which pair of perpendicular tangents are drawn to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$  is  
 (a) 0 (b) 2 (c) 1 (d) 4
51. The eccentricity of the ellipse  $(x - 3)^2 + (y - 4)^2 = \frac{y^2}{9}$  is  
 (a)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$  (b)  $\frac{1}{3}$  (c)  $\frac{1}{3\sqrt{2}}$  (d)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$
52. For an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  with vertices  $A$  and  $A'$ , tangents are drawn at the point  $P$  in the first quadrant meets the  $y$ -axis in  $Q$  and the chord  $A'P$  meets the  $y$ -axis in  $M$ . If  $O$  be the origin, then  $OQ^2 - MQ^2$  is  
 (a) 9 (b) 13 (c) 4 (d) 5
53. The line  $lx + my + n = 0$  will cut the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  in points whose eccentric angles differ by  $\pi/2$ , if  
 (a)  $a^2l^2 + b^2n^2 = 2m^2$  (b)  $a^2m^2 + b^2l^2 = 2n^2$   
 (c)  $a^2l^2 + b^2m^2 = 2n^2$  (d)  $a^2n^2 + b^2m^2 = 2l^2$
54. A circle has the same centre as an ellipse and passes through the foci  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  of the ellipse such that two curves intersect in 4 points. Let  $P$  be any of their points of intersection. If the major axis of the ellipse is 17 and the area of the triangle  $F_1F_2P$  is 30, the distance between the foci is  
 (a) 11 (b) 12 (c) 13 (d) None
55. The point  $O$  is the centre of the ellipse with major axis  $AB$  and minor axis  $CD$  and the point  $F$  is one focus of the ellipse. If  $OF = 6$  and the diameter of the inscribed circle of  $\triangle OCF$  is 2, the product of  $(AB)(CD)$  is  
 (a) 65 (b) 52 (c) 78 (d) none
56. A tangent having slope  $-4/3$  to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{18} + \frac{y^2}{32} = 1$  intersects the major and minor axes in points  $A$  and  $B$ , respectively. If  $C$  is the centre of the ellipse, the area of the triangle  $ABC$  is  
 (a) 12 s.u. (b) 24 s.u.  
 (c) 36 s.u. (d) 48 s.u.
57. The common tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{a^2 + b^2} = 1$  is  
 (a)  $ay = bx + \sqrt{a^4 - a^2b^2 + b^4}$   
 (b)  $by = ax - \sqrt{a^4 + a^2b^2 + b^4}$

- (c)  $ay = bx - \sqrt{a^4 + a^2b^2 + b^4}$   
 (d)  $by = ax + \sqrt{a^4 - a^2b^2 + b^4}$
58. The normal at a variable point  $P$  on an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  of eccentricity  $e$  meets the axes of the ellipse in  $Q$  and  $R$ , the locus of the mid-point of  $QR$  is a conic with an eccentricity  $e'$  such that  
 (a)  $e'$  is independent of  $e$   
 (b)  $e' = 1$  (c)  $e' = e$  (d)  $e' = 1/e$
59. An ellipse is drawn with major and minor axes of lengths 10 and 8, respectively. Using one focus as the centre, a circle is drawn that is the tangent to the ellipse, and no part of the circle being outside of the ellipse. The radius of the circle is  
 (a)  $\sqrt{3}$  (b) 2 (c)  $2\sqrt{2}$  (d)  $\sqrt{5}$
60. A common tangent to  $9x^2 + 16y^2 = 144$ ;  $y^2 = x - 4$  and  $x^2 = y^2 - 12x + 32 = 0$  is  
 (a)  $y = 3$  (b)  $x + 4 = 0$   
 (c)  $x = 4$  (d)  $y + 3 = 0$
61. The area of the rectangle formed by the perpendiculars from the centre of the standard ellipse to the tangent and the normal at its point whose eccentric angle is  $\pi/4$  is  
 (a)  $\left(\frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2 + b^2}\right)ab$  (b)  $\left(\frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2 + b^2}\right)\frac{1}{ab}$   
 (c)  $\left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{a^2 - b^2}\right)\frac{1}{ab}$  (d)  $\left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{a^2 - b^2}\right)ab$
62. An ellipse having foci at  $(3, 3)$  and  $(-4, 4)$  and passing through the origin has eccentricity equal to  
 (a)  $3/7$  (b)  $2/7$  (c)  $5/7$  (d)  $3/5$
63. A bar of length 20 units moves with its ends on two fixed straight lines at right angles. A point  $P$  marked on the bar at a distance of 8 units from one end describes a conic whose eccentricity is  
 (a)  $5/9$  (b)  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}$  (c)  $\frac{4}{9}$  (d)  $3/5$
64. If maximum distance of any point on the ellipse  $x^2 + 2y^2 + 2xy = 1$  from its centre be  $r$ , the value of  $r$  is  
 (a)  $3 + \sqrt{3}$  (b)  $2 + \sqrt{2}$   
 (c)  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5}}$  (d)  $\sqrt{2 - \sqrt{2}}$
65. If the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2 - 7} + \frac{y^2}{13 - 5a} = 1$  is inscribed in a square of side length  $a\sqrt{2}$ , then  $a$  is  
 (a)  $\frac{6}{5}$   
 (b)  $(-\infty, -\sqrt{7}) \cup \left(\sqrt{7}, \frac{13}{5}\right)$

- (c)  $(-\infty, -\sqrt{7}) \cup \left(\sqrt{7}, \frac{12}{5}\right)$   
 (d) no such value of  $a$  exists
66. If the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is inscribed in a rectangle whose length : breadth is 2 : 1, the area of the rectangle is  
 (a)  $\frac{4}{7}(a^2 + b^2)$  (b)  $\frac{4}{3}(a^2 + b^2)$   
 (c)  $\frac{12}{5}(a^2 + b^2)$  (d)  $\frac{8}{5}(a^2 + b^2)$
67. The length of the side of the square which can be made by four perpendicular tangents to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{7} + \frac{y^2}{11} = 1$  is  
 (a) 10 (b) 8 (c) 6 (d) 5
68. If the tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  makes angles  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  with the major axis such that  $\tan \alpha + \tan \beta = \lambda$ , the locus of their points of intersection is  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  (b)  $x^2 + y^2 = b^2$   
 (c)  $x^2 = 2\lambda x = a^2$  (d)  $\lambda(x^2 - a^2) = 2xy$ .
69. If  $\alpha - \beta = c$ , the locus of the points of intersection of tangents at  $P(a \cos \alpha, b \sin \alpha)$  and  $Q(a \cos \beta, b \sin \beta)$  to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is  
 (a) a circle (b) a straight line  
 (c) an ellipse (d) a parabola
70. If the eccentricity of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2 + 1} + \frac{y^2}{a^2 + 2} = 1$  is  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}$ , the latus rectum of the ellipse is  
 (a)  $\frac{5}{\sqrt{6}}$  (b)  $\frac{10}{\sqrt{6}}$  (c)  $\frac{8}{\sqrt{6}}$  (d)  $\frac{7}{\sqrt{6}}$

**LEVEL III**

**(Problems for JEE Advanced)**

- Let  $P$  be a variable point on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  with foci  $F_1$  and  $F_2$ . If  $A$  be the area of  $\Delta PF_1F_2$ , find the maximum value of  $A$ .
- Let  $d$  be the perpendicular distance from the centre of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  to the tangent drawn at a point  $P$  on the ellipse. If  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  be the two foci of the ellipse, prove that

$$(PF_1 - PF_2)^2 = 4a^2 \left(1 - \frac{b^2}{d^2}\right)$$

- Find the radius of the circle passing through the foci of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$  and having its centre at  $(0, 3)$ .
- If a tangent drawn at a point  $(t^2, 2t)$  on the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  is the same as the normal drawn at a point  $(\sqrt{5} \cos \phi, 2 \sin \phi)$  on the ellipse  $4x^2 + 5y^2 = 20$ . Find the values of  $t$  and  $\phi$ .
- An ellipse has  $OB$  as a minor axis.  $F$  and  $F'$  are its foci and the angle  $FBF'$  is a right angle. Find the eccentricity of the ellipse.
- A tangent to the ellipse  $x^2 + 4y^2 = 4$  meets the ellipse  $x^2 + 2y^2 = 6$  at  $P$  and  $Q$ . Prove that the tangents at  $P$  and  $Q$  of the ellipse  $x^2 + 2y^2 = 6$  are at right angles.
- Find the co-ordinates of the points  $P$  on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , for which the area of the  $\Delta PON$  is maximum, where  $O$  denotes the origin and  $N$ , the foot of the perpendicular from  $O$  to the tangent at  $P$ .
- Find the angle between the pair of tangents drawn to the ellipse  $3x^2 + 2y^2 = 5$  from the point  $(1, 2)$ .
- If the normal at  $P(\theta)$  to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{14} + \frac{y^2}{5} = 1$  intersects it again at  $Q(2\theta)$ , prove that  $\cos \theta = -\frac{2}{3}$ .
- If  $\left(\frac{1}{5}, \frac{2}{5}\right)$  be the mid-point of the chord of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$ , find its length.
- Prove that, in an ellipse, the perpendicular from a focus upon any tangent and the line joining the centre of the ellipse to the point of contact meet on the corresponding directrix.
- Find the area of the quadrilateral formed by the tangents at the end-points of latus rectum to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{5} = 1$ .
- A tangent is drawn to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{27} + y^2 = 1$  at  $(3\sqrt{3} \cos \theta, \sin \theta)$ , where  $0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$ .  
Find the value of  $\theta$  such that the sum of the intercepts on axes made by the tangent is minimum.
- If tangents are drawn to the ellipse  $x^2 + 2y^2 = 2$ , find the locus of the mid-point of the intercept made by the tangents between the co-ordinate axes.
- Find the minimum area of the triangle formed by the tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and the co-ordinate axes.
- Find the equation of the common tangent in first quadrant to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 16$  and the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ . Also find the length of the intercept of the tangent between the co-ordinate axes.
- $P$  and  $Q$  are two points on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$  such that sum of their ordinates is 3. Find the locus of the points of intersection of tangents at  $P$  and  $Q$ .
- From any point  $P$  lying in the first quadrant on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$ ,  $PN$  is drawn perpendicular to the major axis and produced at  $Q$  so that  $NQ$  equals to  $PS$ , where  $S$  is a focus. Prove that the locus of  $Q$  is  $3x + 5y + 25 = 0$ .
- If a tangent of slope 2 of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is the normal to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 1 = 0$ , find the maximum value of  $ab$ .
- If the maximum distance of any point on the ellipse  $x^2 + 2xy + 2y^2 = 1$  from its centre be  $r$ , find  $r$ .
- Prove that the locus of the mid-points of the chords of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  which are of constant length  $2c$  is  $\left(\frac{b^2x^2 + a^2y^2}{a^4y^2 + b^4x^2}\right) = \frac{1}{c^2} \left(1 - \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)$ .
- Chords of the ellipse touch the parabola  $ay^2 = -2b^2x$ . Prove that the locus of their poles is the parabola  $ay^2 = 2b^2x$ .
- An ellipse is rotated through a right angle in its own plane about its centre, which is fixed. Find the locus of the point of intersection of a tangent to the ellipse in its original position with the tangent at the same point of the curve in its new position.
- The tangents drawn from a point  $P$  to the ellipse make angles  $\theta_1$  and  $\theta_2$  with the major axis. Find the locus of  $P$  for which  $\theta_1 + \theta_2 = 2\alpha$ .
- Find the length of the sides of a square which can be made by four perpendicular tangents to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ .
- Find the locus of the point which divides the double ordinates of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  in the ratio 1 : 2 internally.
- An ellipse has the points  $(1, -1)$  and  $(2, -1)$  as its foci and  $x + y = 5$  as one of its tangent. Find the point where the line be a tangent to the ellipse from the origin.
- An ellipse is sliding along the co-ordinate axes. If the foci of the ellipse are  $(1, 1)$  and  $(3, 3)$ , find the area of the director circle of the ellipse.

29. What are the values of the parameter  $\theta$  for points where the line  $bx = ay$  intersects the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ ?
30. Prove that the sum of the squares of the reciprocals of two perpendicular radius vectors of an ellipse is constant.
31. Find the eccentricity of the ellipse  $4(x - 2y + 1)^2 + 9(2x + y + 2)^2 = 25$ .
32. If two vertices of a rectangle lie on  $y = 2x + c$  and other two vertices are  $(0, 4)$  and  $(-1, 2)$ . Find  $c$  and other two vertices such that the area of the ellipse inscribed in the rectangle is  $\frac{5\pi}{2}$ .

### LEVEL IV

#### (Tougher Problems for JEE Advanced)

1. Find the maximum area of an isosceles triangle inscribed in the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  with its vertex at one end of the major axis. **[Roorkee, 1994]**
2. If a tangent drawn at a point  $(t^2, 2t)$  on the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  is the same as the normal drawn at a point  $(\sqrt{5} \cos \phi, 2 \sin \phi)$  on the ellipse  $4x^2 + 5y^2 = 20$ . Find the values of  $t = \phi$ .
3. Find the equation of the largest circle with centre  $(1, 0)$  that can be inscribed in the ellipse  $x^2 + 4y^2 = 16$ . **[Roorkee, 1999]**
4. Find the condition so that the line  $px + qy = r$  intersects the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  in points whose eccentric angles differ by  $\frac{\pi}{4}$ . **[Roorkee, 2001]**
5. A point moves so that the sum of the squares of its distances from two intersecting straight lines is constant. Prove that its locus is an ellipse.
6. Prove that the line joining the extremities of any pair of diameters of an ellipse which are at right angles, will touch a fixed circle.
7. If  $P$  be any point on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  whose ordinate is  $y'$ , prove that the angle between the tangent at  $P$  and the focal distance of  $P$  is  $\tan^{-1} \left( \frac{b^2}{aey'} \right)$ .
8. Prove that the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = ab$  intersect at an angle  $\tan^{-1} \left( \frac{a-b}{\sqrt{ab}} \right)$ .

9. If the eccentric angles of points  $P$  and  $Q$  on the ellipse be  $\theta$  and  $\frac{\pi}{2} + \theta$  and  $\alpha$  be the angle between the normals at  $P$  and  $Q$ , prove that the eccentricity  $e$  is given by  $\tan \alpha = \frac{2\sqrt{1-e^2}}{e^2(\sin^2 2\theta)}$ .
10. The tangent and the normal at any point  $P$  of an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  cut its major axis in points  $T$  and  $T'$  respectively such that  $TT' = a$ . Prove that the eccentric angle of the point  $P$  is given by  $c^2 \cos^2 \phi + \cos \phi - 1 = 0$ .
11. A variable point  $P$  on an ellipse of eccentricity  $e$  is joined to its foci  $S$  and  $S'$ . Prove that the locus of the in-centre of the  $\Delta PSS'$  is an ellipse whose eccentricity is  $\sqrt{\frac{2e}{1+e}}$ .
12. The eccentric angle of any point  $P$  measured from the semi-major axis  $CA$  is  $\phi$ . If  $S$  be the focus nearest to  $A$  and  $\angle ASP = \theta$ , prove that  $\tan \left( \frac{\theta}{2} \right) = \sqrt{\frac{1+e}{1-e}} \tan \left( \frac{\phi}{2} \right)$ .
13. Prove that the locus of the centroid of an equilateral inscribed in an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is  $\frac{(a^2 + 3b^2)^2}{a^2(a^2 - b^2)^2} x^2 + \frac{(3a^2 + b^2)^2}{a^2(a^2 - b^2)^2} y^2 = 1$ .
14. The tangent at a point  $P(a \cos \phi, b \sin \phi)$  of an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  meets its auxiliary circle in two points, the chord joining which subtends a right angle at the centre. Prove that the eccentricity of the ellipse is  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \sin^2 \theta}}$ .
15. Prove that the locus of the point of intersection of tangents to an ellipse at two points whose eccentric angles differ by a constant  $\alpha$  is an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = \sec^2 \left( \frac{\alpha}{2} \right)$ .
16. If two concentric ellipses be such that the foci of one be on the other end and  $e$  and  $e'$  be their eccentricities. Prove that the angle between their axes is  $\cos^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{e^2 + e'^2 - 1}}{ee'} \right)$ .

17. If the normals at the four points  $(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $(x_2, y_2)$ ,  $(x_3, y_3)$  and  $(x_4, y_4)$  on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  are concurrent, prove that

$$(x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4) \left( \frac{1}{x_1} + \frac{1}{x_2} + \frac{1}{x_3} + \frac{1}{x_4} \right) = 1$$

18. If  $\theta$  be the difference of the eccentric angles of two points on an ellipse, the tangent at which are at right angles. Prove that  $ab \sin \theta = d_1 d_2$ , where  $d_1, d_2$  are the semi-diameters parallel to the tangents at the points and  $a, b$  are the semi-axes of the ellipse.

19. From any point on the conic  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 4$ , tangents are drawn to the conic  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

Prove that the normals at the points of contact meet on the conic  $a^2 x^2 + b^2 y^2 = \frac{1}{4}(a^2 - b^2)^2$ .

20. Show that the locus of the centre of the circle which cuts the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  in a fixed point  $(h, k)$  and two other points at the extremities of a diameter is  $2(a^2 x^2 + b^2 y^2) = (a^2 - b^2)(hx - ky)$ .

### Integer Type Questions

- Find the minimum area of the triangle formed by the tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ .
- Let  $P$  be a variable point on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{5} + \frac{y^2}{1} = 1$  with foci  $F_1$  and  $F_2$ . If  $A$  be the area of the triangle  $\Delta PF_1 F_2$ , find the maximum value of  $A$ .
- If the tangent at  $\left( 4 \cos \phi, \frac{16}{\sqrt{11}} \sin \phi \right)$  to the ellipse  $16x^2 + 11y^2 = 256$  is also a tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 15 = 0$ , find the number of values of  $\phi$ .
- Find the area of a parallelogram formed by the tangents at the extremities of a pair of conjugate diameters of an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{9} + 16y^2 = 1$ .
- Find the number of integral values of  $a$  for which the equation  $\frac{x^2}{a-10} + \frac{y^2}{4-a} = 1$  represents an ellipse.
- Find the area of the greatest rectangle that can be inscribed in an ellipse  $x^2 + 4y^2 = 4$ .
- If  $P(x, y)$ ,  $F_1 = (\sqrt{7}, 0)$ ,  $F_2 = (-\sqrt{7}, 0)$  and  $9x^2 + 16x^2 = 144$ , find the value of  $(PF_1 + PF_2 - 2)$ .

- If  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  be the feet of perpendiculars from the foci  $S_1$  and  $S_2$  of an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{5} + \frac{y^2}{3} = 1$  on the tangent at any point  $P$  on the ellipse, find the value of  $(S_1 F_1) \cdot (S_1 F_2)$ .
- Find the minimum length of the intercept of any tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$  between the co-ordinate axes.
- Find the number of distinct normals that can be drawn to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{169} + \frac{y^2}{25} = 1$  from the point  $(0, 6)$ .

### Comprehensive Link Passage

#### Passage I

Let  $C: x^2 + y^2 = r^2$  and  $E: \frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$  intersect at four distinct points  $A, B, C, D$ . Their common tangents form a parallelogram  $EFGH$ .

- If  $ABCD$  is a square, then  $r$  is  
(a)  $\frac{12\sqrt{2}}{5}$  (b)  $\frac{12}{5}$  (c)  $\frac{12}{5\sqrt{5}}$  (d) none
- If  $EFGH$  is a square, then  $r$  is  
(a)  $\sqrt{20}$  (b)  $\sqrt{12}$  (c)  $\sqrt{15}$  (d) none
- If  $EFGH$  is a square, the ratio of  $\frac{\text{ar}(\text{Circle } C)}{\text{ar}(\text{circumcircle } \Delta EFG)}$  is  
(a)  $\frac{9}{16}$  (b)  $\frac{3}{4}$  (c)  $\frac{1}{2}$  (d) none

#### Passage II

A curve is represented by  $C:$

$$21x^2 - 6xy + 29y^2 + 6x - 58y - 151 = 0$$

- The eccentricity of the given curve is  
(a)  $\frac{1}{3}$  (b)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$  (c)  $\frac{2}{3}$  (d)  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}$
- The length of axes are  
(a)  $6, 2\sqrt{6}$  (b)  $5, 2\sqrt{5}$  (c)  $4, 4\sqrt{5}$  (d) None
- The centre of the conic  $C$  is  
(a)  $(1, 0)$  (b)  $(0, 0)$  (c)  $(0, 1)$  (d) None.

#### Passage III

Let  $F$  and  $F'$  be the foci of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  whose eccentricity is  $e$ ,  $P$  is a variable point on the ellipse.

- The locus of the incentre of the  $\Delta PFF'$  is a/an  
(a) ellipse (b) hyperbola  
(c) parabola (d) circle
- The eccentricity of the locus of  $P$  is  
(a)  $\sqrt{\frac{2e}{1-e}}$  (b)  $\sqrt{\frac{2e}{1+e}}$  (c) 1 (d) none

3. The maximum area of the rectangle inscribed in the ellipse is

(a)  $\frac{2abe^2}{1+e}$  (b)  $\frac{2abe}{1+e}$  (c)  $\frac{abe}{1+e}$  (d) none

**Passage IV**

The ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is such that it has the least area but contains the circle  $(x-1)^2 + y^2 = 1$ .

- The eccentricity of the ellipse is  
 (a)  $\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$  (b)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$  (c)  $\frac{1}{2}$  (d) none
- The equation of the auxiliary circle of the ellipse is  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{13}{2}$  (b)  $x^2 + y^2 = 5$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{9}{2}$  (d) none
- The length of the latus rectum of the ellipse is  
 (a) 2 (b) 1 (c) 3 (d) 5/2

**Passage V**

The conic section is the locus of a point which moves in a plane in such a way that, the ratio of its distance from a fixed point to a fixed straight line is constant. The fixed point is called focus and the fixed straight line is called the directrix. The constant ratio is called the eccentricity. It is denoted by  $e$ .

If  $e$  is less than 1, the conic section is called an ellipse. A line joining two points on the ellipse is called the chord of the ellipse. If through a point  $C$ , any chord of an ellipse is bisected, the point  $C$  is called the centre of the ellipse.

Let the equation of the curve is

$$ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$$

It will represent an ellipse if  $h^2 < ab$  and  $\Delta \neq 0$ , where

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} a & h & g \\ h & b & f \\ g & f & c \end{vmatrix}$$

- The length of the longest chord of the ellipse  $x^2 + xy + y^2 = 1$  is  
 (a)  $\sqrt{2}$  (b)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  (c)  $2\sqrt{2}$  (d) 1
- The length of the chord passing through the centre and perpendicular to the longest chord of the ellipse  $x^2 + xy + y^2 = 1$  is  
 (a)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  (b)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$  (c)  $2\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$  (d)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$
- There are exactly  $n$  integral values of  $\lambda$  for which the equation  $x^2 + \lambda xy + y^2 = 1$  represents an ellipse, then  $n$  must be  
 (a) 0 (b) 1 (c) 2 (d) 3
- The centre of the ellipse  $x^2 + xy + 2y^2 = 1$  is  
 (a) (0, 0) (b) (1, 1) (c) (1, 2) (d) (2, 1)

**Passage VI**

Tangents are drawn from the point  $P(3, 4)$  to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  touching the ellipse at points  $A$  and  $B$ .

- The co-ordinates of  $A$  and  $B$  are  
 (a) (3, 0) and (0, 2)  
 (b)  $\left(-\frac{8}{5}, \frac{2\sqrt{161}}{15}\right)$  and  $\left(-\frac{9}{5}, \frac{8}{5}\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(-\frac{8}{5}, \frac{2\sqrt{161}}{15}\right)$  and (0, 2)  
 (d) (3, 0) and  $\left(-\frac{9}{5}, \frac{8}{5}\right)$
- The orthocentre of the  $\Delta PAB$  is  
 (a)  $\left(5, \frac{8}{7}\right)$  (b)  $\left(\frac{7}{5}, \frac{25}{8}\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(\frac{11}{5}, \frac{8}{5}\right)$  (d)  $\left(\frac{8}{25}, \frac{7}{5}\right)$
- The equation of the locus of the point whose distances from the point  $P$  and the line  $AB$  are equal is  
 (a)  $9x^2 + y^2 - 6xy - 54x - 62y + 241 = 0$   
 (b)  $9x^2 + y^2 + 6xy - 54x + 62y + 241 = 0$   
 (c)  $9x^2 + 9y^2 - 6xy - 54x - 62y + 241 = 0$   
 (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - 2xy - 27x - 31y + 120 = 0$

**Matrix Match**  
**(For JEE-Advanced Examination Only)**

- Match the following columns:  
 Let the equation of the curve is  $x^2 + 2y^2 + 4x + 12y = 0$ .

Column I		Column II	
(A)	The centre is	(P)	$(-2 - \sqrt{11}, -)$
(B)	The focus is	(Q)	$(-2, -3)$
(C)	One extremity of the major axis is	(R)	$(\sqrt{11} - 2, -3)$
(D)	The latus rectum is	(S)	$\left(-2 + \frac{\sqrt{11}}{2}, -2\right)$
		(T)	$\sqrt{22}$

- Match the following columns:  
 Let the equation of the ellipse is  $\frac{(x-3)^2}{25} + \frac{(y-2)^2}{16} = 1$ .

Column I		Column II	
(A)	The centre is	(P)	(8, 2)
(B)	One extremity of major axis is	(Q)	(3, 2)
(C)	One of the foci is	(R)	(6, 2)
(D)	One extremity of minor axis is	(S)	(3, 6)
(E)	The length of latus rectum is	(T)	10
(F)	The focal distance is	(U)	6.4



3. Match the following columns:

For all real  $p$ , the line  $2px + 2\sqrt{1-p^2} = 1$  touches a fixed ellipse.

Column I		Column II	
(A)	The eccentricity is	(P)	1/2
(B)	The latus rectum is	(Q)	$\sqrt{3}/2$
(C)	The focal distance is	(R)	2
(D)	One extremity of major axis is	(S)	(0, 1)
(E)	One of the foci is	(T)	$(0, \sqrt{3}/2)$

4. Match the following columns:

A tangent having slope  $-4/3$  touches the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{18} + \frac{y^2}{32} = 1$  at point  $P$  and intersects the major and minor axes at  $A$  and  $B$  respectively, where  $O$  is the centre of the ellipse.

Column I		Column II	
(A)	The distance between the parallel tangents having slopes $-4/3$ is	(P)	24
(B)	Area of $\Delta AOB$ is	(Q)	7/24
(C)	If the tangent in first quadrant touches the ellipse at $(h, k)$ , the value of $hk$ is	(R)	48/5
(D)	If the equation of the tangent intersecting positive axes is $lx + my = 1$ , the value of $l + m$ is	(S)	12

5. Match the following columns:

Let  $M(t, t + 1)$  is a point moving in a straight line and  $C_1, C_2, C_3$  be three conics whose equations are  $x^2 + y^2 = 2, y^2 = 8x$  and  $x^2 + 2y^2 = 1$ . Let  $M$  lies within the interior of  $C_1, C_2, C_3$ .

Column I		Column II	
(A)	$C_1$ is	(P)	$(3 - 2\sqrt{2}, 3 + 2\sqrt{2})$
(B)	$C_2$ is	(Q)	$\left(-1, -\frac{1}{3}\right)$
(C)	$C_3$ is	(R)	$\left(\frac{-1 - \sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{-1 + \sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$

6. Match the following columns:

Tangents are drawn from  $(2, 3)$  to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{3} = 1$ .

Column I		Column II	
(A)	The equation of $PQ$ is	(P)	$3 \times \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$

(B)	The length of $PQ$ is	(Q)	$12\sqrt{3}$
(C)	Area of $\Delta TPQ$ is	(R)	$9\sqrt{3}$
(D)	Area of quadrilateral $OPTQ$ is	(S)	$x + 2y = 2$
		(T)	$2x + y = 1$

### Questions asked in Previous Years' JEE-Advanced Examinations

- The locus of a point whose distance from  $(-2, 0)$  is  $2/3$  times its distance from the line  $x = -\frac{9}{2}$  is a/an
    - ellipse
    - parabola
    - hyperbola
    - none [IIT-JEE, 1994]
  - Let  $E$  be the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  and  $C$  be the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ . Let  $P$  and  $Q$  be the points  $(1, 2)$  and  $(2, 1)$  respectively, then
    - $Q$  lies inside  $C$  but outside  $E$
    - $Q$  lies outside both  $C$  and  $E$
    - $P$  lies inside both  $C$  and  $E$
    - $P$  lies inside  $C$  but outside  $E$  [IIT-JEE, 1994]
  - Let  $P$  be a variable point on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  with foci  $F_1$  and  $F_2$ . If  $A$  is the area of  $\Delta PF_1F_2$ , find the maximum value of  $A$ . [IIT-JEE, 1994]
  - The radius of the circle passing through the foci of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ , and having its centre at  $(0, 3)$  is
    - 4
    - 3
    - $\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}}$
    - $\frac{7}{2}$  [IIT-JEE, 1995]
  - Let  $d$  be the perpendicular distance from the centre of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  to the tangent drawn at a point  $P$  on the ellipse. If  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  are two foci of the ellipse, show that  $(PF_1 - PF_2)^2 = 4a^2 \left(1 - \frac{b^2}{d^2}\right)$ . [IIT-JEE, 1995]
- No questions asked in 1996.
- A tangent to the ellipse  $x^2 + 4y^2 = 4$  meets the ellipse  $x^2 + 2y^2 = 6$  at  $P$  and  $Q$ . Prove that the tangents at  $P$  and  $Q$  of the ellipse  $x^2 + 2y^2 = 6$  are at right angles. [IIT-JEE, 1997]
  - An ellipse has  $OB$  as a semi-minor axis.  $F$  and  $F'$  are its foci, and the ellipse  $FBF'$  is a right angle. Find the eccentricity of the ellipse. [IIT-JEE, 1997]
  - If  $P = (x, y)$  be any point on  $16x^2 + 25y^2 = 400$  with foci  $F_1 = (3, 0)$  and  $F_2 = (-3, 0)$ , then  $PF + PF_2$  is
    - 8
    - 6
    - 10
    - 12 [IIT-JEE, 1998]

9. Find the co-ordinates of all points  $P$  on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , for which the area of  $\triangle PON$  is maximum, where  $O$  denotes the origin and  $N$ , the foot of the perpendicular from  $O$  to the tangent at  $P$ .

[IIT-JEE, 1999]

10. On the ellipse  $4x^2 + 9y^2 = 1$ , the points at which the tangents are parallel to the line  $9y = 8x$  are

(a)  $\left(\frac{2}{5}, \frac{1}{5}\right)$                       (b)  $\left(-\frac{2}{5}, \frac{1}{5}\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(-\frac{2}{5}, -\frac{1}{5}\right)$                       (d)  $\left(\frac{2}{5}, -\frac{1}{5}\right)$

[IIT-JEE, 1999]

11. Let  $P$  be a point on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$   $0 < b < a$ .

Let the line parallel to  $y$ -axis passing through  $P$  meet the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  at the point  $Q$  such that  $P$  and  $Q$  are on the same side of  $x$ -axis. For two positive real numbers  $r$  and  $s$ , find the locus of the point  $R$  on  $PQ$  such that  $PR : RQ = r : s$  and  $p$  varies over the two ellipses.

[IIT-JEE, 2001]

12. Prove that, in an ellipse, the perpendicular from a focus upon any tangent and the line joining the centre of the ellipse to the point of contact meet on the corresponding directrix.

[IIT-JEE, 2002]

13. The area of the quadrilateral formed by the tangents at the end-points of latus rectum to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{5} = 1$ , is

(a)  $27/4$  s.u.                      (b)  $9$  s.u.  
 (c)  $27/2$  s.u.                      (d)  $27$  s.u.

[IIT-JEE, 2003]

14. If tangents are drawn to the ellipse  $x^2 + 2y^2 = 2$ , the locus of the mid-point of the intercept made by the tangents between the co-ordinate axes is

(a)  $\frac{1}{2x^2} + \frac{1}{4y^2} = 1$                       (b)  $\frac{1}{4x^2} + \frac{1}{2y^2} = 1$   
 (c)  $\frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$                       (d)  $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{2} = 1$

[IIT-JEE, 2004]

15. Find the equation of the common tangent in first quadrant to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 16$  and the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ .

Also find the length of the intercept of the tangent between the co-ordinate axes.

[IIT-JEE, 2005]

16. A triangle is formed by a tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and the co-ordinate axes. The area of the triangle cannot be less than

(a)  $\frac{1}{2}(a^2 + b^2)$  s.u.                      (b)  $\frac{1}{3}(a^2 + b^2 + ab)$  s.u.  
 (c)  $\frac{1}{2}(a + b)^2$  s.u.                      (d)  $ab$  s.u.

[IIT-JEE, 2005]

*No questions asked in between 2006-2007.*

17. Let  $P(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $Q(x_2, y_2)$ ,  $y_1 < 0, y_2 < 0$ , be the end-points of the latus rectum of the ellipse  $x^2 + 4y^2 = 4$ . The equation of the parabola with latus rectum  $PQ$  are

(a)  $x^2 + 2\sqrt{3}y = 3 + \sqrt{3}$                       (b)  $x^2 - 2\sqrt{3}y = 3 + \sqrt{3}$   
 (c)  $x^2 + 2\sqrt{3}y = 3 - \sqrt{3}$                       (d)  $x^2 - 2\sqrt{3}y = 3 - \sqrt{3}$

[IIT-JEE, 2008]

18. The line passing through the extremity  $A$  of the major axis and extremity  $B$  of the minor axis of the ellipse  $x^2 + 9y^2 = 9$  meets its auxiliary circle at the point  $M$ . Then the area of the triangle with vertices at  $A, M$  and the origin  $O$  is

(a)  $31/10$                       (b)  $29/10$   
 (c)  $21/10$                       (d)  $27/10$

[IIT-JEE, 2009]

19. The normal at  $P$  on the ellipse  $x^2 + 4y^2 = 16$  meets the  $x$ -axis at  $Q$ . If  $M$  is the mid-point of the line segment  $PQ$ , the locus of  $M$  intersects the latus rectums of the given ellipse at the points

(a)  $(\pm 3\sqrt{5}/2, \pm 2/7)$                       (b)  $(\pm 3\sqrt{5}/2, \pm \sqrt{19}/7)$   
 (c)  $(\pm 2\sqrt{3}, \pm 1/7)$                       (d)  $(\pm 2\sqrt{3}, \pm 4\sqrt{3}/7)$

[IIT-JEE, 2009]

### Comprehension

Tangents are drawn from the point  $P(3, 4)$  to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  touching the ellipse at points  $A$  and  $B$ .

20. The co-ordinates of  $A$  and  $B$  are

(a)  $(3, 0)$  and  $(0, 2)$   
 (b)  $\left(-\frac{8}{5}, \frac{2\sqrt{16}}{15}\right)$  and  $\left(-\frac{9}{5}, \frac{8}{5}\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(-\frac{8}{5}, \frac{2\sqrt{16}}{15}\right)$  and  $(0, 2)$   
 (d)  $(3, 0)$  and  $\left(-\frac{9}{5}, \frac{8}{5}\right)$

21. The orthocentre of  $\triangle PAB$  is

(a)  $\left(5, \frac{8}{7}\right)$                       (b)  $\left(\frac{7}{5}, \frac{25}{8}\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(\frac{11}{5}, \frac{8}{5}\right)$                       (d)  $\left(\frac{8}{25}, \frac{7}{5}\right)$

[IIT-JEE, 2010]

22. The equation of the locus of the point whose distances from the point  $P$  and the line  $AB$  are equal, is

- (a)  $9x^2 + y^2 - 6xy - 54x - 62y + 241 = 0$   
 (b)  $x^2 + 9y^2 + 6xy - 54x + 62y - 241 = 0$   
 (c)  $9x^2 + 9y^2 - 6xy - 54x - 62y - 241 = 0$   
 (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - 2xy + 27x + 31y - 120 = 0$ .

[IIT-JEE, 2011]

23. The ellipse  $E_1: \frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  is inscribed in a rectangle  $R$  whose sides are parallel to the co-ordinate axes. Another ellipse  $E_2$ : passing through the point  $(0, 4)$  circumscribes the rectangle  $R$ . The eccentricity of the ellipse  $E_2$  is

- (a)  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$       (b)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$       (c)  $\frac{1}{2}$       (d)  $\frac{3}{4}$

[IIT-JEE, 2012]

24. A vertical line passing through the point  $(h, 0)$  intersects the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{3} = 1$  at the points  $P$  and  $Q$ . Let the tangents to the ellipse at  $P$  and  $Q$  meet at  $R$ .

If  $\Delta(h) = \text{area of } \Delta PQR$ ,

$$\Delta_1 = \max_{\frac{1}{2} \leq h \leq 1} \Delta(h)$$

$$\text{and } \Delta_2 = \min_{\frac{1}{2} \leq h \leq 1} \Delta(h)$$

$$\text{then } \frac{8}{\sqrt{5}} \Delta_1 - 8\Delta_2 = \dots\dots\dots$$

[IIT-JEE, 2013]

25. If the normal from the point  $P(h, 1)$  on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{6} + \frac{y^2}{3} = 1$  is perpendicular to the line  $x + y = 3$ , then the value of  $h$  is...

[IIT-JEE, 2014]

26. Suppose that the foci of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{5} = 1$  are  $(f_1, 0)$  where  $(f_2, 0)$ . Let  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  be two parabolas with a common vertex at  $(0, 0)$  and with foci at  $(f_1, 0)$  and  $(2f_2, 0)$ , respectively. Let  $T_1$  be a tangent to  $P_1$  which passes through  $(2f_2, 0)$  and  $T_2$  be a tangent to  $P_2$  which passes through  $(f_1, 0)$ .

The  $m_1$  is the slope of  $T_1$  and  $m_2$  is the slope of  $T_2$ , then the value of  $\left(\frac{1}{m_1^2} + m_2^2\right)$  is... [IIT-JEE-2015]

27. Let  $E_1$  and  $E_2$  be two ellipses whose centers are at the origin. The major axes of  $E_1$  and  $E_2$  lie along the  $x$ -axis and the  $y$ -axis, respectively. Let  $S$  be the circle  $x^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 2$ . The straight line  $x + y = 3$  touches the curves  $S$ ,  $E_1$  and  $E_2$  at  $P$ ,  $Q$  and  $R$ , respectively. Suppose that  $PQ = PR = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$ . If  $e_1$  and  $e_2$  are the eccentricities of

$E_1$  and  $E_2$ , respectively, then the correct expression(s) is(are)

(a)  $e_1^2 + e_2^2 = \frac{43}{40}$       (b)  $e_1 e_2 = \frac{\sqrt{7}}{2\sqrt{10}}$

(c)  $|e_1^2 - e_2^2| = \frac{5}{8}$       (d)  $e_1 e_2 = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$

[IIT-JEE-2015]

**28. Comprehension**

Let  $F_1(x_1, 0)$  and  $F_2(x_2, 0)$ , for  $x_1 < 0$  and  $x_2 > 0$ , be the foci of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{8} = 1$

Suppose a parabola having vertex at the origin and focus at  $F_2$  intersects the ellipse at point  $M$  in the first quadrant and at point  $N$  in the fourth quadrant.

- (i) The orthocentre of the triangle  $F_1MN$  is

(a)  $\left(-\frac{9}{10}, 0\right)$       (b)  $\left(\frac{2}{3}, 0\right)$

(c)  $\left(\frac{9}{10}, 0\right)$       (d)  $\left(\frac{2}{3}, \sqrt{6}\right)$

- (ii) If the tangents to the ellipse at  $M$  and  $N$  meet at  $R$  and the normal to the parabola at  $M$  meets the  $x$ -axis at  $Q$ , then the ratio of area of the triangle  $MQR$  to area of the quadrilateral  $MF_1NF_2$  is

- (a) 3:4      (b) 4:5      (c) 5:8      (d) 2:3

[IIT-JEE-2016]

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2. 10  
 3.  $4 < a < 10$   
 4.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$   
 5.  $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{12} = 1$

6.  $e = \frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2}$   
 7. 0  
 8.  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$   
 9. 24  
 10.  $\frac{(x-3)^2}{16} + \frac{(y-2)^2}{9} = 1$

11.  $SQ = \frac{40}{3}$
12.  $(9\pi - 6)$  s.u.
13.  $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{3} = 1$
14. 2013
15. 2
16.  $y = -\frac{1}{2}x + \sqrt{13}$
17.  $\left(\frac{\pm(-48)}{5}, \frac{\pm 36}{5}\right)$
18. 1 and  $\pm 5$
19.  $y = 2x \pm \sqrt{14}$
34.  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$
35.  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$
36.  $4x^2 + 3y^2 - 12xy + 4x + 6y - 3 = 0$
50.  $\begin{vmatrix} \operatorname{cosec} \alpha & \sec \alpha & 1 \\ \operatorname{cosec} \beta & \sec \beta & 1 \\ \operatorname{cosec} \gamma & \sec \gamma & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$
51.  $\left(\frac{x^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2}{b^4}\right) = \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}$
52.  $\frac{x^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2}{b^4} = \frac{1}{c^2}$
53.  $(a^2 + b^2)\left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)^2 = (x^2 + y^2)$
54.  $\left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{c^2}{x^2 + y^2}\right)$
55.  $x \cdot y = \frac{a^2 b^2}{\lambda}$
56.  $\left(\frac{a^6}{x^2} + \frac{b^6}{y^2}\right)\left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)^2 = (a^2 - b^2)^2$
57.  $a^2\left(\frac{x^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2}{b^4}\right) = \left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)^2$
58.  $\left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)^2 \left(\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}\right) = \left(\frac{x^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2}{b^4}\right)$
59.  $\left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$
60.  $\left(\frac{x^2 + y^2}{a^2 + b^2}\right) = \left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)^2$
61.  $b^2x^2 + a^2y^2 = ab^2xc$
62.  $\frac{\alpha^2x^2}{a^4} + \frac{\beta^2y^2}{b^4} = \left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)^2$
63.  $x = \frac{a}{e}$

64.  $\left(-\frac{a^2l}{n}, -\frac{b^2m}{n}\right)$
66. (1, 1)
67.  $a^2c^4x^2 + b^2d^4y^2 = 1$
68.  $\frac{x^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2}{b^4} = \frac{1}{c^2}$
69.  $\frac{a^6}{x^2} + \frac{b^6}{y^2} = (a^2 - b^2)^2$
70.  $4a^2x^2 = y^2\beta^2 + 4a^2\alpha^2$
71.  $y = -\frac{b^2x}{a^2m}$
72.  $P(a \cos \varphi, b \sin \varphi),$   
 $Q(-a \cos \varphi, -b \sin \varphi),$   
 $S(-a \sin \varphi, b \cos \varphi),$   
 and  $R(a \sin \varphi, -b \cos \varphi)$
75.  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 2$
76.  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = \frac{1}{2}$
77.  $a^3y + b^3x = 0$
78.  $\frac{a^2}{c^2} + \frac{b^2}{d^2} = 2$
79.  $2(a^2x^2 + b^2y^2)^3 = (a^2 - b^2)(a^2x^2 - b^2y^2)^2$
81.  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 2$
82.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$
83.  $4x + 3y = 12$
84.  $x + y = 2$

**LEVEL II**

- |            |         |         |         |                  |
|------------|---------|---------|---------|------------------|
| 1. (c)     | 2. (c)  | 3. (a)  | 4. (c)  | 5. (a)           |
| 6. (c)     | 7. (a)  | 8. (a)  | 9. (b)  | 10. (c)          |
| 11. (d)    | 12. (d) | 13. (a) | 14. (a) | 15. (b)          |
| 16. (a, b) | 17. (d) | 18. (a) | 19. (a) | 20. (a, b, c, d) |
| 21. (a)    | 22. (c) | 23. (a) | 24. (a) | 25. (d)          |
| 26. (c)    | 27. (b) | 28. (c) | 29. (c) | 30. (b)          |
| 31. (a)    | 32. (d) | 33. (a) | 34. (b) | 35. (d)          |
| 36. (c)    | 37. (c) | 38. (d) | 39. (d) | 40. (a)          |
| 41. (a)    | 42. (c) | 43. (a) | 44. (a) | 45. (d)          |
| 46. (c)    | 47. (d) | 48. (a) | 49. (a) | 50. (d)          |
| 51. (b)    | 52. (c) | 53. (c) | 54. (c) | 55. (a)          |
| 56. (b)    | 57. (b) | 58. (a) | 59. (b) | 60. (c)          |
| 61. (a)    | 62. (c) | 63. (d) | 64. (c) | 65. (c)          |
| 66. (d)    | 67. (d) | 68. (d) | 69. (c) | 70. (b)          |

**LEVEL III**

1.  $b\sqrt{a^2 - b^2}$
2. 4
4.  $\varphi = \pi - \tan^{-1} 2, t = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, \varphi = \pi + \tan^{-1}(2),$   
 $t = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}; \varphi = \pm \frac{\pi}{2}, t = 0$
5.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$
7.  $\left( \frac{a^2}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}, \frac{b^2}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} \right)$
8.  $(x-1)^2 + y^2 = \frac{121}{9}$
9.  $a^2 p^2 + b^2 q^2 = r^2 \sec^2 \left( \frac{\pi}{8} \right)$
12. 27 s.u.
13.  $\frac{\pi}{6}$
14.  $\frac{1}{2x^2} + \frac{1}{4y^2} = 1$
15.  $ab$  s.u.
16.  $Y = -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}x + 4\sqrt{\frac{7}{3}}; \frac{14}{\sqrt{3}}$
17.  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$
19. 4
20.  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3 - \sqrt{5}}}$
21.  $\left( \frac{b^2 x^2 + a^2 y^2}{a^4 y^2 + b^4 x^2} \right) = \frac{1}{c^2} \left( 1 - \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} \right)$
22.  $y^2 = \left( \frac{2b^2}{a} \right) x$
23.  $(x^2 + y^2)(x^2 + y^2 - a^2 - b^2) = 2xy(a^2 - b^2)$
24.  $\{(x^2 - y^2) + (b^2 + a^2)\} \tan(2\alpha) + 2xy$
25.  $5\sqrt{2}$
26.  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{9y^2}{4} = 1$
- 27.
- 28.
29.  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  or  $\frac{5\pi}{4}$

30.  $\frac{1}{r_1^2} + \frac{1}{r_2^2} = \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}$
31.  $\frac{\sqrt{5}}{3}$
32.  $c = 14$  or  $-6, A = (-4, 6), D = (3, 0)$

**LEVEL IV**

1.  $\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{4} ab$
2. 1 s.u.,  $\left( \frac{3}{2}, 1 \right)$
3.  $(x-1)^2 + y^2 = \frac{11}{3}$
4.  $r^2 = \cos^2 \left( \frac{\pi}{8} \right) \times (a^2 p^2 + b^2 q^2)$

**INTEGER TYPE QUESTIONS**

1. 6 s.u.
2. 2 s.u.
3. 2
4. 3 s.u.
5. 5
6. 4 s.u.
7. 6
8. 3
9. 7
10. 3

**COMPREHENSIVE LINK PASSAGES**

- |              |      |      |      |      |
|--------------|------|------|------|------|
| Passage I:   | 1(a) | 2(d) | 3(c) |      |
| Passage II:  | 1(b) | 2(a) | 3(c) |      |
| Passage III: | 1(a) | 2(b) | 3(a) |      |
| Passage IV:  | 1(a) | 2(c) | 3(b) |      |
| Passage V:   | 1(c) | 2(c) | 3(d) | 4(a) |
| Passage VI:  | 1(a) | 2(c) | 3(a) | 4(a) |

**MATRIX MATCH**

1. (A) → (Q); (B) → (P, R); (C) → (S); (D) → (T)
2. (A) → (Q); (B) → (P); (C) → (R); (D) → (S); (E) → (U); (F) → (T)
3. (A) → (Q); (B) → (P); (C) → (R); (D) → (S); (E) → (T)
4. (A) → (R); (B) → (P); (C) → (S); (D) → (Q)
5. (A) → (R); (B) → (Q); (C) → (P)
6. (A) → (S); (B) → (P); (C) → (R); (D) → (Q)

## HINTS AND SOLUTIONS

### LEVEL I

1. (i) The given equation of the ellipse is  $9x^2 + 16y^2 = 144$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$$

- (a) Centre:  $C(0, 0)$   
 (b) Vertices:  $A(a, 0)$   $A'(-a, 0) = A(4, 0)$  and  $A'(4, 0)$   
 (c) Co-vertices:  $B = (0, b)$  and  $B' = (0, -b)$   
 $\Rightarrow B = (0, 3)$  and  $B' = (0, -3)$   
 (d) Length of the major axis:  $2a = 8$   
 (e) Length of the minor axis:  $2b = 6$

(f) Eccentricity  $= e = \sqrt{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{9}{16}} = \frac{\sqrt{7}}{4}$

(g) Lengths of the latus rectum  $= \frac{2b^2}{a} = \frac{18}{4} = \frac{9}{2}$

- (h) Equations of the directrices:

$$x = \pm \frac{a}{e}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \pm \frac{4}{\frac{\sqrt{7}}{4}} = \pm \frac{16}{\sqrt{7}}$$

- (i) End-points of the latus recta:

$$L\left(ae, \frac{b^2}{a}\right), L'\left(ae, -\frac{b^2}{a}\right)$$

$$= L\left(\sqrt{7}, \frac{9}{4}\right), L'\left(\sqrt{7}, -\frac{9}{4}\right)$$

- (ii) The given equation of the ellipse is

$$2x^2 + 3y^2 - 4x - 12y + 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(x^2 - 2x + 1) + 3(y^2 - 4y + 4) = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(x-1)^2 + 3(y-2)^2 = 6$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \frac{X^2}{3} + \frac{Y^2}{2} = 1, \text{ where } X = x-1, Y = y-2$$

- (a) Centre:  $(0, 0)$   
 $\Rightarrow X = 0, Y = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x-1 = 0$  and  $y-2 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x = 1$  and  $y = 2$   
 Hence, the centre is  $(1, 2)$ .

- (b) Vertices:  $(\pm a, 0)$   
 $\Rightarrow X = \pm a, Y = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x-1 = \pm 3, y-2 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x = 1 \pm 3, y = 2$   
 $\Rightarrow x = 4, -2, y = 2$

Hence, the vertices are  $(4, 2)$  and  $(-2, 2)$

- (c) Co-vertices:  $(0, \pm b)$   
 $\Rightarrow X = 0, Y = \pm 3$   
 $\Rightarrow x-1 = 0, y-2 = \pm 3$   
 $\Rightarrow x = 1, y = 2 \pm 3$   
 $\Rightarrow x = 1, y = 5, -1$

Hence, the co-vertices are  $(1, 5), (1, -1)$ .

- (d) The length of the major axis  $= 2a = 6$   
 (e) The length of the minor axis  $= 2b = 4$   
 (f) The length of the latus rectum  $= \frac{2b^2}{a} = \frac{18}{4} = \frac{9}{2}$

- (g) Eccentricity,

$$e = \sqrt{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{2}{3}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

- (h) Equations of the directrices:

$$X = \pm \frac{a}{e} = \pm \frac{3}{1/\sqrt{3}} = \pm 3\sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 1 \pm 3\sqrt{3}$$

- (i) End-points of the latus recta:

$$L\left(ae, \frac{b^2}{a}\right); L'\left(ae, -\frac{b^2}{a}\right)$$

$$= L\left(\sqrt{3}, \frac{9}{2}\right); L'\left(\sqrt{3}, -\frac{9}{2}\right)$$

2. The given equation of the ellipse is

$$16x^2 + 25y^2 = 400$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$$

Thus, the sum of the focal distances

$$= 2a = 10 \text{ units}$$

3. The given equation of an ellipse is  $\frac{x^2}{10-a} + \frac{y^2}{a-4} = 1$

$$\Rightarrow (a-4)x^2 + (10-a)y^2 - (a-4)(10-a) = 0$$

Since, the given equation represents an ellipse,

$$h^2 - ab < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 - (a-4)(10-a) < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (a-4)(a-10) < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 < a < 10$$

Hence, the length of the interval  $= 10 - 4 = 6$ .

Thus, the value of  $m$  is 6.

4. Let the foci of the ellipse are  $S$  and  $S'$  respectively.

Then  $S = (5, 12)$  and  $S' = (24, 7)$ .

Thus, the centre of the ellipse is  $C\left(\frac{29}{2}, \frac{19}{2}\right)$ .

$$\text{Now } OC = \frac{1}{2} \times \sqrt{29^2 + 19^2} = \frac{1}{2} \times \sqrt{1202}$$

We have,

$$SS' = \sqrt{386}$$

$$\Rightarrow e = \frac{\sqrt{386}}{2a} = \frac{\sqrt{386}}{\sqrt{1202}} = \sqrt{\frac{386}{1202}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

5. Let  $S(2, 0)$  and  $S'(-2, 0)$  are two foci of the ellipse and  $C(0, 0)$  be the centre of the ellipse.

We have,

$$\begin{aligned} SS' &= 4 \\ \Rightarrow 2ae &= 4 \\ \Rightarrow 2a \times \frac{1}{2} &= 4 \quad \Rightarrow a = 4 \end{aligned}$$

Also,  $b^2 = a^2(1 - e^2) = 16\left(1 - \frac{1}{4}\right) = 12$

$$\Rightarrow b = \sqrt{12} = 2\sqrt{3}$$

Hence, the equation of the ellipse is

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{12} &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

6. Given  $2ae = \frac{2b^2}{a}$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow b^2 &= a^2e \\ \Rightarrow a^2(1 - e^2) &= a^2c \\ \Rightarrow (1 - e^2) &= c \\ \Rightarrow c^2 + c - 1 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow e &= \frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the result

7. The equation of the given ellipse is  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$

It is given that the length of the latus rectum =  $\frac{1}{2} \times$  the length of the major axis.

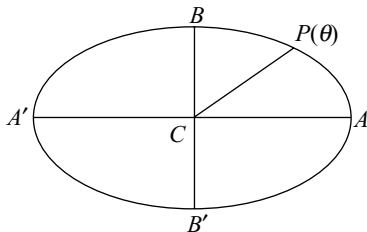
$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{2b^2}{a} &= a \\ \Rightarrow b &= a \end{aligned}$$

As we know that,

$$\text{eccentricity} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 - 1} = 0$$

8. Let any point on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{6} + \frac{y^2}{2} = 1$  is

$P(\sqrt{6} \cos \theta, \sqrt{2} \sin \theta)$  and  $C$  be the centre of the ellipse.



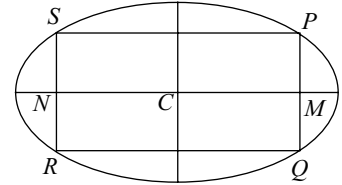
Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} CP &= \sqrt{5} \\ \Rightarrow 6 \cos^2 \theta + 2 \sin^2 \theta &= 5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow 4 \cos^2 \theta &= 3 \\ \Rightarrow \cos \theta &= \sqrt{\frac{3}{4}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \Rightarrow \theta &= \frac{\pi}{6} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the eccentric angle is  $\frac{\pi}{6}$ .

9. Let  $Q$  be any point on the given ellipse, whose co-ordinates are  $(4 \cos^2 \theta, 3 \sin^2 \theta)$ .



Thus,  $PQ = 8 \cos \theta$  and  $QR = 6 \sin \theta$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus, the area of the rectangle PQRS} &= PQ \times QR \\ &= 48 \sin \theta \cos \theta \\ &= 24 \sin 2\theta \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the area of the greatest rectangle

$$= 24 \text{ sq.u. at } \theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

10. The co-ordinates of the given point are  $x = 3 + 4 \cos \theta, y = 2 + 3 \sin \theta$

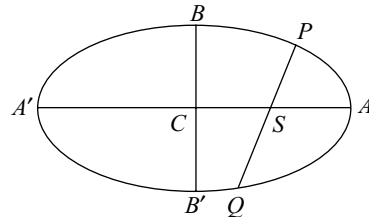
$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{(x-3)}{4} &= \cos \theta, \frac{(y-2)}{3} = \sin \theta \\ \Rightarrow \frac{(x-3)^2}{4^2} + \frac{(y-2)^2}{3^2} &= \cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta = 1 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{(x-3)^2}{16} + \frac{(y-2)^2}{9} &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

which is the required locus.

11. The equation of the ellipse is

$$\begin{aligned} 16x^2 + 25y^2 &= 400 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

As we know that, if  $SP$  and  $SQ$  are the focal segments of a focal chord  $PSQ$ , then  $\frac{1}{SP} + \frac{1}{SQ} = \frac{1}{a}$



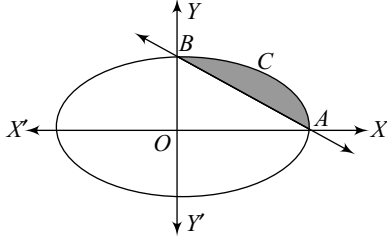
$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{SQ} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{SQ} = \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{8} = \frac{8-5}{40} = \frac{3}{40}$$

$$\Rightarrow SQ = \frac{40}{3}$$

Hence, the length of  $SQ$  is  $40/3$ .

12. As we know that the area of an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is  $\pi ab$ .



Thus, the area of  $OACBO$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \left( \frac{3}{4} \times \pi \cdot 4 \cdot 3 - \frac{1}{2} \cdot 4 \cdot 3 \right) \\ &= (9\pi - 6) \text{ s.u.} \end{aligned}$$

13. Let  $N = \frac{x_1^2}{4} + \frac{y_1^2}{3} - 1$

$$\text{Then, } N = \frac{4}{4} + \frac{9}{3} - 1 = 1 + 3 - 1 = 3$$

Since, the value of  $N$  is positive at  $(2, 3)$ , so the point  $(2, 3)$  lies outside of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{3} = 1$ .

14. Since the point  $(\lambda, -\lambda)$  be an interior point of an ellipse  $4x^2 + 5y^2 = 1$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} &4\lambda^2 + 5\lambda^2 - 1 < 0 \\ \Rightarrow &9\lambda^2 - 1 < 0 \\ \Rightarrow &(3\lambda + 1)(3\lambda - 1) < 0 \\ \Rightarrow &-\frac{1}{3} < \lambda < \frac{1}{3} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Therefore, } m = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow (3m - 2)^{2013} + 2013 = 0 + 2013 = 2013$$

15. We have,

$$4 \cdot 4 + 3 \cdot 3 - 12 = 16 + 9 - 12 = 13 > 0$$

Thus, the point  $(2, 3)$  lies outside of the ellipse.

Thus, the number of tangents = 2

16. The given ellipse is

$$9x^2 + 16y^2 = 144$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$$

The equation of any tangent to the given ellipse is

$$y = mx + \sqrt{a^2m^2 + b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = mx + \sqrt{16m^2 + 9}$$

which is passing through  $(2, 3)$ , so

$$3 = 2m + \sqrt{16m^2 + 9}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow &(3 - 2m)^2 = 16m^2 + 9 \\ \Rightarrow &9 - 6m + 4m^2 = 16m^2 + 9 \\ \Rightarrow &12m^2 + 6m = 0 \\ \Rightarrow &2m^2 + m = 0 \\ \Rightarrow &m(2m + 1) = 0 \\ \Rightarrow &m = 0, -\frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the equation of tangents are  $y = 3$  and

$$y = -\frac{1}{2}x + \sqrt{13}.$$

17. The given line is

$$3x + 4y = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow 4y = -3x + 5$$

and the ellipse is

$$9x^2 + 16y^2 = 144$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -\frac{3}{4}x + \frac{5}{4} \text{ and } \frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$$

As we know that the line  $y = mx + c$  will be a tangent

to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , the points of contacts are

$$\begin{aligned} &\left( \pm \frac{a^2m}{c}, \pm \frac{b^2}{c} \right) \\ &= \left( \pm 16 \left( -\frac{3}{4} \right), \pm 9 \right) \\ &= \left( \pm \frac{5}{4}, \pm \frac{5}{4} \right) \\ &= \left( \pm \frac{(-48)}{5}, \pm \frac{36}{5} \right) \end{aligned}$$

18. The equation of the given ellipse is

$$9x^2 + 16y^2 = 144$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$$

The line  $y = x + \lambda$  will be a tangent to the ellipse, if

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

$$\Rightarrow \lambda^2 = 16 \cdot 1 + 9 = 25$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \pm 5$$

Hence, the values of  $\lambda$  are  $\pm 5$ .

19. The given ellipse is  $\frac{x^2}{3} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$

The equation of any ellipse is

$$y = mx \pm \sqrt{a^2m^2 + b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 2x \pm \sqrt{3 \cdot 4 + 2} = 2x \pm \sqrt{14}$$



20. The equation of any tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  at  $P(\theta)$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of perpendiculars from centre  $(0, 0)$  to tangent is

$$\frac{x}{b} \sin \theta - \frac{y}{a} \cos \theta = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

From Eq. (ii), we get

$$\frac{\sin \theta}{by} = \frac{\cos \theta}{ax} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2x^2 + b^2y^2}} \quad \dots(iii)$$

The locus of the feet of perpendiculars is the point of intersection of (i) and (ii).

It is obtained by eliminating  $\theta$  between Eqs (i) and (ii). Squaring Eqs (i) and (ii) and adding, we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{x^2}{a^2} \cos^2 \theta + \frac{y^2}{b^2} \sin^2 \theta + \frac{x^2}{b^2} \sin^2 \theta + \frac{y^2}{a^2} \cos^2 \theta = 1 \\ \Rightarrow & \left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{a^2} \right) \cos^2 \theta + \left( \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{x^2}{b^2} \right) \sin^2 \theta = 1 \\ \Rightarrow & (x^2 + y^2) \left( \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2} \right) = 1 \\ \Rightarrow & (x^2 + y^2)(b^2 \cos^2 \theta + a^2 \sin^2 \theta) = a^2 b^2 \\ \Rightarrow & (x^2 + y^2) \left( \frac{b^2 a^2 x^2}{a^2 x^2 + b^2 y^2} + \frac{b^2 a^2 y^2}{a^2 x^2 + b^2 y^2} \right) = a^2 b^2 \\ \Rightarrow & (x^2 + y^2)^2 = (a^2 x^2 + b^2 y^2) \end{aligned}$$

Now, put,  $x = r \cos \theta$  and  $y = r \sin \theta$ , we get

$$r^2 = a^2 \cos^2 \theta + b^2 \sin^2 \theta.$$

Hence, the result.

21. The equation of circle is  $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$ .

So the equation of any tangent to the ellipse is

$$y = mx + \sqrt{a^2 m^2 + b^2}$$

If it is a tangent to a circle also, then the length of the perpendicular from the centre  $(0, 0)$  of a circle is equal to the radius of a circle.

$$\text{Thus, } \left| \frac{\sqrt{a^2 m^2 + b^2}}{\sqrt{1 + m^2}} \right| = r$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 m^2 + b^2 = r^2 (1 + m^2) = r^2 + r^2 m^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (a^2 - r^2) m^2 = (r^2 - b^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 = \left( \frac{r^2 - b^2}{a^2 - r^2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \sqrt{\left( \frac{r^2 - b^2}{a^2 - r^2} \right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = \sqrt{\left( \frac{r^2 - b^2}{a^2 - r^2} \right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \tan^{-1} \left( \sqrt{\left( \frac{r^2 - b^2}{a^2 - r^2} \right)} \right)$$

Hence, the result.

22. Let the end-points of a latus rectum are

$$L(ae, 0) \text{ and } L(-ae, 0).$$

The tangent at  $L$  is  $\frac{xe}{a} + \frac{y}{a} = 1$  and the tangent at  $L'$  is  $\frac{xe}{a} - \frac{y}{a} = 1$ .

On solving, we get,

$$x = \frac{a}{e} \text{ and } y = 0.$$

$\Rightarrow x = \frac{a}{e}$  is the equation of directrix to the ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1.$$

23. The equation of any tangent to the ellipse at  $P(\theta)$  is

$$AB: \frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1.$$

Thus  $A = (a \sec \theta, 0)$  and  $A = (0, b \operatorname{cosec} \theta)$

Let  $(h, k)$  be the mid-point of the tangent  $AB$ .

$$\text{Therefore, } h = \frac{a \sec \theta}{2} \text{ and } k = \frac{b \operatorname{cosec} \theta}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{a}{2h} \text{ and } \sin \theta = \frac{b}{2k}$$

Now squaring and adding, we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{a^2}{4h^2} + \frac{b^2}{4k^2} = 1 \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{a^2}{h^2} + \frac{b^2}{k^2} = 4 \end{aligned}$$

Hence the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$\frac{a^2}{x^2} + \frac{b^2}{y^2} = 4$$

Now, put  $x = r \cos \theta$  and  $y = r \sin \theta$ , we get,

$$4r^2 = a^2 \sin^2 \theta + b^2 \cos^2 \theta,$$

Hence, the result.

24. Given ellipses are  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  ... (i)

$$\text{and } \frac{x^2}{a} + \frac{y^2}{b} = a + b$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{a(a+b)} + \frac{y^2}{b(a+b)} = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Let  $R(h, k)$  be the points of intersection of the tangents to the ellipse (ii) at  $P$  and  $Q$ . Then  $PQ$  will be the chord of contact.

Thus its equation will be

$$\frac{hx}{a(a+b)} + \frac{ky}{b(a+b)} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -\frac{bh}{ak}x + \frac{b(a+b)}{k} \quad \dots(iii)$$

Since the line (iii) is a tangent to the ellipse (i), so we have

$$\frac{b^2(a+b)^2}{k^2} = a^2 \times \frac{b^2}{a^2} \times \frac{h^2}{k^2} + b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow b^2(a+b)^2 = b^2h^2 + b^2k^2$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 + k^2 = (a+b)^2$$

Thus the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

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

which is the director circle of the ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{a} + \frac{y^2}{b} = a+b$$

Hence, the tangents at  $P$  and  $Q$  are at right angles.

25. Let two foci of an ellipse are

$$S(ae, 0) \text{ and } S(-ae, 0).$$

The equation of the tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  at  $P(\theta)$  is  $\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1$ .

Let  $p_1$  and  $p_2$  be the lengths of perpendiculars from the given foci to the given ellipse.

$$\text{Thus, } p_1 = \left| \frac{1 - e \cos \theta}{\sqrt{\frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2}}} \right|$$

$$\text{and } p_2 = \left| \frac{1 + e \cos \theta}{\sqrt{\frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2}}} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow p_1 \times p_2 = \left| \frac{1 - e \cos \theta}{\sqrt{\frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2}}} \right| \left| \frac{1 + e \cos \theta}{\sqrt{\frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2}}} \right|$$

$$= \left( \frac{1 - e^2 \cos^2 \theta}{\frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2}} \right)$$

$$= \left( \frac{a^2 b^2 (1 - e^2 \cos^2 \theta)}{b^2 \cos^2 \theta + a^2 \sin^2 \theta} \right)$$

$$= \left( \frac{a^2 b^2 (1 - e^2 \cos^2 \theta)}{a^2 (1 - e^2) \cos^2 \theta + a^2 \sin^2 \theta} \right)$$

$$= b^2$$

26. Consider  $P$  is the point of intersection of two perpendicular tangents. Thus the locus of  $P$  is the director circle.

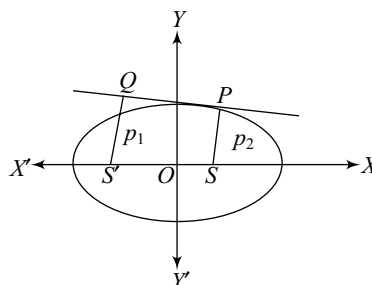
Therefore, the equation of a director circle is

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

This means that the centre of the ellipse will always remain at a constant distance  $\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$  from  $P$ .

Hence, the locus of the centre is a circle.

27. The equation of any tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  at  $P(\theta)$  is



$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of perpendiculars from foci  $(\pm ae, 0)$  to the tangent is

$$\frac{x}{b} \sin \theta - \frac{y}{a} \cos \theta = \pm \frac{ae \sin \theta}{b} \quad \dots(ii)$$

Locus of the feet of perpendiculars is the point of intersection of (i) and (ii).

It is obtained by eliminating  $\theta$  between Eqs (i) and (ii).

Squaring Eqs (i) and (ii) and adding, we get

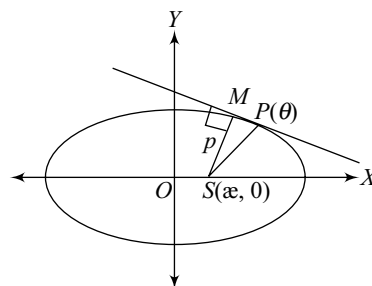
$$\Rightarrow x^2 \left( \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2} \right) + y^2 \left( \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2} \right) = 1 + \frac{a^2 e^2 \sin^2 \theta}{b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2) \left( \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2} \right) = a^2 \left( \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2) = a^2$$

Hence, the result.

28. The tangent at  $P(\theta)$  is  $\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1$ .



Also  $SP = a - ex = a(1 - e \cos \theta)$

Since  $p$  is the length of perpendicular from the focus  $S(ae, 0)$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{then, } p &= \frac{e \cos \theta - 1}{\sqrt{\left(\frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2}\right)}} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{1}{p^2} &= \frac{(b^2 \cos^2 \theta + a^2 \sin^2 \theta)}{a^2 b^2 (e \cos \theta - 1)^2} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{b^2}{p^2} &= \frac{(b^2 \cos^2 \theta + a^2 \sin^2 \theta)}{a^2 (e \cos \theta - 1)^2} \\ &= \left[ \frac{a^2 (1 - e^2) \cos^2 \theta + a^2 \sin^2 \theta}{a^2 (e \cos \theta - 1)^2} \right] \\ &= \left[ \frac{(1 - e^2) \cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta}{(e \cos \theta - 1)^2} \right] \\ &= \left[ \frac{(1 - e^2 \cos^2 \theta)}{(e \cos \theta - 1)^2} \right] \\ &= \left[ \frac{1 + e \cos \theta}{1 - e \cos \theta} \right] \end{aligned}$$

Also,

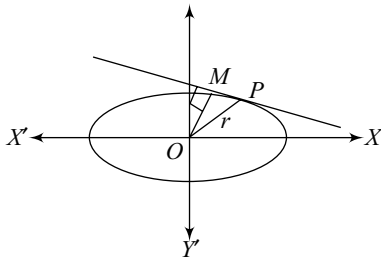
$$\frac{2a}{SP} - 1 = \frac{2a}{a(1 - e \cos \theta)} - 1 = \frac{1 + e \cos \theta}{1 - e \cos \theta}$$

$$\text{Hence, } \frac{b^2}{p^2} = \frac{2a}{SP} - 1$$

29. Let the point  $P$  be  $(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$ .

The equation of the tangent at  $P$  be

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1$$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } p &= \left| \frac{0 + 0 - 1}{\sqrt{\frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2}}} \right| \\ \Rightarrow \frac{1}{p^2} &= \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2} \\ &= \frac{a^2 \sin^2 \theta + b^2 \cos^2 \theta}{a^2 b^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{a^2 b^2}{p^2} &= a^2 \sin^2 \theta + b^2 \cos^2 \theta \\ &= a^2 (1 - \cos^2 \theta) + b^2 (1 - \sin^2 \theta) \\ &= a^2 + b^2 - (a^2 \cos^2 \theta + b^2 \sin^2 \theta) \\ &= a^2 + b^2 - r^2 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the result.

30. Any tangent to the ellipse

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1$$

Let it meet the  $x$ -axis at  $A$  and  $y$ -axis at  $B$ . Then the co-ordinates of  $A$  and  $B$  are

$$A = \left( \frac{a}{\cos \theta}, 0 \right) \text{ and } B = \left( 0, \frac{b}{\sin \theta} \right)$$

Let  $M(h, k)$  be the mid-point of  $AB$ .

$$\text{Then } 2h = \frac{a}{\cos \theta} \text{ and } 2k = \frac{b}{\sin \theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow h = \frac{a}{2 \cos \theta} \text{ and } k = \frac{b}{2 \sin \theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{a}{2h} \text{ and } \sin \theta = \frac{b}{2k}$$

Squaring and adding, we get

$$\frac{a^2}{4h^2} + \frac{b^2}{4k^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a^2}{h^2} + \frac{b^2}{k^2} = 4$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

$$\frac{a^2}{x^2} + \frac{b^2}{y^2} = 4$$

31. The tangent at  $P(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1$$

Let it meet the directrix  $x = \frac{a}{e}$  at  $Q$ , where  $Q$  is

$$\left( \frac{a}{e}, \frac{b(e - \cos \theta)}{e \sin \theta} \right).$$

$$\text{Slope of } SP = m_1 = \frac{b(e - \cos \theta)}{e \sin \theta}$$

$$\text{Slope of } SQ = m_2 = \frac{b(e - \cos \theta)}{e \sin \theta} \bigg/ \left( \frac{a}{e} - ae \right)$$

$$= \frac{b(e - \cos \theta)}{a(1 - e^2) \sin \theta}$$

Thus,  $m_1 \times m_2$

$$= \frac{b \sin \theta}{a(\cos \theta - e)} \times \frac{b(e - \cos \theta)}{a(1 - e^2) \sin \theta}$$

$$= -\frac{b^2}{a^2(1 - e^2)} = -\frac{b^2}{b^2} = -1$$

Hence, the result.

32. Any tangent to the ellipse is

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

Its point of contact is  $P(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$  and its slope is  $-\frac{b}{a} \cot \theta$

Also the focus is  $S(ae, 0)$ .

Any line through the focus  $S$  and perpendicular to the tangent (i) is

$$y - 0 = \frac{a}{b} \tan \theta (x - ae) \quad \dots(ii)$$

Also the equation of  $CP$  is

$$y - 0 = \frac{a}{b} \tan \theta (x - 0) \quad \dots(iii)$$

Eliminating  $\theta$  between Eqs (ii) and (iii), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\frac{a^2}{b^2}\right)\left(\frac{x - ae}{x}\right) &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow \left(\frac{x - ae}{x}\right) &= \left(\frac{b^2}{a^2}\right) \\ \Rightarrow \left(1 - \frac{ae}{x}\right) &= \left(\frac{b^2}{a^2}\right) \\ \Rightarrow \left(1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}\right) &= \left(\frac{ae}{x}\right) \\ \Rightarrow \left(1 - \frac{a^2(1 - e^2)}{a^2}\right) &= \left(\frac{ae}{x}\right) \\ \Rightarrow e^2 &= \left(\frac{ae}{x}\right) \\ \Rightarrow x &= \frac{a}{e} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the result.

33. Consider a point  $P$  on the ellipse whose coordinates are  $(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$

The equation of the tangent at  $P$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1$$

Since the tangent makes equal angles with the axes, so its slope is  $\pm 1$ .

$$\text{Thus, } -\frac{b \cos \theta}{a \sin \theta} = \pm 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b^2 \cos^2 \theta}{a^2 \sin^2 \theta} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{a^2} = \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{b^2} = \frac{1}{a^2 + b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 \theta = \frac{a^2}{a^2 + b^2} \text{ and } \cos^2 \theta = \frac{b^2}{a^2 + b^2}$$

Hence the point  $P$  is

$$\left( \pm \frac{a^2}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}, \pm \frac{b^2}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} \right)$$

34. As we know that the locus of the point of intersection of two perpendicular tangents is the director circle. Hence, the equation of the director circle to the given ellipse is

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + y^2 &= a^2 + b^2 = 16 + 9 = 25 \\ \Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 &= 25 \end{aligned}$$

35. As we know that the locus of the point of intersection of two perpendicular tangents to an ellipse is the director circle.

Hence, the equation of the director circle is

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + y^2 &= a^2 + b^2 = 4 + 1 = 5 \\ \Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 &= 5 \end{aligned}$$

which is the required locus of  $P$ .

36. The equations of the pair of tangents to the ellipse

$$\begin{aligned} 2x^2 + 3y^2 &= 1 \text{ from the point } (1, 1) \text{ is} \\ (2x^2 + 3y^2 - 1)(2 + 3 - 1) &= (2x + 3y - 1)^2 \\ \Rightarrow 4(2x^2 + 3y^2 - 1) &= (2x + 3y - 1)^2 \\ \Rightarrow 4(2x^2 + 3y^2 - 1) &= 4x^2 + 9y^2 + 1 + 12xy - 4x - 6y \\ \Rightarrow 4x^2 - 3y^2 - 12xy - 4x + 6y - 3 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

37. The equation of the given ellipse is

$$\begin{aligned} 3x^2 + 2y^2 &= 5 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{5/3} + \frac{y^2}{5/2} &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

The equation of any tangents to the ellipse are

$$y = mx \pm \sqrt{b^2 m^2 + a^2}$$

which is passing through  $(1, 2)$ , so

$$\begin{aligned} 2 &= m \pm \sqrt{\frac{5}{2} m^2 + \frac{5}{3}} \\ \Rightarrow (2 - m)^2 &= \frac{5}{2} m^2 + \frac{5}{3} \\ \Rightarrow (2 - m)^2 &= \frac{15m^2 + 6}{5} \\ \Rightarrow 9m^2 + 24m - 14 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Let its roots are  $m_1$  and  $m_2$ .

Then  $m_1 + m_2 = -24/9$  and  $m_1 m_2 = -14/9$

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between them.

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \tan(\theta) &= \left| \frac{m_2 - m_1}{1 + m_1 m_2} \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{\sqrt{(m_1 + m_2)^2 - 4m_1 m_2}}{1 + m_1 m_2} \right| \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{\left| \sqrt{\frac{64}{9} + \frac{56}{9}} \right|}{\left| 1 - \frac{14}{9} \right|} = \frac{\sqrt{120}}{3} \times \frac{9}{5} = 12 \times \frac{\sqrt{5}}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{12\sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{5}} \right)$$

38. Do yourself.  
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 42. Let one end of a latus rectum is  $L \left( ae, \frac{b^2}{a} \right)$  and minor axis be  $B(0, -b)$ .

The equation of the normal to the ellipse at  $L$  is

$$\frac{a}{e}x - ay = a^2 - b^2$$

which is passing through  $B'(0, -b)$ , so we have

$$\begin{aligned} ab &= a^2 - b^2 \\ \Rightarrow ab &= a^2 - a^2(1 - 32) = a^2 e^2 \\ \Rightarrow b &= ae^2 \\ \Rightarrow b^2 &= a^2 c^4 \\ \Rightarrow a^2(1 - e^2) &= a^2 e^4 \\ \Rightarrow e^4 + e^2 - 1 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the result.

43. Let the ellipse be  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and  $P(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$  be any point on the ellipse.

Then,

$$SP = a - ex = a - ae \cos \theta = a(1 - e \cos \theta)$$

and

$$SP = a + ex = a + ae \cos \theta = a(1 + e \cos \theta)$$

The equation of the normal at  $P$  is

$$ax \sec \theta - by \operatorname{cosec} \theta = a^2 - b^2$$

Now,

$$L = \left( \frac{a^2 - b^2}{a} \cos \theta, 0 \right) = (ae^2 \cos \theta, 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow OL = ae^2 \cos \theta$$

$$\text{Thus, } S'L = ae + ae^2 \cos \theta = a^3(1 + e \cos \theta),$$

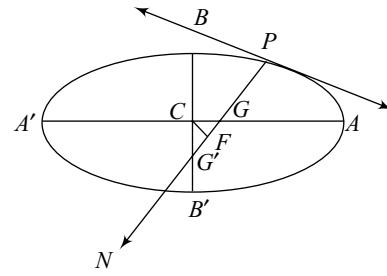
$$SL = ae - ae^2 \cos \theta = ae(1 - e \cos \theta)$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{S'P}{SP} = \frac{1 + e \cos \theta}{1 - e \cos \theta} = \frac{S'L}{SL}$$

$\Rightarrow PL$  bisects the  $\angle S'PS$  internally.

Since  $PL \perp PT$ , therefore,  $PT$  will bisect  $\angle S'PS$  externally.

44. Let the ellipse be  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and  $P(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$  be any point on the ellipse.



The equation of the normal at  $P$  is

$$ax \sec \theta - by \operatorname{cosec} \theta = a^2 - b^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

Since the line (i) meets the major axis at  $G$  and minor axis at  $G'$  respectively, then

$$G = \left( \frac{a^2 - b^2}{a} \cos \theta, 0 \right)$$

$$\text{and } E = \left( 0, -\frac{a^2 - b^2}{a} \sin \theta \right)$$

$PF = CQ =$  length of perpendicular from  $C(0, 0)$  on the tangent  $\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1$  at  $P$ .

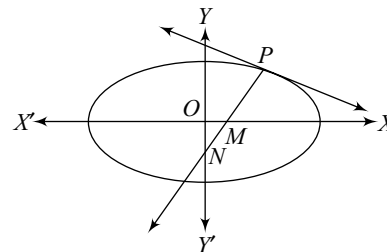
$$= \frac{ab}{\sqrt{a^2 \sin^2 \theta + b^2 \cos^2 \theta}}$$

$$\text{Also, } PG = \frac{b}{a} \sqrt{b^2 \cos^2 \theta + a^2 \sin^2 \theta}$$

$$\text{and } PG' = \frac{a}{b} \sqrt{b^2 \cos^2 \theta + a^2 \sin^2 \theta}$$

$$\text{Thus, } PF \cdot PG = b^2 \text{ and } PF \cdot PG' = a^2.$$

45. The equation of the normal to the ellipse at  $P(\theta)$  is  $ax \sec \theta - by \operatorname{cosec} \theta = a^2 - b^2$



Thus the co-ordinates of  $M$  and  $N$  are

$$\left( 0, \left( \frac{b^2 - a^2}{b} \right) \sin \theta \right)$$

$$\text{and } \left( \left( \frac{a^2 - b^2}{a} \right) \cos \theta, 0 \right)$$

$$PM = \sqrt{a^2 \cos^2 \theta + \left( \frac{b^2 - a^2}{b} - b \right)^2 \sin^2 \theta}$$

$$= \sqrt{a^2 \cos^2 \theta + \frac{a^4}{b^2} \sin^2 \theta}$$

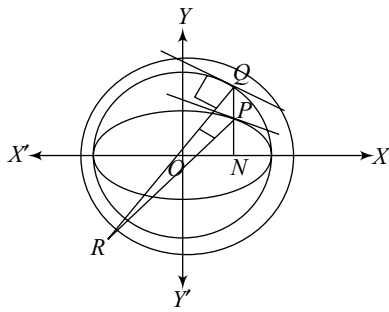
$$= a^2 \sqrt{\frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Also, } PN &= \sqrt{\left(a - \frac{a^2 - b^2}{a}\right)^2 \cos^2 \theta + b^2 \sin^2 \theta} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{b^4 \cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + b^2 \sin^2 \theta} \\ &= b^2 \sqrt{\frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2}} \end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $PM : PN = a^2 : b^2$

Hence, the result.

46. Since the ordinate  $P$  meets the circle at  $Q$ , the co-ordinates of  $P$  and  $Q$  are  $(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$  and  $(a \cos \theta, a \sin \theta)$ , respectively.



The equation of the normal to the ellipse at  $P(\theta)$  is

$$ax \sec \theta - by \operatorname{cosec} \theta = a^2 - b^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

and the equation of normal to the auxiliary circle at  $Q(a \cos \theta, a \sin \theta)$  is

$$y = (\tan \theta)x \quad \dots(ii)$$

Solving, we get

$$\cos \theta = \frac{x}{(a+b)} \text{ and } \sin \theta = \frac{y}{(a+b)}$$

Squaring and adding, we get

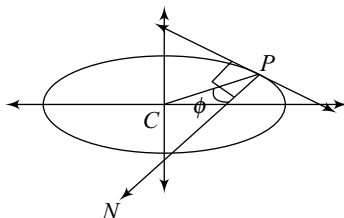
$$x^2 + y^2 = (a+b)^2$$

47. The equation of any normal at  $P(\theta)$  is

$$x \sec \theta - by \operatorname{cosec} \theta = a^2 - b^2.$$

$$\therefore \text{Slope of normal} = m_1 = \frac{a}{b} \tan \theta$$

$$\text{and slope of } CP = m_2 = \frac{b}{a} \tan \theta.$$



Let  $\phi$  be the angle between  $CP$  and the normal at  $P$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \tan \phi &= \left( \frac{\frac{a}{b} \tan \theta - \frac{b}{a} \tan \theta}{1 + \tan^2 \theta} \right) \\ &= \left( \frac{a^2 - b^2}{ab} \right) \frac{\tan \theta}{\sec^2 \theta} \\ &= \left( \frac{a^2 - b^2}{2ab} \right) \times \sin 2\theta \end{aligned}$$

Thus, it is maximum when

$$2\theta = 90^\circ \Rightarrow \theta = 45^\circ.$$

Therefore, the maximum value is

$$\left( \frac{a^2 - b^2}{2ab} \right)$$

48. The equation of any normal to the ellipse at  $P(\theta)$  is

$$ax \sec \theta - by \operatorname{cosec} \theta = a^2 - b^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

Let  $C$  be the centre of the ellipse.

Then  $CM$  = Length of perpendicular from the centre  $C$  to the normal

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{(a^2 - b^2)}{\sqrt{a^2 \sec^2 \theta + b^2 \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta}} \\ &= \frac{(a^2 - b^2)}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + a^2 \tan^2 \theta + b^2 \cot^2 \theta}} \\ &< \frac{(a^2 - b^2)}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + 2ab}} = a - b \end{aligned}$$

49. The equation of tangent at  $P$  is

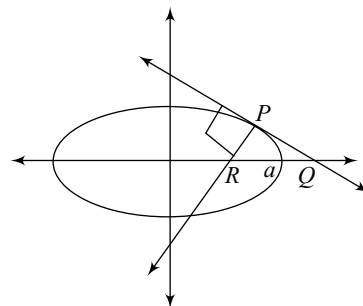
$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \phi + \frac{y}{b} \sin \phi = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

and the equation of normal at  $P$  is

$$ax \sec \phi - by \operatorname{cosec} \phi = a^2 - b^2 \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$\therefore Q = (a \sec \phi, 0)$$

$$\text{and } R = \left( \frac{(a^2 - b^2) \cos \phi}{a}, 0 \right)$$



Therefore,

$$QR = a$$

$$\Rightarrow a \sec \phi - \frac{(a^2 - b^2) \cos \phi}{a} = a$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 \sin^2 \phi + b^2 \cos^2 \phi = a^2 \cos \phi$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow a^2 \sin^2 \phi + a^2(1 - e^2) \cos^2 \phi &= a^2 \cos \phi \\ \Rightarrow a^2(\sin^2 + \cos^2) - a^2 e^2 \cos^2 \phi &= a^2 \cos \phi \\ \Rightarrow a^2 - a^2 e^2 \cos^2 \phi &= a^2 \cos \phi \\ \Rightarrow c^2 \cos^2 \phi + \cos \phi - 1 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

50. The equation of the normal to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  at  $P(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $Q(x_2, y_2)$  and  $R(x_3, y_3)$  are

$$\frac{a^2 x}{x_1} - \frac{b^2 y}{y_1} = a^2 - b^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\frac{a^2 x}{x_2} - \frac{b^2 y}{y_2} = a^2 - b^2 \quad \dots(ii)$$

and  $\frac{a^2 x}{x_3} - \frac{b^2 y}{y_3} = a^2 - b^2 \quad \dots(iii)$

Eliminating  $x$  and  $y$  from Eqs (i), (ii) and (iii), we get

$$\begin{vmatrix} \frac{a^2}{x_1} - \frac{b^2}{y_1} & (a^2 - b^2) \\ \frac{a^2}{x_2} - \frac{b^2}{y_2} & (a^2 - b^2) \\ \frac{a^2}{x_3} - \frac{b^2}{y_3} & (a^2 - b^2) \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} \frac{1}{x_1} & \frac{1}{y_1} & 1 \\ \frac{1}{x_2} & \frac{1}{y_2} & 1 \\ \frac{1}{x_3} & \frac{1}{y_3} & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & y_1 & x_1 y_1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & x_2 y_2 \\ x_3 & y_3 & x_3 y_3 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

Also

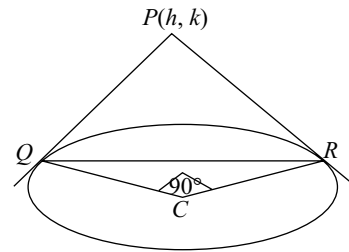
$$\begin{vmatrix} a \cos \alpha & b \sin \alpha & ab \cos \alpha \sin \alpha \\ a \cos \beta & b \sin \beta & ab \cos \beta \sin \beta \\ a \cos \gamma & b \sin \gamma & ab \cos \gamma \sin \gamma \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} \operatorname{cosec} \alpha & \sec \alpha & 1 \\ \operatorname{cosec} \beta & \sec \beta & 1 \\ \operatorname{cosec} \gamma & \sec \gamma & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} \sec \alpha & \operatorname{cosec} \alpha & 1 \\ \sec \beta & \operatorname{cosec} \beta & 1 \\ \sec \gamma & \operatorname{cosec} \gamma & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

Hence the result.

51. Let the point from which tangents are drawn be  $(h, k)$ . The equation of the chord of contact from the point  $(h, k)$  to the given ellipse is  $\frac{hx}{a^2} + \frac{ky}{b^2} = 1$ .



It subtends a right angle at the centre  $(0, 0)$  of the ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} &= \left( \frac{xh}{a^2} + \frac{yk}{b^2} \right)^2 \\ \Rightarrow \left( \frac{1}{a^2} - \frac{h^2}{a^4} \right) x^2 + \left( \frac{1}{b^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^4} \right) y^2 - \frac{2hxy}{a^2 b^2} &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Since these lines are at right angles, therefore sum of the co-efficients of  $x^2$  and  $y^2$  is zero.

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{1}{a^2} - \frac{h^2}{a^4} \right) + \left( \frac{1}{b^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^4} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{h^2}{a^4} + \frac{k^2}{b^4} \right) = \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}$$

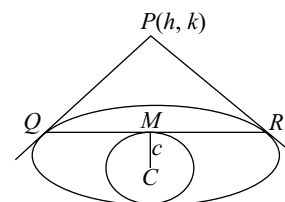
Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

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

52. Let the point from which the tangents are drawn be  $(h, k)$ .

So the equation of the chord of contact from the point  $(h, k)$  to the given ellipse is

$$\frac{hx}{a^2} + \frac{ky}{b^2} = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$



It touches the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = c^2$ .

Therefore, the length of the perpendicular from the centre  $(0, 0)$  to the chord of contact (i) is equal to the radius of the circle.

$$\text{Thus, } \left| \frac{0+0-1}{\sqrt{\frac{h^2}{a^4} + \frac{k^2}{b^4}}} \right| = c$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{h^2}{a^4} + \frac{k^2}{b^4} = \frac{1}{c^2}$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$\frac{x^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2}{b^4} = \frac{1}{c^2}$$

53. Let  $(x_1, y_1)$  be the point of intersection of the perpendicular tangents, so that  $(x_1, y_1)$  lies on the director circle

$$x_1^2 + y_1^2 = a^2 + b^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of the chord of contact from  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$\frac{xx_1}{a^2} + \frac{yy_1}{b^2} = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Let its mid-point be  $(h, k)$ .

$\therefore$  The equation of the chord bisected at  $(h, k)$  is

$$\frac{hx}{a^2} + \frac{ky}{b^2} = \frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2} \quad \dots(iii)$$

From Eqs (ii) and (iii), we get

$$\frac{x_1}{h} = \frac{y_1}{k} = \frac{1}{\left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)}$$

Now from Eqs. (i), we get

$$\left(\frac{h}{\left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{k}{\left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)}\right)^2 = (a^2 + b^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (a^2 + b^2) \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)^2 = (h^2 + k^2)$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

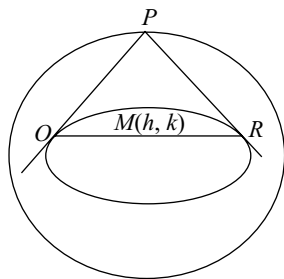
$$(a^2 + b^2) \left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)^2 = (x^2 + y^2)$$

54. Let the point be  $(c \cos \theta, c \sin \theta)$ .

The equation of the tangent to the ellipse at  $(c \cos \theta, c \sin \theta)$  is

$$\frac{x \cdot c \cos \theta}{a^2} + \frac{y \cdot c \sin \theta}{b^2} = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

Let the co-ordinates of the mid-point be  $(h, k)$ .



$\therefore$  The equation of the chord bisected at  $(h, k)$  is

$$\frac{hx}{a^2} + \frac{ky}{b^2} = \frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2} \quad \dots(ii)$$

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$\frac{h}{c \cos \theta} = \frac{k}{c \sin \theta} = \frac{1}{\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{h}{c} \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)$$

and  $\sin \theta = \frac{k}{c} \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)$

Squaring and adding, we get

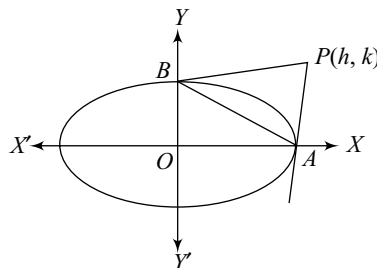
$$\left(\frac{h}{c} \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)\right)^2 + \left(\frac{k}{c} \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)\right)^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{c^2}{h^2 + k^2}\right)$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$\left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{c^2}{x^2 + y^2}\right)$$

55. Let the co-ordinates of  $P$  be  $(h, k)$ .



The equation of its chord of contact with respect to the ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ is}$$

$$\frac{hx}{a^2} + \frac{ky}{b^2} = 1$$

It meets the axes in

$$A\left(\frac{a^2}{h}, 0\right) \text{ and } B\left(0, \frac{b^2}{k}\right)$$

Now, area of the triangle  $OAB = \frac{1}{2} \cdot OA \cdot OB$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{a^2}{h} \cdot \frac{b^2}{k}$$

$$= \frac{a^2 b^2}{2 \cdot h \cdot k}$$

$$= \text{constant} = \frac{\lambda}{2} \text{ (say)}$$

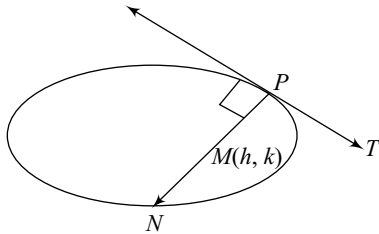
Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is  $x \cdot y = \frac{a^2 b^2}{\lambda}$  which represents a hyperbola.



56. Let the point  $P$  be  $(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$ .

$\therefore$  The equation of normal at  $P$  to the ellipse is

$$a \cdot x \cdot \sec \theta - b \cdot y \cdot \operatorname{cosec} \theta = a^2 - b^2 \quad \dots(i)$$



Let its mid-point be  $(h, k)$ .

$\therefore$  The equation of the chord bisected at  $(h, k)$  is

$$\frac{hx}{a^2} + \frac{ky}{b^2} = \frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2} \quad \dots(ii)$$

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$\frac{a \sec \theta}{(h/a^2)} = \frac{b \operatorname{cosec} \theta}{(-k/b^2)} = \frac{a^2 - b^2}{\left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right) / \left(\frac{h}{a^3(a^2 - b^2)}\right)$$

and  $\sin \theta = \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right) / \left(\frac{-k}{b^3(a^2 - b^2)}\right)$

Squaring and adding, we get

$$\left(\frac{a^6}{x^2} + \frac{b^6}{y^2}\right) \left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)^2 = (a^2 - b^2)^2$$

57. Let the point be  $(h, k)$ .

The equation of the chord bisected at  $(h, k)$  to the ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ is}$$

$$\frac{hx}{a^2} + \frac{ky}{b^2} = \frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2} \quad \dots(i)$$

and the equation of the tangent to the auxiliary circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  at  $(a \cos \theta, a \sin \theta)$  is

$$x \cos \theta + y \sin \theta = a \quad \dots(ii)$$

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$\frac{\cos \theta}{h/a^2} = \frac{\sin \theta}{k/b^2} = \frac{a}{\left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)}$$

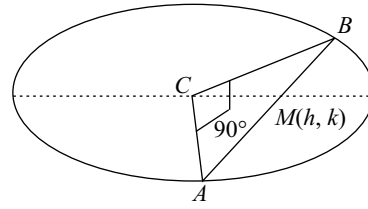
Squaring and adding, we get

$$a^2 \left(\frac{h^2}{a^4} + \frac{k^2}{b^4}\right) = \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)^2$$

Hence the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

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

58. Let the point be  $(h, k)$ .



The equation of the chord bisected at  $(h, k)$  to the ellipse is

$$\frac{hx}{a^2} + \frac{ky}{b^2} = \frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{\left(\frac{hx}{a^2} + \frac{ky}{b^2}\right)}{\left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)}\right) = 1$$

Now we make it a homogenous equation of 2nd degree.

$$\text{Thus, } \left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right) = \left(\frac{\left(\frac{hx}{a^2} + \frac{ky}{b^2}\right)}{\left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right) \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{hx}{a^2} + \frac{ky}{b^2}\right)^2$$

$$= \frac{h^2 x^2}{a^4} + \frac{k^2 y^2}{b^4} + \frac{2hkxy}{a^2 b^2}$$

Since the chord subtends right angle at the centre, so co-efficient of  $x^2 +$  co-efficient of  $y^2 = 0$

$$\frac{\alpha^2 x^2}{a^4} + \frac{\beta^2 y^2}{b^4} = \left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)^2 \left(\frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}\right) = \left(\frac{h^2}{a^4} + \frac{k^2}{b^4}\right)$$

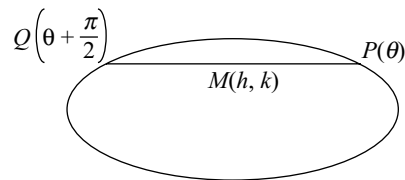
Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

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

59. Let the point  $P$  be  $(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$  and  $Q$  be

$$\left(a \cos \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \theta\right), b \sin \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \theta\right)\right),$$

i.e.  $(-a \sin \theta, b \cos \theta)$ .



Let  $M(h, k)$  be the mid-point of  $PQ$ .

Then,  $h = \frac{a}{2}(\cos \theta - \sin \theta)$

and  $k = \frac{b}{2}(\cos \theta + \sin \theta)$

$\Rightarrow \frac{2h}{a} = (\cos \theta - \sin \theta)$  and  $\frac{2k}{b} = (\cos \theta + \sin \theta)$

Squaring and adding, we get

$$\left(\frac{4h^2}{a^2} + \frac{4k^2}{b^2}\right) = 2$$

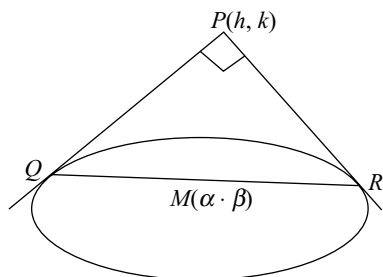
$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

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

60. Equation of the chord of contact to the tangents at  $(h, k)$  is

$$\frac{hx}{a^2} + \frac{ky}{b^2} = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$



The equation of the chord of the ellipse whose mid-point  $(\alpha, \beta)$  is

$$\frac{\alpha x}{a^2} + \frac{\beta y}{b^2} = \frac{\alpha^2}{a^2} + \frac{\beta^2}{b^2} \quad \dots(ii)$$

Since Eqs (i) and (ii) are the same, therefore

$$\frac{h}{\alpha} = \frac{k}{\beta} = \frac{1}{\left(\frac{\alpha^2}{a^2} + \frac{\beta^2}{b^2}\right)}$$

$\Rightarrow h = \frac{\alpha}{\left(\frac{\alpha^2}{a^2} + \frac{\beta^2}{b^2}\right)}$

and  $k = \frac{\beta}{\left(\frac{\alpha^2}{a^2} + \frac{\beta^2}{b^2}\right)}$

Also,  $(h, k)$  lies on the director circle of the given ellipse  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2 + b^2$ .

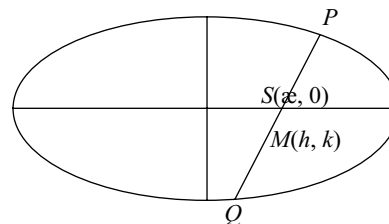
Thus,  $h^2 + k^2 = a^2 + b^2$

$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{\alpha^2 + \beta^2}{a^2 + b^2}\right) = \left(\frac{\alpha^2}{a^2} + \frac{\beta^2}{b^2}\right)^2$

Hence, the locus of  $(\alpha, \beta)$  is

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

61. Let the mid-point be  $(h, k)$ .



The equation of the chord of the ellipse whose mid-point  $(h, k)$  is

$$\frac{hx}{a^2} + \frac{ky}{b^2} = \frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}$$

which passes through the focus  $(ae, 0)$ .

Thus,  $\frac{hae}{a^2} = \frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}$

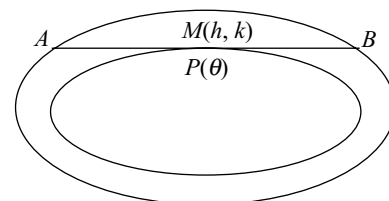
$\Rightarrow \frac{he}{a} = \frac{b^2h^2 + a^2k^2}{a^2b^2}$

$\Rightarrow b^2h^2 + a^2k^2 = ab^2he$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$b^2h^2 + a^2k^2 = ab^2xe$$

62. Let the point be  $(h, k)$ .



The equation of the chord of the ellipse whose middle point  $(h, k)$  is

$$\frac{hx}{a^2} + \frac{ky}{b^2} = \frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2} \quad \dots(i)$$

and the equation of the tangent to the ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{\alpha^2} + \frac{y^2}{\beta^2} = 1 \text{ at } (\alpha \cos \theta, \beta \sin \theta) \text{ is}$$

$$\frac{x}{\alpha} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{\beta} \sin \theta = 1$$

Since both the equations are identical, so

$$\frac{\cos \theta / \alpha}{h/a^2} = \frac{\sin \theta / \beta}{k/b^2} = \frac{1}{\left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)}$$

Squaring and adding, we get

$$\frac{\alpha^2 h^2}{a^4} + \frac{\beta^2 k^2}{b^4} = \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)^2$$

Hence the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$\frac{\alpha^2 x^2}{a^4} + \frac{\beta^2 y^2}{b^4} = \left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} \right)^2$$

63. Let the ellipse be  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and its focus is  $(ae, 0)$ .

The equation of the polar is

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{xx_1}{a^2} + \frac{yy_1}{b^2} &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{x(ae)}{a^2} + \frac{y(0)}{b^2} &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow x &= \frac{a}{e} \end{aligned}$$

which is the directrix.

64. Let the pole be  $(x_1, y_1)$ .

The equation of the polar is  $\frac{xx_1}{a^2} + \frac{yy_1}{b^2} = 1$  which is identical with  $lx + my + n = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So, } \frac{x_1/a^2}{l} &= \frac{y_1/b^2}{m} = \frac{-1}{n} \\ \Rightarrow x_1 &= -\frac{a^2 l}{n}, y_1 = -\frac{b^2 m}{n} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the pole is  $\left( -\frac{a^2 l}{n}, -\frac{b^2 m}{n} \right)$

65. If  $(h, k)$  be the pole of a given line w.r.t. the ellipse, then its equation is

$$\frac{hx}{a^2} + \frac{ky}{b^2} = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

If tangents at its extremities meet at  $(\alpha, \beta)$ , then it is the chord of contact of  $(\alpha, \beta)$  and hence its equation is

$$\frac{\alpha x}{a^2} + \frac{\beta y}{b^2} = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Comparing Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{h/a^2}{\alpha/a^2} &= \frac{k/b^2}{\beta/b^2} = 1 \\ \Rightarrow h &= \alpha, k = \beta \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the pole  $(h, k)$  is the same as  $(\alpha, \beta)$ , i.e. the intersection of tangents.

66. Let the pole be  $(h, k)$ .

The equation of polar w.r.t. the ellipse  $x^2 + 4y^2 = 4$  is

$$hx + 4ky = 4$$

which is identical with  $x + 4y = 4$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So, } \frac{h}{1} &= \frac{4k}{4} = \frac{4}{4} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{h}{1} &= \frac{k}{1} = 1 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the pole is  $(1, 1)$

67. Let the pole be  $(h, k)$ .

The equation of polar w.r.t. the ellipse  $c^2 x^2 + d^2 y^2 = 1$  is

$$\begin{aligned} c^2 hx + d^2 ky &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow d^2 ky &= -c^2 hx + 1 \\ \Rightarrow y &= -\frac{c^2 h}{d^2 k} x + \frac{1}{d^2 k} \end{aligned}$$

which is a tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$

$$\text{So, } c^2 = a^2 m^2 + b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{(d^2 k)^2} = a^2 \left( -\frac{c^2 h}{d^2 k} \right)^2 + b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 c^4 h^2 + b^2 d^4 k^2 = 1$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$a^2 c^4 x^2 - b^2 d^4 y^2 = 1$$

68. Let the pole be  $(h, k)$ .

The equation of the polar is  $\frac{hx}{a^2} + \frac{ky}{b^2} = 1$

$$\text{It is given that } \left| \frac{0+0-1}{\sqrt{\frac{h^2}{a^4} + \frac{k^2}{b^4}}} \right| = c$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{h^2}{a^4} + \frac{k^2}{b^4} = \frac{1}{c^2}$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$\frac{x^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2}{b^4} = \frac{1}{c^2}$$

69. Let the pole be  $(h, k)$ .

The equation of the polar is  $\frac{hx}{a^2} + \frac{ky}{b^2} = 1$  ... (i)

and the equation of the normal to the ellipse is

$$ax \sec \phi - by \operatorname{cosec} \phi = a^2 - b^2 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Comparing Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{h/a^2}{a \sec \phi} &= -\frac{k/b^2}{b \operatorname{cosec} \phi} = \frac{1}{a^2 - b^2} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{h \cos \phi}{a^3} &= -\frac{k \sin \phi}{b^3 \operatorname{cosec} \phi} = \frac{1}{a^2 - b^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \phi = \frac{a^3}{h(a^2 - b^2)}, \sin \phi = -\frac{b^3}{k(a^2 - b^2)}$$

Eliminating  $\phi$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} \left( \frac{a^3}{h(a^2 - b^2)} \right)^2 + \left( -\frac{b^3}{k(a^2 - b^2)} \right)^2 &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{a^6}{h^2} + \frac{b^6}{k^2} &= (a^2 - b^2)^2 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is  $\frac{a^6}{x^2} + \frac{b^6}{y^2} = (a^2 - b^2)^2$

70. Let the pole be  $(h, k)$

The equation of the polar w.r.t. the parabola is

$$yk = 2a(x + h)$$

$$\Rightarrow yk = 2ax + 2ah$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{2a}{k}x + \frac{2ah}{k}$$

which is a tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{\alpha^2} + \frac{y^2}{\beta^2} = 1$

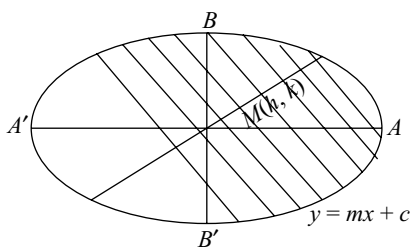
$$\text{So, } \left(\frac{2ah}{k}\right)^2 = \alpha^2 \left(\frac{2a}{k}\right)^2 + \beta^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a^2h^2 = 4a^2\alpha^2 + k^2\beta^2$$

Hence, the locus of pole  $(h, k)$  is

$$4a^2x^2 = y^2\beta^2 + 4a^2\alpha^2$$

71.



Let  $(h, k)$  be the mid-point of the chord  $y = mx + c$  of the

ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

Then  $T = S_1$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{xh}{a^2} + \frac{yk}{b^2} = \frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}$$

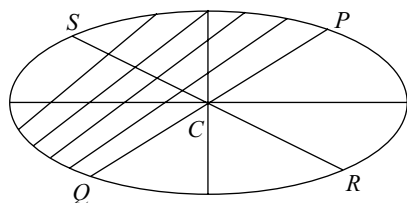
$$\Rightarrow k = -\frac{b^2h}{a^2m}$$

Hence, the locus of the mid-point is  $y = -\frac{b^2x}{a^2m}$

72. Two diameters are said to be conjugate when each bisects all chords parallel to the other.

If  $y = m_1x$  and  $y = m_2x$  be two conjugate diameters of an

ellipse, then  $m_1m_2 = -\frac{b^2}{a^2}$ .



Let  $PQ$  and  $RS$  be two conjugate diameters. Then the co-ordinates of the four extremities of two conjugate diameters are

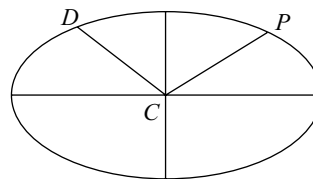
$$P(a \cos \varphi, b \sin \varphi),$$

$$Q(-a \cos \varphi, b \sin \varphi),$$

$$S(-a \sin \varphi, b \cos \varphi)$$

and  $R(a \sin \varphi, -b \cos \varphi)$

73.



Let  $CP$  and  $CD$  be two conjugate semi-diameters of an

ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and let the eccentric angle of  $P$  is  $\varphi$ . Thus the eccentric angle of  $D$  is  $\frac{\pi}{2} + \varphi$ .

Therefore the co-ordinates of  $P$  and  $D$  are  $(a \cos \varphi, b \sin \varphi)$  and

$$\left( a \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2} + \varphi \right), b \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} + \varphi \right) \right)$$

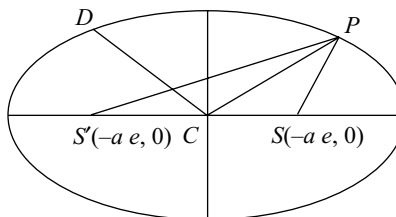
i.e.  $(-a \sin \varphi, b \cos \varphi)$

Thus  $CP^2 + CD^2$

$$= (a^2 \cos^2 \varphi + b^2 \sin^2 \varphi) + (a^2 \sin^2 \varphi + b^2 \cos^2 \varphi)$$

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

74.



Let  $CP$  and  $CD$  be the conjugate diameters of the ellipse.

Let  $P = (a \cos \varphi, b \sin \varphi)$ . then the co-ordinates of  $D$  is  $(-a \sin \varphi, b \cos \varphi)$ .

Thus,

$$SP \cdot S'P = (a - ae \cos \varphi)(a + ae \cos \varphi)$$

$$= a^2 - a^2e^2 \cos^2 \varphi$$

$$= a^2 - (a^2 - b^2) \cos^2 \varphi$$

$$= a^2 \sin^2 \varphi + b^2 \cos^2 \varphi$$

$$= CD^2$$

75 Let the eccentric angle of  $P$  is  $(\varphi)$  and the eccentric angle of  $M$  is  $\left(\varphi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ .

Then the co-ordinates of  $P$  and  $M$  are  $(a \cos \varphi, b \sin \varphi)$  and

$$\left( a \cos \left( \varphi + \frac{\pi}{2} \right), b \sin \left( \varphi + \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \right)$$

i.e.  $(a \cos \varphi, b \sin \varphi)$  and  $(-a \sin \varphi, b \cos \varphi)$

The equation of the tangent at  $P$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \varphi + \frac{y}{b} \sin \varphi = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

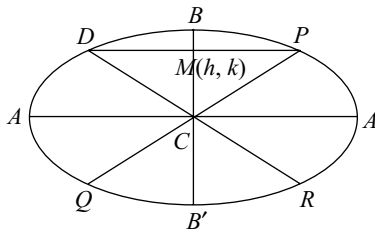
and the equation of the tangent at  $M$  is

$$\frac{x}{-a} \sin \varphi + \frac{y}{b} \cos \varphi = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Squaring and adding Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 2$$

76. Let the equation of the ellipse be  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .



Let the eccentric angle of  $P$  is  $(\varphi)$  and the eccentric angle of  $D$  is  $(\varphi + \frac{\pi}{2})$ .

Then the co-ordinates of  $P$  and  $D$  are  $(a \cos \varphi, b \sin \varphi)$  and

$$\left( a \cos \left( \varphi + \frac{\pi}{2} \right), b \sin \left( \varphi + \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \right)$$

i.e.  $(a \cos \varphi, b \sin \varphi)$  and  $(-a \sin \varphi, b \cos \varphi)$

Let  $M(h, k)$  be the mid-point of  $PD$ .

Then

$$h = \frac{a \cos \varphi - a \sin \varphi}{2}$$

and 
$$k = \frac{a \cos \varphi + b \sin \varphi}{2} \Rightarrow \frac{(2h)^2}{a^2} + \frac{(2k)^2}{b^2} = (\cos \varphi - \sin \varphi)^2 + (\cos \varphi + \sin \varphi)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = \frac{1}{2}$

77. The equation of the given diameter is

$$ax - by = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{a}{b}x \quad \dots(i)$$

Thus,  $m_1 = \frac{a}{b}$

Let the diameter conjugate to (i) be  $y = m_2x$

As we know that, two diameters  $y = m_1x$  and  $y = m_2x$

are conjugate, if  $m_1 \cdot m_2 = -\frac{b^2}{a^2}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a}{b} \times m_2 = -\frac{b^2}{a^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow m_2 = -\frac{b^3}{a^3}$$

Hence, the required diameter is  $y = -\frac{b^3}{a^3}x$

$$\Rightarrow a^3y + b^3x = 0$$

78. The given ellipses are

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{and } \frac{x^2}{c^2} + \frac{y^2}{d^2} = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

The equation of lines passing through the point of intersection of the ellipses are

$$x^2 \left( \frac{1}{a^2} - \frac{1}{c^2} \right) + y^2 \left( \frac{1}{b^2} - \frac{1}{d^2} \right) = 0 \quad \dots(iii)$$

which represents a pair of lines through the origin.

If  $y = mx$  be one of the lines, then  $y = mx$  must satisfy (iii), then

$$\left( \frac{1}{a^2} - \frac{1}{c^2} \right) + m^2 \left( \frac{1}{b^2} - \frac{1}{d^2} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{1}{b^2} - \frac{1}{d^2} \right) m^2 + \left( \frac{1}{a^2} - \frac{1}{c^2} \right) = 0$$

which is a quadratic in  $m$ . Let it has roots  $m_1$  and  $m_2$ .

$$\text{Then, } m_1 m_2 = -\frac{\left( \frac{1}{a^2} - \frac{1}{c^2} \right)}{\left( \frac{1}{b^2} - \frac{1}{d^2} \right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{b^2}{a^2} = \frac{\left( \frac{1}{a^2} - \frac{1}{c^2} \right)}{\left( \frac{1}{b^2} - \frac{1}{d^2} \right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 \left( \frac{1}{a^2} - \frac{1}{c^2} \right) = -b^2 \left( \frac{1}{b^2} - \frac{1}{d^2} \right)$$

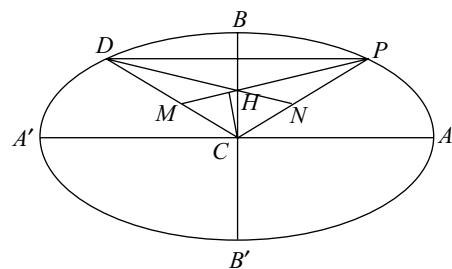
$$\Rightarrow \left( 1 - \frac{a^2}{c^2} \right) = \left( -1 + \frac{b^2}{d^2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a^2}{c^2} + \frac{b^2}{d^2} = 2$$

Hence, the result.

79. The co-ordinates of  $P$  and  $D$  are  $(a \cos \varphi, b \sin \varphi)$  and  $(-a \sin \varphi, b \cos \varphi)$

Let  $PM$  is the normal at  $P$  and  $DN$  is the normal at  $D$ .



The equations of the normals at  $P$  and  $D$  are

$$ax \sec \phi - by \operatorname{cosec} \phi = a^2 - b^2$$

and  $-ax \operatorname{cosec} \phi - by \sec \phi = a^2 - b^2$

respectively.

Since,  $H(\alpha, \beta)$  is the point of intersection of the normals, so

$$a\alpha \sec \phi - b\beta \operatorname{cosec} \phi - (a^2 - b^2) = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

and

$$a\alpha \operatorname{cosec} \phi + b\beta \sec \phi + (a^2 - b^2) = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Eliminating  $\phi$  from Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$\frac{\sec \phi}{(a\alpha - b\beta)} = \frac{\operatorname{cosec} \phi}{-(a\alpha + b\beta)} = \frac{(a^2 - b^2)}{(a^2\alpha^2 + b^2\beta^2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \phi = \frac{(a^2\alpha^2 + b^2\beta^2)}{(a^2 - b^2)(a\alpha - b\beta)}$$

$$\text{and } \sin \phi = \frac{(a^2\alpha^2 + b^2\beta^2)}{-(a^2 - b^2)(a\alpha + b\beta)}$$

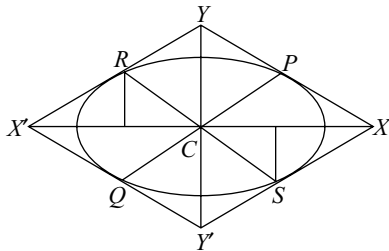
Squaring and adding, we get

$$2(a^2\alpha^2 + b^2\beta^2)^2 = (a^2 - b^2)^2(a^2\alpha^2 - b^2\beta^2)^2$$

Hence, the locus of  $H(\alpha, \beta)$  is

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

80.



Let  $PCQ$  and  $RCS$  be two conjugate diameters of the

ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

Then the co-ordinates of  $P, Q, R,$  and  $S$  are  $P(a \cos \phi, b \sin \phi), Q(-a \cos \phi, -b \sin \phi), R(-a \sin \phi, b \cos \phi)$  and  $S(a \sin \phi, -b \cos \phi)$  respectively.

The equations of tangents at  $P, R, Q$  and  $S$  are

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \phi + \frac{y}{b} \sin \phi = 1,$$

$$-\frac{x}{a} \sin \phi + \frac{y}{b} \cos \phi = 1,$$

$$-\frac{x}{a} \cos \phi - \frac{y}{b} \sin \phi = 1,$$

$$\text{and } \frac{x}{a} \sin \phi - \frac{y}{b} \cos \phi = 1$$

Thus, the tangents at  $P$  and  $Q$  are parallel. Also the tangents at  $R$  and  $S$  are parallel. Hence, the tangents at  $P, R, Q, S$  form a parallelogram.

Area of the parallelogram =  $MNM'N'$   
= 4 (the area of the parallelogram  $CPMR$ )

$$= 4 \times \sqrt{a^2 \cos^2 \phi + b^2 \sin^2 \phi} \times \frac{ab}{\sqrt{a^2 \cos^2 \phi + b^2 \sin^2 \phi}} = 4ab = \text{constant}$$

Hence, the result.

81. Let the eccentric angles at  $P$  and  $Q$  be  $\phi$  and  $\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \phi\right)$  respectively

The equation of the tangents at  $P$  and  $Q$

$$\text{are } \frac{x}{a} \cos \phi + \frac{y}{b} \sin \phi = 1$$

$$\text{and } -\frac{x}{a} \sin \phi + \frac{y}{b} \cos \phi = 1$$

respectively

Squaring and adding, we get

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 2$$

Hence, the result.

82. Thus, the equation of the ellipse is

$$y^2 + \frac{2}{3}x^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{3} + \frac{y^2}{2} = 1$$

Hence, the eccentricity is

$$e = \sqrt{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{2}{3}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

83. The given equation of an ellipse is

$$16x^2 + 25y^2 = 400$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$$

From the reflection property of an ellipse, the reflection ray passes through the focus.

Thus, the co-ordinates of the other focus =  $(3, 0)$ .

When  $y = 4$ , then  $x = 0$ .

So the point is  $(0, 4)$ .

So the equation of the reflection ray is

$$\frac{x}{3} + \frac{y}{4} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x + 3y = 12$$

84. The equation of the incident ray is

$$x - y + 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{-2} + \frac{y}{2} = 1$$

The equation of the ellipse is

$$3x^2 + 4y^2 = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{3} = 1$$

Clearly, the co-ordinates of the foci are  $(-2, 0)$  and  $(2, 0)$ .

Since the incident ray  $x - y + 2 = 0$  intersects the ellipse at  $(0, 2)$ , so, the equation of the reflection ray = the equation of the line joining  $(0, 2)$  and  $(2, 0)$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{2} + \frac{y}{2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x + y = 2$$

**LEVEL III**

1. Given ellipse is  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$

So,  $F_1 = (ae, 0)$  and  $F_2 = (-ae, 0)$

Let  $P$  be  $(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$ .

Then

$$\text{ar}(\Delta PF_1F_2) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} a \cos \theta & b \sin \theta & 1 \\ ae & 0 & 1 \\ -ae & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 2ae \times b \sin \theta$$

$$= abe \times \sin \theta$$

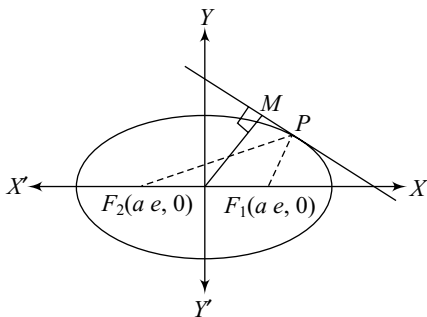
Maximum value of  $A = abe$

$$= ab \sqrt{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}}$$

$$= b \sqrt{a^2 - b^2}$$

2. Given ellipse is

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$



The equation of the tangent to the given ellipse at

$P(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1$$

Now,  $OM = d$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{0 + 0 - 1}{\sqrt{\frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2}}} \right| = d$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{d^2} = \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2}$$

Now,

$$4a^2 \left( 1 - \frac{b^2}{d^2} \right)$$

$$= 4a^2 - \frac{4a^2 b^2}{d^2}$$

$$= 4a^2 - 4a^2 b^2 \left( \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2} \right)$$

$$= 4a^2 - 4b^2 \cos^2 \theta - 4a^2 \sin^2 \theta$$

$$= 4a^2(1 - \sin^2 \theta) - 4b^2 \cos^2 \theta$$

$$= 4a^2 \cos^2 \theta - 4b^2 \cos^2 \theta$$

$$= 4 \cos^2 \theta (a^2 - b^2)$$

$$= 4 \cos^2 \theta (a^2 e^2)$$

$$= (2ae \cos \theta)^2$$

$$= [(a + ae \cos \theta) - (a - ae \cos \theta)]^2$$

$$= (PF_1 - PF_2)^2$$

3. Given ellipse is

$$\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$$

$$\therefore \text{Foci} = (\pm ae, 0) = \left( \pm 4 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{7}}{4}, 0 \right) = (\pm \sqrt{7}, 0)$$

and the radius of the circle =  $\sqrt{7+9} = \sqrt{16} = 4$

4. The equation of the tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  at  $(t^2, 2t)$  is

$$yt = x + t^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x - yt + t^2 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of the normal

$$4x^2 + 5y^2 = 20$$

i.e.  $\frac{x^2}{5} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  at  $(\sqrt{5} \cos \varphi, 2 \sin \varphi)$

is  $\frac{a^2 x}{x_1} - \frac{b^2 y}{y_1} = a^2 - b^2$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5x}{\sqrt{5} \cos \varphi} - \frac{4y}{2 \sin \varphi} = 5 - 4 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (\sqrt{5} \sec \varphi)x - (2 \operatorname{cosec} \varphi)y = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Since Eqs (i) and (ii) are the same line, so

$$\frac{\sqrt{5} \sec \varphi}{1} = \frac{2 \operatorname{cosec} \varphi}{t} = \frac{-1}{t^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sec \varphi = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}t^2}, \operatorname{cosec} \varphi = -\frac{1}{2t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \varphi = -t^2 \sqrt{5}, \sin \varphi = -2t$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} 5t^2 + 4t^2 - 1 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow 5t^4 + 5t^2 - t^2 - 1 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow 5t^2(t^2 + 1) - 1(t^2 + 1) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (5t^2 - 1)(t^2 + 1) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (5t^2 - 1) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow t &= \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \end{aligned}$$

Also,  $\tan \phi = \pm 2$

$$\Rightarrow \phi = \tan^{-1}(\pm 2)$$

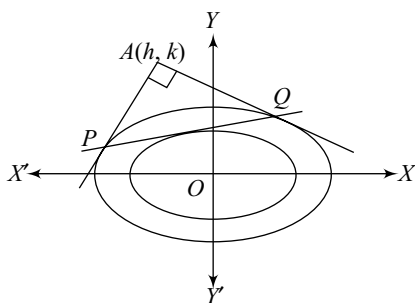
5. We have  $B = (0, b)$ ,  $F = (ae, 0)$  and  $F' = (-ae, 0)$

$$\text{Now, } m(FB) = -\frac{b}{ae} \text{ and } m(BF') = \frac{b}{ae}$$

It is given that,

$$\begin{aligned} m(FB) \times m(BF') &= -1 \\ \Rightarrow -\frac{b}{ae} \times \frac{b}{ae} &= -1 \\ \Rightarrow b^2 &= a^2 e^2 \\ \Rightarrow a^2(1 - e^2) &= a^2 e^2 \\ \Rightarrow (1 - e^2) &= e^2 \\ \Rightarrow 2e^2 &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow e &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{aligned}$$

6.



Given ellipse is

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + 4y^2 &= 4 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{1} &= 1 \end{aligned} \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of the tangent to the ellipse (i) is

$$\frac{x}{2} \cos \theta + y \sin \theta = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

and the equation of the 2nd ellipse can be written as

$$\frac{x^2}{6} + \frac{y^2}{3} = 1 \quad \dots(iii)$$

Let the tangents at  $P$  and  $Q$  meet at  $A(h, k)$ .

So  $PQ$  is the chord of contact.

The equation of the chord of contact of the tangents through  $A$  is

$$\frac{hx}{6} + \frac{ky}{3} = 1 \quad \dots(iv)$$

Since the eqs (ii) and (iv) are identical, so

$$\frac{\frac{h}{6}}{\cos \theta} = \frac{\frac{k}{3}}{\sin \theta} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow h = 3 \cos \theta, k = 3 \sin \theta$$

Now, squaring and adding, we get

$$h^2 + k^2 = 9$$

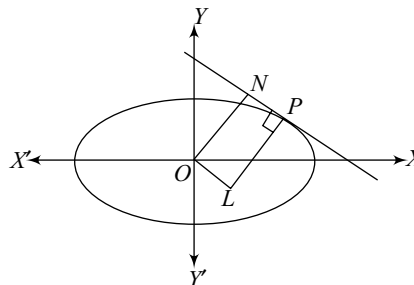
Therefore, the locus of  $A$  is

$$x^2 + y^2 = 9$$

which is the director circle of  $\frac{x^2}{6} + \frac{y^2}{3} = 1$

Thus, the angle between the tangents at  $P$  and  $Q$  of the ellipse  $x^2 + 2y^2 = 6$  is right angle.

7.



$$\text{Given ellipse is } \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

Let  $P$  lies in the first quadrant, so

$$P = (a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$$

The equation of the tangent at  $P$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } ON &= \left| \frac{-1}{\sqrt{\frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2}}} \right| \\ &= \frac{ab}{\sqrt{a^2 \sin^2 \theta + b^2 \cos^2 \theta}} \end{aligned}$$

The equation of  $ON$  is

$$\frac{x}{b} \sin \theta - \frac{y}{a} \cos \theta = 0$$

and the equation of the normal at  $P$  is

$$ax \sec \theta - by \operatorname{cosec} \theta = a^2 - b^2$$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{So, } OL &= \frac{a^2 - b^2}{\sqrt{a^2 \sec^2 \theta + b^2 \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta}} \\ &= \frac{(a^2 - b^2) \sin \theta \cos \theta}{\sqrt{a^2 \sin^2 \theta + b^2 \cos^2 \theta}} \end{aligned}$$

Now,  $NP = OL$

$$\Rightarrow NP = \frac{(a^2 - b^2) \sin \theta \cos \theta}{\sqrt{a^2 \sin^2 \theta + b^2 \cos^2 \theta}}$$

Therefore,

ar  $\triangle OPN$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \times ON \times NP \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{ab(a^2 - b^2) \sin \theta \cos \theta}{a^2 \sin^2 \theta + b^2 \cos^2 \theta} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{ab(a^2 - b^2)}{a^2 \tan \theta + b^2 \cot \theta} \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{ab(a^2 - b^2)}{2ab} = \frac{(a^2 - b^2)}{4} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{at } \tan \theta = \frac{b}{a}.$$

Thus, the point  $P$  is

$$\left( \frac{a^2}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}, \frac{b^2}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} \right)$$

By symmetry, we have four such points.

$$\text{Thus, } \left( \pm \frac{a^2}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}, \pm \frac{b^2}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} \right)$$

$$8. \text{ Given ellipse is } \frac{x^2}{(5/3)} + \frac{y^2}{(5/2)} = 1$$

The equation of any tangent to the given ellipse is

$$\begin{aligned} y &= mx + \sqrt{b^2 m^2 + a^2} \\ \Rightarrow y &= mx + \sqrt{\frac{5}{2} m^2 + \frac{5}{3}} \end{aligned}$$

which is passing through  $(1, 2)$ .

$$\text{So, } 2 = m + \sqrt{\frac{5}{2} m^2 + \frac{5}{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow (2 - m)^2 = \left( \frac{5}{2} m^2 + \frac{5}{3} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 6m^2 - 24m + 24 = 15m^2 + 10$$

$$\Rightarrow 9m^2 + 24m - 14 = 0$$

Let its roots are  $m_1$  and  $m_2$

$$\text{So, } m_1 + m_2 = -\frac{8}{3}, m_1 m_2 = -\frac{14}{9}$$

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between the tangents

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } \tan(\theta) &= \frac{m_2 - m_1}{1 + m_1 m_2} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{(m_2 + m_1)^2 - 4m_1 m_2}}{1 + m_1 m_2} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{\frac{64}{9} + \frac{56}{9}}}{1 - \frac{14}{9}} = \frac{2\sqrt{30}}{3} \times \frac{9}{5} = \frac{6\sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{5}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Thus, } \theta = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{6\sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{5}} \right)$$

9. Normal at  $P(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$  is

$$ax \sec \theta - by \operatorname{cosec} \theta = a^2 - b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow ax \sec \theta - by \operatorname{cosec} \theta = 14 - 5 = 9$$

which meets the ellipse again at  $Q$ . So

$$a^2 \cos 2\theta \sec \theta - b^2 \sin 2\theta \operatorname{cosec} \theta = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow 14 \cos 2\theta \sec \theta - 5 \sin 2\theta \operatorname{cosec} \theta = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow 28 \cos^2 \theta - 14 - 10 \cos^2 \theta = 9 \cos \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow 18 \cos^2 \theta - 9 \cos \theta - 14 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (6 \cos \theta - 7)(3 \cos \theta + 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = -\frac{2}{3}, \frac{7}{6}$$

$$\text{Thus, } \cos \theta = -\frac{2}{3}$$

$$10. \text{ Given ellipse is } \frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of the chord bisected at  $(h, k)$  is

$$T = S_1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{hx}{a^2} + \frac{ky}{b^2} = \frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{hx}{25} + \frac{ky}{16} = \frac{h^2}{25} + \frac{k^2}{16}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(1/5)x}{25} + \frac{(2/5)y}{16} = \frac{(1/5)^2}{25} + \frac{(2/5)^2}{16}$$

Solving, we get

$$4x + 5y = 4 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$x = 4, -3 \text{ and } y = -\frac{12}{5}, \frac{16}{5}$$

Let the chord be  $AB$ , where

$$A = \left( 4, -\frac{12}{5} \right) \text{ and } B = \left( -3, \frac{16}{5} \right)$$

Hence, the length the  $AB$  is

$$= \sqrt{(7)^2 + \left( \frac{28}{5} \right)^2} = 7\sqrt{1 + \frac{16}{25}} = \frac{7\sqrt{41}}{5}$$

11. Any tangent to the ellipse is

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

Its point of contact is  $P(a \cos \theta - b \sin \theta)$  and its slope is  $-\frac{b}{a} \cot \theta$ . Also the focus is  $S(ae, 0)$ .

Any line through the focus  $S$  and perpendicular to tangent (i) is

$$y - 0 = \frac{a}{b} \tan \theta (x - ae) \quad \dots(ii)$$

Also the equation of  $CP$  is

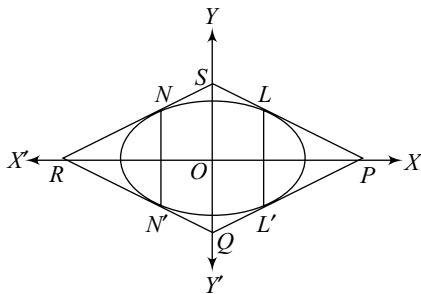
$$y - 0 = \frac{a}{b} \tan \theta (x - 0) \quad \dots(iii)$$

Eliminating  $\theta$  between Eqs (ii) and (iii), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\frac{a^2}{b^2}\right)\left(\frac{x - ae}{x}\right) &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow \left(\frac{x - ae}{x}\right) &= \left(\frac{b^2}{a^2}\right) \\ \Rightarrow \left(1 - \frac{ae}{x}\right) &= \left(\frac{b^2}{a^2}\right) \\ \Rightarrow \left(1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}\right) &= \left(\frac{ae}{x}\right) \\ \Rightarrow \left(1 - \frac{a^2(1 - e^2)}{a^2}\right) &= \left(\frac{ae}{x}\right) \\ \Rightarrow e^2 &= \left(\frac{ae}{x}\right) \\ \Rightarrow x &= \frac{a}{e} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the result.

12.



Given ellipse is  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{5} = 1$

Now,  $e = \sqrt{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{5}{9}} = \frac{2}{3}$

$$L = \left( ae, \frac{b^2}{a} \right) = \left( 2, \frac{5}{3} \right)$$

$$L' = \left( ae, -\frac{b^2}{a} \right) = \left( 2, -\frac{5}{3} \right)$$

$$N = \left( -ae, \frac{b^2}{a} \right) = \left( -2, \frac{5}{3} \right) \text{ and}$$

$$N' = \left( -ae, -\frac{b^2}{a} \right) = \left( -2, -\frac{5}{3} \right)$$

Now, the tangent at  $L$  is

$$\frac{xx_1}{9} + \frac{yy_1}{5} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2x}{9} + \frac{5}{3} \frac{y}{5} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{9/2} + \frac{y}{3} = 1$$

Thus,  $P = \left( \frac{9}{2}, 0 \right)$  and  $S = (0, 3)$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ar}(\text{quad } PQRS) &= 4 \times \text{ar}(\Delta OPS) \\ &= 4 \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{9}{2} \times 3 \\ &= 27 \text{ s.u.} \end{aligned}$$

13. The equation of the tangent at  $(3\sqrt{3} \cos \theta, \sin \theta)$  to the given ellipse is

$$\frac{x \cdot 3\sqrt{3} \cos \theta}{27} + y \cdot \sin \theta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{3\sqrt{3} \sec \theta} + \frac{y}{\text{cosec } \theta} = 1$$

It is given that

$$S = 3\sqrt{3} \sec \theta + \text{cosec } \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dS}{d\theta} = 3\sqrt{3} \sec \theta \tan \theta - \text{cosec } \theta \cot \theta$$

For maximum or minimum,  $\frac{dS}{d\theta} = 0$  gives

$$\Rightarrow 3\sqrt{3} \sec \theta \tan \theta - \text{cosec } \theta \cot \theta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3\sqrt{3} \sec \theta \tan \theta = \text{cosec } \theta \cot \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\text{cosec } \theta \cot \theta}{\sec \theta \tan \theta} = 3\sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot^3 \theta = 3\sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot \theta = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

Hence, the value of  $\theta$  is  $\frac{\pi}{6}$ .

14. Let the mid-point be  $(h, k)$ .

The equation of the ellipse is  $x^2 + 2y^2 = 2$ .

$$\frac{x^2}{2} + y^2 = 1$$

and the equation of the tangent to the ellipse at  $(\sqrt{2} \cos \theta, \sin \theta)$  is

$$\frac{x \cdot \sqrt{2} \cos \theta}{2} + y \cdot \sin \theta = 1.$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{\sqrt{2} \sec \theta} + \frac{y}{\operatorname{cosec} \theta} = 1.$$

Let  $A = (\sqrt{2} \sec \theta, 0)$  and  $B = (0, \operatorname{cosec} \theta)$

$$\text{Thus, } h = \frac{\sqrt{2} \sec \theta}{2}, k = \frac{\operatorname{cosec} \theta}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}h} \text{ and } \sin \theta = \frac{1}{2k}$$

Squaring and adding, we get

$$\frac{1}{2h^2} + \frac{1}{4k^2} = 1$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$\frac{1}{2x^2} + \frac{1}{4y^2} = 1$$

15. The equation of any tangent to the given ellipse at  $(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{a \sec \theta} + \frac{y}{b \operatorname{cosec} \theta} = 1$$

Let  $A = (a \sec \theta, 0)$  and  $B = (0, b \operatorname{cosec} \theta)$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta = \operatorname{ar}(\triangle OAB) &= \frac{1}{2ab \sin \theta \operatorname{cosec} \theta} \\ &= \frac{1}{ab \sin 2\theta} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the minimum area is  $\frac{1}{ab}$  sq. unit.

16. The equation of any tangent to the ellipse is

$$y = mx + \sqrt{a^2 m^2 + b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = mx + \sqrt{25m^2 + 4}$$

$$\Rightarrow mx - y + \sqrt{25m^2 + 4} = 0$$

which is also a tangent to the given circle. So, the length of the perpendicular from the centre to the tangent is equal to the radius of a circle

$$\frac{\sqrt{25m^2 + 4}}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 25m^2 + 4 = 16(m^2 + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 9m^2 = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \pm \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Hence, the equation of the common tangent is

$$y = -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}x + \sqrt{\frac{100}{3} + 4}$$

$$y = -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}x + \sqrt{\frac{112}{3}}$$

Let  $A = (2\sqrt{7}, 0)$  and  $B = \left(0, \sqrt{\frac{112}{3}}\right)$

Thus, the length of the tangent

$$= \sqrt{28 + \frac{112}{3}} = \sqrt{\frac{196}{3}} = \frac{14}{\sqrt{3}}$$

17. Let  $(h, k)$  be the point of intersection of tangents at  $\theta$  and  $\varphi$ . Then

$$\frac{h}{a} = \frac{\cos\left(\frac{\theta + \varphi}{2}\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{\theta - \varphi}{2}\right)} \text{ and } \frac{k}{b} = \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\theta + \varphi}{2}\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{\theta - \varphi}{2}\right)}$$

Squaring and adding, we get

$$\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2} = \frac{1}{\cos^2\left(\frac{\theta - \varphi}{2}\right)} \quad \dots(i)$$

It is given that,

$$b(\sin \theta + \sin \varphi) = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow (\sin \theta + \sin \varphi) = 1 \quad (\because b = 3)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \sin\left(\frac{\theta + \varphi}{2}\right) \cos\left(\frac{\theta - \varphi}{2}\right) = 1$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{k}{b} = \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\theta + \varphi}{2}\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{\theta - \varphi}{2}\right)} = \frac{1}{2 \cos^2\left(\frac{\theta - \varphi}{2}\right)} \quad \dots(ii)$$

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

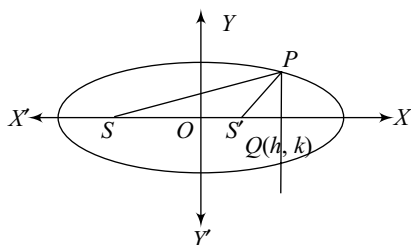
$$\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2} = \frac{2k}{b}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{h^2}{25} + \frac{k^2}{9} = \frac{2k}{3}$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{9} = \frac{2y}{3}$$

18. Given ellipse is  $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$



Let the point  $Q$  be  $(h, k)$ .

Clearly,  $k$  is negative.

It is given that,

$$SP = NQ$$

$$\Rightarrow -k = a + eh$$

$$\Rightarrow -k = 5 + \frac{3}{5}h$$

Hence, the locus of  $Q$  is

$$-y = 5 + \frac{3}{5}x$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x + 5y + 25 = 0$$

19. The Equation of the tangent to the ellipse is

$$y = mx + \sqrt{a^2 m^2 + b^2}$$

$$= 2x + \sqrt{4a^2 + b^2}$$

which is a normal to the given circle

Clearly, it will pass through the centre of a circle, so

$$0 = -4 + \sqrt{4a^2 + b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{4a^2 + b^2} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a^2 + b^2 = 16$$

Let  $P = ab = a\sqrt{16 - 4a^2}$

$$\Rightarrow P^2 = a^2(16 - 4a^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow Q = 16a^2 - 4a^4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dQ}{da} = 32a - 16a^3$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2Q}{da^2} = 32 - 48a^2$$

For maximum or minimum,

$$\frac{dQ}{da} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 32a - 16a^3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 16a(a^2 - 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 0, \pm\sqrt{2}$$

when  $a = \pm\sqrt{2}$ , then  $b = \pm 2\sqrt{2}$

Hence, the maximum value of  $ab$  is 4.

20. Any point on the ellipse be  $(a \cos \theta + a \sin \theta)$ .  
Clearly, the centre is  $(0, 0)$

Now, distance,  $r = \sqrt{a^2 \cos^2 \theta + a^2 \sin^2 \theta} = a$

Also,

$$a^2 \cos^2 \theta + 2a^2 \sin \theta \cos \theta + 2a^2 \sin^2 \theta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 = \frac{1}{1 + \sin 2\theta + \sin^2 \theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \sin 2\theta + \sin^2 \theta}}$$

Therefore,  $r = a = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \sin 2\theta + \sin^2 \theta}}$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{3}{2} + \sin 2\theta - \frac{1}{2} \cos 2\theta}}$$

$r$  will be maximum when  $\Delta r$  will provide us minimum value

Hence, the maximum value of  $r$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3 - \sqrt{5}}}$$

21. Let  $M(h, k)$  the mid-point of the chord  $PQ$ .

Since the length of  $PQ$  is  $2c$ , so  $P$  and  $Q$  can be considered as  $(h + c \cos \theta, k + c \sin \theta)$  and  $(h - c \cos \theta, k - c \sin \theta)$  respectively.

Thus,  $\frac{(h + c \cos \theta)^2}{a^2} + \frac{(k + c \sin \theta)^2}{b^2} = 1$

and  $\frac{(h - c \cos \theta)^2}{a^2} + \frac{(k - c \sin \theta)^2}{b^2} = 1$

Adding, we get

$$b^2 h^2 + a^2 k^2 - a^2 b^2 + c^2(a^2 \sin^2 \theta + a^2 \cos^2 \theta) = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

and subtracting, we get

$$\frac{4ch}{a^2} \cos \theta - \frac{4ck}{b^2} \sin \theta = 0$$

$$\frac{\sin \theta}{b^2 h} = \frac{\cos \theta}{-a^2 k} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{h^2 b^4 + k^2 a^4}} \quad \dots(ii)$$

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$b^2 h^2 + a^2 k^2 - a^2 b^2 + c^2 \left( \frac{b^4 h^2 a^2}{b^4 h^2 + k^2 a^4} + \frac{a^4 k^2 b^2}{b^4 h^2 + k^2 a^4} \right) = 0$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

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

22. Let the ellipse be  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and its pole be  $(h, k)$

The equation of polar w.r.t. the given ellipse is

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{hx}{a^2} + \frac{ky}{b^2} &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{ky}{b^2} &= -\frac{hx}{a^2} + 1 \\ \Rightarrow y &= -\frac{b^2h}{a^2k}x + \frac{b^2}{k} \end{aligned} \quad \dots(i)$$

which is a tangent to the parabola

$$\begin{aligned} ay^2 &= -2b^2x \\ \Rightarrow y^2 &= \left(-\frac{2b^2}{a}\right)x \\ \Rightarrow y^2 &= 4\left(-\frac{b^2}{2a}\right)x \end{aligned} \quad \dots(ii)$$

Since (i) is tangent to (ii), so

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{b^2}{k} &= \frac{\left(-\frac{b^2}{2a}\right)}{\left(-\frac{b^2h}{a^2k}\right)} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{b^2}{k} &= \frac{ak}{2h} \\ \Rightarrow k^2 &= \frac{2b^2}{a}h \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$y^2 = \left(\frac{2b^2}{a}\right)x$$

which represents a parabola.

23. Let the equation of the ellipse be  $\left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right) = 1$

The equation of a tangent to the given ellipse is

$$x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha = \sqrt{a^2 \cos^2 \alpha + b^2 \sin^2 \alpha} \quad \dots(i)$$

After rotation, the equation of the tangent is

$$\begin{aligned} x \cos(\alpha + 90^\circ) + y \sin(\alpha + 90^\circ) &= \sqrt{a^2 \sin^2 \alpha + b^2 \cos^2 \alpha} \\ \Rightarrow -x \sin \alpha + y \cos \alpha &= \sqrt{a^2 \sin^2 \alpha + b^2 \cos^2 \alpha} \end{aligned} \quad \dots(ii)$$

On subtraction, we get

$$\begin{aligned} (x + y) \sin \alpha + (x - y) \cos \alpha &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{\sin \alpha}{(y - x)} &= \frac{\cos \alpha}{(x + y)} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2(x^2 + y^2)}} \end{aligned}$$

Putting the values of  $\sin \alpha$  and  $\cos \alpha$  in Eq. (i), we get

$$\begin{aligned} x(x + y) + y(y - x) &= \sqrt{a^2(y + x)^2 + b^2(y - x)^2} \\ \Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2) &= \sqrt{a^2(y + x)^2 + b^2(y - x)^2} \\ \Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2) &= \sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)(x^2 + y^2) + 2xy(a^2 - b^2)} \\ \Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2)^2 &= (a^2 + b^2)(x^2 + y^2) + 2xy(a^2 - b^2) \\ \Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2)(x^2 + y^2 - a^2 - b^2) &= 2xy(a^2 - b^2) \end{aligned}$$

which is the required locus.

24. Let the ellipse be  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and the point  $P$  be  $(h, k)$ .

The equation of any tangent to the ellipse be

$$y = mx + \sqrt{a^2 m^2 + b^2}$$

which is passing through  $P$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So, } k &= mh + \sqrt{a^2 m^2 + b^2} \\ \Rightarrow (k - mh)^2 &= (a^2 m^2 + b^2) \\ \Rightarrow k^2 - 2hkm + m^2 h^2 &= (a^2 m^2 + b^2) \\ \Rightarrow (h^2 - a^2)m^2 - 2hkm + (k^2 - b^2) &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

It has two roots, say  $m_1$  and  $m_2$ .

$$\text{Thus, } m_1 + m_2 = \frac{2hk}{(h^2 - a^2)}$$

$$\text{and } m_1 m_2 = \frac{k^2 - b^2}{h^2 - a^2}$$

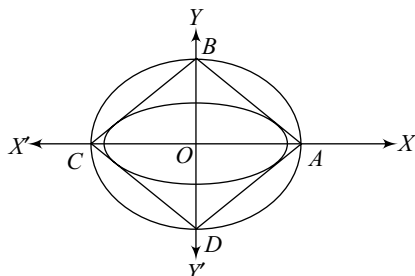
It is given that,  $\theta_1 + \theta_2 = 2\alpha$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \tan(\theta_1 + \theta_2) &= \tan(2\alpha) \\ \Rightarrow \frac{\tan \theta_1 + \tan \theta_2}{1 - \tan \theta_1 \cdot \tan \theta_2} &= \tan(2\alpha) \\ \Rightarrow \frac{m_1 + m_2}{1 - m_1 m_2} &= \tan(2\alpha) \\ \Rightarrow \frac{2hk}{h^2 - a^2 - k^2 + b^2} &= \tan(2\alpha) \\ \Rightarrow \frac{2hk}{(h^2 - k^2) + (b^2 - a^2)} &= \tan(2\alpha) \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the locus of  $P(h, k)$  is

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{2xy}{(x^2 - y^2) + (b^2 - a^2)} &= \tan(2\alpha) \\ \Rightarrow \{(x^2 - y^2) + (b^2 - a^2)\} \tan(2\alpha) &= 2xy \end{aligned}$$

25. Given ellipse is  $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$



Clearly, the vertices of the square lie on the director circle of the given ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ .

The equation of the director circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 = 16 + 9 = 25$$

Thus, the length of AC is 10 which is diagonal of the square.

Thus,  $a\sqrt{2} = 10$

$$\Rightarrow a = 5\sqrt{2}$$

Hence, the length of the side of the square is  $5\sqrt{2}$ .

26. Let PQ be the double ordinate, where

$$P = (3 \cos \theta, 2 \sin \theta) \text{ and } Q = (3 \cos \theta, -2 \sin \theta)$$

Let the point R(h, k) divides the double ordinate in the ratio 2 : 1

Thus  $h = 3 \cos \theta$  and  $k = \frac{2}{3} \sin \theta$

Squaring and adding, we get

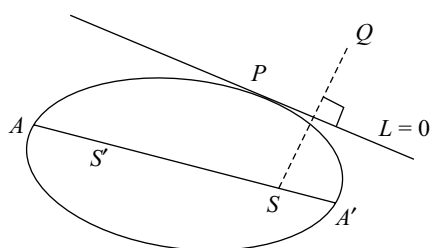
$$\left(\frac{h}{3}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{3k}{2}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{h^2}{9} + \frac{9k^2}{4} = 1$$

Hence, the locus of (h, k) is

$$\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{9y^2}{4} = 1$$

27. Let S = (2, -1) and S' = (1, -1) and Q is the image of S w.r.t.  $x + y = 5$ .



So,  $\frac{h-2}{1} = \frac{k-1}{1} = -\frac{2(-4)}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{h-2}{1} = \frac{k-1}{1} = 4$$

Thus, Q = (6, 3)

As we know that,

$$SP + S'P = 2a$$

$$\Rightarrow SP + QP = 2a$$

Thus, S, P and Q are collinear.

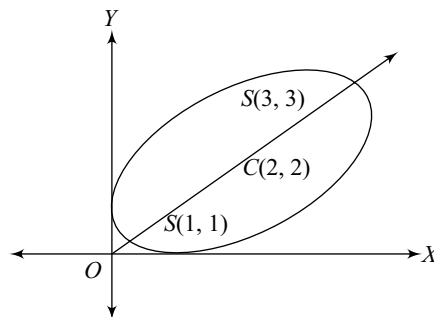
So,  $S'Q : 4x - 5y = 9$

Therefore P is a point of intersection of

$$S'Q : 4x - 5y = 9 \text{ and } L : x + y = 5$$

Hence, the point P is  $\left(\frac{34}{9}, \frac{11}{9}\right)$ .

28. Clearly, the centre of the ellipse is (2, 2).



Since x-axis and y-axis are two perpendicular tangents to the ellipse, so (0, 0) lies on the director circle and (2, 2) is the centre of the director circle.

Thus, the radius =  $\sqrt{2^2 + 2^2} = \sqrt{8} = 2\sqrt{2}$

Hence, the area of the director circle =  $8\pi$

29. The co-ordinates of any point on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  be (a cos θ, b sin θ).

If it lies on the line  $bx = ay$ , we have

$$ba \cos \theta = ab \sin \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{4} \text{ or } \frac{5\pi}{4}$$

30. Let the equation of the ellipse be  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

Its polar form is  $\frac{1}{r^2} = \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2}$

Let  $r_1$  and  $r_2$  be the lengths of the radius vectors CP and

CQ which are inclined at angles  $\theta$  and  $\frac{\pi}{2} + \theta$ .

So,  $\frac{1}{r_1^2} = \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2}$

and  $\frac{1}{r_2^2} = \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2}$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{r_1^2} + \frac{1}{r_2^2} &= \frac{\cos^2\theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2\theta}{b^2} + \frac{\sin^2\theta}{a^2} + \frac{\cos^2\theta}{b^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} \end{aligned}$$

31. The given ellipse is

$$4(x - 2y + 1)^2 + 9(2x + y + 2)^2 = 25 \quad \dots(i)$$

Let  $X = x - 2y + 1$ ,  $Y = 2x + y + 2$

Equation (i) reduces to

$$4X^2 + 9Y^2 = 25$$

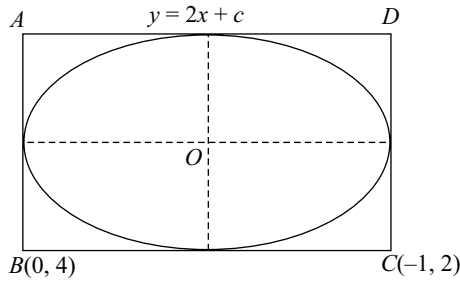
$$\Rightarrow \frac{X^2}{25/4} + \frac{Y^2}{25/9} = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus, } e &= \sqrt{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}} \\ &= \sqrt{1 - \frac{25/9}{25/4}} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{4}{9}} = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{3} \end{aligned}$$

32. Let  $AD: y = 2x + c$

So,  $BC: y = 2x + 4$ ,  $AB: x + 2y = 8$

and  $DC: x + 2y - 3 = 0$



Let  $BC = 2a$  and  $AB = 2b$ .

$$\text{Clearly, } 2a = \sqrt{5} \Rightarrow a = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}$$

It is given that,

$$\begin{aligned} \pi ab &= \frac{5}{2}\pi \\ \Rightarrow ab &= \frac{5}{2} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}b &= \frac{5}{2} \\ \Rightarrow b &= \sqrt{5} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Also, } b = \left| \frac{c - 4}{2\sqrt{5}} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{c - 4}{2\sqrt{5}} \right| = \sqrt{5}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow c - 4 &= \pm 10 \\ \Rightarrow c &= 4 \pm 10 = 14, -6 \\ \text{when } c &= 14 \end{aligned}$$

On solving the equations  $AB: x + 2y = 8$  and  $AD: y = 2x + 14$ , and  $AB$  and  $DC$ , we get

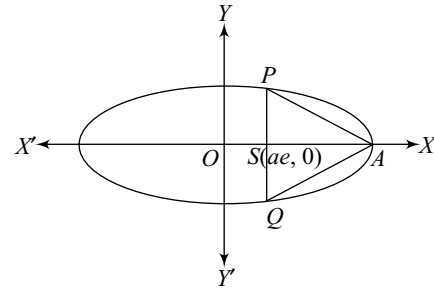
$$A = (-4, 6) \text{ and } D = (-5, 4)$$

When  $c = -6$ , we get,

$$A = (3, 2) \text{ and } D = (3, 0).$$

### LEVEL IV

1. Given ellipse is



We have  $A = \text{ar}(\Delta PQA)$

$$= \frac{1}{2}(2b \sin \theta)(a - a \cos \theta)$$

$$= ab \left( \sin \theta - \frac{1}{2} \sin 2\theta \right)$$

$$\frac{dA}{d\theta} = ab(\cos \theta - \cos 2\theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2 A}{d\theta^2} = ab(-\sin \theta + 2 \sin 2\theta)$$

For maximum or minimum

$$\frac{dA}{d\theta} = 0$$

gives

$$ab(\cos \theta - \cos 2\theta) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\cos \theta - \cos 2\theta) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos 2\theta = \cos \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos 2\theta = \cos (2\pi - \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\theta = 2\pi - \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow 3\theta = 2\pi$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \frac{2\pi}{3} = 120^\circ$$

Clearly,  $\frac{d^2 A}{d\theta^2}$  is -ve

Thus,  $A$  is maximum.

Hence, the maximum value of  $A$

$$= ab \left( \sin 120^\circ - \frac{1}{2} \sin (240^\circ) \right)$$

$$= \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \right) ab$$

$$= \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{4} ab \text{ s.u.}$$

2. The equation of the tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4x$  at  $(t^2, 2t)$  is

$$yt = x + t^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x - yt + t^2 = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

and the equation of the normal

$$4x^2 + 5y^2 = 20$$

i.e.  $\frac{x^2}{5} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$

at  $(\sqrt{5} \cos \phi, 2 \sin \phi)$  is

$$\frac{a^2 x}{x_1} - \frac{b^2 y}{y_1} = a^2 - b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5x}{\sqrt{5} \cos \phi} - \frac{4y}{2 \sin \phi} = 5 - 4 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (\sqrt{5} \sec \phi)x - (2 \operatorname{cosec} \phi)y = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Since (i) and (ii) are the same line, so

$$\frac{\sqrt{5} \sec \phi}{1} = \frac{2 \operatorname{cosec} \phi}{t} = \frac{-1}{t^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sec \phi = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}t^2}, \operatorname{cosec} \phi = -\frac{1}{2t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \phi = -t^2 \sqrt{5}, \sin \phi = -2t$$

Thus,  $5t^4 + 4t^2 - 1 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 5t^4 + 5t^2 - t^2 - 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 5t^2(t^2 + 1) - 1(t^2 + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (5t^2 - 1)(t^2 + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (5t^2 - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$$

Also,  $\tan \phi = \pm 2$

$$\Rightarrow \phi = \tan^{-1}(\pm 2)$$

3. The equation of the given ellipse is

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

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{16} + y^2 = 1$$

Given centre of the circle is  $C(1, 0)$ .

Let the equation of the circle be

$$(x - 1)^2 + y^2 = r^2$$

Since the circle is the largest, so it will touch the ellipse at some point  $P(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$ .

The equation of the tangent to the ellipse is

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1$$

whose slope is  $m_1 = -\frac{b \cos \theta}{a \sin \theta} = -\frac{1}{2} \cot \theta$

and  $m_2 = m(CP) = \frac{b \sin \theta}{(a \cos \theta - 1)} = \frac{2 \sin \theta}{4 \cos \theta - 1}$

But  $m_1 m_2 = -1$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{1 \cos \theta}{2 \sin \theta} \times \frac{2 \sin \theta}{4 \cos \theta - 1} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\cos \theta}{4 \cos \theta - 1} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 \cos \theta - 1 = \cos \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 \cos \theta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{1}{3}$$

Thus, the radius of the circle,

$$r = \sqrt{(a \cos \theta - 1)^2 + b^2 \sin^2 \theta}$$

$$= \sqrt{\left(\frac{4}{3} - 1\right)^2 + 4\left(1 - \frac{1}{9}\right)}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1}{9} + \frac{32}{9}} = \frac{\sqrt{33}}{3}$$

Hence, the equation of the circle is

$$(x - 1)^2 + y^2 = \frac{33}{9} = \frac{11}{3}$$

4. Let the point  $P$  be  $(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$  and the point  $Q$  be

$$\left(a \cos\left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{4}\right), b \sin\left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)\right)$$

The equation of the chord joining  $P$  and  $Q$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos\left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{8}\right) + \frac{y}{b} \sin\left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{8}\right) = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{8}\right)$$

which is identical with

$$px + qy = r$$

Comparing the co-efficients, we get

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{\cos\left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{8}\right)}{ap} = \frac{\sin\left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{8}\right)}{bq} = \frac{\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{8}\right)}{r}$$

$$\cos\left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{8}\right) = \frac{ap}{r} \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{8}\right)$$

$$\text{and } \sin\left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{8}\right) = \frac{bq}{r}$$

Squaring and adding, we get

$$\left(\frac{ap}{r}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{bq}{r}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$a^2 p^2 + b^2 q^2 = r^2$$

which is the required condition.



5. Let  $R(h, k)$  be any point on the locus.

Let  $OP: y = x \tan \alpha$  and  $OQ: y = -x \tan \alpha$

It is given that,

$$(h \sin \alpha - k \cos \alpha)^2 + (h \sin \alpha + k \cos \alpha)^2 = 2\lambda^2$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 \sin^2 \alpha + k^2 \cos^2 \alpha = \lambda^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{h^2}{\lambda^2 \operatorname{cosec}^2 \alpha} + \frac{k^2}{\lambda^2 \sec^2 \alpha} = 1$$

which represents an ellipse.

6. Let the equation of the ellipse be  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

Let  $C$  be the centre and  $PQ$  be the chord whose equation is  $x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha = p$ .

Now, we make above two equations a homogeneous equation of 2nd degree.

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = \left( \frac{x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha}{p} \right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{p^2}{a^2} - \cos^2 \alpha \right) x^2 - 2xy \sin \alpha \cos \alpha + \left( \frac{p^2}{b^2} - \sin^2 \alpha \right) y^2 = 0$$

Since the pair of diameters  $CP$  and  $CQ$  are at right angles, so

$$\left( \frac{p^2}{a^2} - \cos^2 \alpha \right) + \left( \frac{p^2}{b^2} - \sin^2 \alpha \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{p^2}{a^2} + \frac{p^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow p^2 \left( \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} \right) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow p^2 = \frac{1}{\left( \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} \right)} = \frac{a^2 b^2}{a^2 + b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow p = \frac{ab}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}$$

$$\text{Thus, } PQ: x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha = \frac{ab}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}$$

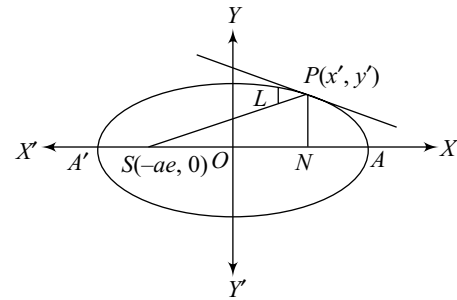
Now, the length of the perpendicular draw a from the centre to the line  $PQ$

$$= \frac{\left| 0 + 0 - \frac{ab}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} \right|}{\sqrt{\cos^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \alpha}} = \frac{ab}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}$$

= constant

Hence, the line  $PQ$  touches a fixed circle whose centre is  $(0, 0)$  and the radius is  $\frac{ab}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}$ .

7. Given ellipse is  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$



The equation of tangent at  $P$  is

$$\frac{xx'}{a^2} + \frac{yy'}{b^2} = 1$$

The slope of the tangent is  $-\frac{b^2 x'}{a^2 y'}$

and the slope of  $SP$  is  $\frac{y'}{x' + ae}$

$$\text{Now, } \tan \theta = \frac{\frac{y'}{x' + ae} + \frac{b^2 x'}{a^2 y'}}{1 - \left( \frac{y'}{x' + ae} \cdot \frac{b^2 x'}{a^2 y'} \right)}$$

$$= \frac{a^2 b^2 + b^2 x' ae}{x' y' a^2 e^2 + a^2 e y'}$$

$$= \frac{b^2 a(a + ex')}{a^2 e y'(a + ex')} = \frac{b^2}{a e y'}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{b^2}{a e y'} \right)$$

8. Given ellipse is  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$

and the circle is  $x^2 + y^2 = ab$ .

On solving, we get,

$$x^2 = \frac{a^2 b}{a + b} \text{ and } y^2 = \frac{ab^2}{a + b}$$

The equation of tangent to the ellipse at  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$\frac{xx_1}{a^2} + \frac{yy_1}{b^2} = 1 \text{ and the circle is } xx_1 + yy_1 = ab$$

The slope of the tangent to the ellipse is

$$m_1 = -\frac{b^2 x_1}{a^2 y_1}$$

and the slope of tangent to the circle is

$$m_2 = -\sqrt{\frac{a}{b}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } \tan \theta &= \frac{m_2 - m_1}{1 + m_1 m_2} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{\frac{a}{b}} \left(1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}\right)}{1 + \frac{ab^2}{ba^2}} \\ &= \frac{a^2 - b^2}{a(a+b)} \sqrt{\frac{a}{b}} \\ &= \frac{a-b}{\sqrt{ab}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Thus, } \theta = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{a-b}{\sqrt{ab}} \right)$$

9. The normal at  $P$  is

$$\frac{ax}{\cos \theta} - \frac{by}{\sin \theta} = a^2 - b^2$$

and the normal at  $Q$  is

$$\Rightarrow \frac{ax}{\cos \left( \theta + \frac{\pi}{2} \right)} - \frac{by}{\sin \left( \theta + \frac{\pi}{2} \right)} = a^2 - b^2$$

$$-\frac{ax}{\sin \theta} - \frac{by}{\cos \theta} = a^2 - b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{ax}{\sin \theta} + \frac{by}{\cos \theta} = b^2 - a^2$$

The slope of the normal at  $P$  is

$$m_1 = \frac{a \sin \theta}{b \cos \theta} = \frac{a}{b} \tan \theta$$

and the slope of the normal at  $Q$  is

$$m_2 = -\frac{a}{b} \cot \theta$$

$$\text{Now, } \tan \alpha = \frac{m_1 - m_2}{1 + m_1 m_2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\frac{a}{b} (\tan \theta + \cot \theta)}{1 - \frac{a^2}{b^2}} \\ &= \frac{ab}{(b^2 - a^2)} \frac{2}{\sin 2\theta} \\ &= \frac{2ab}{a^2 e^2} \times \frac{1}{\sin 2\theta} \\ &= \frac{2a^2 \sqrt{1-e^2}}{a^2 e^2} \times \frac{1}{\sin 2\theta} \\ &= \frac{2\sqrt{1-e^2}}{e^2 (\sin 2\theta)} \end{aligned}$$

10. The equation of the tangent at  $P$  is

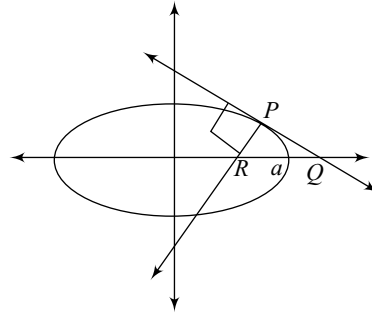
$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \varphi + \frac{y}{b} \sin \varphi = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

and the equation of the normal at  $P$  is

$$ax \sec \varphi - by \operatorname{cosec} \varphi = a^2 - b^2 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Then  $Q = (a \sec \varphi, 0)$

$$\text{and } R = \left( \frac{(a^2 - b^2) \cos \varphi}{a}, 0 \right)$$



Therefore,  $QR = a$

$$\Rightarrow a \sec \varphi - \frac{(a^2 - b^2) \cos \varphi}{a} = a$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 \sin^2 \varphi + b^2 \cos^2 \varphi = a^2 \cos \varphi$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 \sin^2 \varphi + a^2 (1 - e^2) \cos^2 \varphi = a^2 \cos \varphi$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 (\sin^2 \varphi + \cos^2 \varphi) - a^2 e^2 \cos^2 \varphi = a^2 \cos \varphi$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 - a^2 e^2 \cos^2 \varphi = a^2 \cos \varphi$$

$$\Rightarrow e^2 \cos^2 \varphi + \cos \varphi - 1 = 0$$

11. Let the point  $P$  be  $(a \cos \varphi, b \sin \varphi)$

and  $S = (ae, 0), S' = (-ae, 0)$

$$\therefore SP = a - ex = a - e \cos \varphi$$

$$\text{and } S'P = a + ae \cos \varphi$$

$$\text{Also, } SS' = 2ae$$

Let  $(\alpha, \beta)$  be the incentre of  $\Delta PSS'$ . So

$$\alpha = \frac{2ae \cdot a \cos \varphi + a(1 - e \cos \varphi)(-ae)}{2ae + a(1 - e \cos \varphi) + a(1 + e \cos \varphi)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = ae \cos \varphi$$

$$\text{Similarly, } \beta = \frac{be \sin \varphi}{1 + e}$$

Eliminating  $\phi$ , we get

$$\left( \frac{\alpha}{ae} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{\beta(1+e)}{be} \right)^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\alpha^2}{a^2 e^2} + \frac{\beta^2 (1+e)^2}{b^2 e^2} = 1$$

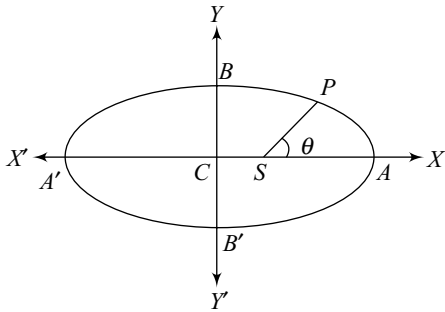
Hence, the locus of incentre is

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2 e^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2 e^2 (1+e)^2} = 1$$

Let  $e_1$  be its eccentricity, then

$$\begin{aligned} e_1 &= \sqrt{1 - \frac{\frac{b^2 e^2}{(1+e)^2}}{a^2 e^2}} \\ &= \sqrt{1 - \frac{a^2(1-e^2)}{a^2(1+e)^2}} \\ &= \sqrt{1 - \frac{1-e}{1+e}} = \sqrt{\frac{2e}{1+e}} \end{aligned}$$

12. Let the point  $P$  be  $(a \cos \phi, b \sin \phi)$ .



$$\begin{aligned} \tan \theta &= \frac{b \sin \phi}{a \cos \phi - ae} = \frac{(b/a) \sin \phi}{\cos \phi - e} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{1-e^2} \sin \phi}{\cos \phi - e} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta \cos \phi - e \tan \theta = \sqrt{1-e^2} \sin \phi$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{2 \tan(\theta/2)}{1 - \tan^2(\theta/2)} \times \left( \frac{1 - \tan^2(\phi/2)}{1 + \tan^2(\phi/2)} - e \right) \\ = \sqrt{1-e^2} \left( \frac{2 \tan(\theta/2)}{1 + \tan^2(\theta/2)} \right) \left( \frac{1 - \tan^2(\phi/2)}{1 + \tan^2(\phi/2)} \right) \end{aligned}$$

On simplification, we get

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{1+e} \tan\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) - \sqrt{1-e} \tan\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) = 0$$

$$\sqrt{1+e} \tan\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) = \sqrt{1-e} \tan\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) = \sqrt{\frac{1+e}{1-e}} \tan\left(\frac{\phi}{2}\right)$$

13. Let the vertices of the equilateral triangle  $P, Q, R$ , whose eccentric angles are  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  respectively.

Let  $(h, k)$  be the centroid of  $\Delta PQR$ .

$$\text{Then } h = \frac{a}{3} (\cos \alpha + \cos \beta + \cos \gamma)$$

$$\text{and } k = \frac{a}{3} (\sin \alpha + \sin \beta + \sin \gamma)$$

Since  $\Delta PQR$  is an equilateral triangle, so centroid = circumcentre.

$\therefore$  Circumcentre of  $\Delta PQR$  be

$$h = \frac{(a^2 - b^2)}{4a} (\cos \alpha + \cos \beta + \cos \gamma + \cos(\alpha + \beta + \gamma))$$

$$\text{and } k = \frac{(a^2 - b^2)}{4a} (\sin \alpha + \sin \beta + \sin \gamma - \sin(\alpha + \beta + \gamma))$$

On simplification, we get

$$\cos(\alpha + \beta + \gamma) = \frac{h(a^2 + 3b^2)}{a(a^2 - b^2)}$$

$$\text{and } \sin(\alpha + \beta + \gamma) = \frac{(a^2 + 3b^2)k}{b(a^2 - b^2)}$$

Squaring and adding, we get

$$\left( \frac{(a^2 + 3b^2)h}{a(a^2 - b^2)} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{(a^2 + 3b^2)k}{b(a^2 - b^2)} \right)^2 = 1$$

Hence, the locus of the centroid  $(h, k)$  is

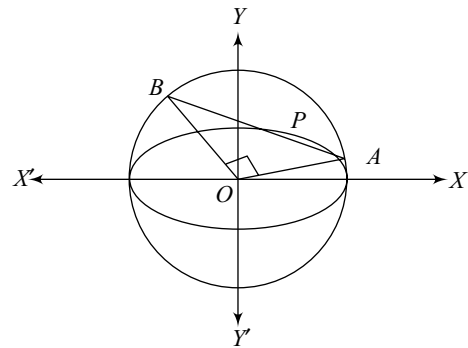
$$\left( \frac{(a^2 + 3b^2)x}{a(a^2 - b^2)} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{(a^2 + 3b^2)y}{b(a^2 - b^2)} \right)^2 = 1$$

14. The equation of the tangent to the ellipse at  $P$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \phi + \frac{y}{b} \sin \phi = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

Let the equation of the auxilliary circle be

$$x^2 + y^2 = a^2 \quad \dots(ii)$$



The equation of the pair of lines  $OA$  and  $OB$  are obtained by making homogeneous of (i) and (ii). So

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + y^2 &= a^2 \left( \frac{x}{a} \cos \phi + \frac{y}{b} \sin \phi \right)^2 \\ &= a^2 \left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} \cos^2 \phi + \frac{y^2}{b^2} \sin^2 \phi + 2 \frac{xy}{ab} \sin \phi \cos \phi \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 - \cos^2 \phi)x^2 + \left( 1 - \frac{a^2}{b^2} \sin^2 \phi \right)y^2 + (\dots)xy = 0$$

It is given that,  $\angle AOB = 90^\circ$ . So co-efficient of  $x^2$  + co-efficient of  $y^2 = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow 1 - \cos^2 \varphi + 1 - \frac{a^2}{b^2} \sin^2 \varphi &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \sin^2 \varphi + 1 - \frac{a^2}{a^2(1-e^2)} \sin^2 \varphi &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \sin^2 \varphi + 1 - \frac{1}{(1-e^2)} \sin^2 \varphi &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \left(1 - \frac{1}{1-e^2}\right) \sin^2 \varphi &= -1 \\ \Rightarrow \left(\frac{-e^2}{1-e^2}\right) \sin^2 \varphi &= -1 \\ \Rightarrow e^2 \sin^2 \varphi &= (1-e^2) \\ \Rightarrow e^2(1 + \sin^2 \varphi) &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow e^2 &= \frac{1}{(1 + \sin^2 \varphi)} \\ \Rightarrow e &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{(1 + \sin^2 \varphi)}} \end{aligned}$$

15. Let two points on the ellipse be  $P$  and  $Q$  whose eccentric angles are  $\varphi_1$  and  $\varphi_2$  where  $\varphi_1 - \varphi_2 = \alpha$ . The equation of the tangent at  $P$  and  $Q$  are

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \varphi_1 + \frac{y}{b} \sin \varphi_1 = 1$$

and  $\frac{x}{a} \cos \varphi_2 + \frac{y}{b} \sin \varphi_2 = 1$

Let  $R(h, k)$  be the point of intersection of the tangents.

$$\text{Thus, } h = \frac{a \cos\left(\frac{\varphi_1 + \varphi_2}{2}\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{\varphi_1 - \varphi_2}{2}\right)} \text{ and } k = \frac{b \sin\left(\frac{\varphi_1 + \varphi_2}{2}\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{\varphi_1 - \varphi_2}{2}\right)}$$

$$\frac{h}{a} = \frac{\cos\left(\frac{\varphi_1 + \varphi_2}{2}\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right)} \text{ and } \frac{k}{b} = \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\varphi_1 + \varphi_2}{2}\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right)}$$

Squaring and adding, we get

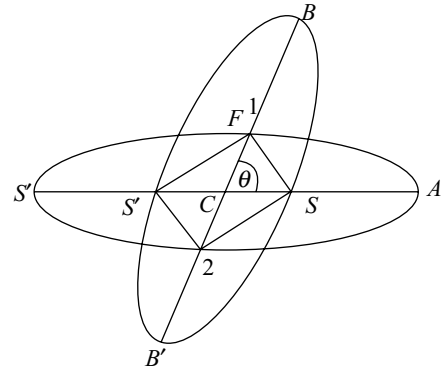
$$\left(\frac{h}{a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{k}{b}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{\cos^2\left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right)}$$

Hence, the locus of  $R(h, k)$  is

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = \sec^2\left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right)$$

16. Let  $S$  and  $S'$  be the foci of one ellipse and  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  of the other, where  $C$  being the common centre. So,  $SF_1S'F_2$  will form a parallelogram.

Since  $SF_1 + S'F_1 = 2a = F_1S' + F_2S'$



Clearly,  $CS = ae$  and  $CF_1 = ae'$

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between their axes.

Then,  $SF_1^2 = a^2e^2 + a^2e'^2 - 2a^2ee' \cos \theta$

and  $S'F_1^2 = a^2e^2 + a^2e'^2 + 2a^2ee' \cos \theta$

Now,  $2a = SF_1 + S'F_1$

$$\Rightarrow 4a^2 = (SF_1 + S'F_1)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a^2 = SF_1^2 + S'F_1^2 + 2(SF_1)(S'F_1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a^2 = 2a^2(e^2 + e'^2) +$$

$$2\sqrt{(a^2e^2 + a^2e'^2) - 4a^4e^2e'^2 \cos^2 \theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow (2 - e^2 - e'^2)^2 = (e^2 + e'^2)^2 - 4e^2e'^2 \cos^2 \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 - 4(e^2 + e'^2) = -4e^2e'^2 \cos^2 \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - (e^2 + e'^2) = -e^2e'^2 \cos^2 \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 \theta = \left(\frac{e^2 + e'^2 - 1}{e^2e'^2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \left(\frac{\sqrt{e^2 + e'^2 - 1}}{ee'}\right)$$

17. Let the point of concurrency be  $(h, k)$ .

The equation of the normal to the given ellipse at  $(x', y')$  is

$$\frac{a^2x}{x'} - \frac{b^2y}{y'} = a^2 - b^2$$

which is passing through  $(h, k)$ . So

$$\frac{a^2h}{x'} - \frac{b^2k}{y'} = a^2 - b^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

Also, the point  $(x', y')$  lies on  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ . So

$$\frac{x'^2}{a^2} + \frac{y'^2}{b^2} = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

On simplification, we get

$$-(a^2 - b^2)x'^4 + 2a^2(a^2 - b^2)hx'^3 + (\dots)x'^2 - 2a^4(a^2 - b^2)hx' + a^6h^2 = 0$$

which is a bi-quadratic equation. So, it has four roots, say  $x_1, x_2, x_3$  and  $x_4$ .

Then  $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = \frac{2ha^2}{(a^2 - b^2)}$

and  $x_1x_2x_3x_4 = a^2$

Now,  $\frac{1}{x_1} + \frac{1}{x_2} + \frac{1}{x_3} + \frac{1}{x_4} = \frac{\sum x_1x_2x_3}{x_1x_2x_3x_4} = \frac{2(a^2 - b^2)}{a^2h}$

Hence, the value of

$$(x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4) \left( \frac{1}{x_1} + \frac{1}{x_2} + \frac{1}{x_3} + \frac{1}{x_4} \right) = \frac{2ha^2}{(a^2 - b^2)} \times \frac{(a^2 - b^2)}{2ha^2} = 1$$

18. Let the ellipse be  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

Let  $P$  and  $Q$  be two points lie on the ellipse whose eccentric angles are  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  such that  $\theta = \alpha - \beta$ .

Given that the tangents at  $P$  and  $Q$  are at right angles.

$$\left( -\frac{b}{a} \cot \alpha \right) \left( -\frac{b}{a} \cot \beta \right) = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta + b^2 \cos \alpha \cos \beta = 0$$

But the diameter parallel to the tangent at  $P$  will be conjugate to the diameter  $CP$ , then its extremities will be  $(-a \sin \alpha, b \cos \alpha)$ .

$$\text{Thus, } d_1^2 = a^2 \sin^2 \alpha + b^2 \cos^2 \alpha$$

$$\text{Similarly, } d_2^2 = a^2 \sin^2 \beta + b^2 \cos^2 \beta$$

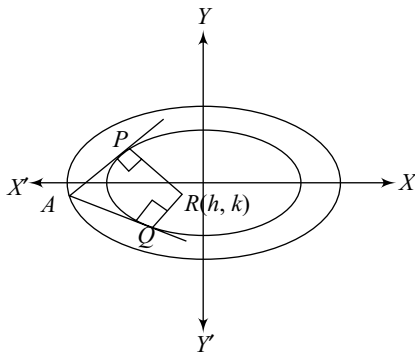
Now,

$$\begin{aligned} d_1^2 d_2^2 &= (a^2 \sin^2 \alpha + b^2 \cos^2 \alpha)(a^2 \sin^2 \beta + b^2 \cos^2 \beta) \\ &= (a^2 \sin \alpha \sin \beta + b^2 \cos \alpha \cos \beta)^2 \\ &\quad + a^2 b^2 (\sin \alpha \cos \beta - \cos \alpha \sin \beta)^2 \\ &= 0 + a^2 b^2 \sin^2(\alpha - \beta) \\ &= a^2 b^2 \sin^2 \theta \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow d_1 d_2 = ab \sin \theta$$

Hence, the result.

19. Given conics are  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 4$  and  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .



The equations of tangents at  $P$  and  $Q$  are

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \alpha + \frac{y}{b} \sin \alpha = 1$$

and  $\frac{x}{a} \cos \beta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \beta = 1$

On solving, we get the point of intersection  $A$ , i.e.

$$A = \left( \frac{a \cos \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \right)}{\cos \left( \frac{\alpha - \beta}{2} \right)}, \frac{a \sin \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \right)}{\cos \left( \frac{\alpha - \beta}{2} \right)} \right)$$

Since the point  $A$  lies on  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 4$ , so

$$\frac{\cos^2 \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \right)}{\cos^2 \left( \frac{\alpha - \beta}{2} \right)} + \frac{\sin^2 \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \right)}{\cos^2 \left( \frac{\alpha - \beta}{2} \right)} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos^2 \left( \frac{\alpha - \beta}{2} \right) = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \left( \frac{\alpha - \beta}{2} \right) = \pm \frac{1}{2}$$

$\therefore$  The equations of the normals  $PR$  and  $QR$  are

$$ax \sec \alpha - by \operatorname{cosec} \alpha = a^2 - b^2$$

and  $ax \sec \beta - by \operatorname{cosec} \beta = a^2 - b^2$

On simplification, we get

$$\frac{ax}{a^2 - b^2} = \pm \cos \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \right) \left\{ \cos(\alpha + \beta) - \frac{1}{2} \right\}$$

$$\frac{by}{a^2 - b^2} = \pm \sin \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \right) \left\{ \cos(\alpha + \beta) + \frac{1}{2} \right\}$$

Squaring and adding, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \left( \frac{ax}{a^2 - b^2} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{by}{a^2 - b^2} \right)^2 &= \cos^2(\alpha + \beta) + \frac{1}{4} - \cos^2(\alpha + \beta) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 x^2 + b^2 y^2 = \frac{1}{4} (a^2 - b^2)^2$$

Hence, the result.

20. Let the circle

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

intersect the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ ,

$$\text{i.e. } b^2 x^2 + a^2 y^2 = a^2 b^2 \quad \dots(ii)$$

in four points  $(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $(x_2, y_2)$ ,  $(x_3, y_3)$  and  $(x_4, y_4)$ , respectively.

It is given that, one point  $(x_1, y_1) = (h, k)$  is fixed and other two points  $(x_2, y_2)$  and  $(x_3, y_3)$  are extremities of a diameter of the ellipse.

Since  $\varphi$  and  $\pi + \varphi$  are the eccentric angles of the extremities of diameters of ellipse,

So,  $(x_2, y_2) = (a \cos \varphi, b \sin \varphi)$

and  $(x_3, y_3) = (-a \cos \varphi, -b \sin \varphi)$

Thus,  $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = h$  and  $y_1 + y_2 + y_3 = k$

Now, from Eq. (i), we get

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow a^2x^2 + a^2y^2 + 2ga^2x + 2fa^2y + a^2c &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow a^2x^2 + a^2y^2 + 2ga^2x + a^2c &= -2fa^2y \\ \Rightarrow (a^2x^2 + a^2y^2 + 2ga^2x + a^2c)^2 &= 4f^2a^4y^2 \\ \Rightarrow (a^2x^2 + a^2b^2 - b^2x^2 + 2ga^2x + a^2c)^2 &= 4f^2a^4y^2 \\ &= 4f^2a^2(a^2b^2 - b^2x^2) \\ \Rightarrow (a^2 - b^2)^2x^4 + 4a^2g(a^2 - b^2)x^3 + \alpha x^2 + \beta x + \gamma &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

where  $\alpha, \beta$  and  $\gamma$  are constants which is a bi-quadratic equation.

Let  $x_1, x_2, x_3$  and  $x_4$  are its roots.

$$\text{So, } x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = -\frac{4ga^2}{(a^2 - b^2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow h + x_4 = -\frac{4ga^2}{(a^2 - b^2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_4 = -\frac{4ga^2}{(a^2 - b^2)} - h$$

$$\text{Similarly, } y_4 = -\frac{4fb^2}{(a^2 - b^2)} - k$$

Since,  $(x_4, y_4)$  lies on the ellipse, so

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{x_4^2}{a^2} + \frac{y_4^2}{b^2} &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{\left(-\frac{4ga^2}{a^2 - b^2} - h\right)^2}{a^2} + \frac{\left(-\frac{4fb^2}{a^2 - b^2} - k\right)^2}{b^2} &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{16a^2g^2}{(a^2 - b^2)^2} + \frac{8gh}{a^2 - b^2} + \frac{16b^2f^2}{(a^2 - b^2)^2} & \\ - \frac{8fk}{(a^2 - b^2)} + \frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2} &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2g^2a^2}{(a^2 - b^2)} + gh + \frac{2f^2b^2}{(a^2 - b^2)} - fk = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2(g^2a^2 + f^2b^2)}{(a^2 - b^2)} + gh - fk = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(g^2a^2 + f^2b^2) = (gh - fk)(a^2 - b^2)$$

Hence, the locus of the centre  $(-g, -f)$  is

$$2(x^2a^2 + y^2b^2) = (hx - ky)(a^2 - b^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(a^2x^2 + b^2y^2) = (a^2 - b^2)(hx - ky)$$

Hence, the result.

### Integer Type Questions

1. The equation of the tangent to the ellipse is

$$\frac{x}{3 \sec \theta} + \frac{y}{2 \operatorname{cosec} \theta} = 1$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta &= ar \Delta OAB \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times 3 \sec \theta \times 2 \operatorname{cosec} \theta = \frac{6}{\sin 2\theta} \end{aligned}$$

Minimum area of the triangle = 6 s.u.

2. We have  $F_1 = (2, 0)$  and  $F_2 = (-2, 0)$

Now,  $A = \operatorname{ar}(\Delta PF_1F_2)$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} \sqrt{5} \cos \theta & \sin \theta & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \\ -2 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (4 \sin \theta) = 2 \sin \theta \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the maximum value of  $A$  is 2 s.u.

3. Given ellipse is  $16x^2 + 11y^2 = 256$ .

$$\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{(16/\sqrt{11})^2} = 1$$

The equation of the tangent to the given ellipse at

$$\left(4 \cos \varphi, \frac{16}{\sqrt{11}} \sin \varphi\right) \text{ is}$$

$$\frac{x \cos \varphi}{4} + \frac{y \sin \varphi}{(16/\sqrt{11})} = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

which is also a tangent to the circle

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 15 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 1)^2 + y^2 = 16$$

So, the length of the perpendicular from the centre to the circle is equal to the radius of a circle.

$$\begin{aligned} &\left| \frac{\left(\frac{\cos \varphi}{4}\right) - 1}{\sqrt{\frac{\cos^2 \varphi}{16} + \frac{\sin^2 \varphi}{256/11}}} \right| = 4 \\ \Rightarrow \left( \left(\frac{\cos \varphi}{4}\right) - 1 \right)^2 &= 16 \left( \frac{\cos^2 \varphi}{16} + \frac{\sin^2 \varphi}{256/11} \right) \\ \Rightarrow \left( \frac{\cos^2 \varphi}{16} - 2 \frac{\cos \varphi}{4} + 1 \right) &= \cos^2 \varphi + \frac{11}{16} \sin^2 \varphi \\ \Rightarrow 4 \cos^2 \varphi + 8 \cos \varphi - 5 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (2 \cos \varphi - 1)(2 \cos \varphi + 5) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (2 \cos \varphi - 1) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \cos \varphi &= \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \varphi = \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}$$

Hence, the number of values of  $\phi$  is 2.

4. The required area of a parallelogram is made by the tangents at the extremities of a pair of conjugate diameter

$$\begin{aligned} &= 4ab \\ &= 4 \times 3 \times \frac{1}{4} \\ &= 3 \text{ s.u.} \end{aligned}$$

5. Given curve is  $\frac{x^2}{a-10} + \frac{y^2}{4-a} = 1$

$$(4-a)x^2 + (a-10)y^2 - (a-10)(4-a) = 0$$

which represents an ellipse, if  $h^2 - ab < 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow & -(4-a)(a-10) < 0 \\ \Rightarrow & (a-4)(a-10) < 0 \\ \Rightarrow & 4 < a < 10 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the number of integral values of  $a$  is 5.

6. Given ellipse is

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + 4y^2 &= 4 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{1} &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Let  $A$  be the area of the rectangle.

So,  $A = (4 \cos \theta)(2 \sin \theta) = 4 \sin(2\theta)$

Thus, the greatest area of the rectangle is 4.

7. Given ellipse is  $9x^2 + 16y^2 = 144$

$$\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$$

Hence, the value of

$$\begin{aligned} PF_1 + PF_2 - 2 &= 2a - 2 \\ &= 8 - 2 \\ &= 6 \end{aligned}$$

8. Clearly,  $(S_1F_1) \cdot (S_2F_2) = b^2 = 3$

9. The minimum length of the intercept of the tangent to

the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$  between the axes =  $a + b = 7$ .

10. The equation of the normal to the ellipse is

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{a^2x}{x_1} - \frac{b^2y}{y_1} &= a^2 - b^2 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{169x}{13 \cos \theta} - \frac{25y}{5 \sin \theta} &= 169 - 25 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{13x}{\cos \theta} - \frac{5y}{\sin \theta} &= 144 \end{aligned}$$

which is passing through  $(0, 6)$ . So

$$\begin{aligned} 0 - \frac{30}{\sin \theta} &= 144 \\ \Rightarrow -\frac{5}{\sin \theta} &= 24 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = -\frac{5}{24}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = 2\pi - \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{5}{24}\right), \pi + \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{5}{24}\right)$$

Also,  $y$ -axis is one of the normals.

Hence, it has three normals.

### Previous Years' JEE-Advanced Examinations

1. Given line is

$$x = -\frac{9}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + 9 = 0$$

Let the point be  $P(h, k)$ .

$$\text{Given } \sqrt{(x+2)^2 + y^2} = \frac{2}{3} \times \left(\frac{2x-9}{\sqrt{4}}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow (x+2)^2 + y^2 = \frac{4}{9} \times \left(\frac{2x-9}{\sqrt{4}}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (x+2)^2 + y^2 = \frac{1}{9} \times (2x-9)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 9((x+2)^2 + y^2) = (2x-9)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 9(x^2 + y^2 + 4x + 4) = 4x^2 - 36x + 81$$

$$\Rightarrow 5x^2 + 9y^2 + 72x - 55 = 0$$

which represents an ellipse.

2. Clearly,  $\frac{1}{9} + \frac{4}{4} - 1 > 0$

$\Rightarrow P$  lies outside of  $E$ .

Also,  $1 + 4 - 9 = -4 < 0$

$\Rightarrow P$  lies inside  $C$ .

Thus,  $P$  lies inside  $C$  but outside  $E$ .

3. Given ellipse is  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$

So,  $F_1 = (ae, 0)$  and  $F_2 = (-ae, 0)$

Let  $P$  be  $(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} &ar(\Delta PF_1F_2) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} a \cos \theta & b \sin \theta & 1 \\ ae & 0 & 1 \\ -ae & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times 2ae \times b \sin \theta \\ &= abe \times \sin \theta \end{aligned}$$

Maximum value of  $A = abe$

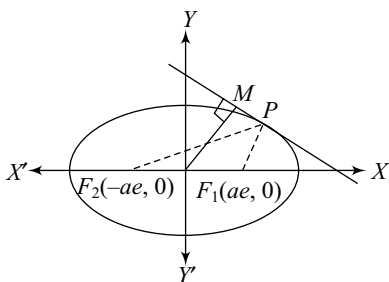
$$\begin{aligned} &= ab \sqrt{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}} \\ &= b \sqrt{a^2 - b^2} \end{aligned}$$

4. Given ellipse is  $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$

Foci =  $(\pm ae, 0) = \left(\pm 4 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{7}}{4}, 0\right) = (\pm\sqrt{7}, 0)$

Radius of a circle =  $\sqrt{7+9} = \sqrt{16} = 4$

5. Given ellipse is  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$



The equation of the tangent to the given ellipse at

$P(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1$$

Now,

$$OM = d$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{0 + 0 - 1}{\sqrt{\frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2}}} \right| = d$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{d^2} = \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2}$$

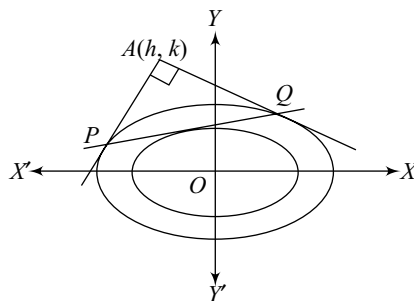
Now,

$$\begin{aligned} 4a^2 \left(1 - \frac{b^2}{d^2}\right) &= 4a^2 - \frac{4a^2 b^2}{d^2} \\ &= 4a^2 - 4a^2 b^2 \left(\frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2}\right) \\ &= 4a^2 - 4b^2 \cos^2 \theta - 4a^2 \sin^2 \theta \\ &= 4a^2(1 - \sin^2 \theta) - 4b^2 \cos^2 \theta \\ &= 4a^2 \cos^2 \theta - 4b^2 \cos^2 \theta \\ &= 4 \cos^2 \theta (a^2 - b^2) \\ &= 4 \cos^2 \theta (a^2 e^2) \\ &= (2ae \cos \theta)^2 \\ &= [(a + ae \cos \theta) - (a - ae \cos \theta)]^2 \\ &= (PF_1 - PF_2)^2 \end{aligned}$$

6. Given ellipse is

$$x^2 + 4y^2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{1} = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$



The equation of the tangent to the ellipse (i) is

$$\frac{x}{2} \cos \theta + y \sin \theta = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

The equation of the 2nd ellipse can be written as

$$\frac{x^2}{6} + \frac{y^2}{3} = 1 \quad \dots(iii)$$

Let the tangents at  $P$  and  $Q$  meet at  $A(h, k)$ .

So  $PQ$  is the chord of contact.

The equation of the chord of contact of the tangents through  $A$  is

$$\frac{hx}{6} + \frac{ky}{3} = 1 \quad \dots(iv)$$

Since the equations (ii) and (iv) are identical, so

$$\frac{\frac{h}{6}}{\cos \theta} = \frac{\frac{k}{3}}{\sin \theta} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow h = 3 \cos \theta, k = 3 \sin \theta$$

Now, squaring and adding, we get

$$h^2 + k^2 = 9$$

Therefore, the locus of  $A$  is

$$x^2 + y^2 = 9$$

which is the director circle of  $\frac{x^2}{6} + \frac{y^2}{3} = 1$ .

Thus, the angle between the tangents at  $P$  and  $Q$  of the ellipse  $x^2 + 2y^2 = 6$  right angle.

7. Let the ellipse be  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

$$B = (0, b), F = (ae, 0) \text{ and } F' = (-ae, 0)$$

It is given that,  $FBF'$  is a right angle. So

$$FB^2 + F'B^2 = (FF')^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 e^2 + b^2 + a^2 e^2 + b^2 = 4a^2 e^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a^2 e^2 = 2b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 e^2 = b^2 = a^2(1 - e^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 e^2 = a^2 - a^2 e^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a^2 e^2 = a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2e^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow e^2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow e = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$



8. Ans. (c)

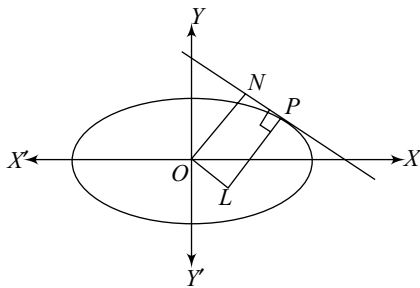
Given ellipse is

$$16x^2 + 25y^2 = 400$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} PF_1 + PF_2 &= 2a \\ &= 10 \end{aligned}$$

9. Given ellipse is  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ Let  $P$  lies in the first quadrant.So  $P = (a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$ The equation of the tangent at  $P$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } ON &= \left| \frac{-1}{\sqrt{\frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2}}} \right| \\ &= \frac{ab}{\sqrt{a^2 \sin^2 \theta + b^2 \cos^2 \theta}} \end{aligned}$$

The equation of  $ON$  is

$$\frac{x}{b} \sin \theta - \frac{y}{a} \cos \theta = 0$$

and the equation of the normal at  $P$  is

$$ax \sec \theta - by \operatorname{cosec} \theta = a^2 - b^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So, } OL &= \frac{a^2 - b^2}{\sqrt{a^2 \sec^2 \theta + b^2 \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta}} \\ &= \frac{(a^2 - b^2) \sin \theta \cos \theta}{\sqrt{a^2 \sin^2 \theta + b^2 \cos^2 \theta}} \end{aligned}$$

Now,  $NP = OL$ 

$$\Rightarrow NP = \frac{(a^2 - b^2) \sin \theta \cos \theta}{\sqrt{a^2 \sin^2 \theta + b^2 \cos^2 \theta}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Therefore, ar } \triangle OPN &= \frac{1}{2} \times ON \times NP \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{ab(a^2 - b^2) \sin \theta \cos \theta}{a^2 \sin^2 \theta + b^2 \cos^2 \theta} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{ab(a^2 - b^2)}{a^2 \tan \theta + b^2 \cot \theta} \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{ab(a^2 - b^2)}{2ab} = \frac{(a^2 - b^2)}{4} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{at } \tan \theta = \frac{b}{a}$$

Thus, the point  $P$  is

$$\left( \frac{a^2}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}, \frac{b^2}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} \right)$$

By symmetry, we have four such points.

$$\text{Thus, } \left( \pm \frac{a^2}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}, \pm \frac{b^2}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} \right)$$

10. Given ellipse is  $4x^2 + 9y^2 = 1$  ... (i)Differentiating w.r.t.  $x$ , we get,

$$\begin{aligned} 8x + 18y \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} &= -\frac{8x}{18y} = -\frac{4x}{9y} \end{aligned}$$

Since the tangent is parallel to  $8x = 9y$ , so

$$\begin{aligned} -\frac{4x}{9y} &= \frac{8}{9} \\ \Rightarrow -\frac{x}{y} &= \frac{2}{1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -2y.$$

Put  $x = -2y$  in Eq. (i), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow 4(4y^2) + 9y^2 &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow 25y^2 &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

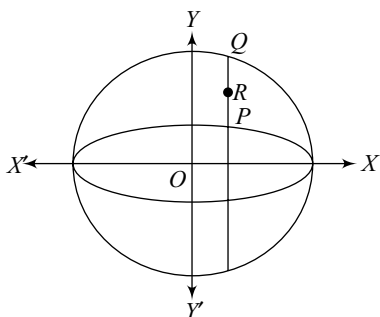
$$\Rightarrow y^2 = \frac{1}{25}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \pm \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\text{when } y = \pm \frac{1}{5}, \text{ then } x = \mp \frac{2}{5}$$

Hence, the points are  $\left(-\frac{2}{5}, \frac{1}{5}\right)$  and  $\left(\frac{2}{5}, -\frac{1}{5}\right)$ .

11. Let the co-ordinates of  $P$  be  $(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$  and of  $Q$  be  $(a \cos \theta, a \sin \theta)$  respectively.



Let  $R(h, k)$  divides  $PQ$  in the ratio  $r : s$ .

$$\text{Then } h = \frac{s(a \cos \theta) + r(a \cos \theta)}{r + s} = a \cos \theta$$

$$\text{and } k = \frac{s(b \sin \theta) + r(a \sin \theta)}{r + s} = \frac{(ar + bs) \sin \theta}{r + s}$$

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{h}{a} = \cos \theta, \frac{k(r + s)}{(ar + bs)} = \sin \theta$$

Squaring and adding, we get

$$\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2(r + s)^2}{(ar + bs)^2} = 1$$

Hence, the locus of  $R(h, k)$  is

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{(r + s)^2 y^2}{(ar + bs)^2} = 1$$

which represents an ellipse.

12. Any tangent to the ellipse is

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

Its point of contact is  $P(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$  and its slope is  $-\frac{b}{a} \cot \theta$ . Also the focus is  $S(ae, 0)$ .

Any line through the focus  $S$  and the perpendicular to tangent (i) is

$$y - 0 = \frac{a}{b} \tan \theta (x - ae) \quad \dots(ii)$$

Also the equation of  $CP$  is

$$y - 0 = \frac{a}{b} \tan \theta (x - 0) \quad \dots(iii)$$

Eliminating  $\theta$  between Eqs (ii) and (iii), we get

$$\left(\frac{a^2}{b^2}\right) \left(\frac{x - ae}{x}\right) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{x - ae}{x}\right) = \left(\frac{b^2}{a^2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(1 - \frac{ae}{x}\right) = \left(\frac{b^2}{a^2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}\right) = \left(\frac{ae}{x}\right)$$

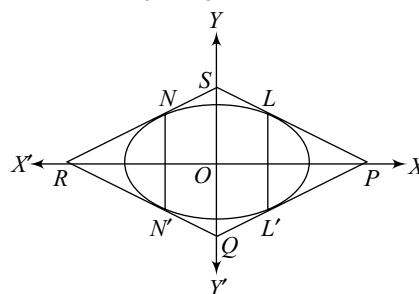
$$\Rightarrow \left(1 - \frac{a^2(1 - e^2)}{a^2}\right) = \left(\frac{ae}{x}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow e^2 = \left(\frac{ae}{x}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{a}{e}$$

Hence, the result.

13. Given ellipse is  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{5} = 1$



$$\text{Now, } e = \sqrt{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{5}{9}} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$L = \left(ae, \frac{b^2}{a}\right) = \left(2, \frac{5}{3}\right)$$

$$L' = \left(ae, -\frac{b^2}{a}\right) = \left(2, -\frac{5}{3}\right)$$

$$N = \left(-ae, \frac{b^2}{a}\right) = \left(-2, \frac{5}{3}\right)$$

$$\text{and } N' = \left(-ae, -\frac{b^2}{a}\right) = \left(-2, -\frac{5}{3}\right)$$

Now, the the tangent at  $L$  is

$$\frac{xx_1}{9} + \frac{yy_1}{5} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2x}{9} + \frac{\frac{5}{3}y}{5} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{9/2} + \frac{y}{3} = 1$$

$$\text{Thus, } P = \left(\frac{9}{2}, 0\right) \text{ and } S = (0, 3)$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} ar(\text{quad } PQRS) &= 4 \times ar(\Delta OPS) \\ &= 4 \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{9}{2} \times 3 \\ &= 27 \text{ s.u.} \end{aligned}$$

14. Any tangent to the ellipse

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1$$

Let it meet the  $x$ -axis at  $A$  and  $y$ -axis at  $B$ . Then the co-ordinates of  $A$  and  $B$  are

$$A = \left( \frac{a}{\cos \theta}, 0 \right) \text{ and } B = \left( 0, \frac{b}{\sin \theta} \right)$$

Let  $M(h, k)$  be the mid-point of  $AB$ .

$$\text{Then } 2h = \frac{a}{\cos \theta} \text{ and } 2k = \frac{b}{\sin \theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow h = \frac{a}{2 \cos \theta} \text{ and } k = \frac{b}{2 \sin \theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{a}{2h} \text{ and } \sin \theta = \frac{b}{2k}$$

Squaring and adding, we get

$$\frac{a^2}{4h^2} + \frac{b^2}{4k^2} = 1$$

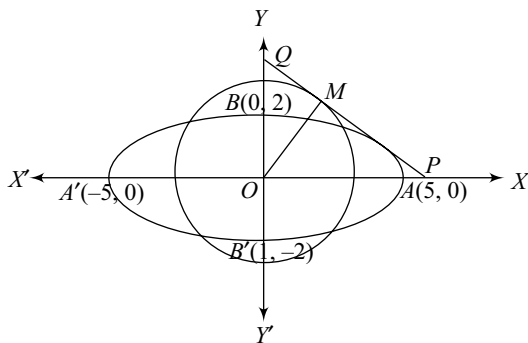
$$\Rightarrow \frac{a^2}{h^2} + \frac{b^2}{k^2} = 4$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

$$\frac{a^2}{x^2} + \frac{b^2}{y^2} = 4$$

15. The equation of any tangent to the given ellipse is

$$y = mx + \sqrt{25m^2 + 4} \quad \dots(i)$$



Hence  $OM = 4$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|m \cdot 0 - 0 + \sqrt{25m^2 + 4}|}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|\sqrt{25m^2 + 4}|}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow (25m^2 + 4) = 16(m^2 + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 9m^2 = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow 3m^2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \pm \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$= -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

( $\because m < 0$ )

Thus, the equation of the common tangent is

$$y = -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}x + 4\sqrt{\frac{7}{3}}$$

This tangent meets the co-ordinate axes in  $P$  and  $Q$  respectively.

$$\text{So, } P = (2\sqrt{7}, 0) \text{ and } Q = \left( 0, \frac{4\sqrt{7}}{\sqrt{3}} \right)$$

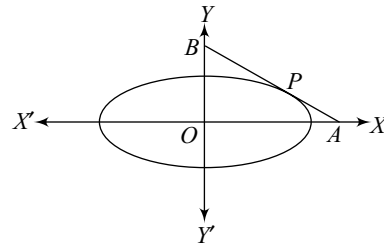
$$\text{Length of } PQ = \sqrt{28 + \frac{112}{3}} = \sqrt{\frac{84 + 112}{3}} = \sqrt{\frac{196}{3}} = \frac{14}{\sqrt{3}}$$

16. Given ellipse is
- $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$

The equation of any tangent to the given ellipse at  $P(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$  is

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{a} \cos \theta + \frac{y}{b} \sin \theta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{a \sec \theta} + \frac{y}{b \operatorname{cosec} \theta} = 1$$



Here,  $A = (a \sec \theta, 0)$  and  $B = (0, \operatorname{cosec} \theta)$

Thus,

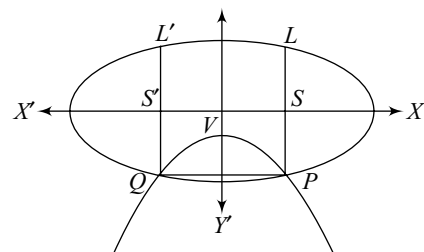
$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{ar}(\triangle OAB) &= \left| \frac{1}{2} \times a \sec \theta \times b \operatorname{cosec} \theta \right| \\ &= \frac{ab}{|\sin 2\theta|} \end{aligned}$$

$$\geq ab, \quad \left( \because |\sin 2\theta| \leq 1 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{|\sin 2\theta|} \geq 1 \right)$$

17. Given ellipse is

$$x^2 + 4y^2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{1} = 1$$



Thus,  $e = \sqrt{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{4}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

Foci:

$S = (ae, 0) = (\sqrt{3}, 0)$

and  $S' = (-ae, 0) = (-\sqrt{3}, 0)$

End-points of locus recta:

$L = \left( ae, \frac{b^2}{a} \right) = \left( \sqrt{3}, \frac{1}{2} \right)$

and  $L' = \left( -ae, \frac{b^2}{a} \right) = \left( -\sqrt{3}, \frac{1}{2} \right)$

Thus,  $P = \left( \sqrt{3}, -\frac{1}{2} \right)$  and  $Q = \left( -\sqrt{3}, -\frac{1}{2} \right)$

As we know that, the focus is the mid-point of  $P$  and  $Q$ .

Thus, the focus of a parabola is  $\left( 0, -\frac{1}{2} \right)$ .

and the length of  $PQ = 2\sqrt{3}$

Now,  $4a = 2\sqrt{3} \Rightarrow a = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

Thus, the vertices of a desired parabola

$= \left( 0, -\frac{1}{2} \pm a \right) = \left( 0, -\frac{1}{2} \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$

Therefore, two desired parabolas are

$\Rightarrow x^2 = \pm 4a \left( y - \left( -\frac{1}{2} \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) \right)$

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

or

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

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

or

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

18. Given ellipse is

$x^2 + 9y^2 = 9$

$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{1} = 1$

The equation of the auxiliary circle is

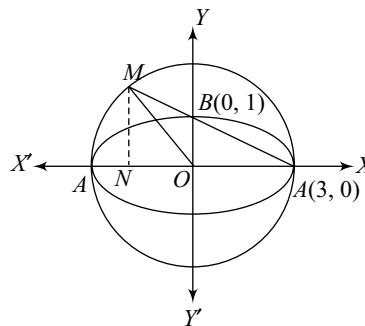
$x^2 + y^2 = 9$

and the equation of the line  $AB$  is

$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{3} + \frac{y}{1} = 1$

$x = 3(1 - y)$

...(i)



Put  $x = 3(1 - y)$  in Eq. (i), we get

$9(1 - y)^2 + y^2 = 9$   
 $\Rightarrow 9(y^2 - 2y + 1) + y^2 = 9$   
 $\Rightarrow 10y^2 - 18y = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 5y^2 - 9y = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow y = 0, \frac{9}{5}$

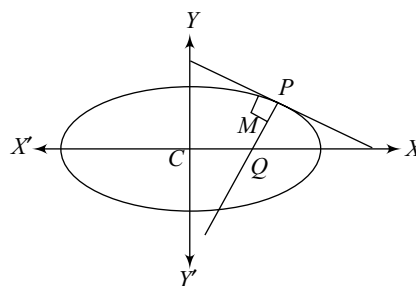
Thus, the  $y$  co-ordinate of  $M$  is  $\frac{9}{5}$ .

Now,

$ar(\Delta OAM) = \frac{1}{2} \times OA \times MN$   
 $= \frac{1}{2} \times 3 \times \frac{9}{5}$   
 $= \frac{27}{10}$

19. Given ellipse is  $x^2 + 4y^2 = 16$

$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  ... (i)



Let the co-ordinates of  $P$  be  $(4 \cos \theta, 2 \sin \theta)$ .

The equation of the normal to the given ellipse at  $P(4 \cos \theta, 2 \sin \theta)$  is

$4x \sec \theta - 2y \operatorname{cosec} \theta = 4^2 - 2^2$   
 $\Rightarrow 4x \sec \theta - 2y \operatorname{cosec} \theta = 12$   
 $\Rightarrow 2x \sec \theta - y \operatorname{cosec} \theta = 6$

So, the point  $Q$  is  $(3 \cos \theta, 0)$ .

Let  $M(h, k)$  be the mid-point of  $PQ$ . So

$h = \frac{7 \cos \theta}{2}$  and  $k = \sin \theta$

$$\therefore \frac{4h^2}{49} + k^2 = 1$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

$$\frac{4x^2}{49} + y^2 = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

The equation of the latus rectum of (i) is

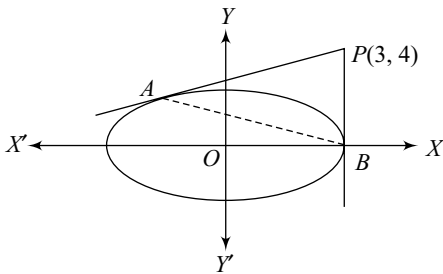
$$x = \pm ae = \pm 4 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \pm 2\sqrt{3}$$

Put  $x = \pm 2\sqrt{3}$  in Eq. (ii), we get

$$y^2 = 1 - \frac{48}{49} = \frac{1}{49}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \pm \frac{1}{7}$$

Hence, the required points are  $(\pm 2\sqrt{3}, \pm \frac{1}{7})$ .



20. Given ellipse is  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  ... (i)

Hence  $AB$  is the chord of contact. So

$$\frac{xx_1}{9} + \frac{yy_1}{4} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3x}{9} + \frac{4y}{4} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{3} + y = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$A = \left(-\frac{9}{5}, \frac{8}{5}\right), B = (3, 0)$$

21. The equation of the altitude through  $A$  is

$$y = \frac{8}{5} \quad \dots(i)$$

and the slope of  $AB$  is  $-\frac{1}{3}$

The equation of the altitude through  $P$  is

$$y - 4 = 3(x - 3) \quad \dots(ii)$$

Solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$x = \frac{11}{5}, y = \frac{8}{5}$$

Hence, the orthocentre is  $(\frac{11}{5}, \frac{8}{5})$ .

22. Let the point be  $M(x, y)$ .

It is given that  $PM =$  Length of perpendicular from  $Q$  to  $AB$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{(x-3)^2 + (y-4)^2} = \frac{\left|\frac{x}{3} + y - 1\right|}{\sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2 + 1}}$$

$$\Rightarrow 10((x-3)^2 + (y-4)^2) = (x+3y-3)^2$$

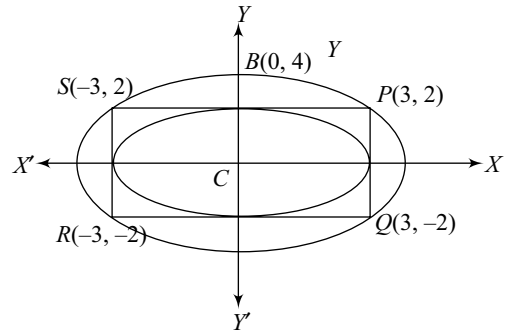
$$\Rightarrow 10(x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 8y + 25) = (x+3y-3)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 10(x^2 + y^2 - 6x - 8y + 25) = x^2 + 9y^2 + 9 + 6xy - 6x - 18y$$

$$\Rightarrow 9x^2 + y^2 - 6xy - 54x - 62y + 241 = 0$$

23. Equation of ellipse is

$$(y+2)(y-2) + \lambda(x+3)(x-3) = 0$$



which is passing through  $B(0, 4)$ . So

$$6 \times 2 + \lambda(-9) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9\lambda = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{4}{3}$$

Thus, the required ellipse is

$$(y^2 - 4) + \frac{4}{3}(x^2 - 9) = 0$$

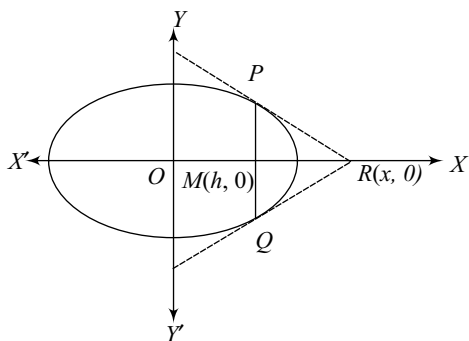
$$\Rightarrow 3(y^2 - 4) + 4(x^2 - 9) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 + 3y^2 = 48$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{12} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$$

Thus,  $e = \sqrt{1 - \frac{12}{16}} = \frac{1}{2}$

24. Given ellipse is  $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{3} = 1$



when  $x = h$ , then

$$\frac{y^2}{3} = 1 - \frac{h^2}{4} = \frac{4 - h^2}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \sqrt{4 - h^2}$$

Thus, the points  $P$  and  $Q$  are

$$\left( h, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \sqrt{4 - h^2} \right) \text{ and } \left( h, -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \sqrt{4 - h^2} \right)$$

Let the tangents at  $P$  and  $Q$  meet at  $R(x_1, 0)$ .  
Therefore  $PQ$  is a chord of contact. So

$$\frac{xx_1}{4} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{4}{x_1}$$

which is an equation of  $PQ$  at  $x = h$ . So

$$h = \frac{4}{x_1}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 = \frac{4}{h}$$

Now,  $\Delta(h) = \text{area of } \Delta PQR$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times PQ \times RT$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{2} \times \sqrt{4 - h^2} \times (x_1 - h)$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta'(h) = \frac{\sqrt{3}(4 + 2h^2)}{2} \times \sqrt{4 - h^2} h$$

which is always decreasing.

$$\Delta_1 = \text{Maximum of } \Delta(h) = \frac{45\sqrt{5}}{8} \text{ at } h = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Delta_2 = \text{Minimum of } \Delta(h) = \frac{9}{2} \text{ at } h = 1$$

Therefore,

$$\frac{8}{\sqrt{5}} \Delta_1 - 8\Delta_2 = \frac{8}{\sqrt{5}} \times \frac{45\sqrt{5}}{8} - 8 \times \frac{9}{2}$$

$$= 45 - 36$$

$$= 9$$

25. Clearly, the point  $P(h, 1)$  lies on the ellipse. So

$$\frac{h^2}{6} + \frac{1}{3} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{h^2}{6} = 1 - \frac{1}{3} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{h^2}{2} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow h = \pm 2$$

Now, the tangent at  $(2, 1)$  is

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2x}{6} + \frac{y}{3} = 1$$

$$\frac{x}{3} + \frac{y}{3} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x + y = 3$$

Hence, the value of  $h$  is 2.

26. The equation of  $P_1$  is  $y^2 - 8x = 0$  and  $P_2$  is  $y^2 + 16x = 0$   
Tangent to  $y^2 = 8x$  passes through  $(-4, 0)$

$$0 = m_1(-4) + \frac{2}{m_1}$$

$$\frac{1}{m_1^2} = 2$$

Also, tangent to  $y^2 + 16x = 0$  passes through  $(2, 0)$

$$0 = m_2 \times 2 - \frac{4}{m_2}$$

$$m_2^2 = 2$$

Hence, the value of  $\left( \frac{1}{m_1^2} + m_2^2 \right)$

$$= 2 + 2$$

$$= 4.$$

27. For the given line, point of contact for

$$E_1: \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ is } \left( \frac{a^2}{3}, \frac{b^2}{3} \right)$$

and for  $E_2: \frac{x^2}{B^2} + \frac{y^2}{A^2} = 1 \text{ is } \left( \frac{B^2}{3}, \frac{A^2}{3} \right)$

Point of contact of  $x + y = 3$  and the circle is  $(1, 2)$

Also, the general point on  $x + y = 3$  can be taken as

$$\left( 1 \mp \frac{r}{\sqrt{2}}, 2 \mp \frac{r}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

where  $r = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$

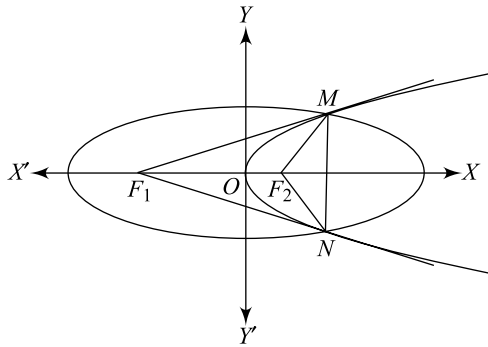
So, required points are  $\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{8}{3}\right)$  and  $\left(\frac{5}{3}, \frac{4}{3}\right)$

Comparing with points of contact of ellipse

$$a^2 = 5, B^2 = 8 \text{ and } b^2 = 4, A^2 = 1$$

$$e_1 e_2 = \frac{\sqrt{7}}{2\sqrt{10}} \text{ and } e_1^2 + e_2^2 = \frac{43}{40}$$

28. (i)



Here,  $e = \frac{1}{3}$ ,  $F_1 = (-1, 0)$ ,  $F_2 = (1, 0)$

The given parabola is  $y^2 = 4x$

Thus,  $M = \left(\frac{3}{2}, \sqrt{6}\right)$  and  $N = \left(\frac{3}{2}, -\sqrt{6}\right)$

For orthocentre: One altitude is  $y = 0$  ( $MN$  is perpendicular)

Other altitude is

$$(y - \sqrt{6}) = \frac{5}{2\sqrt{6}} \left(x - \frac{3}{2}\right)$$

Hence, the orthocentre is  $\left(-\frac{9}{10}, 0\right)$

(ii) Equation of tangent at  $M$  and  $N$  are

$$\frac{x}{6} \pm \frac{y\sqrt{6}}{8} = 1$$

Thus,  $R$  is  $(6, 0)$

Equation of normal at  $M$  is

$$(y - \sqrt{6}) = -\frac{\sqrt{6}}{2} \left(x - \frac{3}{2}\right)$$

Thus,  $Q$  is  $\left(\frac{7}{2}, 0\right)$

$$ar(\Delta MQR) = \frac{1}{2} \times \sqrt{6} \times \frac{5}{2} = \frac{5\sqrt{6}}{4}$$

$$ar(MF_1NF_2) = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{2} + \frac{3\sqrt{6}}{2} = \frac{4\sqrt{6}}{2}$$

$$\text{Ratio} = \frac{5\sqrt{6}}{4} : \frac{4\sqrt{6}}{2} = \frac{5}{8}$$

# Hyperbola

## CONCEPT BOOSTER

### 1. INTRODUCTION

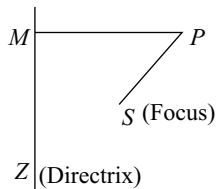
The word 'hyperbola' has been derived from the Greek language meaning 'over-thrown' or 'excessive', from which the English term hyperbole is also derived. The term hyperbola is believed to have been coined by Apollonius of Perga (c.262–c.190 BC), who was a Greek geometer and astronomer noted for his writings on conic sections. His innovative methodology and terminology, especially in the field of the conic sections, the conics. According to him, hyperbola, the inclination of the plane to the base of the cone exceeds that of the side of the cone

### 2. MATHEMATICAL DEFINITIONS

#### Definition 1

It is the locus of a point which moves in a plane in such a way that its distance from a fixed point (focus) to a fixed straight line (directrix) is constant ( $> 1$ ), i.e.

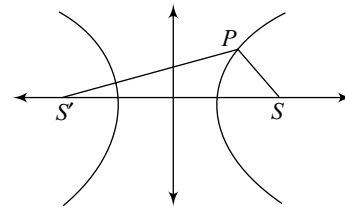
$$\frac{SP}{PM} = e (> 1)$$



#### Definition 2

A hyperbola is a conic section defined as the locus of all points  $P$  in the plane, the difference of whose distances from two fixed points (the foci  $S$  and  $S'$ ) is a constant,

$$\text{i.e. } S'P - SP = 2a$$



#### Definition 3

A conic section is said to be a hyperbola, if its eccentricity is more than 1, i.e.  $e > 1$ .

#### Definition 4

A conic

$$ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$$

represents a hyperbola if

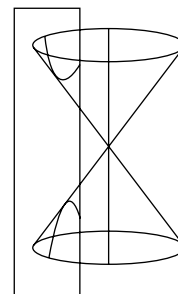
- (i)  $\Delta \neq 0$
- (ii)  $h^2 - ab > 0$ ,

$$\text{where } \Delta = \begin{vmatrix} a & h & g \\ h & b & f \\ g & f & c \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= abc + 2fgh - af^2 - bg^2 - ch^2$$

#### Definition 5

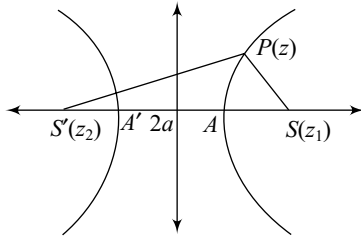
The section of a double right circular cone and a plane is said to be a hyperbola if the plane is parallel to the axis of a double right circular cone.



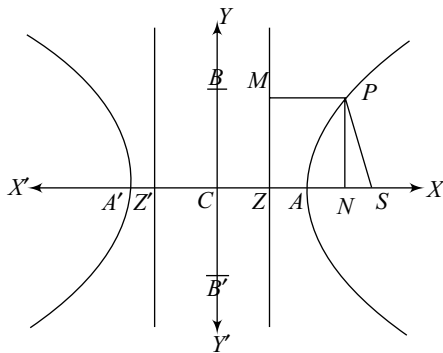


**Definition 6**

Let  $z, z_1$  and  $z_2$  be three complex numbers such that  $|z - z_1| - |z - z_2| = k$ , where  $k < |z_1 - z_2|$ . Then the locus of  $z$  is known as a hyperbola.



**3. STANDARD EQUATION OF A HYPERBOLA**



Let  $ZM$  be the directrix,  $S$  be the focus and  $SZ$  be the perpendicular to the directrix.

From the definition of hyperbola, we can write  $SA = e \cdot AZ$  ... (i)

and  $SA' = e \cdot A'Z$  ... (ii)

Let the length of  $AA' = 2a$  and  $C$  be the mid-point of  $AA'$ .

Adding Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$SA + SA' = e(AZ + A'Z)$$

$$\Rightarrow (CS - CA) + (CS + CA) = e(AZ + AA' - AZ)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2CS = e(AA') = 2e$$

$$\Rightarrow CS = ae \quad \dots \text{(iii)}$$

Subtracting Eq. (i) from Eq. (ii), we get

$$(SA' - SA) = e(A'Z - AZ)$$

$$\Rightarrow AA' = e((CA' + CZ) - (CA - CZ))$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a = e \cdot 2CZ$$

$$\Rightarrow CZ = \frac{a}{e} \quad \dots \text{(iv)}$$

Let  $P(x, y)$  be any point on the curve and  $PM$  be the perpendicular to the directrix.

Now from the definition of hyperbola, we get,  $SP^2 = e^2 \cdot PM^2$

$$\Rightarrow (x - ae)^2 + y^2 = e^2 \left( \frac{ex - a}{\sqrt{e^2}} \right)^2 = (ex - a)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 2aex + a^2e^2 + y^2 = (e^2x^2 - 2aex + a^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2(e^2 - 1) - y^2 = a^2(e^2 - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2(e^2 - 1)}{a^2(e^2 - 1)} - \frac{y^2}{a^2(e^2 - 1)} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1,$$

where,  $b^2 = a^2(e^2 - 1)$  which is the standard equation of a hyperbola.

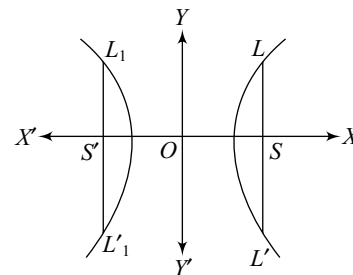
**4. DEFINITION AND BASIC TERMINOLOGY OF THE**

**HYPERBOLA**  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$

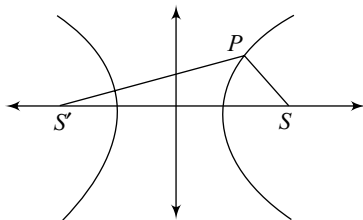
- (i) **Centre:**  $C(0, 0)$ . All chords passing through  $C$  and are bisected at  $C$ .
- (ii) **Vertices:**  $A(a, 0)$  and  $A'(-a, 0)$
- (iii) **Co-vertices:**  $B(0, b)$  and  $B'(0, -b)$
- (iv) **Transverse axis:**  $AA' = 2a$
- (v) **Conjugate axis:**  $BB' = 2b$
- (vi) **Eccentricity:**  $e = \sqrt{1 + \frac{b^2}{a^2}}$
- (vii) **Latus rectum:** Any chord passing through the focus and perpendicular to the axis is known as latus rectum.  
The length of the latus rectum =  $\frac{2b^2}{a}$ .
- (viii) **End-points of a latus recta:** Let  $LL'$  and  $L_1L'_1$  be two latus recta pass through the focus  $S(ae, 0)$  and  $S'(-ae, 0)$ .

Then,  $L \left( ae, \frac{b^2}{a} \right); L' \left( ae, -\frac{b^2}{a} \right);$

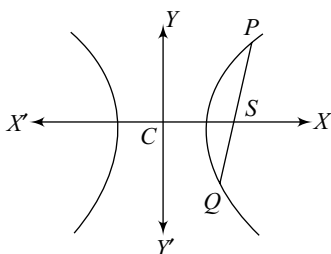
$L_1 \left( -ae, \frac{b^2}{a} \right); L'_1 \left( -ae, -\frac{b^2}{a} \right)$



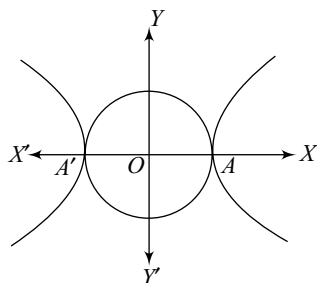
- (ix) **Equation of the latus recta:**  $x = \pm ae$
- (x) **Co-ordinates of Foci:**  $S(ae, 0)$  and  $S'(-ae, 0)$
- (xi) **Distances between two foci (Focal length):**  $2ae$
- (xii) **Equation of directrices:**  $x = \pm \frac{a}{e}$
- (xiii) **Distance between the directrices:**  $\frac{2a}{e}$
- (xiv) **Focal distances**  
 $SP = ex - a$  and  $S'P = ex + a$
- (xv)  $|S'P - SP| = 2a$



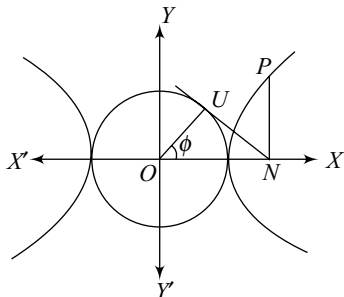
- (xvi) **Diameter:** Any chord passing through the centre of the hyperbola is known as the diameter.
- (xvii) **Focal chord:** Any chord passing through the focus is called the focal chord.



- (xviii) **Auxiliary circle:** Any circle is drawn with centre  $C$  and the transverse axis as a diameter is called the auxiliary circle.  
The equation of the auxiliary circle is given by  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$



- (xix) **Parametric equations:** Let the auxiliary circle be  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  and  $U(a \cos \phi, b \sin \phi)$  be any point on the auxiliary circle.



Let  $P(x, y)$  be any point on the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

Draw  $PN$  perpendicular to  $x$ -axis  
Let  $NU$  be tangent to the auxiliary circle.

Join  $NU$ .

Let  $\angle UCN = \phi$

Here  $P$  and  $U$  are the corresponding points of the hyperbola and the auxiliary circle and  $\phi$  is the eccentric angle of  $P$ , where  $0 \leq \phi < 2\pi$ .

Now,  $U = (a \cos \phi, a \sin \phi)$

Also,  $x = CN = \frac{CN}{CU} \cdot CU = a \cdot \sec \phi$

Thus the co-ordinates of  $P$  be  $(a \sec \phi, y)$ .  
Since the point  $P$  lies on the hyperbola, so

$$\frac{a^2 \sec^2 \phi}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \sec^2 \phi - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{y^2}{b^2} = \sec^2 \phi - 1 = \tan^2 \phi$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 = b^2 \tan^2 \phi$$

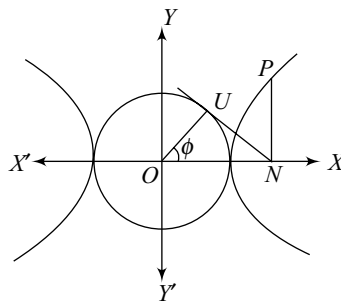
$$\Rightarrow y = \pm b \tan \phi$$

$$\Rightarrow y = b \tan \phi$$

(since  $P$  lies in the first quadrant)

Hence, the parametric equations of the hyperbola are  $x = a \sec \phi$  and  $y = b \tan \phi$ .

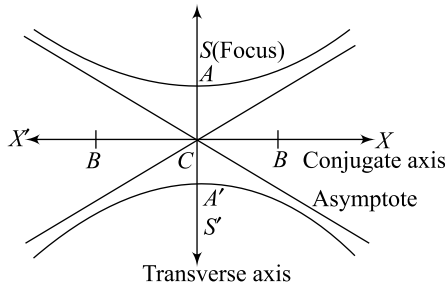
- (xx) Any point on the hyperbola can be considered as  $(a \sec \phi, b \tan \phi)$ .
- (xxi) **Eccentric angle:** If two points  $P(a \sec \phi, b \tan \phi)$  and  $U(a \cos \phi, a \sin \phi)$  are the corresponding points on the hyperbola and the auxiliary circle, then  $\phi$  is called the eccentric angle of the point  $P$  on the hyperbola, where  $0 \leq \phi < 2\pi$ .



- (xxii) **Conjugate hyperbola:** Corresponding to every hyperbola, there exists a hyperbola in which the conjugate and the transverse axes of one is equal to the transverse and the conjugate axes of the other. Such types of hyperbolas are known as the conjugate hyperbola.

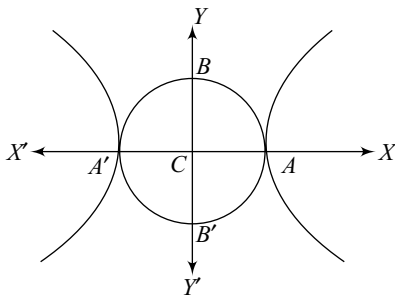
The equation of the conjugate hyperbola to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = -1$$



It is also known as vertical hyperbola.

(xxiii) **Rectangular or equilateral hyperbola:** If the semi-transverse axis is equal to the semi-conjugate axis of a hyperbola, i.e.  $a = b$ , then it is known as the rectangular hyperbola or the equilateral hyperbola.



The equation of a rectangular hyperbola is  $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$ .

Clearly its eccentricity ( $e$ )

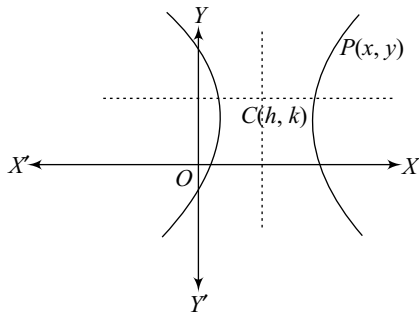
$$= \sqrt{1 + \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 + \frac{a^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1+1} = \sqrt{2}$$

(xxiv) Equation of a hyperbola whose axes are parallel to the co-ordinate axes and the centre  $(h, k)$  is

$$\frac{(x-h)^2}{a^2} - \frac{(y-k)^2}{b^2} = 1,$$

where the foci are  $(h \pm ae, k)$  and the directrix is

$$x = h \pm \frac{a}{e}$$



(xxvi) **Equation of the chord joining the points  $P(\varphi_1)$  and  $Q(\varphi_2)$ :** The equation of the chord joining the points

$P(a \sec \varphi_1, b \tan \varphi_1)$  and  $Q(a \sec \varphi_2, b \tan \varphi_2)$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos\left(\frac{\varphi_1 - \varphi_2}{2}\right) - \frac{y}{b} \sin\left(\frac{\varphi_1 + \varphi_2}{2}\right) = \cos\left(\frac{\varphi_1 + \varphi_2}{2}\right)$$

(xxvii) **Condition of a focal chord:** The equation of the chord joining the points  $P(a \sec \varphi_1, b \tan \varphi_1)$  and  $Q(a \sec \varphi_2, b \tan \varphi_2)$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} \cos\left(\frac{\varphi_1 - \varphi_2}{2}\right) - \frac{y}{b} \sin\left(\frac{\varphi_1 + \varphi_2}{2}\right) = \cos\left(\frac{\varphi_1 + \varphi_2}{2}\right)$$

which is passing through the focus  $S(ae, 0)$ . So

$$e \cos\left(\frac{\varphi_1 - \varphi_2}{2}\right) = \cos\left(\frac{\varphi_1 + \varphi_2}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\cos\left(\frac{\varphi_1 - \varphi_2}{2}\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{\varphi_1 + \varphi_2}{2}\right)} = \frac{1}{e}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\cos\left(\frac{\varphi_1 - \varphi_2}{2}\right) - \cos\left(\frac{\varphi_1 + \varphi_2}{2}\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{\varphi_1 - \varphi_2}{2}\right) + \cos\left(\frac{\varphi_1 + \varphi_2}{2}\right)} = \frac{1-e}{1+e}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan\left(\frac{\varphi_1}{2}\right) \tan\left(\frac{\varphi_2}{2}\right) = \frac{1-e}{1+e}$$

(xxviii) **Condition of a focal chord with respect to eccentricity ( $e$ ):** As we know that if the chord passing through the focus, then

$$e \cos\left(\frac{\varphi_1 - \varphi_2}{2}\right) = \cos\left(\frac{\varphi_1 + \varphi_2}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow e \times 2 \sin\left(\frac{\varphi_1 + \varphi_2}{2}\right) \cos\left(\frac{\varphi_1 - \varphi_2}{2}\right)$$

$$= 2 \sin\left(\frac{\varphi_1 + \varphi_2}{2}\right) \cos\left(\frac{\varphi_1 + \varphi_2}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow e \times (\sin \varphi_1 + \sin \varphi_2) = \sin(\varphi_1 + \varphi_2)$$

$$\Rightarrow e = \frac{\sin(\varphi_1 + \varphi_2)}{(\sin \varphi_1 + \sin \varphi_2)}$$

which is the required condition.

(xxix) **Rule to find out the centre of the hyperbola**

If  $f(x, y) = 0$  is the equation of a hyperbola, the centre of the hyperbola is obtained by the relation

$$\frac{\delta f}{\delta x} = 0 \text{ and } \frac{\delta f}{\delta y} = 0.$$

Let

$f(x, y) = ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  be the equation of a hyperbola.

$$\text{Now, } \frac{\delta f}{\delta x} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2ax + 2hy + 2g = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow ax + y + g = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{and } \frac{\delta f}{\delta y} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2hx + 2by + 2f = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow hx + by + f = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get the required centre.

(xxx) **Polar form of a hyperbola**

The equation of hyperbola is

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

Putting  $x = r \cos \theta$  and  $y = r \sin \theta$ , we get

$$\frac{1}{r^2} = \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{a^2} - \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 = \frac{a^2 b^2}{b^2 \cos^2 \theta - a^2 \sin^2 \theta} = \frac{a^2 (e^2 - 1)}{(e^2 \cos^2 \theta - 1)}$$

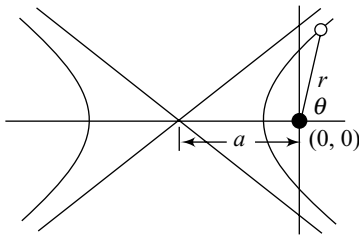
(xxxii) **Polar form of a hyperbola if centred at focus**

The equation of a hyperbola is

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

If centred  $C(0, 0)$  at the focus  $(ae, 0)$ , then the polar form of the hyperbola becomes

$$r = \frac{a(e^2 - 1)}{1 - e \cos \theta}$$



(xxxiii) **Polar form of a rectangular hyperbola**

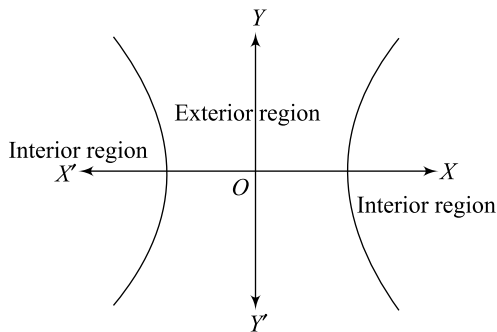
The equation of rectangular hyperbola is

$$x^2 - y^2 = a^2$$

Putting  $x = r \cos \theta$  and  $y = r \sin \theta$ , we get,

$$r^2 \cos 2\theta = a^2$$

**5. POSITION OF A POINT WITH RESPECT TO A HYPERBOLA**

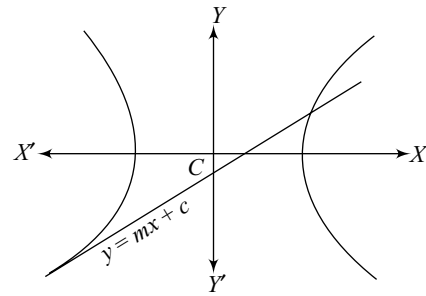


The point  $(x_1, y_1)$  lies outside, on or inside the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ according as}$$

$$\frac{x_1^2}{a^2} - \frac{y_1^2}{b^2} - 1 < 0, = 0, > 0$$

**6. INTERSECTION OF A LINE AND A HYPERBOLA**



Let the hyperbola be  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  ... (i)

and the line be  $y = mx + c$  ... (ii)

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{(mx + c)^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow b^2 x^2 - a^2 (mx + c)^2 = a^2 b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (a^2 m^2 - b^2)x^2 + 2mca^2 x + a^2(b^2 + c^2) = 0$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta &= 4m^2 c^2 a^4 - 4a^2 (a^2 m^2 - b^2)(b^2 + c^2) \\ &= 4(m^2 c^2 a^4 - a^4 m^2 b^2 - a^4 m^2 c^2 + a^2 b^4 + a^2 b^2 c^2) \\ &= 4(-a^4 m^2 b^2 + a^2 b^4 + a^2 b^2 c^2) \\ &= 4a^2 b^2 (b^2 + c^2 - a^2 m^2) \end{aligned}$$

(i) The line  $y = mx + c$  will never intersect the hyperbola, if

$$D < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow c^2 < a^2 m^2 - b^2$$

(ii) The line  $y = mx + c$  will be a tangent to the hyperbola if  $D = 0$

$$\Rightarrow c^2 = a^2 m^2 - b^2$$

*This is known as the condition of tangency.*

(iii) The line  $y = mx + c$  will intersect the hyperbola in two real and distinct points, if

$$D > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow c^2 > a^2 m^2 - b^2$$

(iv) Any tangent to the hyperbola can be considered as

$$y = mx + \sqrt{a^2 m^2 - b^2}$$

(v) **Co-ordinates of the point of contact.**

If the line  $y = mx + c$  be a tangent to the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1, \text{ the co-ordinates of the point of contact is}$$

$$\left( \pm \frac{a^2 m}{c}, \pm \frac{b^2}{c} \right)$$

which is also known as **m-point** on the hyperbola.

(vi) **Number of tangents:** If a point lies outside, on and inside of a hyperbola, the number of tangents are 2, 1 and 0 respectively.

(vii) If the line  $\lambda x + my + n = 0$  be a tangent to the

$$\text{hyperbola } \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1, \text{ then}$$

$$a^2 \lambda^2 - b^2 m^2 = n^2$$

## 7. DIFFERENT FORMS OF TANGENTS

(i) **Point form:** The equation of the tangent to the hyperbola

$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  at the point  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$\frac{xx_1}{a^2} - \frac{yy_1}{b^2} = 1$$

(ii) **Parametric form:** Equation of tangent to the hyperbola

$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  at  $(a \sec \phi, b \tan \phi)$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} \sec \phi - \frac{y}{b} \operatorname{cosec} \phi = 1$$

(iii) The point of intersection of the tangents at  $P(\theta)$  and

$Q(\phi)$  on the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is

$$\left( \frac{a \cos\left(\frac{\theta - \phi}{2}\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{\theta + \phi}{2}\right)}, \frac{b \sin\left(\frac{\theta + \phi}{2}\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{\theta + \phi}{2}\right)} \right)$$

(iv) **Slope form:** The equation of the tangent to the hyperbola

$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  in terms of the slope  $m$  is

$$y = mx + \sqrt{a^2 m^2 - b^2}$$

The co-ordinates of the point of contact are

$$\left( \pm \frac{a^2 m}{\sqrt{a^2 m^2 - b^2}}, \pm \frac{b^2}{\sqrt{a^2 m^2 - b^2}} \right).$$

(v) The equation of the tangent to the conjugate hyperbola

$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = -1$  is

$$y = mx + \sqrt{b^2 - a^2 m^2}$$

The co-ordinates of the point of contact are

$$\left( \pm \frac{a^2 m}{\sqrt{b^2 - a^2 m^2}}, \pm \frac{b^2}{\sqrt{b^2 - a^2 m^2}} \right)$$

(vi) The line  $y = mx + c$  be a tangent to the hyperbola

$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , if

$$c^2 = a^2 m^2 - b^2$$

(vii) **Director circle:** The locus of the point of intersection of two perpendicular tangents to a hyperbola is known as the director circle of the hyperbola.

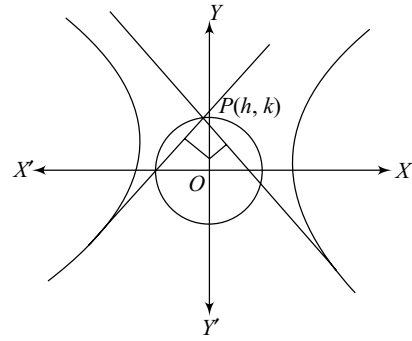
The equation of the director circle to the hyperbola

$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is

$$x^2 + y^2 = a^2 - b^2$$

The equation of any tangent to a hyperbola is

$$y = mx + \sqrt{a^2 m^2 - b^2}.$$



Let it passes through the point  $(h, k)$ .

Then,

$$k = mh + \sqrt{a^2 m^2 - b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow (k - mh)^2 = (\sqrt{a^2 m^2 - b^2})^2$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 + m^2 h^2 - 2kmh = a^2 m^2 - b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (h^2 - a^2)m^2 - 2k h m + (k^2 + b^2) = 0$$

It has two roots, say  $m_1$  and  $m_2$ . Then

$$m_1 \cdot m_2 = \frac{k^2 + b^2}{h^2 - a^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{k^2 + b^2}{h^2 - a^2} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 + b^2 = -h^2 + a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 + k^2 = a^2 - b^2$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$x^2 + y^2 = a^2 - b^2$$

### Notes

1. The director circle of a hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  exists only when  $a > b$ .

2. If  $a < b$ , the equation of the director circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2 - b^2$  does not exist.

3. The equation of the director circle to the conjugate

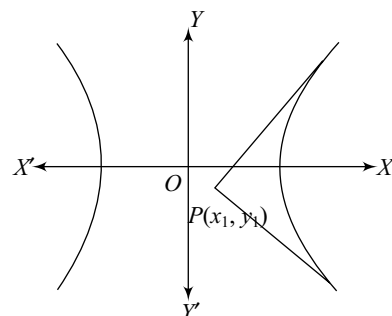
hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = -1$  is

$$x^2 + y^2 = b^2 - a^2$$

It exists only when  $b > a$ .

4. If  $b < a$ , the equation of the director circle does not exist.

(viii) **Pair of tangents**

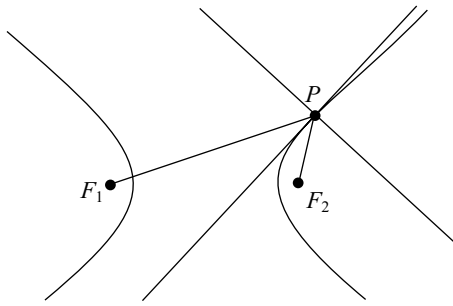


The combined equation of the pair of tangents drawn from a point  $P(x_1, y_1)$  lies outside of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is

$$SS_1 = T^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} - 1 \right) \left( \frac{x_1^2}{a^2} - \frac{y_1^2}{b^2} - 1 \right) = \left( \frac{xx_1}{a^2} - \frac{yy_1}{b^2} - 1 \right)^2$$

**8. DIFFERENT FORMS OF NORMALS**



(i) **Point form:** The equation of the normal to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  at  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$\frac{a^2x}{x_1} + \frac{b^2y}{y_1} = a^2 + b^2$$

(ii) **Parametric form:** The equation of the normal to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  at  $(a \sec \phi, b \tan \phi)$  is

$$ax \cos \phi + by \cot \phi = a^2 + b^2$$

(iii) **Slope form:** The equation of the normal to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  in terms of the slope  $m$  is

$$y = mx \mp \frac{m(a^2 + b^2)}{\sqrt{a^2 - m^2b^2}}$$

The co-ordinates of the point of contact are

$$\left( \pm \frac{a^2}{\sqrt{a^2 - b^2m^2}}, \mp \frac{mb^2}{\sqrt{a^2 - b^2m^2}} \right)$$

(iv) The line  $y = mx + c$  will be a normal to the hyperbola if

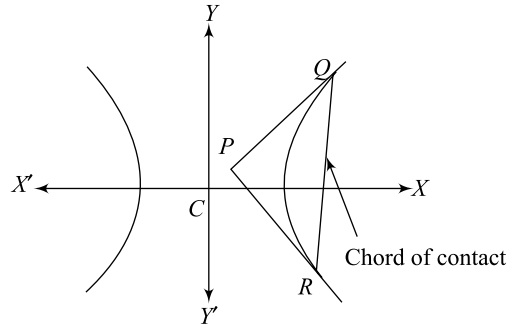
$$c^2 = \frac{m^2(a^2 + b^2)^2}{(a^2 - m^2b^2)}$$

which is also known as the **condition of the normalcy to a hyperbola**.

**9. CHORD OF CONTACT**

If a tangent is drawn from a point  $P(x_1, y_1)$  to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  touching the hyperbola at  $Q$  and  $R$ , the equation of the chord of contact  $QR$  is

$$\frac{xx_1}{a^2} - \frac{yy_1}{b^2} = 1$$

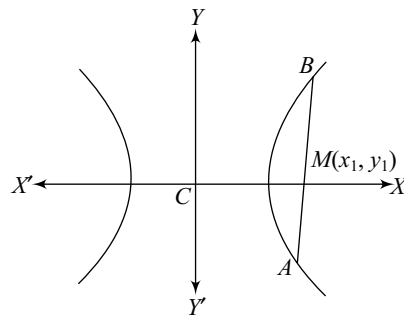


**10. EQUATION OF THE CHORD BISECTED AT A POINT**

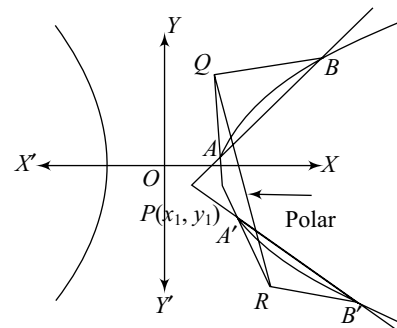
The equation of the chord of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  bisected at the point  $(x_1, y_1)$  is

$$SS_1 = T^2$$

i.e.  $\left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} - 1 \right) \left( \frac{x_1^2}{a^2} - \frac{y_1^2}{b^2} - 1 \right) = \left( \frac{xx_1}{a^2} - \frac{yy_1}{b^2} - 1 \right)^2$



**11. POLE AND POLAR**



Let  $P$  be any point inside or outside of the hyperbola. Suppose any straight line through  $P$  intersects the hyperbola at

$A$  and  $B$ . Then the locus of the point of intersection of the tangents to the hyperbola at  $A$  and  $B$  is called the polar of the given point  $P$  with respect to the hyperbola and the point  $P$  is called the pole of the polar.

The equation of the polar from a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  to the

hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is  $\frac{xx_1}{a^2} - \frac{yy_1}{b^2} = 1$

**Properties related to pole and polar**

- (i) The polar of the focus is the directrix.
- (ii) Any tangent is the polar of the point of contact.
- (iii) The pole of a line  $\lambda x + my + n = 0$  with respect to the

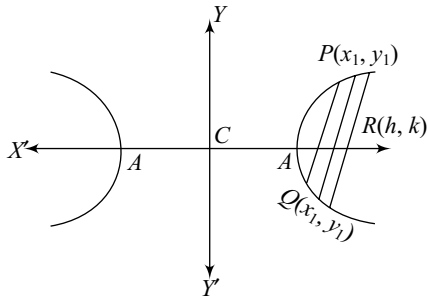
ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is

$$\left( -\frac{a^2 l}{n}, -\frac{b^2 m}{n} \right)$$

- (iv) The pole of a given line is same as point of intersection of tangents at its extremities.
- (v) If the polar of  $P(x_1, y_1)$  passes through  $Q(x_2, y_2)$ , the polar of  $Q(x_2, y_2)$  goes through  $P(x_1, y_1)$  and such points are said to be **conjugate points**.
- (vi) If the pole of a line  $lx + my + n = 0$  lies on the another line  $l'x + m'y + n' = 0$ , the pole of the second line will lie on the first and such lines are said to be **conjugate lines**.

**12. DIAMETER**

The locus of the mid-points of a system of parallel chords of a hyperbola is called a diameter of the hyperbola.



The equation of a diameter to a hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is

$$y = \frac{b^2}{a^2 m} x$$

Let  $(h, k)$  be the mid-point of the chord  $y = mx + c$  of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

Then,  $T = S_1$

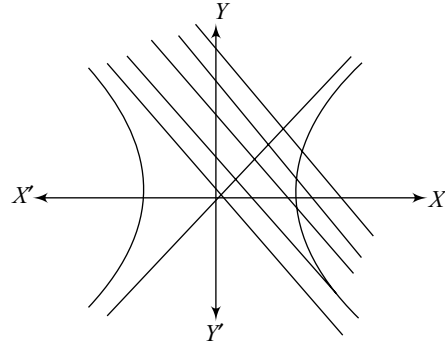
$$\Rightarrow \frac{xh}{a^2} - \frac{yk}{b^2} - 1 = \frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2} - 1$$

Slope =  $\frac{b^2 h}{a^2 k}$

Hence, the locus of the mid-point is  $y = \frac{b^2 x}{a^2 m}$ .

**13. CONJUGATE DIAMETERS**

Two diameters are said to be conjugate when each bisects all the chords parallel to the others.



If  $y = m_1 x$  and  $y = m_2 x$  be two conjugate diameters, then,

$$m_1 \cdot m_2 = \frac{b^2}{a^2}$$

**Properties of diameters**

**Property-I**

If a pair of the diameters be conjugate with respect to a hyperbola, they are conjugate with respect to its conjugate hyperbola also.

**Property-II**

The parallelogram formed by the tangents at the extremities of the conjugate diameters of a hyperbola has its vertices lying on the asymptotes and is of conjugate area.

**Property-III**

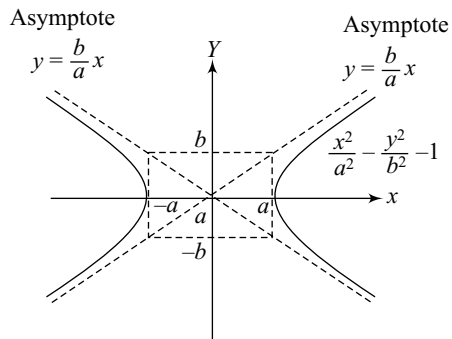
If the normal at  $P$  meets the transverse axis in  $G$ , then  $SG = e \cdot SP$

Also, the tangent and the normal bisects the angle between the focal distances of  $P$ .

**Property-IV**

If a pair of conjugate diameters meet the hyperbola in  $P$  and  $P'$  and its conjugate in  $D$  and  $D'$ , then the asymptotes bisect  $PD, P'D \cdot PD'$  and  $P'D'$ .

**14. ASYMPTOTES**



An asymptotes of any hyperbola or a curve is a straight line which touches it in two points at infinity.

The equation of the asymptotes of the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ are}$$

$$y = \pm \frac{b}{a}x$$

As we know that the difference between the 2nd degree curve and pair of asymptotes is constant.

Given hyperbola is  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$

The equation of the pair of asymptotes are

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \lambda = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

Equation (i) represents a pair of straight lines, then  $\Delta = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{a^2} \left( -\frac{1}{b^2} \right) \cdot \lambda + 0 - 0 - 0 - \lambda \cdot 0 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 0$$

From Eq. (i) we get the equation of asymptotes as  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 0$ .

$$\Rightarrow y = \pm \frac{b}{a}x$$

### 14.1 Important Points Related to Asymptotes

- (i) The asymptotes pass through the centre of the hyperbola.
- (ii) A hyperbola and its conjugate have the same asymptotes.
- (iii) The equation of the hyperbola and its asymptotes differ by a constant only.
- (iv) The equation of the asymptotes of a rectangular hyperbola  $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$  are  $y = \pm x$
- (v) The angle between the asymptotes of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is  $2 \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{b}{a} \right)$
- (vi) The bisectors of the angles between the asymptotes are the co-ordinate axes.
- (vii) No tangent to the hyperbola can be drawn from its centre.
- (viii) Only one tangent to the hyperbola can be drawn from a point lying on its asymptotes other than its centre.
- (ix) Two tangents can be drawn to the hyperbola from any of its external points which does not lie at its asymptotes.
- (x) Let  $H: \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} - 1 = 0$ ,  $A: \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 0$  and  $C: \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} + 1 = 0$

be the equations of the hyperbola, its asymptote and its conjugate, respectively, we can write from the above equations,

$$C + H = 2A$$

### 15. RECTANGULAR HYPERBOLA

A hyperbola is said to be rectangular, if the angle between its asymptote is  $90^\circ$ .

Thus,  $2 \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{b}{a} \right) = 90^\circ$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{b}{a} \right) = 45^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b}{a} = \tan 45^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow b = a$$

Hence, the equation of the rectangular hyperbola is  $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$

The eccentricity ( $e$ ) of the rectangular hyperbola is

$$e = \sqrt{1 + \frac{a^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1+1} = \sqrt{2}$$

### 16. RECTANGULAR HYPERBOLA $xy = c^2$

The equation of a rectangular hyperbola is  $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$  and its asymptote are

$$x - y = 0 \text{ and } x + y = 0,$$

where the asymptotes are inclined at  $45^\circ$  and  $135^\circ$ , respectively

If we rotate the axes through an angle of  $45^\circ$  in clockwise direction without changing the origin, then we replace  $x$  by  $[x \cos (-45^\circ) - y \sin (-45^\circ)]$  and  $y$  by  $[x \sin (-45^\circ) + y \cos (-45^\circ)]$ ,

i.e.  $x$  by  $\left( \frac{x+y}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$  and  $y$  by  $\left( \frac{-x+y}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$

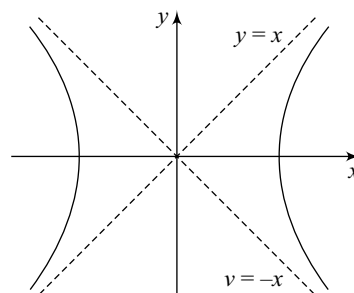
Then the equation,  $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$  reduces to

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

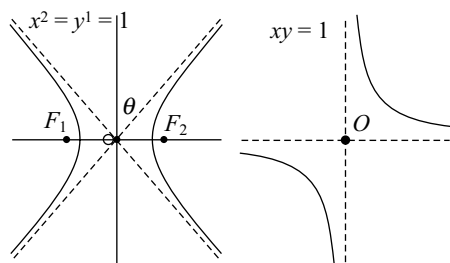
$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}(2xy + 2xy) = a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow xy = \frac{a^2}{2} = c^2 \text{ (say)}$$

$$\Rightarrow xy = c^2$$







Rectangular hyperbola

**Properties of rectangular hyperbola**

- (i) The asymptotes of the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  are  $x = 0$  and  $y = 0$
- (ii) The parametric equation of the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  are  $x = ct$  and  $y = \frac{c}{t}$ .
- (iii) Any point on the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  can be considered as  $\left(ct, \frac{c}{t}\right)$ .
- (iv) The equation of the chord joining the points  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  is  $x + yt_1t_2 - c(t_1 + t_2) = 0$
- (v) The equation of the tangent to the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  at  $(x_1, y_1)$  is  $xy_1 + x_1y = c^2$

- (vi) The equation of the tangent at  $\left(ct, \frac{c}{t}\right)$  to the hyperbola

$$xy = c^2 \text{ is } \frac{x}{t} + yt = 2c.$$

- (vii) The equation of the normal at  $(x_1, y_1)$  to the hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  is

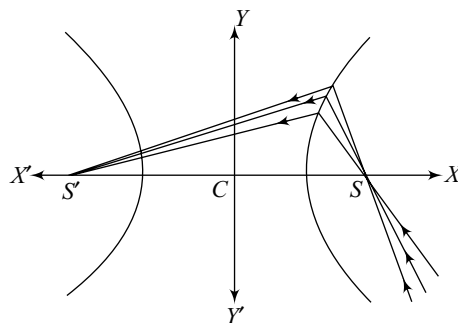
$$xx_1 - yy_1 = x_1^2 - y_1^2$$

- (viii) The equation of the normal at  $t$  to the hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  is

$$xt^3 - yt - ct^4 + c = 0$$

**17. REFLECTION PROPERTY OF A HYPERBOLA**

If an incoming light ray passing through one focus, after striking the convex side of the hyperbola, it will get reflected towards other focus.

**EXERCISES****LEVEL I****(Problems Based on Fundamentals)****ABC OF HYPERBOLA**

1. Find the centre, the vertices, the co-vertices, the length of transverse axis, the conjugate axis and the latus rectum, the eccentricity, the foci and the equation of directrices of each of the following hyperbolas.
  - (i)  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$
  - (ii)  $\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = -1$
  - (iii)  $9x^2 - 16y^2 - 36x + 96y - 252 = 0$
2. Find the equation of the hyperbola, whose centre is  $(1, 0)$ , one focus is  $(6, 0)$  and the length of transverse axis is 6.
3. Find the equation of the hyperbola, whose centre is  $(3, 2)$ , one focus is  $(5, 2)$  and one vertex is  $(4, 2)$ .
4. Find the equation of the hyperbola, whose centre is  $(-3, 2)$ , one vertex is  $(-3, 4)$  and eccentricity is  $5/2$ .
5. Find the equation of the hyperbola, whose one focus is  $(2, 1)$ , the directrix is  $x + 2y = 1$  and the eccentricity is 2.
6. Find the equation of the hyperbola, whose distance between foci is 16 and the eccentricity is  $\sqrt{2}$ .
7. Find the equation of the hyperbola, whose foci are  $(6, 4)$  and  $(-6, 4)$  and the eccentricity is 2.
8. Find the eccentricity of the hyperbola whose latus rectum is half of its transverse axis.
9. If  $e_1$  and  $e_2$  be the eccentricities of a hyperbola and its conjugate, prove that  $\frac{1}{e_1^2} + \frac{1}{e_2^2} = 1$ .
10. An ellipse and a hyperbola are confocal (have the same focus) and the conjugate axis of the hyperbola is equal to the minor axis of the ellipse. If  $e_1$  and  $e_2$  are the eccentricities of the ellipse and the hyperbola, prove that  $e_1^2 + e_2^2 = 2$ .
11. Find the centre of the hyperbola  $4(2y - x - 3)^2 - 9(2x + y - 1)^2 = 80$
12. Find the centre of the hyperbola  $3x^2 - 5y^2 - 6x + 20y - 32 = 0$

13. Prove that the straight lines

$$\frac{x}{a} - \frac{y}{b} = 2013 \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = \frac{1}{2013}$$

always meet on a hyperbola.

14. Prove that the locus represented by  $x = 3\left(\frac{1+t^2}{1-t^2}\right)$  and  $y = \frac{4t}{t^2-1}$  is a hyperbola.
15. Prove that the locus represented by  $x = \frac{1}{2}(e^t + e^{-t})$  and  $y = \frac{1}{2}(e^t - e^{-t})$  is a hyperbola.

16. If the equation  $\frac{x^2}{2014-\lambda} + \frac{y^2}{2013-\lambda} = 1$  represents a hyperbola, find  $\lambda$ .
17. If the foci of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{144} - \frac{y^2}{81} = \frac{1}{25}$  coincide, find the value of  $b^2$ .
18. If the latus rectum subtends right angle at the centre of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , find its eccentricity.
19. Find the location of point (1, 4) w.r.t the hyperbola  $2x^2 - 3y^2 = 6$ .
20. If  $(\lambda, -1)$  is an exterior point of the curve  $4x^2 - 3y^2 = 1$  such that the length of the interval where  $\lambda$  lies is  $m$ , find the value of  $m + 10$ .

#### INTERSECTIONS OF A LINE AND A HYPERBOLA

21. Find the points common to the hyperbola  $25x^2 - 9y^2 = 225$  and the straight line  $25x + 12y - 45 = 0$ .
22. For what value of  $\lambda$ , does the line  $y = 3x + \lambda$  touch the hyperbola  $9x^2 - 5y^2 = 45$ ?
23. For all real values of  $m$ , the straight line  $y = mx + \sqrt{9m^2 - 4}$  is a tangent to a hyperbola, find the equation of the hyperbola.
24. Find the equations of tangents to the curve  $4x^2 - 9y^2 = 36$ , which is parallel to  $5x - 4y + 7 = 0$ .
25. Find the equations of tangents to the curve  $9x^2 - 16y^2 = 144$ , which is perpendicular to the straight line  $3x + 4y + 10 = 0$ .
26. If the line  $5x + 12y - 9 = 0$  touches the hyperbola  $x^2 - 9y^2 = 9$ , then find its point of contact.
27. Find the equation of tangents to the curve  $4x^2 - 9y^2 = 36$  from the point (3, 2).
28. Find the number of tangents from the point (1, -2) to the curve  $2x^2 - 3y^2 = 12$ .
29. Find the equation of the tangent to the curve  $3x^2 - 4y^2 = 12$  having slope 4.

#### TANGENT AND TANGENCY

30. Find the equation of the tangent to the curve  $x^2 - y^2 - 8x + 2y + 11 = 0$  at (2, 1).
31. Find the equation of the tangent to the curve  $4x^2 - 3y^2 = 24$  at  $y = 2$ .
32. Find the angle between the tangents to the curve  $9x^2 - 16y^2 = 144$  drawn from the point (4, 3).
33. Find the equations of the common tangent to the curves  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and  $\frac{x^2}{b^2} - \frac{y^2}{a^2} = -1$ .
34. Find the equations of the common tangents to the curves  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  and  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ .
35. Find the equation of the common tangents to the curves  $\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$  and  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ .
36. Find the equation of the common tangents to the curves  $y^2 = 8x$  and  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{5} = 1$ .
37. Find the locus of the point of intersection of the perpendicular tangents to the curve  $\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ .
38. Find the product of the perpendiculars from foci upon any tangent to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .
39. If the tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  intersects the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  at  $A$  and  $B$  respectively, find the locus of the points of intersection of tangents at  $A$  and  $B$ .

#### NORMAL AND NORMALCY

40. Find the equation of the normal to the curve  $\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$  at  $(8, 3\sqrt{3})$ .
41. A normal is drawn at one end of the latus rectum of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  which meets the axes at points  $A$  and  $B$  respectively. Find the area of the  $\Delta OAB$ .
42. Prove that the locus of the foot of the perpendicular from the centre upon any normal to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is  $(x^2 + y^2)(a^2y^2 - b^2x^2) = (a^2 + b^2)^2x^2y^2$ .
43. A normal to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  meets the axes in  $M$  and  $N$  and the lines  $MP$  and  $NP$  are drawn perpendiculars to the axes meeting at  $P$ . Prove that the locus of  $P$  is the hyperbola  $a^2x^2 - b^2y^2 = (a^2 + b^2)^2$ .

44. If the normal at  $\phi$  on the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  meets the transverse axis at  $G$  such that  $AG \cdot A'G = a^m(e^n \sec^p \theta - 1)$ , where  $A, A'$  are the vertices of the hyperbola and  $m, n$  and  $p$  are positive integers, find the value of  $(m + n + p)^2 + 36$ .
45. If the normals at  $(x_i, y_i), i = 1, 2, 3, 4$  on the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  meet at the point  $(\alpha, \beta)$ , prove that
- $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = \alpha$
  - $y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + y_4 = \beta$
  - $x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + x_4^2 = \alpha^2$
  - $y_1^2 + y_2^2 + y_3^2 + y_4^2 = \beta^2$
  - $x^1 \cdot x^2 \cdot x^3 \cdot x^4 = -c^4$
  - $y_1 \cdot y_2 \cdot y_3 \cdot y_4 = -c^4$ .
46. If the normals at  $(x_i, y_i), i = 1, 2, 3, 4$  on the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  are concurrent, prove that
- $(x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4) \left( \frac{1}{x_1} + \frac{1}{x_2} + \frac{1}{x_3} + \frac{1}{x_4} \right) = 4$
  - $(y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + y_4) \left( \frac{1}{y_1} + \frac{1}{y_2} + \frac{1}{y_3} + \frac{1}{y_4} \right) = 4$

**CHORD OF CONTACT/CHORD BISECTED AT A POINT**

47. Find the equation of the chord of contact of tangents from the point  $(2, 3)$  to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ .
48. Find the locus of the mid-points of the portions of the tangents to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  included between the axes.
49. From the points on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ , tangents are drawn to the hyperbola  $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$ . Prove that the locus of the mid-points of the chord of contact is  $(x^2 - y^2)^2 = a^2(x^2 + y^2)$ .
50. Prove that the locus of the mid-points of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  which subtend right angle at the centre is  $\left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} \right)^2 \left( \frac{1}{a^2} - \frac{1}{b^2} \right) = \left( \frac{x^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2}{b^4} \right)$ .
51. Tangents are drawn from a point  $P$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ . If the chord of contact of the parabola be a tangent to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , find the locus of the point  $P$ .
52. A tangent to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  cuts the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  in points  $P$  and  $Q$ . Find the locus of the mid-point  $PQ$ .
53. Chords of the hyperbola  $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$  touch the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ . Prove that the locus of their mid-points is the curve  $y^2(x - a) = x^3$ .
54. A variable chord of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is a tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = c^2$ . Prove that the locus of its mid-points is  $\left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} \right)^2 = c^2 \left( \frac{x^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2}{b^4} \right)$ .
55. A variable chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  touches the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ . Prove that the locus of its mid-points is  $(x^2 + y^2)^2 = a^2x^2 - b^2y^2$ .
56. A tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  meets the hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  in two points  $P$  and  $Q$ . Prove that the locus of the mid-point of  $PQ$  lies on a parabola.
57. From a point  $P$ , tangents are drawn to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ . If the chord of contact of the circle is a normal chord of a hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , prove that the locus of the point  $P$  is  $\left( \frac{a^2 - b^2}{x^2 - y^2} \right) = \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a^2} \right)^2$ .
58. Prove that the locus of the mid-points of the focal chord of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = \frac{ex}{a}$ .
59. If the chords of contact of tangents from two points  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$  to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  are at right angles such that  $\frac{x_1x_2}{y_1y_2} = -\frac{a^m}{b^n}$ , where  $m, n$  are positive integers, find the value of  $\left( \frac{m+n}{4} \right)^{10}$ .

**POLE AND POLAR**

60. Find the polar of the focus  $(-ae, 0)$  with respect to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .
61. If the polars of  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$  with respect to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  are at right angles, prove that  $\frac{x_1x_2}{y_1y_2} + \frac{a^4}{b^4} = 0$ .

62. Find the pole of the line  $x - y = 3$  w.r.t. the hyperbola  $x^2 - 3y^2 = 3$ .
63. Prove that the locus of the poles of the normal chords with respect to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is the curve  $y^2a^6 - x^2b^6 = (a^2 + b^2)2x^2y^2$ .
64. Prove that the locus of the poles with respect to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  of the tangent to the hyperbola  $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$  is the ellipse  $4x^2 + y^2 = 4a^2$ .
65. Prove that the locus of the pole with respect to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  of any tangent to the circle, whose diameter is the line joining the foci, is the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2}{b^4} = \frac{1}{a^2 + b^2}$ .

**DIAMETER**

66. Prove that the equation of the diameter which bisects the chord  $7x + y - 2 = 0$  of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{3} - \frac{y^2}{7} = 1$  is  $x + 3y = 0$ .
67. Find the equation of the diameter of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ , which corresponds the line  $3x + 4y + 10 = 0$ .
68. Find the equation of the diameter to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  parallel to the chord  $2x + 3y + 5 = 0$ .
69. In the hyperbola  $16x^2 - 9y^2 = 144$ , find the equation of the diameter which is conjugate to the diameter whose equation is  $x = 2y$ .

**ASYMPTOTES**

70. Find the asymptotes of the curve  $xy - 3y - 2x = 0$ .
71. Find the equations of the asymptotes of the curve  $(a \sec \phi, a \tan \phi)$ .
72. Find the eccentricity of the hyperbola whose asymptotes are  $3x + 4y = 10$  and  $4x - 3y = 5$ .
73. Find the equation of a hyperbola whose asymptotes are  $2x - y = 3$  and  $3x + y = 7$  and which pass through the point  $(1, 1)$ .
74. The asymptotes of a hyperbola having centre at the point  $(1, 2)$  are parallel to the lines  $2x + 3y = 0$  and  $3x + 2y = 0$ . If the hyperbola passes through the point  $(5, 3)$ , prove that its equation is  $(2x + 3y - 8)(3x + 2y - 7) - 154 = 0$ .
75. Find the product of the lengths of the perpendiculars from any point on the hyperbola  $x^2 - 2y^2 = 2$  to its asymptotes.
76. Find the area of the triangle formed by any tangent to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  and its asymptotes.

77. Let  $P$  be a variable point on the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  such that its distance from the transverse axis is equal to its distance from an asymptote to the given hyperbola. Prove that the locus of  $P$  is  $(x^2 - y^2)^2 = 4x^2(x^2 - a^2)$ .
78. Show that the tangent at any point of a hyperbola cuts off a triangle of constant area from the asymptotes and that the portion of it intercepted between the asymptotes is bisected at the point of contact.
79. If  $p_1$  and  $p_2$  are the perpendiculars from any point on the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  on its asymptotes, prove that  $\frac{1}{p_1 p_2} = \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2}$ .
80. If the normal at  $t_1$  to the hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  meets it again at  $t_2$ , prove that  $t_1^3 t_2 = -1$ .
81. A triangle has its vertices on a rectangular hyperbola. Prove that the orthocentre of the triangle also lies on the same hyperbola.
82. Find the locus of the poles of the normal chords of the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$ .
83. If the angle between the asymptote is  $2\alpha$ , prove that the eccentricity of the hyperbola is  $\sec \alpha$ .
84. A circle cuts the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = 1$  in points  $(x_r, y_r)$ ,  $r = 1, 2, 3, 4$ , prove that  $x_1 x_2 x_3 x_4 = 1$  and  $y_1 y_2 y_3 y_4 = 1$ .
85. If the tangent and the normal to a rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  at a point cuts off intercepts  $a_1$  and  $a_2$  on one axis and  $b_1, b_2$  on the other axis, prove that  $a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2 = 0$ .
86. If  $e_1$  and  $e_2$  be the eccentricities of the hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  and  $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$ , find the value of  $(e_1 + e_2)^2$ .
87. Find the product of the lengths of the perpendiculars drawn from any point on the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{2} - y^2 = 1$  to its asymptote.
88. If  $A, B$  and  $C$  be three points on the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$ , find  
(i) the area of the  $\triangle ABC$   
(ii) the area of the triangle formed by the tangents at  $A, B$  and  $C$ .
89. Find the length of the transverse axis of the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = 18$ .
90. Prove that the locus of a point whose chord of contact with respect to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  is a tangent to the hyperbola  $xy = 1$  is a hyperbola.
91. Find the asymptotes of the hyperbola  $xy = hx + ky$ .
92. If  $e$  be the eccentricity of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and  $\theta$  is the angle between the asymptotes, find  $\cos(\theta/2)$ .
93. A ray is emanating from the point  $(5, 0)$  is incident on the hyperbola  $9x^2 - 16y^2 = 144$  at a point  $P$  with abscissa 8. Find the equation of the reflected ray after first reflection and point  $P$  lies in first quadrant.

94. A ray is coming along the line  $2x - y + 3 = 0$  (not through the focus) to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{y^2}{3} = 1$ .

After striking the hyperbolic mirror, it is reflected (not through the other focus).

Find the equation of the line containing the reflected ray.

## LEVEL II

### (Mixed Problems)

- The magnitude of the gradient of the tangent at extremity latus rectum of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is equal to  
(a)  $be$  (b)  $e$  (c)  $ab$  (d)  $ae$
- The eccentricity of the hyperbola conjugate to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{y^2}{12} = 1$  is  
(a)  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$  (b)  $2$  (c)  $\sqrt{3}$  (d)  $\frac{4}{3}$
- The asymptote of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  form with any tangent to the hyperbola a triangle whose area is  $a^2 \tan \lambda$  in magnitude, its eccentricity is  
(a)  $\sec \lambda$  (b)  $\operatorname{cosec} \lambda$   
(c)  $\sec^2 \lambda$  (d)  $\operatorname{cosec}^2 \lambda$
- The equation  $\frac{x^2}{29-p} + \frac{y^2}{4-p} = 1$  ( $p \neq 4, 9$ ) represents  
(a) an ellipse if  $p$  is any constant greater than 4  
(b) a hyperbola if  $p$  is any constant between 4 and 29  
(c) a rectangular hyperbola if  $p$  is any constant greater than 29  
(d) no real curve if  $p$  is less than 29.
- Locus of the feet of the perpendiculars drawn from either foci on a variable tangent to the hyperbola  $16y^2 - 9x^2 = 1$

- (a)  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  (b)  $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{1}{9}$   
(c)  $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{7}{144}$  (d)  $x^2 + y^2 = \frac{1}{16}$

- The locus of the point of intersection of the lines

$$\sqrt{3}x - y = 4\sqrt{3}t = 0$$

and  $\sqrt{3}tx + ty - 4\sqrt{3} = 0$

(where  $t$  is a parameter) is a hyperbola, whose eccentricity is

- (a)  $\sqrt{3}$  (b)  $2$  (c)  $2/\sqrt{3}$  (d)  $4/3$

- If the eccentricity of the hyperbola  $x^2 - y^2 \sec^2 \alpha = 5$  is  $\sqrt{3}$  times the eccentricity of the ellipse  $x^2 \sec^2 \alpha + y^2 = 5$ , the value of  $\alpha$  is  
(a)  $\pi/6$  (b)  $\pi/4$  (c)  $\pi/3$  (d)  $\pi/2$
- For all real values of  $m$ , the straight line  $y = mx + \sqrt{9m^2 - 4}$  is a tangent to the curve  
(a)  $9x^2 + 4y^2 = 36$  (b)  $4x^2 + 9y^2 = 36$   
(c)  $9x^2 - 4y^2 = 36$  (d)  $4x^2 - 9y^2 = 36$
- The foci of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{144} - \frac{y^2}{81} = \frac{1}{25}$  coincide. The value of  $b^2$  is  
(a)  $5$  (b)  $7$  (c)  $9$  (d)  $4$
- The locus of the mid-points of the parallel chords with gradient  $m$  of the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  is  
(a)  $mx + y = 0$  (b)  $y - mx = 0$   
(c)  $my - x = 0$  (d)  $my + x = 0$
- The locus of the foot of the perpendicular from the centre of the hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  on a variable tangent is  
(a)  $(x^2 - y^2)^2 = 4c^2xy$  (b)  $(x^2 + y^2)^2 = 2c^2xy$   
(c)  $(x^2 + y^2) = 4c^2xy$  (d)  $(x^2 + y^2)^2 = 4c^2xy$
- $P$  is a point on the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ ,  $N$  is the foot of the perpendicular from  $P$  on the transverse axis. The tangent to the hyperbola at  $P$  meets transverse axis at  $T$ . If  $O$  be the centre of the hyperbola,  $OT \cdot ON$  is  
(a)  $e^2$  (b)  $a^2$  (c)  $b^2$  (d)  $b^2/a^2$
- If  $PN$  be the perpendicular from a point on the rectangular hyperbola  $(x^2 - y^2) = a^2$  on any on its asymptotes, the locus of the mid-point of  $PN$  is a/an  
(a) circle (b) parabola  
(c) ellipse (d) hyperbola
- The equation to the chord joining two points  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$  on the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  is  
(a)  $\frac{x}{x_1 + x_2} + \frac{y}{y_1 + y_2} = 1$  (b)  $\frac{x}{x_1 - x_2} + \frac{y}{y_1 - y_2} = 1$   
(c)  $\frac{x}{y_1 + y_2} + \frac{y}{x_1 + x_2} = 1$  (d)  $\frac{x}{y_1 - y_2} + \frac{y}{x_1 - x_2} = 1$
- If  $P(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $Q(x_2, y_2)$ ,  $R(x_3, y_3)$  and  $S(x_4, y_4)$  are 4 concyclic points on the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$ , the co-ordinates of the orthocentre of  $\Delta PQR$  is  
(a)  $(x_4, y_4)$  (b)  $(x_4, y_4)$   
(c)  $(-x_4, -y_4)$  (d)  $(-x_4, y_4)$
- The chord  $PQ$  of the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = a^2$  meets the axis of  $x$  at  $A$ ,  $C$  is the mid-point of  $PQ$  and  $O$  the origin. The  $\Delta ACO$  is a/an  
(a) equilateral (b) isosceles triangle  
(c) right angled  $\Delta$  (d) right isosceles triangle.
- A conic passes through the point  $(2, 4)$  and is such that the segment of any of its tangents at any point con-

- tained between the co-ordinates is bisected at the point of tangency. The foci of the conic are
- $(2\sqrt{2}, 0)$  and  $(-2\sqrt{2}, 0)$
  - $(2\sqrt{2}, 2\sqrt{2})$  and  $(-2\sqrt{2}, -2\sqrt{2})$
  - $(4, 4)$  and  $(-4, -4)$
  - $(4\sqrt{2}, 4\sqrt{2})$  and  $(-4\sqrt{2}, -4\sqrt{2})$
- The latus rectum of the conic satisfying the differential equation,  $x dy + y dx = 0$  and passing through the point  $(2, 8)$  is
    - $4\sqrt{2}$
    - 8
    - $8\sqrt{2}$
    - 16
  - If the normal to the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  at the point  $t$  meets the curve again at  $t_1$ , the value of  $t^3 t_1$  is
    - 1
    - 1
    - 0
    - None
  - With one focus of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$  as the centre, a circle is drawn which is the tangent to the hyperbola with no part of the circle being outside the hyperbola. The radius of the circle is
    - $< 2$
    - 2
    - $11/3$
    - None
  - $AB$  is a double ordinate of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  such that  $\Delta AOB$  (where  $O$  is the origin) is an equilateral triangle, the eccentricity of the hyperbola satisfies
    - $e > \sqrt{3}$
    - $1 < e < \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$
    - $e = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$
    - $e > \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$
  - If the product of the perpendicular distances from any point on the hyperbola of the eccentricity from its asymptotes is equal to 6, the length of the transverse axis of the hyperbola is
    - 3
    - 6
    - 8
    - 12
  - If  $x + iy = \sqrt{\varphi} + i\psi$  where  $i = \sqrt{-1}$  and  $\varphi$  and  $\psi$  are non-zero real parameters, then  $\varphi = \text{constant}$  and  $\psi = \text{constant}$ , represents two systems of rectangular hyperbola which intersect at an angle of
    - $\pi/6$
    - $\pi/3$
    - $\pi/4$
    - $\pi/2$
  - The tangent to the hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  at the point  $P$  intersects the  $x$ -axis at  $T$  and the  $y$ -axis at  $T'$ . The normal to the hyperbola at  $P$  intersects the  $x$ -axis at  $N$  and the  $y$ -axis at  $N'$ . The area of  $\Delta PNT$  and  $\Delta PNT'$  are  $\Delta$  and  $\Delta'$  respectively, then  $\frac{1}{\Delta} + \frac{1}{\Delta'}$  is
    - equal to 1
    - depends on  $t$
    - depends on  $c$
    - equal to 2
  - The ellipse  $4x^2 + y = 5$  and the hyperbola  $4x^2 - y^2 = 4$  have the same foci and they intersect at right angles, the equation of the circle through the points of intersection of two conics is
    - $x^2 + y^2 = 5$
    - $\sqrt{5}(x^2 + y^2) - 3x - 4y = 0$
    - $\sqrt{5}(x^2 + y^2) + 3x + 4y = 0$
    - $x^2 + y^2 = 25$
  - At the point of intersection of the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  and the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ , tangents to the rectangular hyperbola and the parabola make angles  $\theta$  and  $\phi$ , respectively with the axis of  $x$ , then
    - $\theta = \tan^{-1}(-2 \tan \phi)$
    - $\phi = \tan^{-1}(-2 \tan \theta)$
    - $\theta = \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1}(-\tan \phi)$
    - $\phi = \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1}(-\tan \theta)$
  - The area of the quadrilateral formed with the foci of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = -1$  is
    - $4a^2 + b^2$
    - $2(a^2 + b^3)$
    - $(a^2 + b^2)$
    - $\frac{1}{2}(a^2 + b^2)$
  - The eccentricity of the hyperbola whose latus rectum is 8 and the conjugate axis is equal to half the distance between the foci is
    - $\frac{4}{3}$
    - $\frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}$
    - $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$
    - None.
  - If  $P(\sqrt{2} \sec \theta, \sqrt{2} \tan \theta)$  is a point on the hyperbola whose distance from the origin is  $\sqrt{6}$ , where  $P$  is in the first quadrant, then  $\theta$  is equal to
    - $\frac{\pi}{4}$
    - $\frac{\pi}{3}$
    - $\frac{\pi}{6}$
    - None
  - An ellipse and a hyperbola have same centre origin, the same foci and the minor axis of the one is the same as the conjugate axis of the other. If  $e_1$  and  $e_2$  be their eccentricities, respectively, then  $\frac{1}{e_1^2} + \frac{1}{e_2^2}$  is equal to
    - 1
    - 2
    - 3
    - None
  - The number of possible tangents can be drawn to the curve  $4x^2 - 9y^2 = 36$ , which are perpendicular to the straight line  $5x + 2y - 10 = 0$  is
    - 0
    - 1
    - 2
    - 4
  - The equation of a tangent passing through  $(2, 8)$  to the hyperbola  $5x^2 - y^2 = 5$  is
    - $3x - y + 2 = 0$
    - $3x + y - 14 = 0$
    - $23x - 3y - 22 = 0$
    - $3x - 23y + 178 = 0$ .
  - If  $P(x_1, y_1), Q(x_2, y_2), R(x_3, y_3)$  and  $(Sx_4, y_4)$  are four concyclic points on the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$ , the co-ordinates of the orthocentre of  $\Delta PQR$  are
    - $(x_4, y_4)$
    - $(x_4, -y_4)$
    - $(-x_4, -y_4)$
    - $(-x_4, y_4)$ .

34. If the hyperbolas  $x^2 + 3xy + 2y^2 + 2x + 3y + 2 = 0$  and  $x^2 + 3xy + 2y^2 + 2x + 3y + c = 0$  are conjugate of each other, the value of  $c$  is  
 (a)  $-2$  (b)  $0$  (c)  $4$  (d)  $1$
35. A rectangular hyperbola circumscribes a  $\Delta ABC$ , it will always pass through its  
 (a) orthocentre (b) circumcentre  
 (c) centroid (d) incentre
36. The co-ordinates of a point on the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{24} - \frac{y^2}{18} = 1$ , which is nearest to the line  $3x + 2y + 1 = 0$  are  
 (a)  $(6, 3)$  (b)  $(-6, -3)$   
 (c)  $(6, -3)$  (d)  $(-6, 3)$
37. The latus rectum of the hyperbola  $9x^2 - 16y^2 - 18x - 32y - 151 = 0$  is  
 (a)  $9/4$  (b)  $9$  (c)  $3/2$  (d)  $9/2$
38. If the eccentricity of the hyperbola  $x^2 - y^2 \sec^2 \alpha = 5$  is  $\sqrt{3}$  times the eccentricity of the ellipse  $x^2 \sec^2 \alpha + y^2 = 25$ , the value of  $\alpha$  can be  
 (a)  $\frac{\pi}{6}$  (b)  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  (c)  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  (d)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$
39. If values of  $m$  for which the line  $y = mx + 2\sqrt{5}$  touches the hyperbola  $16x^2 - 9y^2 = 144$  are the roots of  $x^2 - (a + b)x - 4 = 0$ , then the value of  $(a + b)$  is  
 (a)  $2$  (b)  $4$  (c)  $0$  (d) none
40. The locus of the feet of the perpendiculars drawn from either focus on a variable tangent to the hyperbola  $16x^2 - 9y^2 = 1$  is  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  (b)  $x^2 + y^2 = 1/9$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 = 7/144$  (d)  $x^2 + y^2 = 1/16$
41. The locus of the foot of the perpendicular from the centre of the hyperbola  $xy = 1$  on a variable tangent is  
 (a)  $(x^2 - y^2)^2 = 4xy$  (b)  $(x^2 - y^2)^2 = 2xy$   
 (c)  $(x^2 + y^2)^2 = 2xy$  (d)  $(x^2 + y^2)^2 = 4xy$
42. The tangent at a point  $P$  on the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  meets one of the directrix in  $F$ . If  $PF$  subtends an angle  $\theta$  at the corresponding focus, the value of  $\theta$  is  
 (a)  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  (b)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  (c)  $\frac{3\pi}{4}$  (d) None
43. The number of points on the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 3$ , from which mutually perpendicular tangents can be drawn to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ , is  
 (a)  $0$  (b)  $2$  (c)  $3$  (d)  $4$
44. If the sum of the slopes of the normal from a point  $P$  to the hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  is equal to  $\lambda$ , where  $\lambda \in R^+$ , the locus of the point  $P$  is  
 (a)  $x^2 = \lambda c^2$  (b)  $y^2 = \lambda c^2$   
 (c)  $xy = \lambda c^2$  (d)  $x/y = \lambda c^2$
45. If two distinct tangents can be drawn from the point  $(\alpha, 2)$  on different branches of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$ , then  
 (a)  $|\alpha| < \frac{3}{2}$  (b)  $|\alpha| > \frac{2}{3}$   
 (c)  $|\alpha| > 3$  (d)  $|\alpha| > 5$
46. From any point on the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , tangents are drawn to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 2$ . The area cut off by the chord of contact on the asymptotes is  
 (a)  $a/2$  (b)  $ab$  (c)  $2ab$  (d)  $4ab$
47. A hyperbola passes through  $(2, 3)$  and has asymptotes  $3x - 4y + 5 = 0$  and  $12x + 5y = 40$ , the equation of its transverse axis is  
 (a)  $77x - 21y - 265 = 0$  (b)  $21x - 77y + 265 = 0$   
 (c)  $21x + 77y - 326 = 0$  (d)  $21x + 77y - 273 = 0$
48. The centre of a rectangular hyperbola lies on the line  $y = 2x$ . If one of the asymptotes is  $x + y + c = 0$ , the other asymptote is  
 (a)  $x - y - 3c = 0$  (b)  $2x - y + c = 0$   
 (c)  $x - y - c = 0$  (d) None
49. The equation of a rectangular hyperbola, whose asymptotes are  $x = 3$  and  $y = 5$  and passing through  $(7, 8)$  is  
 (a)  $xy - 3y + 5x + 3 = 0$  (b)  $xy + 3y + 4x + 3 = 0$   
 (c)  $xy - 3y + 5x - 3 = 0$  (d)  $xy - 3y + 5x + 5 = 0$
50. The equation of the conjugate axis of the hyperbola  $xy - 3y - 4x + 7 = 0$  is  
 (a)  $x + y = 3$  (b)  $x + y = 7$   
 (c)  $y - x = 3$  (d) none
51. The curve  $xy = c$  ( $c > 0$ ) and the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$  touch at two points, the distance between the points of contact is  
 (a)  $2$  (b)  $3$  (c)  $4$  (d)  $2\sqrt{2}$
52. Let the curves  $(x - 1)(y - 2) = 5$  and  $(x - 1)^2 + (y - 2)^2 = r^2$  intersect at four points  $P, Q, R, S$ . If the centroid of  $\Delta PQR$  lies on the line  $y = 3x - 4$ , the locus of  $S$  is  
 (a)  $y = 3x$  (b)  $x^2 + y^2 + 3x + 1 = 0$   
 (c)  $3y = x + 1$  (d)  $y = 3x + 1$
53. The ellipse  $4x^2 + 9y^2 = 36$  and the hyperbola  $a^2x^2 - y^2 = 4$  intersect at right angles, the equation of the circle through the point of intersection of the two conics is  
 (a)  $x^2 + y^2 = 5$   
 (b)  $\sqrt{5}(x^2 + y^2) = 3x + 4y$   
 (c)  $\sqrt{5}(x^2 + y^2) + 3x + 4y = 0$   
 (d)  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$
54. The angle between the lines joining the origin to the points of intersection of the line  $\sqrt{3}x + y = 2$  and the curve  $\sqrt{3}x + y = 2$  is

$$(a) \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\right) \quad (b) \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$(c) \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) \quad (d) \frac{\pi}{2}$$

55. If  $S = 0$  be the equation of the hyperbola  $x^2 + 4xy + 3y^2 - 4x + 2y + 1 = 0$ , the value of  $k$  for which  $S + k = 0$  represents its asymptotes is  
 (a) 20      (b) -16      (c) -22      (d) 18

**LEVEL III****(Problems for JEE Advanced)**

- For all real values of  $m$ , the straight line  $y = mx + \sqrt{9m^2 - 4}$  is a tangent to a hyperbola, find the equation of the hyperbola.
- Find the equations of the common tangent to the curves  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and  $\frac{x^2}{b^2} - \frac{y^2}{a^2} = -1$  and also find its length.
- Find the equation of the common tangents to the curves  $\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$  and  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ .
- If the normal at  $\phi$  on the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  meets the transverse axis at  $G$  such that  $AG \cdot A'G = a^m(e^n \sec^p \theta - 1)$ , where  $A, A'$  are the vertices of the hyperbola and  $m, n$  and  $p$  are positive integers, find the value of  $(m + n + p)^2 + 36$ .
- If the normals at  $(x_i, y_i)$ ,  $i = 1, 2, 3, 4$  on the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  meet at the point  $(\alpha, \beta)$ , prove that
  - $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = \alpha$
  - $y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + y_4 = \alpha$
  - $x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + x_4^2 = \beta^2$
  - $y_1^2 + y_2^2 + y_3^2 + y_4^2 = \beta^2$
  - $x_1 \cdot x_2 \cdot x_3 \cdot x_4 = -c^4$
  - $y_1 \cdot y_2 \cdot y_3 \cdot y_4 = -c^4$
- If the normals at  $(x_i, y_i)$ ,  $i = 1, 2, 3, 4$  on the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  are concurrent, prove that

$$(i) (x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4) \left( \frac{1}{x_1} + \frac{1}{x_2} + \frac{1}{x_3} + \frac{1}{x_4} \right) = 4.$$

$$(ii) (y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + y_4) \left( \frac{1}{y_1} + \frac{1}{y_2} + \frac{1}{y_3} + \frac{1}{y_4} \right) = 4.$$

- The perpendicular from the centre upon the normal at any point of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  meets at  $Q$ .

Prove that the locus of  $Q$  is

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

- From the points on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ , tangents are drawn to the hyperbola  $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$ . Prove that the locus of the mid-points of the chord of contact is

$$(x^2 - y^2)^2 = a^2(x^2 + y^2)$$

- Prove that the locus of the mid-points of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  which subtend right angle at the centre is

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

- Tangents are drawn from a point  $P$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ . If the chord of contact of the parabola be a tangent to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , find the locus of the point  $P$ .

- Chords of the hyperbola  $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$  touch the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ . Prove that the locus of their mid-points is the curve  $y^2(x - a) = x^3$ .

- Prove that the locus of the mid-points of the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  of constant length  $2d$  is  $(x^2 + y^2)(xy - c^2) = d^2xy$

- A variable chord of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is a tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = c^2$ . Prove that the locus of its mid-points is

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

- A variable chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  touch the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ . Prove that the locus of its mid-points is  $(x^2 + y^2)^2 = a^2x^2 - b^2y^2$ .

- A tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  meets the hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  in two points  $P$  and  $Q$ . Prove that the locus of the mid-point of  $PQ$  lies on a parabola.

- From a point  $P$ , tangents are drawn to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ . If the chord of contact of the circle is a normal chord of a hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , prove that the locus

$$\text{of the point } P \text{ is } \left( \frac{a^2}{x^2} - \frac{b^2}{y^2} \right) = \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a^2} \right)^2.$$



17. The normal to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  meets the axes in  $M$  and  $N$ , and lines  $MP$  and  $NP$  are drawn at right angles to the axes. Prove that the locus of  $P$  is the hyperbola  $a^2x^2 - b^2y^2 = (a^2 + b^2)^2$ .
18. Prove that the locus of the point of intersection of tangents to a hyperbola which meet at a constant angle  $\beta$  is the curve
- $$(x^2 + y^2 + b^2 - a^2)^2 = 4 \cot^2 \beta (a^2b^2 - b^2x^2 + a^2y^2)$$
19. Prove that the chords of a hyperbola, which touch the conjugate hyperbola, are bisected at the point of contact.
20. A straight line is drawn parallel to the conjugate axis of a hyperbola to meet it and the conjugate hyperbola in the points  $P$  and  $Q$ . Show that the tangents at  $P$  and  $Q$  meet the curve  $\frac{y^4}{b^4} \left( \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{x^2}{a^2} \right) = \frac{4x^2}{a^2}$  and the normals meet on the axis of  $x$ .
21. Prove that the locus of the mid-points of the chords of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 16$ , which are tangent to the hyperbola  $9x^2 - 16y^2 = 144$  is  $(x^2 + y^2)^2 = 16x^2 - 9y^2$ .
22. Find the asymptotes of the curve  $2x^2 + 5xy + 2y^2 + 4x + 5y = 0$ . Also, find the general equation of all hyperbolas having the same asymptotes.
23. Find the equation of the hyperbola whose asymptotes are the straight lines  $x + 2y + 3 = 0$  and  $3x + 4y + 5 = 0$  and pass through the point  $(1, -1)$ .
24. Let  $C$  be the centre of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and the tangent at any point  $P$  meets the asymptotes at the points  $Q$  and  $R$ . Prove that the equation to the locus of the centre of the circle circumscribing, the  $\Delta CQR$  is  $4(a^2x^2 - b^2y^2) = (a^2 + b^2)^2$ .
25. If  $P, Q, R$  be three points on the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$ , whose abscissae are  $x_1, x_2, x_3$ , prove that the area of  $\Delta PQR$  is

$$\frac{c^2}{2} \times \frac{(x_1 - x_2)(x_2 - x_3)(x_3 - x_1)}{x_1 x_2 x_3}$$

### LEVEL IV

#### (Tougher Problems for JEE Advanced)

- A tangent to the parabola  $x^2 = 4ay$  meets the hyperbola  $xy = k^2$  in two points  $P$  and  $Q$ . Prove that the locus of the mid-point of  $PQ$  lies on the parabola.
- Find the equation of the chord of the hyperbola  $25x^2 - 16y^2 = 400$  which is bisected at the point  $(6, 2)$ .
- Find the locus of the mid-points of the chords of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 16$  which are tangents to the hyperbola  $9x^2 - 16y^2 = 144$ .

- A tangent to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  cuts the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  in  $P$  and  $Q$ . Prove that the locus of the mid-point of  $PQ$  is  $\left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} \right)^2 = \left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} \right)$ .
- If a triangle is inscribed in a rectangular hyperbola, prove that its orthocentre lies on the curve.
- Prove that the locus of the poles of the normal chords of the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  is the curve  $(x^2 - y^2)^2 + 4c^2xy = 0$ .
- If a circle cuts a rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  in  $A, B, C$  and  $D$  and the parameters of these four points be  $t_1, t_2, t_3$  and  $t_4$  respectively. Prove that the centre of the circle through  $A, B$  and  $C$  is  $\left( \frac{c}{2} \left( t_1 + t_2 + t_3 + \frac{1}{t_1 t_2 t_3} \right), \frac{c}{2} \left( \frac{1}{t_1} + \frac{1}{t_2} + \frac{1}{t_3} + t_1 t_2 t_3 \right) \right)$
- If a triangle is inscribed in a rectangular hyperbola, prove that the orthocentre of the triangle lies on the curve.
- If a circle cuts a rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  in  $A, B, C, D$  and the parameters of the four points be  $t_1, t_2, t_3$ , and  $t_4$  respectively, prove that the centre of the mean position of the four points bisects the distance between the centres of the two curves.
- A circle of variable radius cuts the rectangular hyperbola  $x^2 - y^2 = 9a^2$  in points  $P, Q, R$  and  $S$ . Find the equation of the locus of the centroid of  $\Delta PQR$ .

### Integer Type Questions

- Find the eccentricity of the hyperbola conjugate to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{y^2}{12} = 1$ .
- If the foci of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{144} - \frac{y^2}{81} = \frac{1}{25}$  coincide, find the value of  $(b^2 + 1)$ .
- If  $e_1$  and  $e_2$  be the eccentricities of a hyperbola and its conjugate, find the value of  $\left( \frac{1}{e_1^2} + \frac{1}{e_2^2} + 3 \right)$ .
- Find the number of tangents to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{y^2}{3} = 1$  from the point  $(4, 3)$ .
- Find the number of points on the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 3$  from which mutually perpendicular tangents can be drawn to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ .

- If the latus rectum of the hyperbola  $9x^2 - 16y^2 - 18x - 32y - 151 = 0$  is  $m$ , find the value of  $(2m - 3)$ .
- If the number of possible tangents can be drawn to the curve  $4x^2 - 9y^2 = 36$ , which are perpendicular to the straight line  $5x + 2y = 10$  is  $m$ , find the value of  $(m + 4)$ .
- If values of  $m$  for which the line  $y = mx + 2\sqrt{5}$  touches the hyperbola  $16x^2 - 9y^2 = 144$  are the roots of  $x^2 - (a + b)x - 4 = 0$ , find the value of  $(a + b + 3)$ .
- The curve  $xy = c$ , ( $c > 0$ ) and the circle  $x_2 + y_2 = 1$  touch at two points, find the distance between the points of contact.
- If the product of the perpendicular distances from any point on the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  of eccentricity  $e = \sqrt{3}$  from its asymptote is equal to 6, find the length of the transverse axis of the hyperbola.
- The tangent to the hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  at the point  $P$  intersects the  $x$ -axis at  $T$  and the  $y$ -axis at  $T'$ . The normal to the hyperbola at  $P$  intersects the  $x$ -axis at  $N$  and  $N'$ , respectively. The area of  $\Delta s$   $PNT$  and  $PN'T'$  are  $\Delta$  and  $\Delta'$  respectively, find the value of  $\left(\frac{c^2}{\Delta} + \frac{c^2}{\Delta'} + 4\right)$ .
- Find the area of the triangle formed by any tangent to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  and its asymptotes.

### Comprehension Link Passage

#### Passage I

The locus of the foot of the perpendicular from any focus of a hyperbola upon any tangent to the hyperbola is an auxiliary circle of the hyperbola. Consider the foci of a hyperbola as  $(-3, -2)$  and  $(5, 6)$  and the foot of the perpendicular from the focus  $(5, 6)$  upon a tangent to the hyperbola as  $(2, 5)$ .

- The conjugate axis of the hyperbola is  
(a)  $4\sqrt{11}$  (b)  $2\sqrt{11}$  (c)  $4\sqrt{22}$  (d)  $2\sqrt{22}$
- The directrix of the hyperbola corresponding to the focus  $(5, 6)$  is  
(a)  $2x + 2y - 1 = 0$  (b)  $2x + 2y - 11 = 0$   
(c)  $2x + 2y - 7 = 0$  (d)  $2x + 2y - 9 = 0$
- The point of contact of the tangent with the hyperbola is  
(a)  $\left(\frac{2}{9}, \frac{31}{3}\right)$  (b)  $\left(\frac{7}{4}, \frac{23}{4}\right)$   
(c)  $\left(\frac{2}{3}, 9\right)$  (d)  $\left(\frac{7}{9}, 7\right)$

#### Passage II

The portion of the tangent intercepted between the asymptotes of the hyperbola is bisected at the point of contact.

Consider a hyperbola whose centre is at the origin. A line  $x + y = 2$  touches this hyperbola at  $P(1, 1)$  and intersects the asymptotes at  $A$  and  $B$  such that  $AB = 6\sqrt{2}$ .

- The equation of the asymptotes are  
(a)  $5xy + 2x^2 + 3y^2 = 0$  (b)  $3x^2 + 4y^2 + 6xy = 0$   
(c)  $2x^3 + 2y^2 - 5xy = 0$  (d)  $2x^2 + y^2 - 5xy = 0$
- The angle subtended by  $AB$  at the centre of the hyperbola is  
(a)  $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{4}{5}\right)$  (b)  $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{2}{5}\right)$   
(c)  $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)$  (d)  $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{5}\right)$
- The equation of the tangent to the hyperbola at  $\left(-1, \frac{7}{2}\right)$  is  
(a)  $5x + 2y = 2$  (b)  $3x + 2y = 4$   
(c)  $3x + 4y = 11$  (d)  $3x - 4y = 10$

#### Passage III

A point  $P$  moves such that the sum of the slopes of the normals drawn from it to the hyperbola  $xy = 16$  is equal to the sum of the ordinates of the feet of normals. The locus of the  $P$  is a curve  $C$ .

- The equation of the curve  $C$  is  
(a)  $x^2 = 4y$  (b)  $x^2 = 16y$  (c)  $x^2 = 12y$  (d)  $y^2 = 8x$
- If the tangent to the curve  $C$  cuts the co-ordinate axes at  $A$  and  $B$ , the locus of the mid-point of  $AB$  is  
(a)  $x^2 = 4y$  (b)  $x^2 = 2y$   
(c)  $x^2 + 2y = 0$  (d)  $x^2 + 4y = 0$
- The area of the equilateral triangle, inscribed in the curve  $C$ , having one vertex as the vertex of the curve  $C$  is  
(a)  $772\sqrt{3}$  s. u. (b)  $776\sqrt{3}$  s. u.  
(c)  $760\sqrt{3}$  s. u. (d)  $768\sqrt{3}$  s. u.

#### Passage IV

The vertices of  $\Delta ABC$  lie on a rectangular hyperbola such that the orthocentre of the triangle is  $(3, 2)$  and the asymptotes of the rectangular hyperbola are parallel to the co-ordinate axes. The two perpendicular tangents of the hyperbola intersect at the point  $(1, 1)$ .

- The equation of the asymptotes is  
(a)  $xy - x + y - 1 = 0$  (b)  $xy - x - y + 1 = 0$   
(c)  $2xy + x + y$  (d)  $2xy = x + y + 1$
- The equation of the rectangular hyperbola is  
(a)  $xy = 2x + y - 2$  (b)  $xy = 2x + y + 5$   
(c)  $xy = x + y + 1$  (d)  $xy = x + y + 10$
- The number of real tangents that can be drawn from the point  $(1, 1)$  to the rectangular hyperbola is  
(a) 4 (b) 0 (c) 3 (d) 2

#### Passage V

A line is drawn through the point  $P(-1, 2)$  meets the hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  at the (points  $A$  and  $B$  lie on the same side of  $P$ ) and  $Q$  is a point on the line segment  $AB$ .

- If the point  $Q$  be chosen such that  $PA$ ,  $PQ$ , and  $PB$  are in AP, the locus of the point  $Q$  is

- (a)  $x = y + 2xy$                       (b)  $x = y + xy$   
 (c)  $2x = y + 2xy$                     (d)  $2x = y + xy$
2. If the point  $Q$  be chosen such that  $PA$ ,  $PQ$  and  $PB$  are in GP, the locus of the point  $Q$  is  
 (a)  $xy - y + 2x - c^2 = 0$             (b)  $xy + y - 2x + c^2 = 0$   
 (c)  $xy + y + 2x + c^2 = 0$             (d)  $xy - y - 2x - c^2 = 0$
3. If the point  $Q$  be chosen such that  $PA$ ,  $PQ$ , and  $PB$  are in HP, the locus of the point  $Q$  is  
 (a)  $2x - y = 2c^2$                       (b)  $x - 2y = 2c^2$   
 (c)  $2x + y + 2c^2 = 0$                 (d)  $x + 2y = 2c^2$

**Passage VI**

The graph of the conic  $x^2 - (y - 1)^2 = 1$  has one tangent line with positive slope that passes through the origin, the point of tangency being  $(a, b)$ .

1. The value of  $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)$  is  
 (a)  $5\pi/12$     (b)  $\pi/6$         (c)  $\pi/3$         (d)  $\pi/4$
2. The length of the latus rectum of the conic is  
 (a) 1            (b)  $\sqrt{2}$         (c) 2            (d) none
3. The eccentricity of the conic is  
 (a)  $4/3$         (b)  $\sqrt{3}$         (c) 2            (d) none

**Matrix Match****(For JEE-Advanced Examination Only)**

1. Match the following columns  
 Let  $z, z_1$  and  $z_2$  be three complex numbers and  $b, c \in R^+$ . Then the locus of  $z$

Column I	Column II
(A) is an ellipse, if	(P) $ z - c  = b$
(B) is a hyperbola, if	(Q) $ z - z_1  +  z - z_2  = 2b$ , where $2b >  z_1 - z_2 $
(C) is a straight line, if	(R) $ z - z_1  -  z - z_2  = 2b$ Where $2b <  z_1 - z_2 $
(D) is a circle, if	(S) $ z - z_1  +  z - z_2  =  z_1 - z_2 $

2. Match the following columns:  
 The locus of a variable point  $P$ , whose co-ordinates are given by

Column I	Column II
(A) $x = 3\left(\frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2}\right)$ and $y = \left(\frac{8t}{1-t^2}\right)$ is	(P) an ellipse
(B) $x = \frac{1}{2}(e^t + e^{-t})$ and $y = \frac{1}{2}(e^t - e^{-t})$ is	(Q) a hyperbola

(C) $x = \frac{2}{(e^{i\theta} + e^{-i\theta})}$ and $y = i \times \left(\frac{e^{i\theta} - e^{-i\theta}}{e^{i\theta} + e^{-i\theta}}\right)$ is	(R) a circle
(D) $x = \frac{i}{2}(e^{-i\theta} - e^{i\theta})$ and $y = \left(\frac{e^{i\theta} + e^{-i\theta}}{\sin 2\theta}\right)$ is	(S) a parabola

3. Match the following columns  
 The locus of the point of intersection of two perpendicular tangents to a conic is a director circle to the given conic.

Column I	Column II
(A) The director circle of $\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ is	(P) $x^2 + y^2 = 45$
(B) The director circle of $\frac{x^2}{20} + \frac{y^2}{25} = 1$ is	(Q) $x^2 + y^2 = 7$
(C) The director circle of $x^2 - y^2 = 16$ is	(R) $x^2 + y^2 = 0$
(D) The director circle of $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ is	(S) $x + 2 = 0$
(E) The director circle of $y^2 = 8x$ is	(T) $x^2 + y^2 = 50$
(F) The director circle of $xy = 1$ is	(U) $x + 4 = 0$

4. Match the following columns:  
 The equation of the common tangent between the given curves

Column I	Column II
(A) $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ and $\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ is	(P) $y = x + 7$
(B) $\frac{x^2}{25} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ and $y = 3\sqrt{\frac{2}{7}}x + \frac{16}{\sqrt{7}}$ is	(Q) $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{25} = 1$

(C)	$y^2 = 8x$ and $xy = -1$ is	(R)	$y = x + 2$
(D)	$x^2 - y^2 = 9$ and $x^2 + y^2 = 4$	(S)	$y = \sqrt{\frac{3}{5}}x + 6\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$

5. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	The product of the perpendiculars from the foci of any tangent to the hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ is	(P)	16
(B)	The product of the perpendiculars from the foci of any tangent to the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$ is	(Q)	9
(C)	The product of the perpendiculars from any point on the hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$ to its asymptotes is	(R)	144/25
(D)	The product of the perpendiculars from any point on the hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{2} - y^2 = 1$ to its asymptotes is	(S)	2/3

6. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	Two intersecting circles	(P)	have a common tangent
(B)	Two mutually external circles	(Q)	have a common normal
(C)	Two circles, one strictly inside the other	(R)	do not have a common tangent
(D)	Two branches of a hyperbola	(S)	do not have a common normal.

7. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	Tangents are drawn from a point on the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 11$ to the hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{25} - \frac{y^2}{14} = 1$ , the angle between the tangent is	(P)	$\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)$

(B)	Tangents are drawn from a point (4, 3) to the hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ , the angle between their tangents is	(Q)	$\frac{\pi}{2}$
(C)	The angle between the asymptotes to the hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ is	(R)	$\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{24}{25}\right)$
(D)	The angle between the asymptotes to the rectangular hyperbola $x^2 - y^2 = 2013$ is	(S)	$\frac{\pi}{3}$

### Questions asked in Previous Years' JEE-Advanced Examinations

- The equation  $\frac{x^2}{1-r} - \frac{y^2}{1+r} = 1, r > 1$  represents a/an
  - ellipse
  - hyperbola
  - circle
  - None [IIT-JEE, 1981]
- Each of the four inequalities given below defines a region in the  $xy$ -plane. One of these four regions does not have the following property. For any two points  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$  in the region, the point  $\left(\frac{x_1+x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1+y_2}{2}\right)$  is also in the region. The inequality defining the region is
  - $x^2 + 2y^2 \leq 1$
  - $\max\{|x|, |y|\} \leq 1$
  - $x^2 - y^2 \leq 1$
  - $y^2 - x \leq 0$

[IIT-JEE, 1981]

No questions asked from 1982 to 1993.

- The equation  $2x^2 + 3y^2 - 8x - 18y + 35 = k$  represents
  - no locus if  $k > 0$
  - an ellipse if  $k < 0$
  - a point if  $k = 0$
  - a hyperbola if  $k > 0$

[IIT-JEE, 1994]

No questions asked in 1995.

- An ellipse has eccentricity  $1/2$  and one focus at  $S(1/2, 1)$ . Its one directrix is the common tangent (nearer to  $S$ ) to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$  and  $x_2 - y_2 = 1$ . The equation of the ellipse in the standard form is ... [IIT-JEE, 1996]
- A variable straight line of slope 4 intersects the hyperbola  $xy = 1$  at two points. Find the locus of the point which divides the line segment between these two points in the ratio 1 : 2. [IIT-JEE, 1997]
- If the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  intersects the hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  in four points  $P(x_1, y_1), Q(x_2, y_2), R(x_3, y_3)$  and  $S(x_4, y_4)$ , then
  - $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 0$
  - $y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + y_4 = 0$
  - $x_1 \cdot x_2 \cdot x_3 \cdot x_4 = c^4$
  - $y_1 \cdot y_2 \cdot y_3 \cdot y_4 = c^4$

[IIT-JEE, 1998]

7. The angle between a pair of tangents drawn from a point  $P$  to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  is  $45^\circ$ . Show that the locus of the point  $P$  is a hyperbola.
8. If  $x = 9$  is the chord of contact of the hyperbola  $x^2 - y^2 = 9$ , the equation of the corresponding pair of tangents is
- (a)  $9x^2 - 8y^2 + 18x - 9 = 0$   
 (b)  $9x^2 - 8y^2 - 18x - 9 = 0$   
 (c)  $9x^2 - 8y^2 - 18x + 9 = 0$   
 (d)  $9x^2 - 8y^2 + 18x + 9 = 0$  **[IIT-JEE, 1999]**

9. Let  $P(a \sec \theta, b \tan \theta)$  and  $Q(a \sec \phi, b \tan \phi)$ , where  $\theta + \phi = \frac{\pi}{2}$ , be two points on the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

If  $(h, k)$  is the point of the intersection of the normals at  $P$  and  $Q$ , then  $k$  is

- (a)  $\left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{a}\right)$                       (b)  $-\left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{a}\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{b}\right)$                       (d)  $-\left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{b}\right)$

**[IIT-JEE, 1999]**

*No questions asked in 2000 to 2002.*

10. For a hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{\cos^2 \alpha} - \frac{y^2}{\sin^2 \alpha} = 1$ , which of the following remains constant with the change of  $\alpha$ ?
- (a) abscissae of vertices    (b) abscissae of foci  
 (c) eccentricity              (d) directrix

**[IIT-JEE, 2003]**

11. The point of contact of the line  $2x + \sqrt{6}y = 2$  and the hyperbola  $x^2 - 2y^2 = 4$  is
- (a)  $(4, -\sqrt{6})$                       (b)  $(\sqrt{6}, 1)$   
 (c)  $(1/2, 1/\sqrt{6})$                       (d)  $(1/6, 3/2)$

**[IIT-JEE, 2004]**

12. Tangents are drawn to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  from a points on the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ . Find the locus of the mid-point of the chord of contact. **[IIT-JEE, 2005]**

13. Let a hyperbola passes through the focus of an ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$ . The transverse and conjugate axis of this hyperbola coincide with the major and minor axes of the given ellipse, also the product of eccentricities of the given ellipse and hyperbola is 1, then the

- (a) hyperbola is  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$   
 (b) hyperbola is  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{25} = 1$

- (c) focus of the hyperbola is  $(5, 0)$   
 (d) vertex of the hyperbola is  $(5\sqrt{3}, 0)$

**[IIT-JEE, 2006]**

14. A hyperbola, having the transverse axis of length  $2 \sin \theta$  is confocal with the ellipse  $3x^2 + 4y^2 = 12$ , then its equation is
- (a)  $x^2 \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta - y^2 \sec^2 \theta = 1$   
 (b)  $x^2 \sec^2 \theta - y^2 \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta = 1$   
 (c)  $x^2 \sin^2 \theta - y^2 \cos^2 \theta = 1$   
 (d)  $x^2 \cos^2 \theta - y^2 \sin^2 \theta = 1$  **[IIT-JEE, 2007]**

15. Consider a branch of the hyperbola  $x^2 - 2y^2 - 2\sqrt{2}x - 4\sqrt{2}y - 6 = 0$  with the vertex at the point  $A$ . Let  $B$  be one of the end points of its latus rectum. If  $C$  be the focus of the hyperbola nearest to the point  $A$ , the area of  $\Delta ABC$  is

- (a)  $\left(1 - \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}\right)$                       (b)  $\left(\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} - 1\right)$   
 (c)  $\left(1 + \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}\right)$                       (d)  $\left(\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} + 1\right)$

**[IIT-JEE, 2008]**

16. An ellipse intersects the hyperbola  $2x^2 - 2y^2 = 1$  orthogonally. The eccentricity of the ellipse is reciprocal of that of the hyperbola. If the axes of the ellipse are along the co-ordinate axes, then the
- (a) ellipse is  $x^2 + 2y^2 = 2$   
 (b) ellipse is  $x^2 + 2y^2 = 4$   
 (c) foci of the ellipse are  $(\pm 1, 0)$   
 (d) foci of the ellipse are  $(\pm\sqrt{2}, 0)$ .

**[IIT-JEE, 2009]**

17. Match the following columns:

Column I		Column II	
(A)	Circle	(P)	The locus of the point $(h, k)$ for which the line $hx + ky = 1$ touches the circle $x_2 + y_2 = 4$ .
(B)	Parabola	(Q)	A point $z$ in the complex plane satisfying $ z + 2  -  z - 2  = \pm 3$
(C)	Ellipse	(R)	The points of the conic have parametric representations $x = \sqrt{3} \left( \frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2} \right)$ and $y = \left( \frac{2t}{1+t^2} \right)$

(D)	Hyperbola	(S)	The eccentricity of the conic lies in the interval $1 \leq x < \infty$ .
		(T)	The points $z$ in the complex plane satisfying $Re(z+1)^2 =  z ^2 + 1$

[IIT-JEE, 2009]

### Comprehension

The circle  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x = 0$  and the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  intersect at the points  $A$  and  $B$ .

18. The equation of the common tangent with positive slope to the circle as well as to the hyperbola is

- (a)  $2x - \sqrt{5}y - 20 = 0$       (b)  $2x - \sqrt{5}y + 4 = 0$   
 (c)  $3x - 4y + 8 = 0$       (d)  $4x - 3y + 4 = 0$

19. The equation of a circle with  $AB$  as its diameter is

- (a)  $x^2 + y^2 - 12x + 24 = 0$   
 (b)  $x^2 + y^2 + 12x + 24 = 0$   
 (c)  $x^2 + y^2 + 24x - 12 = 0$   
 (d)  $x^2 + y^2 - 24x - 12 = 0$

[IIT-JEE, 2010]

20. The line  $2x + y = 1$  is the tangent to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ . If this line passes through the point of intersection of the nearest directrix and the  $x$ -axis, the eccentricity of the hyperbola is ...

[IIT-JEE, 2010]

21. Let  $P(6, 3)$  be a point on the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ . If the normal at the point  $P$  intersects the  $x$ -axis at  $(9, 0)$ , the eccentricity of the hyperbola is

- (a)  $\sqrt{\frac{5}{2}}$       (b)  $\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$       (c)  $\sqrt{2}$       (d)  $\sqrt{3}$

22. Let the eccentricity of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  be reciprocal to that of the ellipse  $x^2 + 4y^2 = 4$ .

If the hyperbola passes through a focus of the ellipse, then

(a) the hyperbola is  $\frac{x^2}{3} - \frac{y^2}{2} = 1$

(b) a focus of hyperbola is  $(2, 0)$

(c) the eccentricity of hyperbola is  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$

(d) the hyperbola is  $x^2 - 3y^2 = 3$       [IIT-JEE, 2011]

23. Tangents are drawn to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ , parallel to the straight line  $2x - y = 1$ . The points of contact of the tangents on the hyperbola are

(a)  $\left(\frac{9}{2\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$       (b)  $\left(-\frac{9}{2\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$

(c)  $(3\sqrt{3}, -2\sqrt{2})$       (d)  $(-3\sqrt{3}, 2\sqrt{2})$

[IIT-JEE, 2012]

*No questions asked in between 2013-2014.*

24. Consider the hyperbola  $H : x^2 - y^2 = 1$  and a circle  $S$  with center  $N(x_2, 0)$ . Suppose that  $H$  and  $S$  touch each other at a point  $P(x_1, y_1)$  with  $x_1 > 1$  and  $y_1 > 0$ . The common tangent to  $H$  and  $S$  at  $P$  intersects the  $x$ -axis at point  $M$ . If  $(l, m)$  is the centroid of the triangle  $\Delta PMN$ , then the correct expression(s) is (are)

(a)  $\frac{dl}{dx_1} = 1 - \frac{1}{3x_1^2}$  for  $x_1 > 1$

(b)  $\frac{dm}{dx_1} = \frac{x_1}{3(\sqrt{x_1^2 - 1})}$  for  $x_1 > 1$

(c)  $\frac{dl}{dx_1} = 1 + \frac{1}{3x_1^2}$  for  $x_1 > 1$

(d)  $\frac{dm}{dy_1} = \frac{1}{3}$  for  $y_1 > 0$

[IIT-JEE-2015]

No questions asked in 2016.

## ANSWERS

### LEVEL II

1. (b)    2. (a)    3. (a)    4. (b)    5. (d)  
 6. (b)    7. (b)    8. (d)    9. (b)    10. (a)  
 11. (d)    12. (b)    13. (d)    14. (a)    15. (c)  
 16. (b)    17. (c)    18. (c)    19. (b)    20. (b)  
 21. (d)    22. (b)    23. (d)    24. (c)    25. (a)

26. (a)    27. (b)    28. (c)    29. (a)    30. (b)  
 31. (a)    32. ()    33. (c)    34. (b)    35. (a)  
 36. (c)    37. (d)    38. (b)    39. (c)    40. (d)  
 41. (d)    42. (b)    43. (a)    44. (a)    45. (a)  
 46. (a)    47. (d)    48. (c)    49. (d)    50. (b)  
 51. (a)    52. (a)    53. (a)    54. (c)    55. (c)

**LEVEL III**

- $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$
- $y = \pm x \pm \sqrt{a^2 - b^2}$
- $y = \pm \sqrt{\frac{7}{10}}x + \sqrt{\frac{11}{5}}$
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- $4a^2x^2 + b^2y^2 = 4a^4$
- $2x^2 + 5xy + 2y^2 + 4x + 5y + 2 = 0$
- $3x^2 + 10xy + 8y^2 + 4x + 6y + 1 = 0$

**LEVEL IV**

- $75x - 16y = 418$
- $(x^2 + y^2)^2 = 16x^2 - 9y^2$
- $\left(x - \frac{2h}{3}\right)^2 + \left(y - \frac{2k}{3}\right)^2 = a^2$

**INTEGER TYPE QUESTIONS**

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|-------|-------|------|------|-------|
| 1. 2  | 2. 8  | 3. 4 | 4. 1 | 5. 0  |
| 6. 6  | 7. 4  | 8. 3 | 9. 2 | 10. 6 |
| 11. 6 | 12. 6 |      |      |       |

**COMPREHENSIVE LINK PASSAGES**

- Passage I: 1. (d) 2. (b) 3. (c)  
 Passage II: 1. (a) 2. (c) 3. (b)  
 Passage III: 1. (b) 2. (c) 3. (d)  
 Passage IV: 1. (b) 2. (c) 3. (d)  
 Passage V: 1. (c) 2. (b) 3. (a)  
 Passage VI: 1. (d) 2. (c) 3. (d)

**MATRIX MATCH**

- (A) → Q; (B) → R; (C) → S; (D) → P
- (A) → P; (B) → Q; (C) → Q; (D) → Q
- (A) → Q; (B) → P; (C) → R; (D) → T; (E) → S; (F) → R
- (A) → Q; (B) → P; (C) → R; (D) → S
- (A) → Q; (B) → P; (C) → R; (D) → S
- (A) → P, Q; (B) → P, Q; (C) → Q, R; (D) → Q, R
- (A) → Q; (B) → P; (C) → R; (D) → S

**HINTS AND SOLUTIONS****LEVEL I**

- The equation of the given hyperbola is  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ 
    - Centre: (0, 0)
    - Vertices:  $A(a, 0) = A(3, 0)$   
and  $A(-a, 0) = A(-3, 0)$
    - Co-vertices:  $B(0, b) = B(0, 2)$   
and  $B'(0, -b) = B'(0, -2)$
    - The length of the transverse axis =  $2a = 6$
    - The length of the conjugate axis =  $2b = 4$
    - The length of the latus rectum =  $\frac{2b^2}{a} = \frac{8}{3}$
    - Eccentricity =  $e = \sqrt{1 + \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 + \frac{4}{9}} = \frac{\sqrt{13}}{3}$
    - Equation of the directrices:  
$$x = \pm \frac{a}{e} = \pm \frac{2}{\sqrt{13/3}} = \pm \frac{6}{\sqrt{13}}$$
  - The equation of the given hyperbola is  $\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = -1$ 
    - Centre: (0, 0)
    - Vertices:  $A(0, b) = A(0, 3)$   
and  $A(0, -b) = A(0, -3)$

- Co-vertices:  $B(a, 0) = B(4, 0)$   
and  $B'(-a, 0) = B'(-4, 0)$

- The length of the transverse axis =  $2a = 6$
- The length of the conjugate axis =  $2b = 8$

- The length of the latus rectum =  $\frac{2a^2}{b} = \frac{16}{3}$

- Eccentricity =  $e = \sqrt{1 + \frac{a^2}{b^2}} = \sqrt{1 + \frac{9}{16}} = \frac{5}{4}$

- Equation of the directrices :

$$y = \pm \frac{b}{e} = \pm \frac{3}{5/4} = \pm \frac{12}{5}$$

- The equation of the hyperbola is

$$9x^2 - 16y^2 - 36x + 96y - 252 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9(x^2 - 4x) - 16(y^2 - 6y) = 252$$

$$\Rightarrow 9(x-2)^2 - 16(y-3)^2 = 252 + 36 - 144 = 144$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{9(x-2)^2}{144} - \frac{16(y-3)^2}{144} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(x-2)^2}{16} - \frac{(y-3)^2}{9} = 1$$

- Centre : (0, 0)

$$\Rightarrow X = 0, Y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 2 = 0, y - 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2 \text{ and } y = 3$$

Hence, the centre is (2, 3).

- (b) Vertices :  $(\pm a, 0)$   
 $\Rightarrow X = \pm a, Y = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x - 2 = 4, y - 3 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x = 2 \pm 4, y = 3$   
Hence, the vertices are  $(6, 3)$  and  $(-2, 3)$ .

- (c) Co-vertices:  $(0, \pm b)$   
 $\Rightarrow X = 0, Y = \pm b$   
 $\Rightarrow x - 2 = 0, y - 3 = \pm 3$   
 $\Rightarrow x = 2, y = 3 \pm 3$   
Hence, the co-vertices are  $(2, 6)$  and  $(2, 0)$

(d) The length of the transverse axis =  $2a = 8$

(e) The length of the conjugate axis =  $2b = 6$

(f) Eccentricity =  $e = \sqrt{1 + \frac{9}{16}} = \frac{5}{4}$

- (g) Co-ordinates of Foci :  $(\pm ae, 0)$   
 $X = \pm 5, Y = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow X - 2 = \pm 5, y - 3 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow X = 2 \pm 5, y = 3$   
Hence, the co-ordinates of the foci are  $(7, 3)$  and  $(-3, 3)$

2. The equation of the hyperbola with centre  $(1, 0)$  is

$$\frac{(x-1)^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

Here,  $2a = 6 \Rightarrow a = 3$

Also, one focus =  $(6, 0)$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + ae = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow ae = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow 3e = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow e = 5/3$$

Therefore,

$$b^2 = a^2(e^2 - 1) = 9 \left( \frac{25}{9} - 1 \right) = 16$$

Hence, the equation of the hyperbola is

$$\frac{(x-1)^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$$

3. Since the focus is  $(5, 2)$  and the vertex is  $(4, 2)$ , so the axis of the hyperbola is parallel to  $x$ -axis and  $a = 1$ ,  $ae = 2$

Let the equation of the hyperbola be

$$\frac{(x-3)^2}{a^2} - \frac{(y-2)^2}{b^2} = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

As we know that, the relation in  $a, b$  and  $e$  with respect to a hyperbola is

$$b^2 - a^2(e^2 - 1) - a^2e^2 - a^2 - 4 - 1 - 3$$

Now from Eq. (i), we get

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

4. Since the focus is  $(-3, 2)$  and the vertex is  $(-3, 4)$ , so the axis of the hyperbola is parallel to  $y$ -axis and  $be = 2$

$$\Rightarrow b \times \frac{5}{2} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow b = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\text{Also, } a^2 = b^2(e^2 - 1) = \frac{16}{25} \left( \frac{25}{4} - 1 \right) = \frac{84}{25}$$

Hence, the equation of the hyperbola is

$$\frac{(x+3)^2}{a^2} - \frac{(y-2)^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(x+3)^2}{84} - \frac{(y-2)^2}{16} = \frac{1}{25}$$

5. From the definition of the hyperbola, we can write

$$\frac{SP}{PM} = e,$$

where  $S$  = focus,  $P = (x, y)$

$$\Rightarrow SP^2 = e^2 PM^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-2)^2 + (y-1)^2 = 4 \left\{ \left( \frac{x+2y-1}{\sqrt{1+4}} \right)^2 \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow 5\{(x-2)^2 + (y-1)^2\} = 4(x+2y-1)^2$$

6. Given relation is

$$2ae = 16$$

$$\Rightarrow ae = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 8/e \Rightarrow a = 2$$

$$\text{Now, } b^2 - a^2(e^2 - 1) - a^2e^2 - a^2 = 64 - 4 = 60$$

Hence, the equation of the hyperbola is

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{y^2}{60} = 1$$

7. Since foci are  $(6, 4)$  and  $(-6, 4)$ , so the axis of the hyperbola is parallel to  $x$ -axis.

It is given that the distance between two foci is 12, so

$$2ae = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow ae = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 3$$

Also,

$$b^2 - a^2(e^2 - 1) - a^2e^2 - a^2 - 36 - 9 = 27$$

Hence, the equation of the hyperbola is

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{27} = 1$$

8. Given relation is

$$\frac{2b^2}{a} = \frac{1}{2} \times (2a) = a$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2b^2}{a} = a$$

$$\Rightarrow 2b^2 = a^2$$

Also, relation in  $a, b$  and  $e$  is

$$b^2 = a^2(e^2 - 1)$$



$$\Rightarrow \frac{a^2}{2} = a^2(e^2 - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow (e^2 - 1) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow e = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$$

9. Let the equation of the hyperbola is  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and

its conjugate is  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = -1$ .

Therefore,

$$e_1 = \sqrt{1 + \frac{b^2}{a^2}} \text{ and } e_2 = \sqrt{1 + \frac{a^2}{b^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow e_1^2 = \left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{a^2}\right) \text{ and } e_2^2 = \left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{b^2}\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{e_1^2} + \frac{1}{e_2^2} &= \left(\frac{a^2}{a^2 + b^2}\right) + \left(\frac{b^2}{a^2 + b^2}\right) \\ &= \left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{a^2 + b^2}\right) = 1 \end{aligned}$$

10. Let the equation of the ellipse be  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  and the

equation of the hyperbola is  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$

Also, it is given that,

$$2b = 2a$$

$$\Rightarrow b = a$$

Let  $e_1$  and  $e_2$  be the eccentricities of the ellipse and the hyperbola.

$$\text{Then } e_1 = \sqrt{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{a^2}{a^2}} = 0$$

$$\text{and } e_2 = \sqrt{1 + \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 + \frac{a^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\text{Thus, } e_1^2 + e_2^2 = 2$$

11. The equation of the hyperbola is

$$4(2y - x - 3)^2 - 9(2x + y - 1)^2 = 80$$

The centre of the hyperbola is obtained from the equations

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

Solving, we get,

$$x = -2/5$$

$$\text{and } y = 13/10$$

$$\text{Hence, the centre is } \left(-\frac{2}{5}, \frac{13}{10}\right).$$

12. The equation of the given hyperbola is

$$3x^2 - 5y^2 - 6x + 20y - 32 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3(x^2 - 2x) - 5(y^2 - 4y) = 32$$

$$\Rightarrow 3(x - 1)^2 - 5(y - 2)^2 = 32 + 3 - 20 = 15$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3(x - 1)^2}{15} - \frac{5(y - 2)^2}{15} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(x - 1)^2}{5} - \frac{(y - 2)^2}{3} = 1$$

13. The given straight lines are

$$\frac{x}{a} - \frac{y}{b} = 2013 \quad \dots(i)$$

and

$$\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = \frac{1}{2013} \quad \dots(ii)$$

Multiplying Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$\left(\frac{x}{a} - \frac{y}{b}\right)\left(\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b}\right) = 2013 \times \frac{1}{2013} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

which represents a hyperbola.

14. We have,

$$x = 3\left(\frac{1+t^2}{1-t^2}\right) \text{ and } y = \frac{4t}{t^2-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = \left(\frac{1+t^2}{1-t^2}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{2t}{1-t^2}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = \frac{(1+t^2)^2 - 4t^2}{(1-t^2)^2} = \left(\frac{1-t^2}{1-t^2}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$$

which represents a hyperbola.

15. We have,

$$x = \frac{1}{2}(e^t + e^{-t}) \text{ and } y = \frac{1}{2}(e^t - e^{-t})$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = (e^t + e^{-t}) \text{ and } 2y = (e^t - e^{-t})$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 - 4y^2 = (e^t + e^{-t})^2 - (e^t - e^{-t})^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 - 4y^2 = 2 + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - y^2 = 1$$

Which represents a rectangular hyperbola.

16. The given equation of the hyperbola is

$$\frac{x^2}{2014 - \lambda} + \frac{y^2}{2013 - \lambda} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (2013 - \lambda)x^2 + (2014 - \lambda)y^2$$

$$-(2013 - \lambda)(2014 - \lambda) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2013 - \lambda)x^2 + (\lambda - 2014)y^2$$

$$-(2013 - \lambda)(2014 - \lambda) = 0$$

The given equation represents a hyperbola, if

$$h^2 - ab > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 - (2013 - \lambda)(\lambda - 2014) > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2013 - \lambda)(\lambda - 2014) < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2013 < \lambda < 2014$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda \in (2013, 2014)$$

17. The given equation of the hyperbola is

$$\frac{x^2}{144} - \frac{y^2}{81} = \frac{1}{25}$$

We have,

$$e = \sqrt{1 + \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 + \frac{81}{144}} = \sqrt{\frac{225}{144}} = \frac{15}{12} = \frac{5}{4}$$

Also,  $a^2 = \frac{144}{25}$

Thus, the foci are

$$(\pm ae, 0) = \left( \pm \frac{12}{5} \times \frac{5}{4}, 0 \right) = (\pm 3, 0).$$

Now, for the ellipse,

$$ae = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2e^2 = 9$$

$$\text{Thus, } b^2 = a^2(1 - e^2)$$

$$= a^2 - a^2e^2$$

$$= 16 - 9 = 7$$

Hence, the value of  $b^2$  is 7.

18. Let  $LL'$  be the latus rectum of the given hyperbola.

Therefore,  $L\left(ae, \frac{b^2}{a}\right)$  and  $L'\left(ae, -\frac{b^2}{a}\right)$  and the centre of the hyperbola is  $C(0, 0)$

$$\text{Now, slope of } CL = m_1 = \frac{(b^2/a)}{ae} = \frac{b^2}{a^2e}$$

$$\text{and the slope of } m_2 = \frac{(-b^2/a)}{ae} = -\frac{b^2}{a^2e}$$

Since, the latus rectum subtends right angle at the centre, so

$$m_1 \times m_2 = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{b^2}{a^2e}\right) \times \left(-\frac{b^2}{a^2e}\right) = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{b^4}{a^4e^2}\right) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow b^4 = a^4e^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a^4(e^2 - 1)^2 = a^4e^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (e^2 - 1)^2 = e^2$$

$$\Rightarrow e^4 - 3e^2 + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow e^2 = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^2 = \frac{3 + \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^2 = \frac{3 + \sqrt{5}}{2} = \frac{6 + 2\sqrt{5}}{4} = \left(\frac{\sqrt{5} + 1}{2}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow e = \left(\frac{\sqrt{5} + 1}{2}\right)$$

19. We have,

$$2x_1^2 - 3y_1^2 - 1 = 2 - 48 - 1 = -47 < 0$$

Thus, the point  $(1, 4)$  lies outside of the hyperbola.

20. Since the point  $(\lambda, -1)$  is an exterior point of the curve

$$4x^2 - 3y^2 = 1, \text{ so}$$

$$4\lambda^2 - 3 - 1 < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4\lambda^2 - 4 < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda^2 - 1 < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\lambda + 1)(\lambda - 1) < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 < \lambda < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda \in (-1, 1)$$

Thus, the length of the interval, where  $\lambda$  lies is 2.

Therefore,  $m = 2$

Hence, the value of  $m + 10 = 2 + 10 = 12$ .

21. As we know that if the line  $y = mx + c$  be a tangent

to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , the co-ordinates of the

point of contact is  $\left(\pm \frac{a^2m}{c}, \pm \frac{b^2}{c}\right)$ .

The equation of the given hyperbola is

$$25x^2 - 9y^2 = 225$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{25} = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

Also, the given line is

$$25x + 12y = 45$$

$$\Rightarrow 12y = -25x + 45$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -\frac{25}{12}x + \frac{45}{12} \quad \dots(ii)$$

Here,  $a = 3$ ,  $b = 5$  and  $m = -25/12$ .

Thus, the common point is

$$\left(\pm \frac{a^2m}{c}, \pm \frac{b^2}{c}\right) = \left(\mp 5, \pm \frac{20}{3}\right).$$

22. As we know that, the line  $y = mx + c$  will be a tangent

to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , if

$$c^2 = a^2m^2 - b^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of the hyperbola is

$$9x^2 - 5y^2 = 45$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{5} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$$

Here,  $a^2 = 5$ ,  $b^2 = 9$ ,  $m = 3$ ,  $c = \lambda$

Therefore, from Eq. (i), we get

$$\lambda^2 = a^2m^2 - b^2 = 15 - 9 = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \pm \sqrt{6}$$

23. The equation of any tangent to the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ is}$$

$$y = mx + \sqrt{a^2m^2 - b^2} \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of the given tangent is

$$y = mx + \sqrt{9m^2 - 4} \quad \dots(ii)$$

Since Eqs (i) and (ii) are identical, so  
 $a^2 = 9, b^2 = 4$

Hence, the equation of the hyperbola is

$$\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 - 9y^2 = 36$$

24. The equation of any tangent to the parallel to  $5x - 4y + 7 = 0$  is

$$5x - 4y + \lambda = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4y = 5x + \lambda$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{5}{4}x + \frac{\lambda}{4} \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of the given hyperbola is

$$4x^2 - 9y^2 = 36$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Since, the line (i) is a tangent to the hyperbola (ii), so

$$\frac{\lambda^2}{16} = 9 \left( \frac{25}{16} \right) - 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\lambda^2}{16} = \frac{225 - 64}{16}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda^2 = 161$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \pm\sqrt{161}$$

Hence, the equations of the tangents are

$$5x - 4y \pm \sqrt{161} = 0$$

25. The equation of any line perpendicular to

$$3x + 4y + 10 = 0$$

$$4x - 3y + \lambda = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \left( \frac{4}{3} \right)x + \frac{\lambda}{3} \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of the given hyperbola is

$$9x^2 - 16y^2 = 144$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

The line (i) will be a tangent to the hyperbola (ii), if

$$\left( \frac{\lambda}{3} \right)^2 = 16 \left( \frac{4}{3} \right)^2 - 9$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda^2 = 256 - 81 = 175$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \pm\sqrt{175} = \pm 5\sqrt{7}$$

Hence, the equations of the tangents are

$$4x - 3y \pm 5\sqrt{7} = 0.$$

26. The given hyperbola is

$$x^2 - 9y^2 = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{1} = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

The given line is  $5x + 12y - 9 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow y = \left( -\frac{5}{12} \right)x + \frac{3}{4} \quad \dots(ii)$$

If the line (ii) be a tangent to the hyperbola (i), the co-ordinates of the point of contact can be

$$\left( \pm \frac{a^2 m}{c}, \pm \frac{b^2}{c} \right) = \left( \pm (-5), \pm \frac{4}{3} \right)$$

27. The equation of the given hyperbola is

$$4x^2 - 9y^2 = 36$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$$

Here,  $a^2 = 9, b^2 = 4$ .

The equation of any tangent to the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ is}$$

$$y = mx + \sqrt{a^2 m^2 - b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = mx + \sqrt{9m^2 - 4}$$

which is passing through (3, 2). So

$$(2 - 3m)^2 = 9m^2 - 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 - 12m + 9m^2 = 9m^2 - 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 - 12m = -4$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{2}{3}, m = \infty$$

Hence, the equations of the tangents are

$$x + 3 = 0 \text{ and } y = \frac{2}{3}x.$$

28. We have,

$$2x_1^2 - 3y_1^2 - 12 = 2.1^2 - 3.4^2 - 12$$

$$= 2 - 12 - 12 = 2 - 24 = -22 < 0$$

So, the point (1, -2) lies outside of the hyperbola.

Thus, the number of tangents is 2.

29. The equation of the given hyperbola is

$$3x^2 - 4y^2 = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{y^2}{3} = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

Here,  $a^2 = 4, b^2 = 3$  and  $m = 4$

The equation of any tangent to the hyperbola (i) is

$$y = mx + \sqrt{a^2 m^2 - b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 4x \pm \sqrt{64 - 3}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 4x \pm \sqrt{61}$$

Hence, the equations of tangents are

$$y = 4x + \sqrt{61} \text{ and } y = 4x - \sqrt{61}.$$

30. The equation of tangent to the curve

$$x^2 - y^2 - 8x + 2y + 11 = 0$$

$$xx_1 - yy_1 - 4(x - x_1) + (y - y_1) + 11 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x - y - 4(x + 2) + (y + 1) + 11 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -2x + 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 2 = 0$$

31. When  $y = 2$ , then  $4x^2 = 36$   
 $\Rightarrow x = \pm 3$   
 Hence, the points are  $(3, 2)$  and  $(-3, 2)$ .  
 The equation of the tangent at  $(3, 2)$  is  
 $12x - 6y = 24$   
 $\Rightarrow 2x - y = 4$   
 Also, the equation of the tangent at  $(-3, 2)$  is  
 $-12x - 6y = 24$   
 $\Rightarrow 2x + y + 4 = 0$
32. The equation of the given hyperbola is  
 $9x^2 - 16y^2 = 144$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$  ... (i)

The equation of any tangent to the hyperbola (i) can be

considered as  $y = mx + \sqrt{16m^2 - 9}$

which is passing through  $(4, 3)$ . So

$$(3 - 4m)^2 = 16m^2 - 9$$

$$\Rightarrow 9 - 24m + 16m^2 = 16m^2 - 9$$

$$\Rightarrow 24m = 18$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{3}{4} \text{ and } m = \infty$$

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between them. Then

$$\tan(\theta) = \left| \frac{\frac{3}{4} - \infty}{1 + \frac{3}{4} \cdot \infty} \right| = \left| \frac{\frac{3}{4} - 1}{\frac{1}{\infty} + \frac{3}{4}} \right| = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)$$

Hence, the angle between the tangents is

$$\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{4}{3}\right).$$

33. The equation of any tangent to the hyperbola  
 $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is  
 $y = m_1 x + \sqrt{a^2 m_1^2 - b^2}$  ... (i)

The equation of any tangent to the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{(-b^2)} - \frac{y^2}{(-a^2)} = 1 \text{ is}$$

$$y = m_2 x + \sqrt{(-b^2)m_2^2 - (-a^2)}$$
 ... (ii)

Since the equations (i) and (ii) are identical, so

$$a^2 m_1^2 - b^2 = (-b^2)m_2^2 - (-a^2)$$

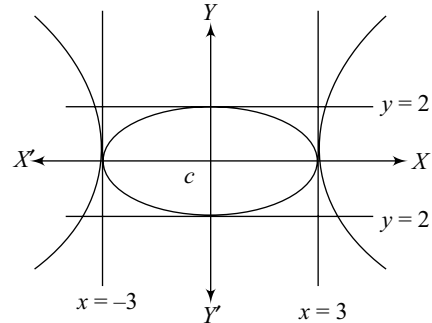
$$\Rightarrow m_1^2 = 1 \text{ and } m_2^2 = 1$$

Thus,  $m_1 = \pm 1 = m_2$

Hence, the equations of the common tangents are

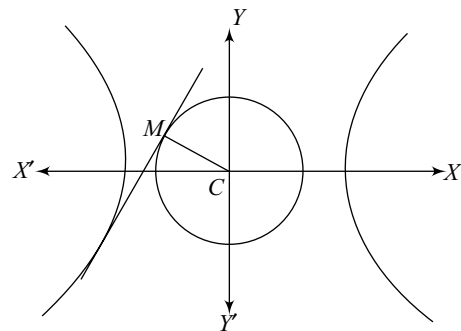
$$y = \pm x + \sqrt{a^2 - b^2}$$

34. The equation of the given curves are  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  and  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ .



Here, the length of the major axis of the ellipse is equal to the length of the transverse axis and also the length of the minor axis is equal to the length of the conjugate axis. Thus, the equations of the common tangents are  $x = \pm 3$  and  $y = \pm 2$ .

35. The equation of any tangent to the hyperbola  
 $\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$  is  
 $y = mx + \sqrt{16m^2 - 9}$   
 $\Rightarrow m x - y + \sqrt{16m^2 - 9} = 0$  ... (i)



If the tangent (i) is also the tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ , the length of the perpendicular from the centre of the circle is equal to the radius of the circle. So

$$\left| \frac{0 - \sqrt{16m^2 - 9}}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} \right| = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow 16m^2 - 9 = 9(m^2 + 1)$$

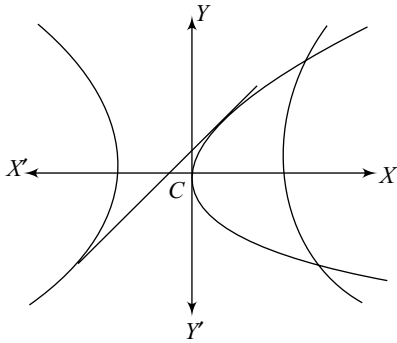
$$\Rightarrow 16m^2 - 9m^2 = 9 + 1 = 10$$

$$\Rightarrow 7m^2 = 10$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \pm \sqrt{\frac{7}{10}}$$

Hence, the equation of tangents are  $y = \pm \sqrt{\frac{7}{10}} x + \sqrt{\frac{11}{5}}$ .

36. The equation of any tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$  is  
 $y = mx + \frac{2}{m}$  ... (i)



Since the tangent to the parabola is also a tangent to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{5} = 1$ , so

$$5x^2 - 9\left(mx + \frac{2}{m}\right)^2 = 45$$

$$\Rightarrow 5x^2 - 9\left(m^2x^2 + \frac{4}{m^2} + 4m\right) = 45$$

$$\Rightarrow (5 - 9m^2)x^2 - 36x - 9\left(\frac{4}{m^2} + 5\right) = 0$$

Now,

$$D = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (36)^2 + 36(5 - 9m^2)\left(\frac{4}{m^2} + 5\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 36 + \frac{20}{m^2} + 25 - 36 - 45m^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{4}{m^2} + 5 - 9m^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9m^4 - 5m^2 - 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (m^2 - 1)(9m^2 + 4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (m^2 - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \pm 1$$

Hence, the equations of the common tangents are  $y = \pm x \pm 2$ .

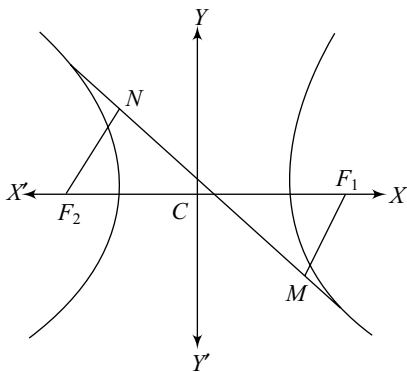
37. As we know that the locus of the perpendicular tangents is the director circle.

Hence, the equation of the director circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 = a^2 - b^2 = 16 - 9 = 7$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 = 7$$

38. Let  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  be two foci of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .



Then  $F_1 = (ae, 0)$  and  $F_2 = (-ae, 0)$ .

The equation of any tangent to the hyperbola is

$$\frac{x}{a} \sec \theta - \frac{y}{b} \tan \theta = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

Let  $p_1$  and  $p_2$  be two perpendiculars from foci upon the tangent (i).

$$\Rightarrow p_1 p_2 = \frac{a^2(e^2 - 1)(e^2 \sec^2 \theta - 1)}{((e^2 - 1) \sec^2 \theta + \tan^2 \theta)}$$

$$\Rightarrow p_1 p_2 = \frac{a^2(e^2 - 1)(e^2 \sec^2 \theta - 1)}{((e^2 - 1) \sec^2 \theta + (\sec^2 \theta - 1))}$$

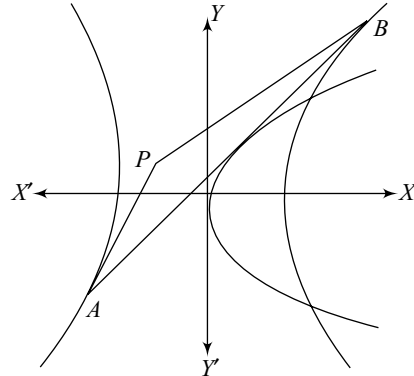
$$\Rightarrow p_1 p_2 = \frac{a^2(e^2 - 1)(e^2 \sec^2 \theta - 1)}{(e^2 \sec^2 \theta - 1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow p_1 p_2 = a^2(e^2 - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow p_1 p_2 = b^2$$

Hence, the product of the lengths of the perpendiculars is  $b^2$ .

39. Let  $P(\alpha, \beta)$  be the point of intersection of tangents at  $A$  and  $B$ .



Clearly, the point of intersection of the tangents at  $A$  and  $B$  is the chord of contact.

Therefore, the chord of contact  $AB$  is

$$\frac{\alpha x}{a^2} - \frac{\beta y}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{b^2 x \alpha}{a^2 y \beta} - \frac{b^2}{\beta}$$

which is a tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ . So

$$-\frac{b^2}{\beta} = \frac{a}{\left(\frac{b^2 \alpha}{a^2 \beta}\right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta^2 = \left(-\frac{b^4}{a^3} \alpha\right)$$

Hence, the locus of  $P(\alpha, \beta)$  is

$$y^2 = \left(-\frac{b^4}{a^3} x\right)$$

$$\text{Then, } p_1 = \left| \frac{e \sec \theta - 1}{\sqrt{\frac{\sec^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\tan^2 \theta}{b^2}}} \right|$$

$$\text{and } p_2 = \left| \frac{e \sec \theta + 1}{\sqrt{\frac{\sec^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\tan^2 \theta}{b^2}}} \right|$$

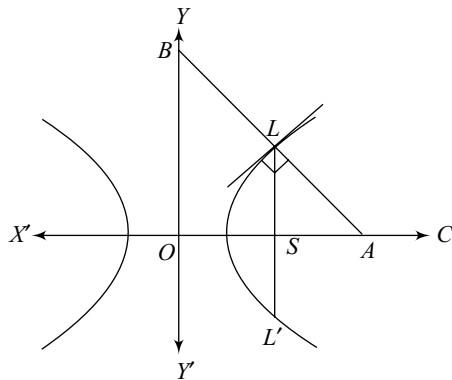
$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow p_1 p_2 &= \frac{(e \sec \theta - 1)(e \sec \theta + 1)}{\frac{\sec^2 \theta}{a^2} + \frac{\tan^2 \theta}{b^2}} \\ &= \frac{a^2 b^2 (e^2 \sec^2 \theta - 1)}{(b^2 \sec^2 \theta + a^2 \tan^2 \theta)} \\ &= \frac{a^4 (e^2 - 1)(e^2 \sec^2 \theta - 1)}{(a^2 (e^2 - 1) \sec^2 \theta + a^2 \tan^2 \theta)} \end{aligned}$$

40. The equation of the normal to the curve  $\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$  at  $(8, 3\sqrt{3})$  is

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{a^2 x}{x_1} + \frac{b^2 y}{y_1} &= a^2 + b^2 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{16x}{8} + \frac{9y}{3\sqrt{3}} &= 16 + 9 \\ \Rightarrow 2x + \sqrt{3}y &= 25 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the required equation of the normal is  $2x + \sqrt{3}y = 25$ .

41. Let, one end of the latus rectum of the given hyperbola is  $L\left(ae, \frac{b^2}{a}\right)$ .



The equation of the normal to the given hyperbola at  $L$  is

$$\frac{a^2 x}{x_1} + \frac{b^2 y}{y_1} = a^2 + b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{ax}{e} + ay = a^2 + b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{\left(\frac{e(a^2 + b^2)}{a}\right)} + \frac{y}{\left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{a}\right)} = 1$$

Hence, the area of  $\Delta OAB$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{e(a^2 + b^2)}{a} \times \left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{a}\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{e(a^2 + b^2)^2}{a^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times a^2 e^5 \end{aligned}$$

42. The equation of any normal at  $(a \sec \varphi, b \tan \varphi)$  to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is

$$ax \cos \varphi + by \cot \varphi = a^2 + b^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of any line perpendicular to (i) and passing through the origin is

$$(b \cot \varphi)x - (a \cos \varphi)y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow bx - a \sin \varphi y = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

If we eliminate  $\varphi$  between Eqs (i) and (ii), we get the required locus of the foot of the perpendicular.

From (ii), we get,

$$\sin(\varphi) = \frac{bx}{ay}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos(\varphi) = \frac{\sqrt{(a^2 y^2 - b^2 x^2)}}{ay}$$

$$\text{and } \cot(\varphi) = \frac{\sqrt{(a^2 y^2 - b^2 x^2)}}{bx}$$

From Eq. (i), we get

$$\begin{aligned} ax \times \frac{\sqrt{(a^2 y^2 - b^2 x^2)}}{ay} + by \times \frac{\sqrt{(a^2 y^2 - b^2 x^2)}}{bx} \\ = a^2 + b^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2) \left( \sqrt{(a^2 y^2 - b^2 x^2)} \right) = (a^2 + b^2)xy$$

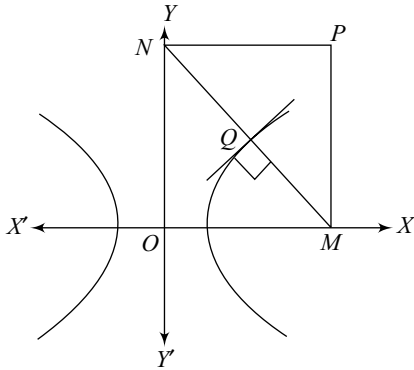
$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2)^2 (a^2 y^2 - b^2 x^2) = (a^2 + b^2)^2 x^2 y^2$$

which is the required locus of the foot of the perpendicular.

43. The equation of any normal to the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ is}$$

$$ax \cos \varphi + by \cot \varphi = (a^2 + b^2) \quad \dots(i)$$



Since the normal (i) meets the  $x$ -axis at  $M$  and  $y$ -axis at  $N$  respectively. Then,

$$M = \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a \cos \phi}, 0 \right) \text{ and } N = \left( 0, \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{b} \right) \tan \phi \right)$$

Let the co-ordinates of the point  $P$  be  $(\alpha, \beta)$ .

Since  $PM$  and  $PN$  are perpendiculars to the axes, so the co-ordinates of  $P$  are

$$\left( \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a} \right) \sec \phi, \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{b} \right) \tan \phi \right)$$

Therefore,

$$\alpha = \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a} \right) \sec \phi \text{ and } \beta = \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{b} \right) \tan \phi$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha \left( \frac{a}{a^2 + b^2} \right) = \sec \phi \text{ and } \beta \left( \frac{b}{a^2 + b^2} \right) = \tan \phi$$

As we know that,

$$\sec^2 \phi - \tan^2 \phi = 1$$

$$\alpha^2 \left( \frac{a}{a^2 + b^2} \right)^2 - \beta^2 \left( \frac{b}{a^2 + b^2} \right)^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha^2 a^2 - \beta^2 b^2 = (a^2 + b^2)^2$$

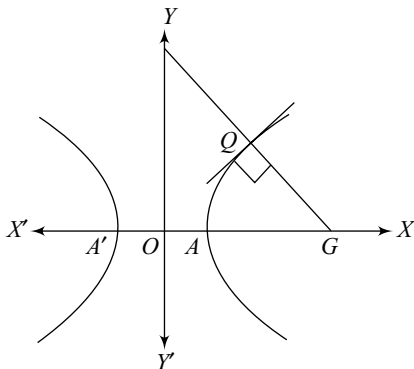
Hence, the locus of  $(\alpha, \beta)$  is

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

44. The equation of any normal to the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ at } (\phi) \text{ is}$$

$$ax \cos \phi + by \cot \phi = a^2 + b^2$$



Thus, the co-ordinates of  $G = \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a \cos \phi}, 0 \right)$

Clearly, the vertices,  $A = (a, 0)$  and  $A' = (-a, 0)$

Now,  $AG = \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a \cos \phi} - a \right)$

and  $A'G = \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a \cos \phi} + a \right)$

Therefore,

$$AG \cdot A'G = \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a \cos \phi} - a \right) \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a \cos \phi} + a \right)$$

$$= \left( \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a} \right)^2 \sec^2 \phi - a^2 \right)$$

$$= (a^2 e^2 \sec^2 \phi - a^2)$$

$$= a^2 (e^2 \sec^2 \phi - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 2, n = 2, p = 2$$

Hence,

$$(m + n + p)^2 + 36 = 36 + 36 = 72.$$

45. The equation of the normal to the hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  at

$\left( ct, \frac{c}{t} \right)$  is

$$xt^3 - yt - ct^4 + c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow ct^4 - xt^3 + yt - c = 0$$

which is passing through  $(\alpha, \beta)$ , so

$$ct^4 - \alpha t^3 + \beta t - c = 0.$$

Let its four roots are  $t_1, t_2, t_3, t_4$ .

Therefore,  $t_1 + t_2 + t_3 + t_4 = \frac{\alpha}{c}$ ,

$$\Sigma(t_1 t_2) = 0, \Sigma(t_1 t_2 t_3) = -\frac{\beta}{c}$$

and  $\Sigma(t_1 t_2 t_3 t_4) = 1$ .

(i)  $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = c(t_1 + t_2 + t_3 + t_4) = c \left( \frac{\alpha}{c} \right) = \alpha$

(ii)  $y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + y_4 = c \left( \frac{1}{t_1} + \frac{1}{t_2} + \frac{1}{t_3} + \frac{1}{t_4} \right) = c \left( \frac{\Sigma(t_1 t_2 t_3)}{\Sigma(t_1 t_2 t_3 t_4)} \right) = c \left( \frac{\left( -\frac{\beta}{c} \right)}{-1} \right) = \beta$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(iii)} \quad x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + x_4^2 &= c^2(t_1^2 + t_2^2 + t_3^2 + t_4^2) \\ &= c^2 \left\{ \left( \sum t_i \right)^2 - 2 \sum (t_i t_j) \right\} \\ &= c^2 \left\{ \left( \frac{\alpha}{c} \right)^2 - 0 \right\} = \alpha^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(iv)} \quad y_1^2 + y_2^2 + y_3^2 + y_4^2 &= \left( \sum y_i \right)^2 - 2 \sum (y_i y_j) \\ &= (\beta)^2 - 2c^2 \sum \left( \frac{1}{t_i t_j} \right) \\ &= (\beta)^2 - 2c^2 \left( \frac{\sum t_i t_j}{t_1 t_2 t_3 t_4} \right) \\ &= (\beta)^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{(v)} \quad x_1 \cdot x_2 \cdot x_3 \cdot x_4 = c^4(t_1 t_2 t_3 t_4) = -c^4$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(vi)} \quad y_1 \cdot y_2 \cdot y_3 \cdot y_4 &= c^4 \left( \frac{1}{t_1 t_2 t_3 t_4} \right) \\ &= c^4 \left( \frac{1}{-1} \right) = -c^4 \end{aligned}$$

46. the equation of any normal to the given hyperbola at  $(x, y)$  is

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{x}{a^2}(k-y) &= \frac{y}{b^2}(x-b) \\ \Rightarrow \left( \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} \right) xy - \frac{y}{b} - \frac{kx}{a^2} &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow y &= \frac{b^2 kx}{a^2(e^2 x - b)} \end{aligned} \quad \dots \text{(i)}$$

The equation of the hyperbola is

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \quad \dots \text{(ii)}$$

Solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{b^4 k^2 x^2}{b^2 a^4 (e^2 x - b)^2} &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow a^2 e^4 x^4 - 2ba^2 e^2 x^3 - (a^2 b^2 + b^2 k^2 + a^4 e^4) x^2 + 2ba^4 e^2 x &+ a^4 b^2 - 0 \end{aligned} \quad \dots \text{(iii)}$$

Let  $x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4$  are the roots of Eq. (iii).

$$\text{Then, } x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = \frac{2b}{e^2},$$

$$\sum (x_1 x_2) = -\frac{a^2 b^2 + b^2 k^2 + a^4 e^2}{a^2 e^4}$$

$$\sum (x_1 x_2 x_3) = -\frac{2ba^2}{e^2}$$

$$\text{and } \sum (x_1 x_2 x_3 x_4) = \frac{a^2 b^2}{e^4}$$

$$\text{Therefore, } \sum \left( \frac{1}{x_i} \right) = \frac{\sum (x_1 x_2 x_3)}{x_1 x_2 x_3 x_4} = \frac{2e^2}{b}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(i)} \quad (x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4) \left( \frac{1}{x_1} + \frac{1}{x_2} + \frac{1}{x_3} + \frac{1}{x_4} \right) \\ = \left( \sum x_i \right) \left( \sum \left( \frac{1}{x_i} \right) \right) = \frac{2b}{e^2} \times \frac{2e^2}{b} = 4 \end{aligned}$$

(ii) Similarly we can have

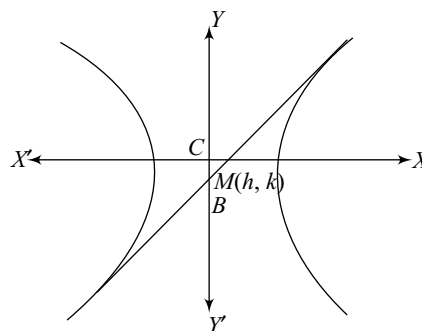
$$\begin{aligned} (y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + y_4) \left( \frac{1}{y_1} + \frac{1}{y_2} + \frac{1}{y_3} + \frac{1}{y_4} \right) \\ = \left( \sum y_i \right) \left( \sum \left( \frac{1}{y_i} \right) \right) \\ = 4. \end{aligned}$$

47. The equation of the chord of contact of tangents drawn from the point  $(2, 3)$  is

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{2x}{9} - \frac{y}{2} &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow 4x - 9y &= 18 \end{aligned}$$

48. Any tangent to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  is

$$\frac{x}{3} \sec \theta - \frac{y}{2} \tan \theta = 1 \quad \dots \text{(i)}$$



Let the tangent intersects the  $x$ -axis at  $A$  and  $y$ -axis at  $B$ , respectively.

Then  $A = (3 \cos \theta, 0)$  and  $B = (0, -2 \cot \theta)$

Let  $(h, k)$  be the mid-point of  $AB$ .

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} 2h &= 3 \cos \theta \text{ and } 2k = -2 \cot \theta \\ \Rightarrow \sec \theta &= \frac{3}{2h} \text{ and } \tan \theta = -\frac{1}{k} \end{aligned}$$

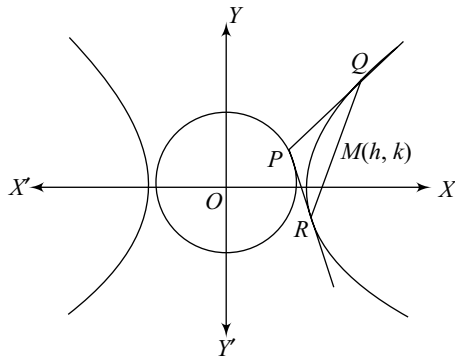
As we know that,

$$\begin{aligned} \sec^2 \theta - \tan^2 \theta &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{9}{4h^2} - \frac{1}{k^2} &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is  $\frac{9}{4x^2} - \frac{1}{y^2} = 1$ .



49. Any point on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  be  $(a \cos \theta, a \sin \theta)$ .



The equation of the chord of contact from the point  $(a \cos \theta, a \sin \theta)$  to the hyperbola  $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$  is

$$(a \cos \theta)x - (a \sin \theta)y = a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x \cos \theta - y \sin \theta = a \quad \dots(i)$$

Let the mid-point be  $(h, k)$ .

The equation of the chord bisected at  $(h, k)$  to the hyperbola  $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$  is

$$hx - ky = h^2 - k^2 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Since the Eqs (i) and (ii) are identical, so

$$\frac{h}{\cos \theta} = \frac{-k}{\sin \theta} = \frac{h^2 - k^2}{a}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{ah}{h^2 - k^2} \text{ and } \sin \theta = \frac{-ak}{h^2 - k^2}$$

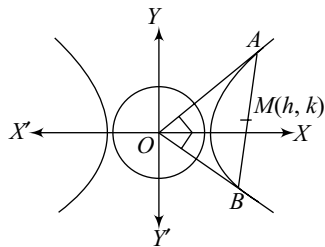
Squaring and adding, we get

$$\left(\frac{ah}{h^2 - k^2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{-ak}{h^2 - k^2}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2(h^2 + k^2) = (h^2 - k^2)^2$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is  $a^2(x^2 + y^2) = (x^2 - y^2)^2$ .

50. Let the mid-point be  $(h, k)$ .



The equation of the chord bisected at  $(h, k)$  to the given hyperbola is

$$T = S_1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{hx}{a^2} - \frac{ky}{b^2} = \frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2} \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of the hyperbola is

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Since the chord (i) subtends right angle at the centre, so we can write

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = \frac{\left(\frac{hx}{a^2} - \frac{ky}{b^2}\right)^2}{\left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{a^2} \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)^2 x^2 - \frac{1}{b^2} \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)^2 y^2$$

$$= \frac{h^2}{a^4} x^2 + \frac{k^2}{b^4} y^2 - \frac{2hk}{a^2 b^2} xy \quad \dots(iii)$$

Equation (iii) will be a right angle, if co-efficient of  $x^2 +$  co-efficient of  $y^2 = 0$

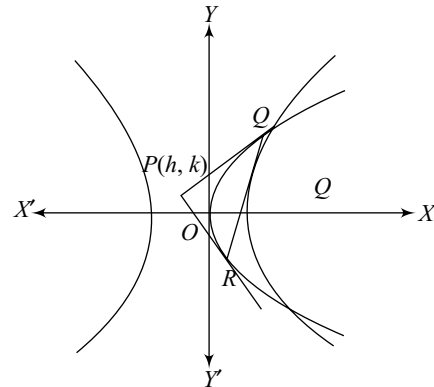
$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{a^2} \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)^2 - \frac{h^2}{a^4} - \frac{1}{b^2} \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)^2 - \frac{k^2}{b^4} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)^2 \left(\frac{1}{a^2} - \frac{1}{b^2}\right) = \left(\frac{h^2}{a^4} + \frac{k^2}{b^4}\right)$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

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

51. Let the point on the parabola be  $(h, k)$ .



The equation of the chord of contact of the parabola is

$$yk = 2a(x + h) \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{2a}{k}x + \frac{2ah}{k} \quad \dots(ii)$$

Since, the line (ii) is a tangent to the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1, \text{ so,}$$

$$c^2 = a^2 m^2 - b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{2ah}{k}\right)^2 = a^2 \left(\frac{2a}{k}\right)^2 - b^2$$

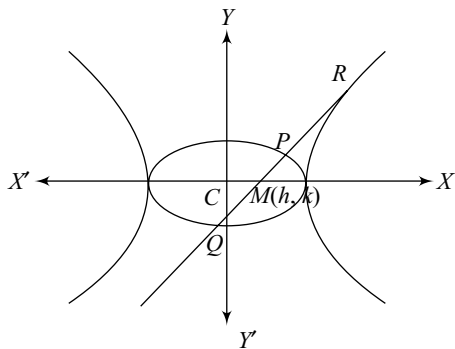
$$\Rightarrow 4a^2 h^2 = 4a^4 - k^2 b^2$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$4a^2 x^2 = 4a^4 - y^2 b^2$$

52. Any tangent to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  at  $R(\theta)$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} \sec \theta - \frac{y}{b} \tan \theta = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$



Let the mid-point of  $PQ$  be  $(h, k)$ .  
Then the equation of the chord bisected at  $(h, k)$  to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is

$$\frac{hx}{a^2} + \frac{ky}{b^2} = \frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2} \quad \dots(ii)$$

Therefore, the Eqs (i) and (ii) are identical. So

$$\frac{\sec \theta / a}{\frac{h}{a^2}} = \frac{-\tan \theta / b}{\frac{k}{b^2}} = \frac{1}{\left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sec \theta}{\frac{h}{a}} = \frac{-\tan \theta}{\frac{k}{b}} = \frac{1}{\left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sec \theta = \frac{\frac{h}{a}}{\left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)} \text{ and } \tan \theta = \frac{\frac{k}{b}}{\left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)}$$

We know that,  
 $\sec^2 \theta - \tan^2 \theta = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\left(\frac{h}{a}\right)^2}{\left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)^2} - \frac{\left(\frac{k}{b}\right)^2}{\left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right) = \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)^2$$

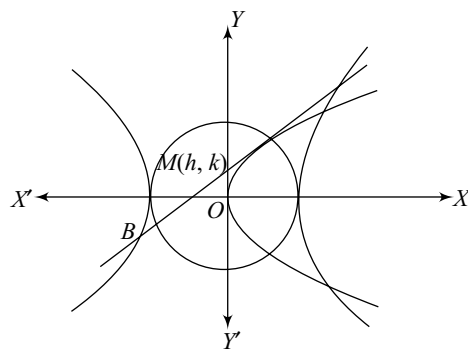
Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is  $\left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right) = \left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2}\right)^2$ .

53. If  $(h, k)$  be the mid-point of the chord of the hyperbola  $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$ , then  
 $T = S_1$

$$\Rightarrow hx - ky = h^2 - k^2$$

$$\Rightarrow ky = hx + (k^2 - h^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \left(\frac{h}{k}\right)x + \left(\frac{k^2 - h^2}{k}\right) \quad \dots(i)$$



If the line (i) touches the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ , so

$$c = \frac{a}{m}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{h^2 - k^2}{k}\right) = \frac{a}{(h/k)} = \frac{ak}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow h(h^2 - k^2) = ak^2$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is  
 $x(x^2 - y^2) = ay^2$

54. If  $(h, k)$  be the mid-point of the chord of the hyperbola

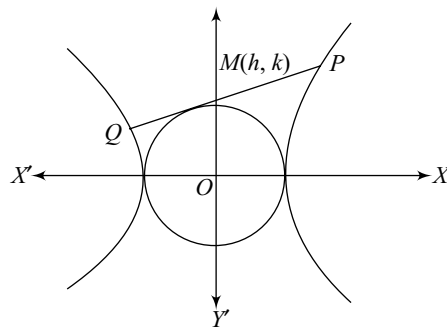
$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1, \text{ then}$$

$$T = S_1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{hx}{a^2} - \frac{ky}{b^2} = \frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{ky}{b^2} = \frac{hx}{a^2} - \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \left(\frac{b^2 h}{a^2 k}\right)x - \frac{b^2}{k} \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right) \quad \dots(i)$$



If the line (i) be a tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = c^2$ , then  
 $C^2 = A^2(1 + m^2)$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b^4}{k^2} \left( \frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2} \right)^2 = c^2 \left( 1 + \frac{b^4 h^2}{a^4 k^2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow (b^2 h^2 - a^2 k^2)^2 = c^2 (a^4 k^2 + b^2 h^2)$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$(b^2 x^2 - a^2 y^2)^2 = c^2 (a^4 y^2 + b^4 x^2)$$

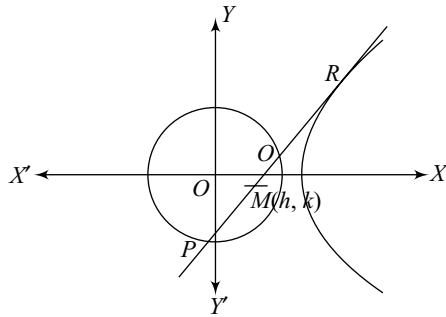
$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} \right)^2 = c^2 \left( \frac{x^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2}{b^4} \right)$$

55. If  $(h, k)$  be the mid-point of the chord of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$ , then

$$T = S_1$$

$$\Rightarrow hx + ky = h^2 + k^2$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \left( -\frac{h}{k} \right) x + \left( \frac{h^2 + k^2}{k} \right) \quad \text{(i)}$$



If the line (i) be a tangent to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ ,  
so,  $c^2 = a^2 m^2 - b^2$

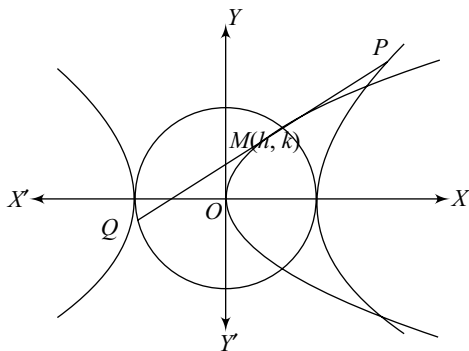
$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{h^2 + k^2}{k} \right)^2 = a^2 \left( \frac{h^2}{k^2} \right) - b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (h^2 + k^2)^2 = (a^2 h^2 - b^2 k^2)$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

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

56. Any tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  at  $(at^2, 2at)$  is  $yt = x + at^2$  ... (i)



If  $(h, k)$  be the mid-point of the chord of the hyperbola  $xy = c^2$ , then

$$xk + yh = c^2 \quad \text{... (ii)}$$

Therefore, the Eqs (i) and (ii) are identical.

Thus,  $\frac{k}{1} = \frac{-h}{t} = \frac{-c^2}{at^2}$

$$\Rightarrow t = \frac{-h}{k}, t^2 = \frac{-c^2}{ak}$$

Eliminating  $t$ , we get,

$$h^2 a = -kc^2$$

Hence the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

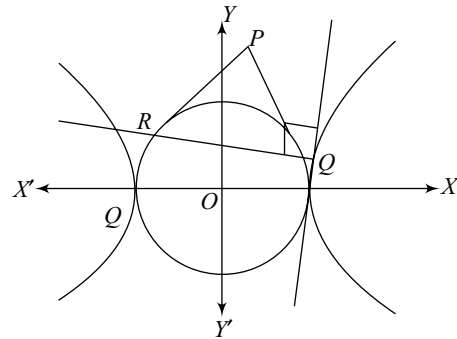
$$yc^2 + x^2 a - 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \left( -\frac{a}{c^2} \right) x^2.$$

57. Let the point  $P$  be  $(h, k)$ .

Then the equation of the chord of contact of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  is

$$hx + ky = a^2 \quad \text{... (i)}$$



The equation of the normal chord of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  at  $(\phi)$  is

$$ax \cos \phi - by \cot \phi = a^2 + b^2 \quad \text{... (ii)}$$

Equations (i) and (ii) are identical. Therefore,

$$\frac{a \cos \phi}{h} = -\frac{b \cot \phi}{k} = \frac{(a^2 + b^2)}{a^2}$$

$$\sec \phi = \frac{a^3}{h(a^2 + b^2)} \text{ and } \tan \phi = -\frac{a^2 b}{k(a^2 + b^2)}$$

We have,

$$\sec^2 \phi - \tan^2 \phi = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{a^3}{h(a^2 + b^2)} \right)^2 - \left( -\frac{a^2 b}{k(a^2 + b^2)} \right)^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{a^6}{h^2} - \frac{a^4 b^2}{k^2} \right) = (a^2 + b^2)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{a^2}{h^2} - \frac{b^2}{k^2} \right) = \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a^2} \right)^2$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

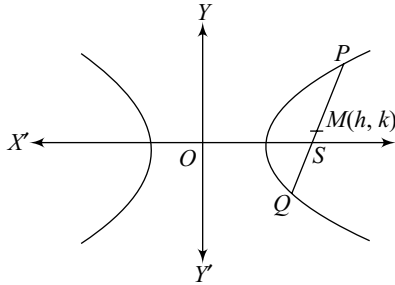
$$\left( \frac{a^2}{x^2} - \frac{b^2}{y^2} \right) = \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a^2} \right)^2$$

58. If  $(h, k)$  be the mid-point of the chord of the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1, \text{ then}$$

$$T = S_1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{hx}{x^2} - \frac{ky}{b^2} = \frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2} \quad \dots(i)$$



which is passing through the focus  $(ae, 0)$  of the given hyperbola.

Therefore,

$$\frac{aeh}{a^2} = \frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2} = \frac{eh}{a}$$

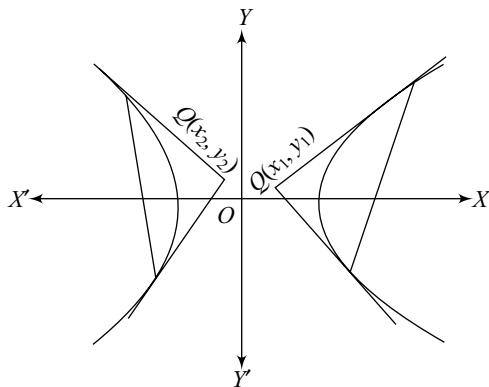
Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = \left(\frac{e}{a}\right)x$$

59. The equations of the chord of contact of the tangents to the given hyperbola at  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$  are

$$\frac{xx_1}{a^2} - \frac{yy_1}{b^2} = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{and } \frac{xx_2}{a^2} - \frac{yy_2}{b^2} = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$



The slopes of the lines (i) and (ii) are

$$m_1 = \left(\frac{b^2 x_1}{a^2 y_1}\right) \text{ and } m_2 = \left(\frac{b^2 x_2}{a^2 y_2}\right)$$

Since, (i) and (ii) meet at right angles, so

$$m_1 m_2 = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{b^2 x_1}{a^2 y_1}\right) \times \left(\frac{b^2 x_2}{a^2 y_2}\right) = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x_1 x_2}{y_1 y_2} = -\frac{a^4}{b^4}$$

Thus,  $m = 4$  and  $n = 4$

Hence, the value of  $\left(\frac{m+n}{4}\right)^{10} = \left(\frac{4+4}{4}\right)^{10} = 2^{10} = 1024$ .

60. The equation of the polar with respect to the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ is}$$

$$\frac{xx_1}{a^2} - \frac{yy_1}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x(-ae)}{a^2} - \frac{y \cdot 0}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -\frac{a}{e}$$

61. The equation of the polars from points  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$  to the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ are}$$

$$\frac{xx_1}{a^2} - \frac{yy_1}{b^2} = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{and } \frac{xx_2}{a^2} - \frac{yy_2}{b^2} = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Now, slopes of (i) and (ii) are

$$m_1 = \frac{b^2 x_1}{a^2 y_1} \text{ and } m_2 = \frac{b^2 x_2}{a^2 y_2}$$

Since the polars of the given points are perpendicular, so

$$m_1 \times m_2 = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{b^2 x_1}{a^2 y_1}\right) \times \left(\frac{b^2 x_2}{a^2 y_2}\right) = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x_1 x_2}{y_1 y_2} = -\frac{a^4}{b^4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x_1 x_2}{y_1 y_2} + \frac{a^4}{b^4} = 0$$

62. Let  $(x_1, y_1)$  be the pole of the hyperbola. Then the equation of the polar from a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  w.r.t. the hyperbola  $x^2 - 3y^2 = 3$  is

$$xx_1 - 3yy_1 = 3 \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of the given polar is

$$x - y = 3 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Therefore, the Eqs (i) and (ii) are identical. So

$$\frac{x_1}{1} = \frac{-3y_1}{-1} = \frac{3}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 = 1, y_1 = \frac{1}{3}$$

Hence, the pole is  $\left(1, \frac{1}{3}\right)$ .

63. Let the pole be  $(h, k)$ .

The equation of the polar from the point  $(h, k)$  w.r.t. the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is

$$\frac{hx}{a^2} - \frac{ky}{b^2} = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of the normal chord of the given hyperbola at  $(\phi)$  is

$$ax \cos \phi - by \cot \phi = (a^2 + b^2) \quad \dots(ii)$$

Equations (i) and (ii) are identical. Therefore,

$$\frac{a \cos \phi}{(h/a^2)} = \frac{b \cot \phi}{(k/b^2)} = \frac{(a^2 + b^2)}{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \phi = (a^2 + b^2) \frac{h}{a^3}, \cot \phi = (a^2 + b^2) \frac{k}{b^3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sec \phi = \frac{a^3}{(a^2 + b^2)h}, \tan \phi = \frac{b^3}{(a^2 + b^2)k}$$

We know that,

$$\sec^2 \phi - \tan^2 \phi = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{a^3}{(a^2 + b^2)h} \right)^2 - \left( \frac{b^3}{(a^2 + b^2)k} \right)^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{a^3}{h} \right)^2 - \left( \frac{b^3}{k} \right)^2 = (a^2 + b^2)^2$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

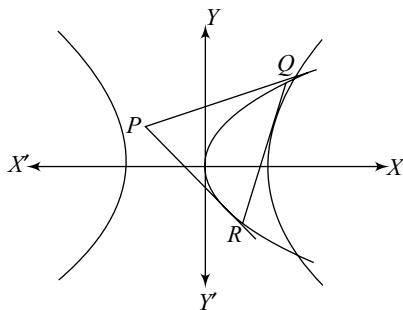
$$(a^6 y^2 - b^6 x^2) = (a^2 + b^2)^2 (x^2 y^2)$$

64. Let  $(h, k)$  be the pole.

The equation of the polar from the point  $(h, k)$  w.r.t. the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$  is

$$yk = 2a(x + h) = 2ax + 2ah$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \left( \frac{2a}{k} \right) x + \left( \frac{2ah}{k} \right) \quad \dots(i)$$



If the line (i) be a tangent to the hyperbola  $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$ , then

$$c^2 a^2 m^2 - a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{2ah}{k} \right)^2 = a^2 \left( \frac{2a}{k} \right)^2 - a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 4h^2 = 4a^2 - k^2$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 + \frac{k^2}{4} = a^2$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

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

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 + y^2 = 4a^2$$

65. Let  $(h, k)$  be the pole.

Then the equation of the polar w.r.t. the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ is}$$

$$\frac{hx}{a^2} - \frac{ky}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \left( \frac{b^2 h}{a^2 k} \right) x + \left( -\frac{b^2}{k} \right) \quad \dots(i)$$

The foci of the given hyperbola are  $(ae, 0)$  and  $(-ae, 0)$

The equation of the circle is

$$(x - ae)(x + ae) + y^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 = (ae)^2 \quad \dots(ii)$$

If the line (i) be a tangent to the circle (ii), then

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

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b^4}{k^2} = (ae)^2 \left( 1 + \frac{b^4 k^2}{a^4 h^2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b^4}{k^2} = e^2 \left( \frac{a^4 h^2 + b^4 k^2}{a^2 k^2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a^2 b^4}{e^2} = (a^4 h^2 + b^4 k^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (a^4 h^2 + b^4 k^2) = \frac{a^4 b^4}{(a^2 + b^2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{h^2}{a^4} + \frac{k^2}{b^4} \right) = \frac{1}{(a^2 + b^2)}$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is  $\left( \frac{x^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2}{b^4} \right) = \frac{1}{(a^2 + b^2)}$

66. The equation of the chord is

$$7x + y = 2y = -7x + 2 \quad \dots(i)$$

Hence, the equation of the diameter is

$$y = \frac{b^2 x}{a^2 m} = \frac{7x}{3 \times (-7)} = -\frac{x}{3}$$

$$x + 3y = 0$$

67. The given line is  $3x + 4y + 10 = 0$

$$y = \left( -\frac{3}{4} \right) x + \left( -\frac{5}{2} \right) \quad \dots(i)$$

Hence, the equation of the diameter corresponds to the line (i) is

$$y = \frac{b^2 x}{a^2 m} = \frac{4x}{9 \left( -\frac{3}{4} \right)} = -\frac{16}{27} x$$

$$\Rightarrow 16x + 27y = 0$$

68. The slope of the given chord is  $m = \left(-\frac{2}{3}\right)$ .

Hence, the equation of the diameter parallel to the given chord is

$$y = -\frac{b^2x}{a^2m} = -\frac{4x}{9\left(-\frac{2}{3}\right)} = -\frac{2}{3}x$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + 3y = 0$$

69. Let the equation of the diameter, which is conjugate to  $x = 2y$  is

$$y = m_1x.$$

As we know that two diameters  $y = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)x$  and  $y = m_1x$  are conjugates, if

$$m_1 m_2 = \frac{b^2}{a^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow m_1 \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{16}{9}$$

$$\Rightarrow m_1 = \frac{32}{9}$$

Hence, the equation of the conjugate diameters is

$$y = \frac{32}{9}x$$

$$\Rightarrow 32x = 9y$$

70. Equations of the asymptotes to the hyperbola

$$xy - 2x - 3y = 0 \text{ is}$$

$$xy - 2x - 3y + \lambda = 0,$$

where  $\lambda$  is any constant such that it represents two straight lines.

Therefore,

$$abc + 2fgh - af^2 - bg^2 - ch^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 + 2 \times \left(\frac{-3}{2}\right) \times (-1) \times \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) - 0 - 0 - \lambda \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 6$$

Hence, the required asymptotes are

$$xy - 2x - 3y + 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-2)(y-3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2 \text{ and } y = 3$$

71. The equations of the asymptotes of the given curve is

$$3x^2 + 10xy + 8y^2 + 14x + 22y + \lambda = 0,$$

where  $\lambda$  is any constant such that it represents two straight lines.

Therefore,

$$abc + 2fgh - af^2 - bg^2 - ch^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 \cdot 8 \cdot \lambda - +2 \cdot 7 \cdot 11 \cdot 5 - 3 \cdot 121 - 8 \cdot 49 - \lambda \cdot 25 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 24\lambda - +770 - 363 - 392 - 25\lambda = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 15$$

Hence, the combined equation of the given asymptotes is

$$3x^2 + 10xy + 8y^2 + 14x + 22y + 15 = 0$$

72. Since the asymptotes are perpendicular to each other, so the hyperbola is rectangular. Hence, its eccentricity is  $\sqrt{2}$ .

73. The combined equation of the asymptotes is

$$(2x - y - 3)(3x + y - 7) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x^2 - xy - y^2 - 23x + 4y + 21 = 0$$

Let the equation of the hyperbola be

$$6x^2 - xy - y^2 - 23x + 4y + \lambda = 0,$$

where  $\lambda$  is any constant such that it represents two straight lines which passes through  $(1, 1)$ , so  $\lambda = 15$ .

Hence, the equation of the hyperbola becomes

$$6x^2 - xy - y^2 - 23x + 4y + 15 = 0.$$

74. The combined equation of the asymptotes parallel to the lines  $2x + 3y = 0$  and  $3x + 2y = 0$  is

$$(2x + 3y + \lambda)(3x + 2y + \mu) = 0$$

which is passing through  $(1, 2)$ .

Therefore,

$$(2 \cdot 1 + 3 \cdot 2 + \lambda)(3 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot 2 + \mu) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (8 + \lambda)(7 + \mu) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = -8, \mu = -7$$

Thus, the combined equation of the asymptotes is

$$(2x + 3y - 8)(3x + 2y - 7) = 0$$

Let the equation of the hyperbola be

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

which is passing through  $(5, 3)$ . So

$$(2 \cdot 5 + 3 \cdot 3 - 8)(3 \cdot 5 + 2 \cdot 3 - 7) + \lambda = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 11 \times 14 + \lambda = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = -154$$

Hence, the equation of the hyperbola is

$$(2x + 3y - 8)(3x + 2y - 7) - 154 = 0.$$

75. The equation of the given hyperbola is

$$x^2 - 2y^2 = 2.$$

So, the equations of its asymptotes are  $x - \sqrt{2}y = 0$  and  $x + \sqrt{2}y = 0$ .

Let any point on the hyperbola be  $P(\sqrt{2} \sec \varphi, \tan \varphi)$ .

Let  $PM$  and  $PN$  are two perpendiculars from the point  $P$  to the asymptotes.

Then,  $PM \cdot PN$

$$= \left| \frac{\sqrt{2} \sec \varphi - \sqrt{2} \tan \varphi}{\sqrt{1+2}} \right| \times \left| \frac{\sqrt{2} \sec \varphi + \sqrt{2} \tan \varphi}{\sqrt{1+2}} \right|$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \times (\sec \varphi - \tan \varphi) \times (\sec \varphi + \tan \varphi)$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \times (\sec^2 \varphi - \tan^2 \varphi)$$

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

76. The equation of the given hyperbola is  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ .

Thus, the equations of the asymptotes are

$$\left(\frac{x}{3} + \frac{y}{2}\right)\left(\frac{x}{3} - \frac{y}{2}\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{x}{3} + \frac{y}{2}\right) = 0 \text{ and } \left(\frac{x}{3} - \frac{y}{2}\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + 3y = 0 \text{ and } 2x - 3y = 0$$

The equation of any tangent to the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1 \text{ is}$$

$$\frac{x}{3} \sec \varphi - \frac{y}{2} \tan \varphi = 1$$

Let the points of intersection of  $2x + 3y = 0$ ,  $2x - 3y = 0$  and  $\frac{x}{3} \sec \varphi - \frac{y}{2} \tan \varphi = 1$  are  $O$ ,  $P$  and  $Q$  respectively.

Therefore,  $O = (0, 0)$ ,

$$P = \left( \frac{3}{\sec \varphi + \tan \varphi}, -\frac{2}{\sec \varphi + \tan \varphi} \right)$$

and  $Q = \left( \frac{3}{\sec \varphi - \tan \varphi}, \frac{2}{\sec \varphi - \tan \varphi} \right)$

Hence, the area of  $\Delta OPQ$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 3 & -\frac{2}{\sec \varphi + \tan \varphi} \\ \frac{3}{\sec \varphi - \tan \varphi} & \frac{2}{\sec \varphi - \tan \varphi} \\ 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (6 + 6) = 6 \text{ s. u.} \end{aligned}$$

77. Let the point  $P$  be  $(a \sec \varphi, b \tan \varphi)$ .  
The equations of the asymptotes of the given hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ are}$$

$$bx - ay = 0 \text{ and } bx + ay = 0$$

Let  $PM$  and  $PN$  be two perpendiculars from the point  $P$  to the transverse axis and the asymptote

$$bx - ay = 0$$

Thus,  $PM = b \tan \varphi$

and  $PN = \left| \frac{ab \sec \varphi - ab \tan \varphi}{\sqrt{b^2 + a^2}} \right|$

It is given that,  $PM = PN$

$$\Rightarrow b \tan \varphi = \left| \frac{ab \sec \varphi - ab \tan \varphi}{\sqrt{b^2 + a^2}} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \varphi = a \left| \frac{\sec \varphi - \tan \varphi}{\sqrt{b^2 + a^2}} \right|$$

78. Let the equation of the hyperbola be

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

and any point on the hyperbola (i) be

$$P(a \sec \varphi, b \tan \varphi)$$

The equation of the tangent to the hyperbola (i) at  $P$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} \sec \varphi - \frac{y}{b} \tan \varphi = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

The equations of the asymptotes of the hyperbola (i) are

$$bx - ay = 0 \text{ and } bx + ay = 0$$

Let the points of the intersection of the asymptotes and the tangent are  $O$ ,  $Q$ ,  $R$  respectively.

Then,  $O = (0, 0)$ ,

$$Q = [a(\sec \varphi + \tan \varphi), b(\sec \varphi + \tan \varphi)] \text{ and}$$

$$R = [a(\sec \varphi - \tan \varphi), b(\sec \varphi - \tan \varphi)]$$

Clearly, mid-point of  $QR$  is  $(a \sec \varphi, b \tan \varphi)$ , which is co-ordinates of  $P$ .

Thus, the area of  $\Delta OQR$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ a(\sec \varphi + \tan \varphi) & b(\sec \varphi + \tan \varphi) \\ a(\sec \varphi - \tan \varphi) & -b(\sec \varphi - \tan \varphi) \\ 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} |-ab - ab| \\ &= ab. \end{aligned}$$

79. The equations of the asymptotes of the given hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ are}$$

$$bx - ay = 0 \text{ and } bx + ay = 0$$

Let  $P$  be any point on the given hyperbola be

$$(a \sec \varphi, b \tan \varphi).$$

It is given that,  $p_1$  and  $p_2$  be the lengths of perpendiculars from the point  $P$  to the asymptotes

$$bx - ay = 0 \text{ and } bx + ay = 0$$

Thus,  $p_1 = \left| \frac{ab \sec \varphi - ab \tan \varphi}{\sqrt{b^2 + a^2}} \right|$

and  $p_2 = \left| \frac{ab \sec \varphi + ab \tan \varphi}{\sqrt{b^2 + a^2}} \right|$

Therefore,  $\frac{1}{p_1 p_2}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{(ab \sec \varphi - ab \tan \varphi)(ab \sec \varphi + ab \tan \varphi)} \right) \\ &= \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a^2 b^2} \right) = \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the result.

80. The equation of the normal at  $\left( ct_1, \frac{c}{t_1} \right)$  is

$$t_1^3 x - t_1 y - ct_1^4 + c = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

Also it meets the hyperbola again at

$$\left( ct_2, \frac{c}{t_2} \right)$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} ct_2t_1^3 - c\frac{t_1}{t_2} - ct_1^4 + c &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow t_2t_1^3 - \frac{t_1}{t_2} - t_1^4 + 1 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow t_2^2t_1^3 - t_1 - t_1^4t_2 + t_2 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow t_2t_1^3(t_2 - t_1) + (t_2 - t_1) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (t_2t_1^3 + 1)(t_2 - t_1) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (t_2t_1^3 + 1) &= 0 \quad (\because t_1 \neq t_2) \\ \Rightarrow t_2t_1^3 &= -1 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the result.

81. Let  $P$ ,  $Q$  and  $R$  are the vertices of a triangle such that

$$P = \left( ct_1, \frac{c}{t_1} \right), Q = \left( ct_2, \frac{c}{t_2} \right), R = \left( ct_3, \frac{c}{t_3} \right)$$

$$\text{Now, slope of } \overline{QR} = \frac{\frac{c}{t_3} - \frac{c}{t_2}}{ct_3 - ct_2} = -\frac{1}{t_2t_3}$$

Therefore, slope of  $PM$  is  $t_2t_3$ .

The equation of the perpendicular  $PM$  on  $QR$  is

$$y - \frac{c}{t_1} = t_2t_3(x - ct_1) \quad \dots(i)$$

Similarly, the equation of the perpendicular  $BN$  on  $PR$  is

$$y - \frac{c}{t_2} = t_1t_3(x - ct_2) \quad \dots(ii)$$

Solving Eq. (i) and (ii), we get,

$$x = -\frac{c}{t_1t_2t_3} \text{ and } y = -ct_1t_2t_3.$$

Thus, the point  $\left( -\frac{c}{t_1t_2t_3}, -ct_1t_2t_3 \right)$  lies on the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$ .

Hence, the result.

82. The equation of the normal to the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  at  $t$  is

$$xt^2 - y = ct^3 - \frac{c}{t} \quad \dots(i)$$

Let the pole be  $(h, k)$ .

Then the equation of the polar from the point  $(h, k)$  to the rectangular hyperbola

$$\begin{aligned} xy = c^2 \text{ is} \\ xk + yh = 2c^2 \end{aligned} \quad (ii)$$

Therefore, the Eqs (i) and (ii) are identical. So

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{k}{t^2} = \frac{h}{-1} = \frac{2c^2}{ct^3 - \frac{c}{t}} \\ \Rightarrow t^2 = -\frac{k}{h} \text{ and } h = -\frac{2ct}{t^4 - 1} \end{aligned}$$

Eliminating  $t$ , we get

$$(h^2 - k^2)^2 + 4c^2hk = 0$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$(x^2 - y^2)^2 + 4c^2xy = 0$$

83. The equations of the asymptotes of the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  are  $x = 0$  and  $y = 0$ .

Clearly, the angle between the asymptotes

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\pi}{2} \\ \Rightarrow 2\alpha &= \frac{\pi}{2} \\ \Rightarrow \alpha &= \frac{\pi}{4} \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the eccentricity,

$$e = \sqrt{2} = \sec\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \sec\alpha$$

84. Let the equation of the circle be  $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$  ... (i)

and the equation of the given hyperbola be

$$xy = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Solving, we get

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} + 2gx + \frac{2f}{x} + c &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow x^4 + 2gx^3 + cx^2 + 2fx + 1 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Let its roots are  $x_1, x_2, x_3$  and  $x_4$ .

Then,  $x_1x_2x_3x_4 = 1$

Similarly, we can easily prove that

$$y_1y_2y_3y_4 = 1$$

85. Any point on the rectangular hyperbola

$$xy = c^2 \text{ is } P\left(ct, \frac{c}{t}\right)$$

The equation of any tangent to the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  at  $t$  is

$$\frac{x}{t} + yt = 2c \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of any normal to the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  at  $t$  is

$$xt^3 - yt - xt^4 + c = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Therefore,  $a_1 = 2ct, a_2 = \frac{2c}{t}$

$$\text{and } b_1 = c\left(t - \frac{1}{t^3}\right), b_2 = c\left(\frac{1}{t} - t^3\right)$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} a_1a_2 + b_1b_2 &= 2c^2t\left(t - \frac{1}{t^3}\right) + \frac{2c^2}{t}\left(\frac{1}{t} - t^3\right) \\ &= 2c^2\left(t^2 - \frac{1}{t^2} + \frac{1}{t^2} - t^2\right) = 0 \end{aligned}$$



86. We have,  $e_1 = \sqrt{2}$  and  $e_2 = \sqrt{2}$   
 Now,  $(e_1 + e_2)^2 = (\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{2})^2 = (2\sqrt{2})^2 = 8$

87. Any point on the given hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{2} - y^2 = 1 \text{ be } P(\sqrt{2} \sec \phi, \tan \phi).$$

The equations of the asymptotes of the given hyperbola are

$$x - \sqrt{2}y = 0 \text{ and } x + \sqrt{2}y = 0.$$

Let  $PM$  and  $PN$  be the lengths of perpendiculars from the point  $P$  on the asymptotes.

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} PM \cdot PN &= \left| \frac{\sqrt{2} \sec \phi - \sqrt{2} \tan \phi}{\sqrt{1+2}} \right| \times \left| \frac{\sqrt{2} \sec \phi + \sqrt{2} \tan \phi}{\sqrt{1+2}} \right| \\ &= \frac{2}{3} \\ &= (1 \pm 2\sqrt{2}, 2) \end{aligned}$$

88. Let the points  $A, B, C$  be

$$\left( ct_1, \frac{c}{t_1} \right), \left( ct_2, \frac{c}{t_2} \right), \left( ct_3, \frac{c}{t_3} \right) \text{ respectively.}$$

(i) Then the area of the  $\Delta ABC$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} ct_1 & \frac{c}{t_1} & 1 \\ ct_2 & \frac{c}{t_2} & 1 \\ ct_3 & \frac{c}{t_3} & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \frac{c^2}{t_1 t_2 t_3} \begin{vmatrix} t_1^2 & 1 & t_1 \\ t_2^2 & 1 & t_2 \\ t_3^2 & 1 & t_3 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{c^2}{2} \times \frac{(t_1 - t_2)(t_2 - t_3)(t_3 - t_1)}{t_1 t_2 t_3} \end{aligned}$$

(ii) The equations of the tangents at  $A, B$  and  $C$  are

$$\frac{x}{t_1} + yt_1 = 2c \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\frac{x}{t_2} + yt_2 = 2c \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$\text{and } \frac{x}{t_3} + yt_3 = 2c \quad \dots(iii)$$

Thus, the points of intersections of (i) and (ii), (i) and (iii), (ii) and (iii) meet at  $P, Q, R$  respectively.

$$\text{Thus, } P = \left( \frac{2ct_1 t_2}{t_1 + t_2}, \frac{2c}{t_1 + t_2} \right),$$

$$Q = \left( \frac{2ct_1 t_3}{t_1 + t_3}, \frac{2c}{t_1 + t_3} \right)$$

$$\text{and } R = \left( \frac{2ct_2 t_3}{t_2 + t_3}, \frac{2c}{t_2 + t_3} \right) \text{ respectively}$$

Hence, the area of the  $\Delta PQR$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} \frac{2ct_1 t_2}{t_1 + t_2} & \frac{2c}{t_1 + t_2} & 1 \\ \frac{2ct_1 t_3}{t_1 + t_3} & \frac{2c}{t_1 + t_3} & 1 \\ \frac{2ct_2 t_3}{t_2 + t_3} & \frac{2c}{t_2 + t_3} & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{2c^2 (t_1 - t_2)(t_2 - t_3)(t_3 - t_1)}{(t_1 + t_2)(t_1 + t_2)(t_1 + t_2)} \end{aligned}$$

89. The given rectangular hyperbola is

$$xy = 18 \quad \dots(i)$$

Replacing  $x$  by  $x \cos(45^\circ) + y \sin(45^\circ)$  and  $y$  by  $-x \sin(45^\circ) + y \cos(45^\circ)$  in (i), we get

$$\left( \frac{x}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{y}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \left( -\frac{x}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{y}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = 18$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - y^2 = -18$$

Hence, the length of the transverse axis

$$= 2a = 2.6 = 12 \text{ units.}$$

90. Let  $(h, k)$  be any point.

The equation of the chord of contact of the tangents from  $(h, k)$  to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$  is

$$hx + ky = 4.$$

Also, the given hyperbola is

$$xy = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x \left( \frac{4 - hx}{k} \right) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x - hx^2 = k$$

$$\Rightarrow hx^2 - 4x + k = 0$$

Thus, its roots are equal. So

$$D = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 16 - 4hk = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow hk = 4$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is  $xy = 4$ .

91. The combined equation of the asymptotes of the given hyperbola is

$$xy - hx - ky + \lambda = 0$$

where  $\lambda$  is any constant such that it represents two straight lines.

Therefore,

$$abc + 2fgh - af^2 - bg^2 - ch^2 = 0.$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 + 2 \left( -\frac{k}{2} \right) \left( -\frac{h}{2} \right) \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) - \frac{\lambda}{4} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = hk$$

Hence, the asymptotes are

$$\begin{aligned} xy - hx - ky + hk &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (x-h)(y-k) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (x-h) = 0 \text{ and } (y-k) &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

92. We have,  $\theta = 2 \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{b}{a} \right)$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \left( \frac{\theta}{2} \right) = \frac{b}{a}$$

Also,

$$e = \sqrt{1 + \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 + \tan^2 \left( \frac{\theta}{2} \right)} = \sec \left( \frac{\theta}{2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \left( \frac{\theta}{2} \right) = \frac{1}{e}$$

93. The equation of the given hyperbola is

$$9x^2 - 16y^2 = 144$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

Let any point on the given hyperbola be  $P(8, k)$ .

Since the point P lies on (i), so

$$\frac{64}{16} - \frac{k^2}{9} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 = 27$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 3\sqrt{3}$$

Hence, the co-ordinates of P be  $(8, 3\sqrt{3})$ .

Thus, the equation of the reflected ray is

$$y - 3\sqrt{3} = \frac{0 - 3\sqrt{3}}{-5 - 8}(x - 8)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3\sqrt{3}x - 13y + 15\sqrt{3} = 0$$

### LEVEL III

1. As we know that  $y = mx + c$  will be the tangent to the

hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  if

$$c^2 = a^2m^2 - b^2 = 9m^2 - 4$$

Hence, the equation of the hyperbola is

$$\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$$

2. The equation of any tangent to the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ is } y = mx + \sqrt{a^2m^2 - b^2} \quad \dots(i)$$

and the equation of any tangent to the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{b^2} - \frac{y^2}{a^2} = -1, \text{ i.e. } \frac{x^2}{(-b^2)} - \frac{y^2}{(-a^2)} = 1 \text{ is}$$

$$y = mx + \sqrt{(-b^2)m^2 + a^2} \quad \dots(ii)$$

If (i) and (ii) are the same, then

$$a^2m^2 - b^2 = -b^2m^2 + a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (a^2 + b^2)m^2 = (a^2 + b^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \pm 1$$

Hence, the equation of the common tangent be

$$y = \pm x \pm \sqrt{a^2 - b^2}.$$

3. The equation of any tangent to the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1 \text{ is}$$

$$y = mx + \sqrt{16m^2 - 9}$$

$$\Rightarrow mx - y + \sqrt{16m^2 - 9} = 0$$

which is also a tangent of  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ . So

$$\frac{\sqrt{16m^2 - 9}}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{16m^2 - 9} = 3\sqrt{m^2 + 1}$$

$$\Rightarrow 16m^2 - 9 = 9m^2 + 9$$

$$\Rightarrow 16m^2 - 9m^2 = 9 + 9$$

$$\Rightarrow 7m^2 = 18$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \pm \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{7}}$$

Hence, the equation of the common tangent be

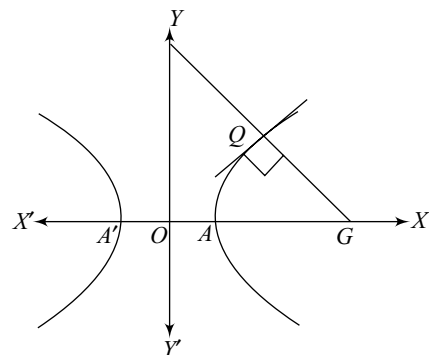
$$y = \pm \left( \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{7}} \right) x + \sqrt{\frac{288}{7} - 9}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{7}y = \pm(3\sqrt{2})x + 15$$

4. The equation of any normal to the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ at } (\phi) \text{ is}$$

$$ax \cos \phi + by \cot \phi = a^2 + b^2$$



$$\text{Thus, the co-ordinates of } G = \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a \cos \phi}, 0 \right)$$

Clearly, the vertices,  $A = (a, 0)$  and  $A' = (-a, 0)$

$$\text{Now, } AG = \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a \cos \varphi} - a \right)$$

$$\text{and } A'G = \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a \cos \varphi} + a \right)$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} AG \cdot A'G &= \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a \cos \varphi} - a \right) \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a \cos \varphi} + a \right) \\ &= \left( \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a} \right)^2 \sec^2 \varphi - a^2 \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$= (a^2 c^2 \sec^2 \varphi - a^2)$$

$$= a^2 (e^2 \sec^2 \varphi - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 2, n = 2, p = 2$$

$$\text{Hence, } (m+n+p)^2 + 36 = 36 + 36 = 72.$$

5. The equation of the normal to the hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  at

$$\left( ct, \frac{c}{t} \right) \text{ is}$$

$$xt^3 - yt - ct^4 + c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow ct^4 - xt^3 + yt - c = 0$$

which is passing through  $(\alpha, \beta)$ , so  $ct^4 - \alpha t^3 + \beta t - c = 0$

Let its four roots are  $t_1, t_2, t_3, t_4$ .

Therefore,

$$t_1 + t_2 + t_3 + t_4 = \frac{\alpha}{c}, \Sigma(t_1 t_2) = 0,$$

$$\Sigma(t_1 t_2 t_3) = -\frac{\beta}{c} \text{ and } \Sigma(t_1 t_2 t_3 t_4) = 0.$$

$$(i) \quad x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = c(t_1 + t_2 + t_3 + t_4)$$

$$= c \left( \frac{\alpha}{c} \right) = \alpha$$

$$(ii) \quad y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + y_4 = c \left( \frac{1}{t_1} + \frac{1}{t_2} + \frac{1}{t_3} + \frac{1}{t_4} \right)$$

$$= c \left( \frac{\Sigma(t_1 t_2 t_3)}{\Sigma(t_1 t_2 t_3 t_4)} \right) = c \left( \frac{-\frac{\beta}{c}}{-1} \right) = \beta$$

$$(iii) \quad x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 + x_4^2 = c^2 (t_1^2 + t_2^2 + t_3^2 + t_4^2)$$

$$= c^2 \left\{ (\Sigma t_1)^2 - 2 \Sigma(t_1 t_2) \right\}$$

$$= c^2 \left\{ \left( \frac{\alpha}{c} \right)^2 - 0 \right\} = \alpha^2$$

$$(iv) \quad y_1^2 + y_2^2 + y_3^2 + y_4^2 = (\Sigma y_1)^2 - 2 \Sigma(y_1 y_2)$$

$$= (\beta)^2 - 2c^2 \Sigma \left( \frac{1}{t_1 t_2} \right)$$

$$= (\beta)^2 - 2c^2 \left( \frac{\Sigma t_1 t_2}{t_1 t_2 t_3 t_4} \right)$$

$$= (\beta)^2$$

$$(v) \quad x_1 x_2 x_3 x_4 = c^4 (t_1 t_2 t_3 t_4) = -c^4$$

$$(vi) \quad y_1 y_2 y_3 y_4 = c^4 \left( \frac{1}{t_1 t_2 t_3 t_4} \right) = c^4 \left( \frac{1}{-1} \right) = -c^4$$

6. The equation of any normal to the given hyperbola at  $(x, y)$  is

$$\frac{x}{a^2} (k - y) = \frac{y}{b^2} (x - b)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} \right) xy - \frac{y}{b} - \frac{kx}{a^2} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{b^2 k x}{a^2 (e^2 x - b)} \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of the hyperbola is

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{b^4 k^2 x^2}{b^2 a^4 (e^2 x - b)^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 e^4 x^4 - 2ba^2 e^2 x^3 - (a^2 b^2 + b^2 k^2 + a^4 e^4) x^2 + 2ba^4 e^2 x + a^4 b^2 = 0 \quad \dots(iii)$$

Let  $x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4$  are the roots of Eq. (iii).

$$\text{Then, } x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = \frac{2b}{e^2},$$

$$\Sigma(x_1 x_2) = -\frac{a^2 b^2 + b^2 k^2 + a^4 e^2}{a^2 e^4}$$

$$\Sigma(x_1 x_2 x_3) = -\frac{2ba^2}{e^2}$$

$$\text{and } \Sigma(x_1 x_2 x_3 x_4) = \frac{a^2 b^2}{e^4}$$

$$\text{Therefore, } \Sigma \left( \frac{1}{x_1} \right) = \frac{\Sigma(x_1 x_2 x_3)}{x_1 x_2 x_3 x_4} = \frac{2e^2}{b}$$

$$(i) \quad (x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4) \left( \frac{1}{x_1} + \frac{1}{x_2} + \frac{1}{x_3} + \frac{1}{x_4} \right)$$

$$= (\Sigma x_1) \left( \Sigma \left( \frac{1}{x_1} \right) \right) = \frac{2b}{e^2} \times \frac{2e^2}{b} = 4$$

- (ii) Similarly, we can have

$$(y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + y_4) \left( \frac{1}{y_1} + \frac{1}{y_2} + \frac{1}{y_3} + \frac{1}{y_4} \right)$$

$$= (\Sigma y_1) \left( \Sigma \left( \frac{1}{y_1} \right) \right)$$

$$= 4.$$

7. The equation of the normal to the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ at } (a \sec \theta, b \tan \theta) \text{ is}$$

$$ax \cos \theta + by \cot \theta = a^2 + b^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

Let the point  $Q$  be  $(\alpha, \beta)$ .

The equation of any line perpendicular to (i) is

$$(b \cot \theta)x - (a \cos \theta)y + k = 0$$

which is passing through the centre. So

$$k = 0$$

Thus,  $(b \cot \theta)x - (a \cos \theta)y = 0$

which meets at  $Q$ .

Thus,

$$(b \cot \theta)\alpha - (a \cos \theta)\beta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{b\alpha}{a\beta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{\sqrt{a^2\beta^2 - b^2\alpha^2}}{a\beta}$$

and  $\cot \theta = \frac{\sqrt{a^2\beta^2 - b^2\alpha^2}}{b\alpha}$

Putting the values of  $\cos \theta$  and  $\cot \theta$ , in Eq. (i) we get

$$ax \left( \frac{\sqrt{a^2\beta^2 - b^2\alpha^2}}{a\beta} \right) + by \left( \frac{\sqrt{a^2\beta^2 - b^2\alpha^2}}{b\alpha} \right) = a^2 + b^2$$

Hence, the locus of  $Q$  is

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

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{x}{y} + \frac{y}{x} \right) \left( \sqrt{a^2y^2 - b^2x^2} \right) = a^2 + b^2$$

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

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2)^2 (a^2y^2 - b^2x^2) = (a^2 + b^2)^2$$

8. Any point on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  is  $(a \cos \theta, a \sin \theta)$ .

The chord of contact of this point with respect to the hyperbola  $x^2 - y^2 = a^2$  is

$$x \cos \theta - y \sin \theta = a \quad \dots(ii)$$

If its mid-point be  $(h, k)$ , then it is same as

$$T = S_1$$

i.e.  $hx - ky = h^2 - k^2$

Comparing Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$\frac{\cos \theta}{h} = \frac{\sin \theta}{k} = \frac{a}{h^2 - k^2}$$

We know that

$$\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{ah}{h^2 - k^2} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{ak}{h^2 - k^2} \right)^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2(h^2 + k^2) = (h^2 - k^2)^2$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$a^2(x^2 + y^2) = (x^2 - y^2)^2$$

9. Let the mid-point be  $M(h, k)$

The equation of the chord of the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ is}$$

$$T = S_1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{hx}{a^2} - \frac{ky}{b^2} = \frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2}$$

First we make it a homogeneous equation of 2nd degree.

$$\left( \frac{hx}{a^2} - \frac{ky}{b^2} \right)^2 = \left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{h^2x^2}{a^4} + \frac{k^2y^2}{b^4} - 2(\dots)xy \right) = \left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} \right) \left( \frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2} \right)$$

which subtends right angle at the centre, i.e.

co-efficient of  $x^2$  + co-efficient of  $y^2$  = 0

$$\left( \frac{h^2}{a^4} - \frac{1}{a^2} \left( \frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2} \right) + \frac{k^2}{b^4} + \frac{1}{b^2} \left( \frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2} \right) \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{h^2}{a^4} + \frac{k^2}{b^4} \right) = \left( \frac{1}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2} \right) \left( \frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2} \right)$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

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

10. Let the point  $P$  be  $(h, k)$ .

The equation of the tangent to the parabola

$$y^2 = 4ax \text{ at } P \text{ is}$$

$$yk = 2a(a + h)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{2ax}{k} + \frac{2ah}{k}$$

which is a tangent to the hyperbola. So

$$c^2 = a^2m^2 - b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{2ah}{k} \right)^2 = a^2 \left( \frac{2a}{k} \right)^2 - b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{4a^2h^2}{k^2} = \frac{4a^4}{k^2} - b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a^2h^2 + k^2b^2 = 4a^4$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$4a^2x^2 + b^2y^2 = 4a^4$$

11. Let  $M(h, k)$  be the mid-point of the hyperbola

$$x^2 - y^2 = a^2$$

The equation of the chord at  $M$  is

$$T = S_1$$

$$\Rightarrow hx - ky = h^2 - k^2$$

$$\Rightarrow ky = hx - (h^2 - k^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \left(\frac{h}{k}\right)x - \left(\frac{h^2 - k^2}{k}\right)$$

which is a tangent to the parabola  $y^2 = 4ax$ . So

$$c = \frac{a}{m}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{k^2 - h^2}{k}\right) = \frac{ak}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow ak^2 = k^2h - h^3$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2(h - a) = h^3$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

$$y^2(x - a) = x^3$$

12. Let  $M(h, k)$  be the mid-point of the chord of length  $2d$  inclined at an angle  $\theta$  with the  $x$ -axis. Then its extremities are

$$(h + d \cos \theta, k + d \sin \theta)$$

$$\text{and } (h - d \cos \theta, k - d \sin \theta)$$

These extremities lie on the hyperbola  $xy = c^2$

$$\text{So, } (h + d \cos \theta)(k + d \sin \theta) = c^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{and } (h - d \cos \theta)(k - d \sin \theta) = c^2 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Adding and subtracting Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$hk + d^2 \sin \theta \cos \theta = c^2 \quad \dots(iii)$$

$$\text{and } h \sin \theta + k \cos \theta = 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } \tan \theta = -\frac{k}{h} \quad \dots(iv)$$

Eliminating  $\theta$  between Eqs (iii) and (iv), we get

$$(hk - c^2) \left(\frac{h^2 + k^2}{h^2}\right) = \frac{d^2 k}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow (hk - c^2)(h^2 + k^2) = d^2 hk$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

$$(xy - c^2)(x^2 + y^2) = d^2 xy$$

13. Let the mid-point be  $M(h, k)$ .

The equation of the chord of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is

$$T = S_1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{hx}{a^2} - \frac{ky}{b^2} = \frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{ky}{b^2} = \frac{hx}{a^2} - \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \left(\frac{b^2 h}{a^2 k}\right)x - \frac{b^2}{k} \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)$$

which is a tangent to the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = c^2$ . So

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

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{b^2}{k} \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)\right)^2 = c^2 \left(1 + \frac{b^4 h^2}{a^4 k^2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b^4}{k^2} \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)^2 = c^2 \left(1 + \frac{b^4 h^2}{a^4 k^2}\right)$$

Hence, the locus of the mid-point  $M(h, k)$  is

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

14. Let the mid-point be  $M(h, k)$ .

The equation of the chord of the circle

$$x^2 + y^2 = a^2 \text{ is}$$

$$T = S_1$$

$$\Rightarrow hx + ky = h^2 + k^2$$

$$\Rightarrow ky = -hx + (h^2 + k^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -\left(\frac{h}{k}\right)x + \left(\frac{h^2 + k^2}{k}\right)$$

which is a tangent to the hyperbola. So

$$c^2 = a^2 m^2 - b^2$$

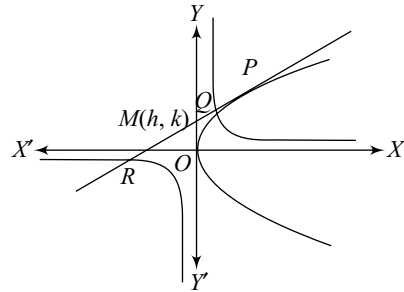
$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{h^2 + k^2}{k}\right)^2 = a^2 \left(\frac{h}{k}\right)^2 - b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (h^2 + k^2)^2 = (a^2 h^2 - k^2 b^2)$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

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

15. Let the point  $P$  be  $(at^2, 2at)$ .



The equation of the tangent to the parabola at  $P$  is

$$yt = x + at^2 \quad \dots(i)$$

Given hyperbola is

$$xy = c^2 \quad \dots(ii)$$

The equation of the chord of the hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  at  $M(h, k)$  is

$$xk + yh = 2hk \quad \dots(ii)$$

So, Eqs (i) and (ii) are the same line. So

$$\frac{1}{k} = -\frac{t}{h} = -\frac{at^2}{2hk}$$

$$\Rightarrow t = -\frac{h}{k} \text{ and } t^2 = -\frac{2h}{a}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{h^2}{k^2} = -\frac{2h}{a}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{h}{k^2} = -\frac{2}{a}$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 = -\frac{ah}{2}$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

$$y^2 = -\frac{ax}{2}$$

which is a parabola.

16. The equation of the chord of contact of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  is  $hx + ky = a^2$  ... (i) and the equation of the normal chord of the hyperbola is

$$ax \cos \varphi + by \cot \varphi = a^2 + b^2 \quad \dots \text{(ii)}$$

Solving, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{a \cos \varphi}{h} &= \frac{b \cot \varphi}{k} = \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a^2} \\ \Rightarrow \cos \varphi &= \frac{(a^2 + b^2)h}{a^3}, \cot \varphi = \frac{(a^2 + b^2)k}{a^2b} \\ \Rightarrow \cos \varphi &= \frac{(a^2 + b^2)h}{a^3}, \sin \varphi = \frac{bh}{ak} \end{aligned}$$

We know that  $\sin^2 \varphi + \cos^2 \varphi = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{bh}{ak}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{(a^2 + b^2)h}{a^3}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{h^2}{a^2} \left(\frac{b^2}{k^2} + \left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{a^2}\right)^2\right) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{b^2}{k^2} + \left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{a^2}\right)^2\right) = \frac{a^2}{h^2}$$

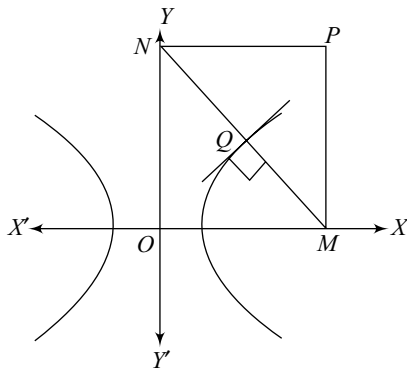
$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{a^2}{h^2} - \frac{b^2}{k^2}\right) = \left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{a^2}\right)^2$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

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

17. The equation of any normal to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is

$$ax \cos \varphi + by \cot \varphi = (a^2 + b^2) \quad \dots \text{(i)}$$



Since the normal (i) meets the  $x$ -axis at  $M$  and  $y$ -axis at  $N$  respectively. Then,

$$M = \left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{a \cos \varphi}, 0\right) \text{ and } N = \left(0, \left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{b}\right) \tan \varphi\right)$$

Let the co-ordinates of the point  $P$  be  $(\alpha, \beta)$ .

Since  $PM$  and  $PN$  are perpendicular to the axes, so the co-ordinates of  $P$  are

$$\left(\left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{a}\right) \sec \varphi, \left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{b}\right) \tan \varphi\right)$$

Therefore,

$$\alpha = \left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{a}\right) \sec \varphi \text{ and } \beta = \left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{b}\right) \tan \varphi$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha \left(\frac{a}{a^2 + b^2}\right) = \sec \varphi \text{ and } \beta \left(\frac{b}{a^2 + b^2}\right) = \tan \varphi$$

As we know that,  $\sec^2 \varphi - \tan^2 \varphi = 1$

$$\alpha^2 \left(\frac{a}{a^2 + b^2}\right)^2 - \beta^2 \left(\frac{b}{a^2 + b^2}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha^2 a^2 - \beta^2 b^2 = (a^2 + b^2)^2$$

Hence, the locus of  $(\alpha, \beta)$  is

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

18. Let the equation of the hyperbola be

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ and the point of intersection be } P(h, k).$$

The equation of any tangent to the hyperbola is

$$y = mx + \sqrt{a^2 m^2 - b^2}$$

which is passing through  $P(h, k)$ .

$$k = mh + \sqrt{a^2 m^2 - b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow (k - mh)^2 = (a^2 m^2 - b^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (h^2 - a^2)m^2 - 2(kh)m + (k^2 + b^2) = 0$$

It has two roots, say  $m_1$  and  $m_2$

$$\text{Thus, } m_1 + m_2 = \frac{2hk}{(h^2 - a^2)}$$

$$\text{and } m_1 m_2 = \frac{k^2 + b^2}{h^2 - a^2}$$

Clearly,  $\beta = \theta_1 - \theta_2$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \beta = \tan (\theta_1 - \theta_2)$$

$$= \frac{\tan \theta_1 - \tan \theta_2}{1 + \tan \theta_1 \tan \theta_2}$$

$$= \frac{m_1 - m_2}{1 + m_1 m_2}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{(m_1 + m_2)^2 - 4 m_1 m_2}}{1 + m_1 m_2}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{\frac{4h^2 k^2}{(h^2 - a^2)^2} - 4 \left(\frac{k^2 + b^2}{h^2 - a^2}\right)}}{1 + \left(\frac{k^2 + b^2}{h^2 - a^2}\right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^2 \beta \left( \frac{h^2 + k^2 + b^2 - a^2}{h^2 - a^2} \right)^2$$

$$= \frac{4h^2k^2 - 4(k^2 + b^2)(h^2 - a^2)}{(h^2 - a^2)^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow (h^2 + k^2 + b^2 - a^2) \tan^2 \beta$$

$$= 4(h^2k^2 - (k^2 + b^2)(h^2 - a^2))$$

$$\Rightarrow (h^2 + k^2 + b^2 - a^2)^2 \tan^2 \beta = 4(a^2k^2 + h^2b^2 + a^2b^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (h^2 + k^2 + b^2 - a^2)^2 = 4 \cot^2 \beta (a^2k^2 - h^2b^2 + a^2b^2)$$

Hence, the locus of  $P(h, k)$  is

$$(x^2 + y^2 + b^2 - a^2)^2 = 4 \cot^2 \beta (a^2y^2 - b^2x^2 + a^2b^2)$$

19. Let the hyperbola be  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  ... (i)

and its conjugate be  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = -1$  ... (ii)

The equation of any tangent, say  $AB$  at  $(p, q)$  is

$$\frac{px}{a^2} - \frac{qy}{b^2} = -1$$
 ... (iii)

where  $\frac{p^2}{a^2} - \frac{q^2}{b^2} + 1 = 0$

i.e.  $b^2p^2 - a^2q^2 + a^2b^2 = 0$

Eliminating  $y$  between Eqs (i) and (iii), we get

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{1}{b^2} \left( 1 + \frac{xp}{a^2} \right)^2 \left( \frac{b^2}{q} \right)^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{1}{a^2} - \frac{p^2b^2}{a^4q^2} \right) x^2 - \left( \frac{2pb^2}{a^2q^2} \right) x - \left( \frac{b^2}{p^2} + 1 \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{a^2b^2}{a^4q^2} \right) x^2 - \left( \frac{2pb^2}{a^2q^2} \right) x - \left( \frac{b^2}{p^2} + 1 \right) = 0$$

Let its roots are  $x_1$  and  $x_2$ . Then

$$x_1 + x_2 = \frac{2p}{q^2} \cdot \frac{b^2}{a^2} \div \frac{a^2b^2}{a^4q^2} = 2p$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x_1 + x_2}{2} = p$$

Similarly  $\frac{y_1 + y_2}{2} = q$

Hence, the point of contact is the mid-point of the chord  $AB$ .

20. Let the equation of the hyperbola be

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

and its conjugate be  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = -1$ .

The equation of any line parallel to the conjugate axis be  $x = k$ .

Let  $P$  be  $\left( k, \frac{b}{a} \sqrt{k^2 - a^2} \right)$

and  $Q$  be  $\left( k, \frac{b}{a} \sqrt{k^2 + a^2} \right)$

The equation of the tangent at  $P$  to the hyperbola is

$$\frac{xk}{a^2} - \frac{y}{ab} \sqrt{k^2 - a^2} = 1$$
 ... (i)

and the equation of the tangent at  $Q$  to the conjugate hyperbola is

$$\frac{xk}{a^2} - \frac{y}{ab} \sqrt{k^2 + a^2} = -1$$
 ... (ii)

Squaring and adding Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$k^2 = \frac{1}{\frac{x^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2}{a^2b^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow k = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{x^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2}{a^2b^2}}}$$

Solving, we get

$$x = \frac{1}{2k} \left( \frac{ay}{b} \right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = \frac{1}{4k^2} \left( \frac{ay}{b} \right)^4$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = \frac{1}{4} \left( \frac{ay}{b} \right)^4 \times \left( \frac{x^2}{a^4} + \frac{y^2}{a^2b^2} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{4x^2}{a^2} = \frac{y^4}{b^4} \times \left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} \right)$$

21. Let the mid-point be  $M(h, k)$ .

The equation of the chord is

$$T = S_1$$

$$\Rightarrow hx + ky = h^2 + k^2$$

$$\Rightarrow ky = -hx + (h^2 + k^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -\left( \frac{h}{k} \right) x + \left( \frac{h^2 + k^2}{k} \right)$$
 ... (i)

which is a tangent to the hyperbola

$$9x^2 - 16y^2 = 144$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$$
 ... (ii)

So,  $c^2 = a^2m^2 - b^2$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{h^2 + k^2}{k} \right)^2 = 16 \left( -\frac{h}{k} \right)^2 - 9$$

$$\Rightarrow (h^2 + k^2)^2 = 16h^2 - 9k^2$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

$$(x^2 + y^2)^2 = 16x^2 - 9y^2$$

22. Given hyperbola is

$$2x^2 + 5xy + 2y^2 + 4x + 5y = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

The equation of the asymptote of the above hyperbola is

$$2x^2 + 5xy + 2y^2 + 4x + 5y + k = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

If (ii) is an asymptote of (i), then

$$abc + 2fgh - af^2 - bg^2 - ch^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \cdot 2 \cdot k + 2 \cdot \frac{5}{2} \cdot \frac{4}{2} \cdot \frac{5}{2} - 2 \cdot \frac{25}{4} - 2 \cdot 4 - k \cdot \frac{25}{4} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 16 \cdot k + 100 - 50 - 32 - 25k = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9k = 18$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 2$$

Putting  $k = 2$  in Eq. (ii), we get

$$2x^2 + 5xy + 2y^2 + 4x + 5y + 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2x + y + 2)(x + 2y + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2x + y + 2) = 0, (x + 2y + 1) = 0$$

Hence, the equation of the hyperbola is

$$(2x + y + 2)(x + 2y + 1) = c$$

23. Let the equation of the hyperbola is

$$(x + 2y + 3)(3x + 4y + 5) = c$$

which is passing through  $(1, -1)$ . So

$$(1 - 2 + 3)(3 - 4 + 5) = c$$

$$\Rightarrow c = 2 \cdot 4 = 8$$

Hence, the equation of the hyperbola is

$$(x + 2y + 3)(3x + 4y + 5) = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x^2 + 10xy + 8y^2 + 14x + 22y + 7 = 0$$

24. Let the point  $P$  be  $(a \sec \phi, b \tan \phi)$ .

The equation of the tangent to the hyperbola at  $P$  is

$$\frac{x}{a} \sec \phi - \frac{y}{b} \tan \phi = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

and the equation of the asymptotes to the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ is}$$

$$\frac{x}{a} = \frac{y}{b} \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$\text{and } \frac{x}{a} = -\frac{y}{b} \quad \dots(iii)$$

Solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$Q = \left( \frac{a \cos \phi}{1 - \sin \phi}, \frac{b \cos \phi}{1 - \sin \phi} \right)$$

$$\text{and } R = \left( \frac{a \cos \phi}{1 + \sin \phi}, \frac{-b \cos \phi}{1 + \sin \phi} \right)$$

Let  $O$  be the centre of the circle passing through  $C, Q$  and  $R$  having its co-ordinate as  $(h, k)$ .

Thus,  $OC = OQ = OR$

Now,  $OC = OQ$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 + k^2 = \left( h - \frac{a \cos \phi}{1 - \sin \phi} \right)^2 + \left( k - \frac{b \cos \phi}{1 - \sin \phi} \right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(ah + bk) = (a^2 + b^2) \left( \frac{\cos \phi}{1 - \sin \phi} \right) \quad \dots(iv)$$

Also,  $OC = OR$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 + k^2 = \left( h - \frac{a \cos \phi}{1 + \sin \phi} \right)^2 + \left( k + \frac{b \cos \phi}{1 + \sin \phi} \right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(ah - bk) = (a^2 + b^2) \left( \frac{\cos \phi}{1 + \sin \phi} \right) \quad \dots(v)$$

Multiplying Eqs (iv) and (v), we get

$$4(a^2 h^2 - b^2 k^2) = (a^2 + b^2)^2$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$4(a^2 x^2 - b^2 y^2) = (a^2 + b^2)^2$$

25. The area of the  $\Delta PQR$

$$\begin{aligned} & \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & \frac{c^2}{x_1} & 1 \\ x_2 & \frac{c^2}{x_2} & 1 \\ x_3 & \frac{c^2}{x_3} & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & \frac{c^2}{x_1} & 1 \\ x_2 & \frac{c^2}{x_2} & 1 \\ x_3 & \frac{c^2}{x_3} & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{c^2}{2} \times \frac{1}{x_1 x_2 x_3} \begin{vmatrix} x_1^2 & 1 & x_1 \\ x_2^2 & 1 & x_2 \\ x_3^2 & 1 & x_3 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \frac{c^2}{2} \times \frac{(x_1 - x_2)(x_2 - x_3)(x_3 - x_1)}{x_1 x_2 x_3} \end{aligned}$$

### LEVEL IV

1. The equation of any tangent to the parabola

$$x^2 = 4ay \text{ is } x = my + \frac{a}{m}$$

$$\Rightarrow mx - m^2 y - a = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

Let the mid-point be  $M(h, k)$ .

The equation of the chord of the hyperbola

$$xy = c^2 \text{ is}$$

$$xk + yh - 2c^2 = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Since the lines (i) and (ii) are the same line, so

$$\frac{m}{k} = -\frac{m^2}{h} = \frac{a}{2c^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{ak}{2c^2} \text{ and } m^2 = -\frac{ah}{2c^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{ak}{2c^2} \right)^2 = -\frac{ah}{2c^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a^2 k^2}{c^4} = -\frac{2ah}{c^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 = -\left( \frac{2c^2}{a} \right) h$$

Hence, the locus of  $M$  is

$$y^2 = -\left( \frac{2c^2}{a} \right) x$$

which is a parabola



2. Given hyperbola is  $25x^2 - 16y^2 = 400$

$$\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{25} = 1$$

The equation of the chord of the hyperbola bisected at  $(6, 2)$  is

$$\begin{aligned} T &= S_1 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{6x}{16} - \frac{2y}{25} &= \frac{36}{16} - \frac{4}{25} \\ \Rightarrow 150x - 32y &= 900 - 64 \\ \Rightarrow 150x - 32y &= 836 \\ \Rightarrow 75x - 16y &= 418 \end{aligned}$$

3. Let the mid-point be  $M(h, k)$ .

The equation of the chord bisected at  $M$  to the given circle is

$$\begin{aligned} hx + ky &= h^2 + k^2 \\ \Rightarrow ky &= -hx + (h^2 + k^2) \\ \Rightarrow y &= -\left(\frac{h}{k}\right)x + \left(\frac{h^2 + k^2}{k}\right) \end{aligned}$$

which is a tangent to the given hyperbola. So

$$\begin{aligned} c^2 &= a^2m^2 - b^2 \\ \Rightarrow \left(\frac{h^2 + k^2}{k}\right)^2 &= 16\left(\frac{h}{k}\right)^2 - 9 \\ \Rightarrow (h^2 + k^2)^2 &= 16h^2 - 9k^2 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$(x^2 + y^2)^2 = 16x^2 - 9y^2$$

4. The equation of any tangent to the given hyperbola is

$$\begin{aligned} y &= mx + \sqrt{a^2m^2 - b^2} \\ \Rightarrow mx - y + \sqrt{a^2m^2 - b^2} &= 0 \end{aligned} \quad \dots(i)$$

Let the mid-point be  $M(h, k)$ .

The equation of the chord of the ellipse is

$$\begin{aligned} T &= S_1 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{hx}{a^2} + \frac{ky}{b^2} &= \frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2} \end{aligned} \quad \dots(ii)$$

Since the lines (i) and (ii) are the same line. So

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{m}{(h/a^2)} &= \frac{-1}{(k/b^2)} = \frac{\sqrt{a^2m^2 - b^2}}{\left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)} \\ \Rightarrow m &= -\frac{(h/a^2)}{(k/b^2)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and } \sqrt{a^2m^2 - b^2} = -\frac{\left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)}{(k/b^2)}$$

Solving, we get

$$\begin{aligned} (a^2m^2 - b^2) &= \frac{\left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)^2}{(k/b^2)^2} \\ \Rightarrow \left(\frac{k}{b^2}\right)^2 \left(a^2\left(\frac{hb^2}{ka^2}\right)^2 - b^2\right) &= \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)^2 \\ \Rightarrow \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} - \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right) &= \left(\frac{h^2}{a^2} + \frac{k^2}{b^2}\right)^2 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the locus of  $M$  is

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

5. Let the parameters of the vertices  $A, B$  and  $C$  of the points on the hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  be  $t_1, t_2$  and  $t_3$  respectively.

Now the equation of the side  $BC$  is

$$x + yt_2t_3 - c(t_2 + t_3) = 0$$

Any line through  $A$  perpendicular to  $BC$  is

$$\begin{aligned} y - \frac{c}{t_1} &= t_2t_3(x - ct_1) \\ \Rightarrow y - xt_2t_3 &= \frac{c}{t_1} - ct_1t_2t_3 \end{aligned} \quad \dots(i)$$

Similarly, any line through  $B$  perpendicular to  $AC$  is

$$y - xt_1t_3 = \frac{c}{t_2} - ct_1t_2t_3 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Solving Eqs (i) and (ii), we get, the orthocentre as

$$\left(-\frac{c}{t_1t_2t_3}, -ct_1t_2t_3\right).$$

Clearly, it satisfies the hyperbola

$$xy = c^2$$

Hence, the result.

6. The equation of the normal to the rectangular hyperbola is

$$xt^3 - yt = c(t^4 - 1) \quad \dots(i)$$

Let the pole be  $M(h, k)$ .

The equation of the polar at  $M$  is

$$xk + yh = 2c^2 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Since the lines (i) and (ii) are the same line, so

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{t^3}{k} = \frac{-t}{h} &= \frac{c(t^4 - 1)}{2c^2} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{t^3}{k} = \frac{-t}{h} &= \frac{(t^4 - 1)}{2c} \end{aligned}$$

Solving, we get

$$\begin{aligned} t^2 &= -\frac{k}{h}, \frac{t^2}{h^2} = \frac{(t^4 - 1)^2}{4c^2} \\ \Rightarrow -\frac{k}{h^3} &= \frac{(t^4 - 1)^2}{4c^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{k}{h^3} = \frac{\left(\frac{k^2}{h^2} - 1\right)^2}{4c^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow -4c^2kh = (k^2 - h^2)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (h^2 - k^2)^2 + 4c^2hk = 0$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$(x^2 - y^2)^2 + 4c^2xy = 0$$

7. Let the equation of the circle be

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + k = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

and the equation of the rectangular hyperbola is  $xy = c^2 \quad \dots(ii)$

Putting  $x = ct$  and  $yc/t$ , then

$$c^2t^2 + \frac{c^2}{t^2} + 2g(ct) + 2f\left(\frac{c}{t}\right) + k = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow c^2t^4 + c^2 + 2g(ct^3) + 2f(ct) + kt^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow c^2t^4 + 2gct^3 + kt^2 + 2fct + c^2 = 0$$

which is a bi-quadratic equation of  $t$ . So, it has four roots  $t_1, t_2, t_3$  and  $t_4$ . Then

$$\Sigma t_1 = -\frac{2g}{c}$$

$$\Sigma t_1t_2 = \frac{k}{c^2}$$

$$\Sigma t_1t_2t_3 = -\frac{2f}{c}$$

and  $\Sigma t_1t_2t_3t_4 = 1$

Also,  $\Sigma \frac{1}{t_1} = \frac{\Sigma t_1t_2t_3}{\Sigma t_1t_2t_3t_4} = -\frac{2f}{c}$

Now,  $(-g, -f)$

$$= \left( \frac{c}{2} \left( -\frac{2g}{c} \right), \frac{c}{2} \left( -\frac{2f}{c} \right) \right)$$

$$= \left( \frac{c}{2} (t_1 + t_2 + t_3 + t_4), \frac{c}{2} \left( \frac{1}{t_1} + \frac{1}{t_2} + \frac{1}{t_3} + \frac{1}{t_4} \right) \right)$$

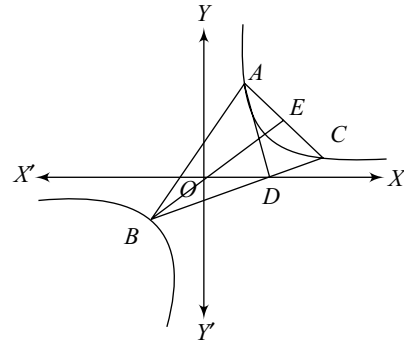
$$= \left( \frac{c}{2} \left( t_1 + t_2 + t_3 + \frac{1}{t_1t_2t_3} \right), \frac{c}{2} \left( \frac{1}{t_1} + \frac{1}{t_2} + \frac{1}{t_3} + t_1t_2t_3 \right) \right)$$

8. Let  $t_1, t_2$  and  $t_3$  are the vertices of  $\Delta ABC$  described on the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$ .

So the co-ordinates of  $A, B$  and  $C$  are

$$\left( ct_1, \frac{c}{t_1} \right), \left( ct_2, \frac{c}{t_2} \right) \text{ and } \left( ct_3, \frac{c}{t_3} \right) \text{ respectively}$$

Now, slope of  $BC = -\frac{1}{t_2t_3}$



Slope of  $AD = t_2t_3$

Now the equation of the altitude  $AD$  is

$$y - \frac{c}{t_1} = t_2t_3(x - ct_1) \quad \dots(i)$$

Similarly, equation of the altitude  $BE$  is

$$y - \frac{c}{t_2} = t_1t_3(x - ct_2) \quad \dots(ii)$$

Solving, Eqs (i) and (ii), we get the co-ordinates of the orthocentre as

$$\left( -\frac{c}{t_1t_2t_3}, -ct_1t_2t_3 \right)$$

which lies on  $xy = c^2$ .

9. Let the equation of the circle be

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + k = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

and the equation of the rectangular hyperbola is  $xy = c^2 \quad \dots(ii)$

Putting  $x = ct$  and  $yc/t$ , then

$$c^2t^2 + \frac{c^2}{t^2} + 2g(ct) + 2f\left(\frac{c}{t}\right) + k = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow c^2t^4 + c^2 + 2g(ct^3) + 2f(ct) + kt^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow c^2t^4 + 2gct^3 + kt^2 + 2fct + c^2 = 0$$

which is a bi-quadratic equation of  $t$ . So, it has four roots, say  $t_1, t_2, t_3$  and  $t_4$ .

Then  $\Sigma t_1 = -\frac{2g}{c}$

$$\Sigma t_1t_2 = \frac{k}{c^2}$$

$$\Sigma t_1t_2t_3 = -\frac{2f}{c}$$

and  $\Sigma t_1t_2t_3t_4 = 1$

Also,  $\Sigma \frac{1}{t_1} = \frac{\Sigma t_1t_2t_3}{\Sigma t_1t_2t_3t_4} = -\frac{2f}{c}$

The centre of the mean position of the four points is

$$\left( \frac{c}{4} (t_1 + t_2 + t_3 + t_4), \frac{c}{4} \left( \frac{1}{t_1} + \frac{1}{t_2} + \frac{1}{t_3} + \frac{1}{t_4} \right) \right)$$

$$= \left( \frac{c}{4} \Sigma t_1, \frac{c}{4} \Sigma \frac{1}{t_1} \right)$$

$$= \left( -\frac{g}{2}, -\frac{f}{2} \right)$$

Thus, the centres of the circle and the rectangular hyperbola are  $(-g, -f)$  and  $(0, 0)$ .

and the mid-points of the centres of the circle and the hyperbola is  $\left(-\frac{g}{2}, -\frac{f}{2}\right)$

Hence, the result.

10. Let the equation of the circle be  $x^2 + y^2 - 6\alpha x - 6\beta y + k = 0$  ... (i)

and the equation of the rectangular hyperbola is  $x^2 - y^2 = 9a^2$  ... (ii)

Eliminating  $y$  between Eqs (i) and (ii), we get

$$(x^2 + x^2 - 9a^2 - 6\alpha x + k)^2 = 36\beta^2(x^2 - 9a^2)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^4 - 24\alpha x^3 + (\dots)x^2 + (\dots)x + \dots = 0$$

which is a bi-quadratic equation of  $x$ .

Let the abscissae of four points  $P, Q, R, S$  be  $x_1, x_2, x_3$  and  $x_4$ , respectively.

$$\text{Thus, } x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 6\alpha$$

$$\text{Similarly, } y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + y_4 = 6\beta$$

Let  $(h, k)$  be the centroid of  $\Delta PQR$ . So

$$h = \frac{x_1 + x_2 + x_3}{3}, k = \frac{y_1 + y_2 + y_3}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow h = \frac{6\alpha - x_4}{3}, k = \frac{6\beta - y_4}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_4 = 6\alpha - 3h, y_4 = 6\beta - 3k$$

Since  $(x_4, y_4)$  lies on the curve, so

$$x_4^2 - y_4^2 = 9a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (6\alpha - 3h)^2 - (6\beta - 3k)^2 = 9a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (2\alpha - h)^2 - (2\beta - k)^2 = a^2$$

Hence, the locus of  $(h, k)$  is

$$(2\alpha - x)^2 - (2\beta - y)^2 = a^2$$

$$(x - 2\alpha)^2 - (y - 2\beta)^2 = a^2$$

### Integer Type Questions

1.  $e = \sqrt{1 + \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 + \frac{12}{4}} = \sqrt{4} = 2$

2. We have,

$$e = \sqrt{1 + \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 + \frac{81}{144}} = \sqrt{\frac{225}{144}} = \frac{15}{12} = \frac{5}{4}$$

Also,  $a^2 = \frac{144}{25}$

Thus, the foci are

$$(\pm ae, 0) = \left(\pm \frac{12}{5} \times \frac{5}{4}, 0\right) = (\pm 3, 0)$$

Now, for the ellipse,

$$ae = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 c^2 = 9$$

Thus,  $b^2 = a^2(1 - e^2) = a^2 - a^2 e^2$   
 $= 16 - 9 = 7$

Hence, the value of  $(b^2 + 1)$  is 8.

3. Clearly,  $\frac{1}{e_1^2} + \frac{1}{e_2^2} = \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{b^2}{a^2}\right)} + \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{a^2}{b^2}\right)}$   
 $= \frac{a^2}{a^2 + b^2} + \frac{b^2}{a^2 + b^2}$   
 $= \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a^2 + b^2} = 1$

Hence, the value of  $\left(\frac{1}{e_1^2} + \frac{1}{e_2^2} + 3\right)$  is 4.

4. Clearly, the point  $(4, 3)$  lies on the hyperbola. So, the number of tangents is 1.

5. The director circle of the given circle  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  is  $x^2 + y^2 = 2a^2$

So the radius of the circle is  $a\sqrt{2}$ , whereas the length of the transverse axis is  $a\sqrt{3}$ .

So, the director circle and the hyperbola will never intersect.

So, the number of points is zero.

6. Given hyperbola is

$$9x^2 - 16y^2 - 18x - 32y - 151 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9(x^2 - 2x) - (y^2 + 2y) = 151$$

$$\Rightarrow 9(x - 1)^2 - 16(y + 1)^2 = 144$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(x - 1)^2}{16} - \frac{(y + 1)^2}{9} = 1$$

$$\text{Latus rectum} = m = \frac{2b^2}{a} = \frac{2 \cdot 9}{4} = \frac{9}{2}$$

Hence, the value of  $2m - 3 = 9 - 3 = 6$ .

7. No real tangent can be drawn.

So, the value of  $m$  is zero.

Hence, the value of  $(m + 4)$  is 4.

8. Given hyperbola is

$$16x^2 - 9y^2 = 144$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$$

The equation of any tangent to the given hyperbola is

$$y = mx + \sqrt{a^2 m^2 - b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = mx + \sqrt{9m^2 - 16}$$

It is given that,

$$\sqrt{(9m^2 - 16)} = 2\sqrt{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow (9m^2 - 16) = 20$$

$$\Rightarrow 9m^2 = 36$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 = 4$$

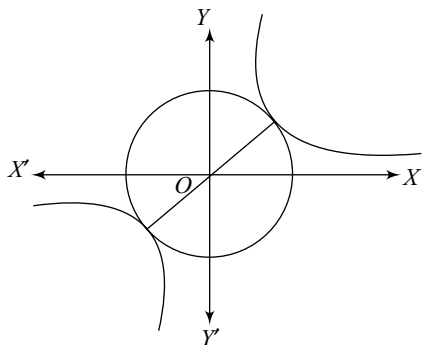
$$\Rightarrow m = \pm 2$$

So,  $a + b = 2 - 2 = 0$

Hence, the value of  $(a + b + 3)$  is 3.

9. Given curves are  $xy = c, (c > 0)$

and  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$



Hence, the distance between the points of contact = diameter of a circle = 2

10. The equation of the asymptotes of  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  are

$$\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 0, \frac{x}{a} - \frac{y}{b} = 0$$

i.e.  $bx + ay = 0, bx - ay = 0$

Let any point on the hyperbola be

$$P(a \sec \varphi, b \tan \varphi).$$

It is given that,  $p_1 p_2 = 6$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{ab \sec \varphi + ab \tan \varphi}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} \right| \left| \frac{ab \sec \varphi - ab \tan \varphi}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} \right| = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a^2 b^2 (\sec^2 \varphi - \tan^2 \varphi)}{(a^2 + b^2)} = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a^2 b^2}{(a^2 + b^2)} = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a^2 \cdot 2a^2}{(a^2 + 2a^2)} = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a^2 = 18$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a = 6$$

$\therefore$  Length of the transverse axis = 6

11. The equation of the tangent to the hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  at

$$\left( ct, \frac{c}{t} \right) \text{ is}$$

$$x + yt^2 = 2ct \quad \dots(i)$$

Thus,  $T = (2ct, 0)$  and  $T' = \left( 0, \frac{2c}{t} \right)$ .

The equation of the normal to the hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  at

$$\left( ct, \frac{c}{t} \right) \text{ is}$$

$$xt^3 - yt - ct^4 + c = 0 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Thus,  $N = \left( ct - \frac{c}{t^3}, 0 \right)$  and  $N' = \left( 0, \frac{c}{t} - ct^3 \right)$ .

Now,  $\Delta = ar(\Delta PNT)$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} ct & \frac{c}{t} & 1 \\ ct - \frac{c}{t^3} & 0 & 1 \\ 2ct & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{c^2}{2t} \left( t + \frac{1}{t^3} \right)$$

$$= \frac{c^2}{2} \left( 1 + \frac{1}{t^4} \right)$$

and  $\Delta' = ar(\Delta PN'T')$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} ct & \frac{c}{t} & 1 \\ 0 & \frac{c}{t} - ct^3 & 1 \\ 0 & \frac{2c}{t} & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \left| \frac{ct}{2} \left( \frac{c}{t} - ct^3 - \frac{2c}{t} \right) \right|$$

$$= \frac{ct}{2} \left( ct^3 + \frac{c}{t} \right)$$

$$= \frac{c^2}{2} (t^4 + 1)$$

Now,  $\frac{1}{\Delta} + \frac{1}{\Delta'} = \frac{2}{c^2} \left( \frac{t^4}{t^4 + 1} \right) + \frac{2}{c^2} \left( \frac{1}{t^4 + 1} \right)$

$$= \frac{2}{c^2} \left( \frac{t^4 + 1}{t^4 + 1} \right)$$

$$= \frac{2}{c^2}$$

Hence, the value of  $\left( \frac{c^2}{\Delta} + \frac{c^2}{\Delta'} + 4 \right)$  is 6.

12. The equation of the given hyperbola is  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ .

Thus, the equations of the asymptotes are

$$\left( \frac{x}{3} + \frac{y}{2} \right) \left( \frac{x}{3} - \frac{y}{2} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{x}{3} + \frac{y}{2} \right) = 0 \text{ and } \left( \frac{x}{3} - \frac{y}{2} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + 3y = 0 \text{ and } 2x - 3y = 0$$

The equation of any tangent to the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1 \text{ is}$$

$$\frac{x}{3} \sec \phi - \frac{y}{2} \tan \phi = 1$$

Let the points of intersection of  $2x + 3y = 0$ ,  $2x - 3y = 0$  and

$$\frac{x}{3} \sec \phi - \frac{y}{2} \tan \phi = 1 \text{ are}$$

$O$ ,  $P$  and  $Q$  respectively.

Therefore,  $O = (0, 0)$ ,

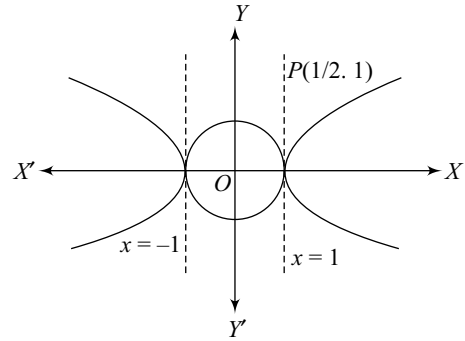
$$P = \left( \frac{3}{\sec \phi + \tan \phi}, -\frac{2}{\sec \phi + \tan \phi} \right)$$

and  $Q = \left( \frac{3}{\sec \phi - \tan \phi}, \frac{2}{\sec \phi - \tan \phi} \right)$

Hence, the area of  $\Delta OPQ$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ \frac{3}{\sec \phi + \tan \phi} & -\frac{2}{\sec \phi + \tan \phi} \\ \frac{3}{\sec \phi - \tan \phi} & \frac{2}{\sec \phi - \tan \phi} \\ 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (6 + 6) = 6 \text{ sq. u.}$$



Thus,  $x = 1$  is nearer to  $P(1/2, 1)$ .

Therefore, the directrix of the ellipse is  $x = 1$ .

Let  $Q(x, y)$  be any point on the ellipse.

Now, the length of the perpendicular from  $Q$  to the directrix  $x - 1 = 0$  is

$$|x - 1|.$$

By the definition of the ellipse, we have

$$QP = e|x - 1|$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{\left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + (y - 1)^2} = e|x - 1|$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + (y - 1)^2 = e^2|x - 1|^2$$

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

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - x + \frac{1}{4} + y^2 - 2y + 1 = \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - x + y^2 - 2y + 1 = \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{x}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 - 4x + 4y^2 - 8y + 4 = x^2 - 2x$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x^2 + 4y^2 - 2x - 8y + 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (3x^2 - 2x) + (4y^2 - 8y) + 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3\left(x^2 - \frac{2}{3}x\right) + 4(y^2 - 2y) + 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3\left\{\left(x - \frac{1}{3}\right)^2 - \frac{1}{9}\right\} + 4\{(y - 1)^2 - 1\} + 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3\left(x - \frac{1}{3}\right)^2 + 4(y - 1)^2 = -4 + \frac{1}{3} + 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 3\left(x - \frac{1}{3}\right)^2 + 4(y - 1)^2 = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\left(x - \frac{1}{3}\right)^2}{1/9} + \frac{(y - 1)^2}{1/12} = 1$$

### Previous Years' JEE-Advanced Examinations

1. Given curve is

$$\frac{x^2}{1-r} - \frac{y^2}{1+r} = 1, r > 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (1+r)x^2 - (1-r)y^2 = (1-r)(1+r)$$

$$\Rightarrow (1+r)x^2 - (1-r)y^2 + (r^2 - 1) = 0$$

$$\text{Now, } h^2 - ab = 0 - (1+r)(r-1)$$

$$= (1-r^2) < 0, \text{ as } r > 1$$

So, it represents an ellipse.

2. Hints

3. Given curve is

$$2x^2 + 3y^2 - 8x - 18y + 35 = k$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(x^2 - 4x) + 3(y^2 - 6y) = k - 35$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\{(x-2)^2 - 4\} + 3\{(y-3)^2 - 9\} = k - 35$$

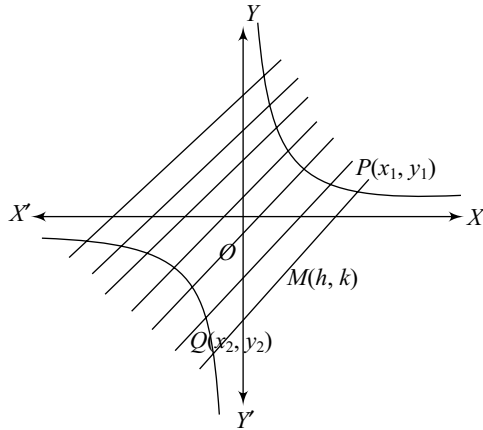
$$\Rightarrow 2(x-2)^2 + 3(y-3)^2 = k - 35 + 8 + 27$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(x-2)^2 + 3(y-3)^2 = k$$

It represents a point if  $k = 0$ .

4. Clearly common tangents of the given curves are  $x = 1$  and  $x = -1$ , respectively.

5. Let  $M(h, k)$  be the point.  
 The equation of any line through  $M(h, k)$  having slope 4 is  
 $y - k = 4(x - h)$   
 Suppose the line meets the curve  $xy = 1$  at  $P(x_1, y_1)$  and  $Q(x_2, y_2)$ .



Now,

$$y - k = 4(x - h)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{x} - k = 4(x - h)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 - (4h - k)x - 1 = 0$$

Let its roots be  $x_1, x_2$ .

$$\therefore x_1 + x_2 = \frac{4h - k}{4} \quad \dots(i)$$

and  $x_1 x_2 = -\frac{1}{4} \quad \dots(ii)$

Also,  $h = \frac{2x_1 + x_2}{3}$

$$2x_1 + x_2 = 3h \quad \dots(iii)$$

From Eqs (i) and (iii), we get

$$x_1 = 3h - \frac{4h - k}{4} = \frac{8h + k}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_2 = 3h - \frac{8h + k}{2} = -\frac{(2h + k)}{2}$$

Putting the values of  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  in Eq. (ii), we get

$$\frac{(8h + k)}{4} \times -\frac{(2h + k)}{2} = -\frac{1}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow (8h + k)(2h + k) = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 16h^2 + 10hk + k^2 - 2 = 0$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is  
 $16x^2 + 10xy + y^2 - 2 = 0$ .

6. Given  $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$  and  $xy = c^2$   
 We have,

$$x^2 + \left(\frac{c^2}{x}\right)^2 = a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^4 + c^4 = a^2 x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^4 - a^2 x^2 + c^4 = 0$$

Let its roots be  $x_1, x_2, x_3$  and  $x_4$ .  
 Thus,  $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 0$   
 and  $x_1 x_2 x_3 x_4 = c^4$   
 Similarly,  $y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + y_4 = 0$   
 and  $y_1 y_2 y_3 y_4 = c^4$

7. Let the point  $P$  be  $(h, k)$   
 The equation of any tangent to the parabola is

$$y = mx + \frac{a}{m} \text{ which is passing through } P(h, k).$$

$$\therefore k = mh + \frac{a}{m}$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 h - km + a = 0$$

Since it has two roots say  $m_1$  and  $m_2$ . Thus,

$$m_1 + m_2 = \frac{k}{m} \text{ and } m_1 m_2 = \frac{a}{h}$$

Now,  $\tan(45^\circ) = \left| \frac{m_2 - m_1}{1 + m_1 m_2} \right|$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{m_2 - m_1}{1 + m_1 m_2} \right)^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (m_2 - m_1)^2 = (1 + m_1 m_2)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (m_2 + m_1)^2 - 4m_1 m_2 = (1 + m_1 m_2)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{k}{h}\right)^2 - 4\left(\frac{a}{h}\right) = \left(1 + \frac{a}{h}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{k^2 - 4ah}{h^2} = \frac{(a + h)^2}{h^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow (a + h)^2 = k^2 - 4ah$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 + 6ah + a^2 = k^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (h + 3a)^2 = k^2 - 8a^2$$

Hence, the locus of  $P(h, k)$  is  
 $(x + 3a)^2 = y^2 - 8a^2$

8. Let  $P(h, k)$  be the point whose chord of contact w.r.t. the hyperbola  $x^2 - y^2 = 9$  is  
 $x = 9 \quad \dots(i)$

Also, the equation of the chord contact of the tangents from  $P(h, k)$  is  
 $hx - ky = 9 \quad \dots(ii)$

Since the Eqs (i) and (ii) are identical, so  
 $h = 1$  and  $k = 0$

Thus, the point  $P$  is  $(1, 0)$ .

The equations of the pair of tangents is  
 $SS_1 = T^2$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 - y^2 - 9)(1 - 0 - 9) = (x - 9)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow -8(x^2 - y^2 - 9) = x^2 - 18x + 81$$

$$\Rightarrow 9x^2 - 8y^2 - 18x + 9 = 0$$

9. The equation of the normal at  $P(a \sec \theta, b \tan \theta)$  is  
 $ax \cos \theta + by \cot \theta = a^2 + b^2$   
 $\Rightarrow ax + by \operatorname{cosec} \theta = (a^2 + b^2) \sec \theta$   
 and the equation of the normal at  $Q(a \sec \phi, b \tan \phi)$  is

$$ax \cos \varphi + by \cot \varphi = a^2 + b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow ax + by \operatorname{cosec} \varphi = (a^2 + b^2) \sec \varphi$$

Solving, we get

$$b(\operatorname{cosec} \theta - \operatorname{cosec} \varphi) y = (a^2 + b^2)(\sec \theta - \sec \varphi)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{b} \right) \left( \frac{\sec \theta - \sec \varphi}{\operatorname{cosec} \theta - \operatorname{cosec} \varphi} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{b} \right) \left( \frac{\operatorname{cosec} \varphi - \operatorname{cosec} \theta}{\operatorname{cosec} \theta - \operatorname{cosec} \varphi} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = - \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{b} \right)$$

Thus,  $k = - \left( \frac{a^2 + b^2}{b} \right)$

10. Given curve is  $\frac{x^2}{\cos^2 \alpha} - \frac{y^2}{\sin^2 \alpha} = 1$

We have

$$b^2 = a^2 (e^2 - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 e^2 = a^2 + b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 e^2 = \cos^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \alpha = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (ae)^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (ae) = \pm 1$$

Abscissae of foci are  $\pm 1$  irrespective of the value of  $\alpha$ .

11. Given hyperbola is  $x^2 - 2y^2 = 4$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{y^2}{2} = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

Given line is

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

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{6}y = -2x + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -\frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}x + \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}x + \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$$

As we know that if the line  $y = mx + c$  be a tangent to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , the co-ordinates of the

point of contact is  $\left( \pm \frac{a^2 m}{c}, \pm \frac{b^2}{c} \right)$ .

$$= \left( \pm \frac{4 \left( -\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \right)}{\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}}, \pm \frac{2}{\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}} \right)$$

$$= (\pm (-4), \pm \sqrt{6})$$

$$= (4, -\sqrt{6}) \text{ satisfies the given curve.}$$

12. Given hyperbola is  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ .

The equation of any point on the above hyperbola is

$$P(3 \sec \theta, 2 \tan \theta).$$

and the equation of the chord of contact of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$  relative to the point  $P$  is

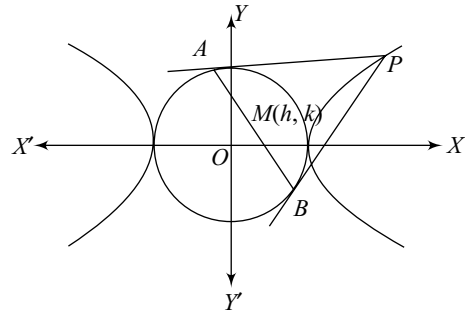
$$3x \sec \theta + 2y \sin \theta = 9 \quad \dots(i)$$

Let  $M(h, k)$  be the mid-point of (i).

The equation of the chord of the circle bisected at  $M$  is

$$T = S_1$$

$$\Rightarrow hx + ky = h^2 + k^2 \quad \dots(ii)$$



Clearly, Eqs (i) and (ii) are identical. So

$$\frac{3 \sec \theta}{h} = \frac{2 \tan \theta}{k} = \frac{9}{h^2 + k^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sec \theta = \frac{3h}{h^2 + k^2}, \tan \theta = \frac{9k}{2(h^2 + k^2)}$$

As we know that,

$$\sec^2 \theta - \tan^2 \theta = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{3h}{h^2 + k^2} \right)^2 - \left( \frac{9k}{2(h^2 + k^2)} \right)^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 36h^2 - 81k^2 = (h^2 + k^2)^2$$

Hence, the locus of  $M(h, k)$  is

$$36x^2 - 81y^2 = (x^2 + y^2)^2$$

13. Let  $e$  be the eccentricity of the given ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$

$$\text{Thus, } e = \sqrt{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{16}{25}} = \frac{3}{5}$$

Therefore, the eccentricity of the hyperbola is  $\frac{5}{3}$ .

$$\text{Also, } ae = 5 \cdot \frac{3}{5} = 3$$

Thus, the hyperbola passes through the focus, i.e.  $(3, 0)$  of the given ellipse.

So, the semi-transverse axis is 3, i.e.  $a = 3$

So, the semi conjugate axis is 4, i.e.  $b = 4$

Hence, the equation of the hyperbola is

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$$

14. Given, the transverse axis =
- $2 \sin \theta$

$$\Rightarrow 2a = 2 \sin \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \sin \theta$$

Given ellipse is

$$3x^2 + 4y^2 = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{3} = 1$$

The eccentricity of the ellipse,

$$e = \sqrt{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{3}{4}} = \frac{1}{2}$$

and the foci of the ellipse =  $(\pm ae, 0)$ 

$$= \left( \pm 2 \cdot \frac{1}{2}, 0 \right) = (\pm 1, 0)$$

Let  $e_1$  be the eccentricity of the hyperbola.

$$\text{Now, } b^2 = a^2(e_1^2 - 1)$$

$$= a^2 e_1^2 - a^2$$

$$= 1 - \sin^2 \theta = \cos^2 \theta$$

Hence, the equation of the hyperbola is

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{\sin^2 \theta} - \frac{y^2}{\cos^2 \theta} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta - y^2 \sec^2 \theta = 1$$

15. Given curve is

$$x^2 - 2y^2 - 2\sqrt{2}x - 4\sqrt{2}y - 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 - 2\sqrt{2}x) - 2(y^2 + 2\sqrt{2}y) = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ (x - \sqrt{2})^2 - 2 \right\} - 2 \left\{ (y + \sqrt{2})^2 - 2 \right\} = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - \sqrt{2})^2 - 2(y + \sqrt{2})^2 = 6 + 2 - 4$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - \sqrt{2})^2 - 2(y + \sqrt{2})^2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(x - \sqrt{2})^2}{4} - \frac{(y + \sqrt{2})^2}{2} = 1$$

Vertex:  $(a, 0)$ 

$$\Rightarrow x - \sqrt{2} = 2, y + \sqrt{2} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \sqrt{2} + 2, y = -\sqrt{2}$$

Thus,  $A(\sqrt{2} + 2, -\sqrt{2})$ Focus:  $x - \sqrt{2} = ae, y + \sqrt{2} = 0$ 

$$\Rightarrow x = \sqrt{2} + 2 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{2}}, y = -\sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \sqrt{2} + \sqrt{6}, y = -\sqrt{2}$$

Therefore, the focus is  $C: (\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{6}, -\sqrt{2})$ 

$$\text{End-point of L.R.} = \left( ae, \frac{b^2}{a} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow x - \sqrt{2} = \sqrt{6}, y + \sqrt{2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \sqrt{2} + \sqrt{6}, y = 1 - \sqrt{2}$$

$$\text{So, } B = (\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{6}, 1 - \sqrt{2}).$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } ar(\Delta ABC) &= \frac{1}{2} \times (\sqrt{6} - 2) \times 1 \\ &= \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - 1 \right) \end{aligned}$$

16. Given hyperbola is

$$2x^2 - 2y^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{1/2} - \frac{y^2}{1} = 1$$

$$\text{Thus, } e = \sqrt{1 + \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 + \frac{2}{2}} = \sqrt{2}$$

The eccentricity of the ellipse is  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ .

$$\text{Also, } b^2 = a^2(1 - e^2) = a^2 \left( 1 - \frac{1}{2} \right) = \frac{a^2}{2}$$

Thus, the equation of the ellipse is

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{a^2/2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 2y^2 = a^2$$

Let  $P(h, k)$  be the point of intersection of the ellipse and the hyperbola.

$$\text{Thus, } h^2 + 2k^2 = a^2 \text{ and } 2h^2 - 2k^2 = 1 \quad \dots(i)$$

The Equations of tangents at  $P(h, k)$  to the ellipse and hyperbola are

$$hx + 2ky = a^2 \text{ and } 2hx - 2ky = 1$$

$$\text{Now, } m(E_T) = -\frac{h}{2k} \text{ and } m(H_T) = \frac{h}{k}$$

Since both the curves cut at right angles, so

$$m(E_T) \times m(H_T) = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{h}{2k} \times \frac{h}{k} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 = 2k^2 \quad \dots(ii)$$

From Eqs (i) and (ii), we get,

$$2h^2 - h^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 = 1$$

$$\text{and } h^2 + 2k^2 = a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow h^2 + h^2 = a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 = 1 + 1 = 2$$

Thus, the equation of the ellipse is

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 2y^2 = 2$$

and its foci are  $(\pm ae, 0) = (\pm 1, 0)$ .



17. (P) As  $hx + ky - 1 = 0$  touches the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$ , so,

$$\left| \frac{0+0-1}{\sqrt{h^2+k^2}} \right| = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow (h^2 + k^2) = \frac{1}{4}$$

Thus,  $(h, k)$  lies on  $(x^2 + y^2) = \frac{1}{4}$

(Q)  $z$  lies on the hyperbola, since  $|SP - S'P| = 2a$ .

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

$$= \frac{(1-t^2)^2 + 4t^2}{(1+t^2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{(1+t^2)^2}{(1+t^2)^2}$$

$$= 1$$

which represents an ellipse.

(S) For  $x > 1$ , the given conic is a hyperbola.

For  $x = 1$ , the conic is a parabola.

(T) Let  $z = x + iy$

Given  $Re(z + 1) = |z|^2 + 1$

$$\Rightarrow (x+1)^2 = x^2 + y^2 + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 2x + 1 = x^2 + y^2 + 1$$

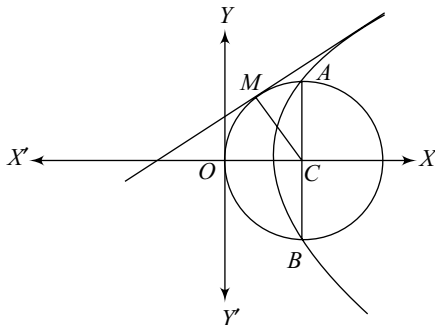
$$\Rightarrow y^2 = 2x$$

which represents a parabola.

21. Given circle is

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

$$\Rightarrow (x - 4)^2 + y^2 = 16$$



The centre is  $(4, 0)$  and the radius = 4.

Given hyperbola is  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$

The equation of any tangent to the given hyperbola is

$$y = mx + \sqrt{a^2 m^2 - b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = mx + \sqrt{9m^2 - 4}$$

Now,  $CM = 4$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{4m - 0 + \sqrt{9m^2 - 4}}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} \right| = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow (4m + \sqrt{9m^2 - 4})^2 = 16(m^2 + 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 16m^2 + 9m^2 - 4 + 8m\sqrt{9m^2 - 4} = 16m^2 + 16$$

$$\Rightarrow (9m^2 - 20)^2 = (-8m\sqrt{9m^2 - 4})^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 81m^4 + 400 - 360m = 64m(9m^2 - 4)$$

$$\Rightarrow 495m^4 + 104m^2 - 400 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (99m^2 + 100)(5m^2 - 4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (5m^2 - 4) = 0$$

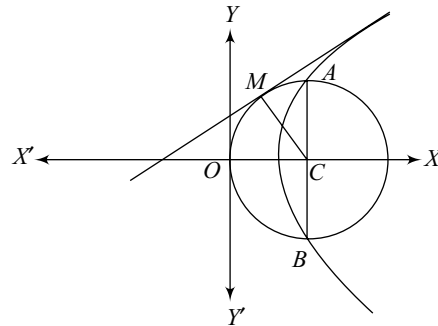
$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}, \text{ since } m > 0$$

Thus, the equation of the tangent is

$$y = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}x + \frac{4}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x - \sqrt{5}y + 4 = 0$$

19.



Let the co-ordinates of  $A$  be

$$(3 \sec \theta, 2 \tan \theta)$$

As  $A$  lies on the circle, so

$$9 \sec^2 \theta = 4 \tan^2 \theta - 24 \sec \theta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9 \sec^2 \theta + 4(\sec^2 \theta - 1) - 24 \sec \theta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 13 \sec^2 \theta - 24 \sec \theta - 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (13 \sec \theta + 2)(\sec \theta - 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sec \theta = 2, \text{ since } |\sec \theta| \geq 1$$

Thus, the points  $A$  and  $B$  are

$$(6, 2\sqrt{3}) \text{ and } (6, -2\sqrt{3})$$

The equation of the circle with  $AB$  as diameter is

$$(x - 6)^2 + y^2 = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 12x + 24 = 0.$$

20. Given line is  $2x + y = 1$  ...(i)

which is passing through  $\left( \frac{a}{e}, 0 \right)$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \cdot \frac{a}{e} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{e}{2}.$$

Since the equation (i) is a tangent to the given hyperbola, so

$$\begin{aligned} c^2 &= a^2 m^2 - b^2 \\ \Rightarrow 1 &= a^2, 4 - b^2 \\ \Rightarrow 4a^2 - b^2 &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow 4a^2 - a^2(e^2 - 1) &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow 5a^2 - a^2 e^2 &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow a^2(5 - e^2) &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{e^2}{4}(5 - e^2) &= 1 \\ \Rightarrow 5e^2 - e^4 &= 4 \\ \Rightarrow e^4 - 5e^2 + 4 &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (e^2 - 1)(e^2 - 4) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (e^2 - 4) &= 0, \text{ as } e \neq 1 \\ \Rightarrow e &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

21. The equation of the normal at  $P$  is

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{a^2 x}{x_1} + \frac{b^2 y}{y_1} &= a^2 + b^2 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{a^2 x}{6} + \frac{b^2 y}{3} &= a^2 + b^2 \end{aligned}$$

which is passing through  $(9, 0)$ . So

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{a^2 \cdot 9}{6} + \frac{b^2 \cdot 0}{3} &= a^2 + b^2 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{3a^2}{2} &= a^2 + b^2 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{3a^2}{2} &= a^2 + a^2(e^2 - 1) \\ \Rightarrow \frac{3}{2} &= 1 + (e^2 - 1) \\ \Rightarrow (e^2 - 1) &= \frac{3}{2} - 1 = \frac{1}{2} \\ \Rightarrow e^2 &= 1 + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{3}{2} \\ \Rightarrow e &= \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the eccentricity is  $\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$ .

22. Given ellipse is

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + 4y^2 &= 4 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{1} &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

The eccentricity,

$$e = \sqrt{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{4}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Thus, the eccentricity of the hyperbola is  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$ .

Foci of the ellipse =  $(\pm ae, 0) = (\pm\sqrt{3}, 0)$ .

The hyperbola passing through the focus of the ellipse, so

$$\frac{3}{a^2} - 0 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 = 3$$

Now,  $b^2 = a^2(e^2 - 1)$

$$\Rightarrow b^2 = a^2 \left( \frac{4}{3} - 1 \right) = \frac{a^2}{3} = 1$$

Hence, the equation of the hyperbola is

$$\frac{x^2}{3} - \frac{y^2}{1} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 3y^2 = 3$$

$\therefore$  Focus of a hyperbola =  $(2, 0)$

23. Given line is  $2x - y = 1$ . So,

$$m = 2$$

The equation of any tangent to the given hyperbola is

$$\begin{aligned} y &= mx \pm \sqrt{a^2 m^2 - b^2} \\ \Rightarrow y &= 2x \pm \sqrt{9 \cdot 4 - 4} \\ \Rightarrow y &= 2x \pm \sqrt{32} \\ \Rightarrow y &= 2x \pm 4\sqrt{2} \\ \Rightarrow 2x - y + 4\sqrt{2} &= 0, 2x - y - 4\sqrt{2} = 0 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{x}{2\sqrt{2}} - \frac{y}{4\sqrt{2}} &= 1 \text{ and } -\frac{x}{2\sqrt{2}} + \frac{y}{4\sqrt{2}} = 1 \end{aligned}$$

Comparing it with  $\frac{xx_1}{9} - \frac{yy_1}{4} = 1$ . we get the points of contact as

$$\left( \frac{9}{2\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \text{ and } \left( -\frac{9}{2\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right).$$

24. Tangent at  $P$  is  $xx_1 - yy_1 = 1$  intersects the  $x$ -axis at

$$M \left( \frac{1}{x_1}, 0 \right)$$

$$\text{Slope of normal} = -\frac{y_1}{x_1} = \frac{y_1 - 0}{x_1 - x_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_2 = 2x_1$$

Thus,  $N = (2x_1, 0)$

$$\text{For centroid, } l = \frac{3x_1 + \frac{1}{x_1}}{3}, m = \frac{y_1}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dl}{dx_1} = 1 - \frac{1}{3x_1^2}$$

$$\text{and } \frac{dm}{dy_1} = \frac{1}{3}, \frac{dm}{dx_1} = \frac{1}{3} \frac{dy_1}{dx_1} = \frac{x_1}{3\sqrt{x_1^2 - 1}}$$

