

1. CIRCLES

$(2 \times 2) + (1 \times 4) + (2 \times 7) = 22$ Marks

IMP FORMULAS, KEY CONCEPTS

1.1) The equation of the circle in the **standard form** is $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$

The **parametric point** is θ ($r\cos\theta, r\sin\theta$)

1.2) The equation of the circle in the **centre form** (centre (a,b) , radius r) is $(x-a)^2 + (y-b)^2 = r^2$

The **parametric equations** are $x = a + r\cos\theta, y = b + r\sin\theta$.

1.3) The equation of the circle in the **general form** is $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$.

Centre $C = (-g, -f)$; **radius** $r = \sqrt{g^2 + f^2 - c}$

The **Parametric equations** are $x = -g + r\cos\theta, y = -f + r\sin\theta$.

2) The equation of the circle with $(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)$ as **ends of a diameter** is

$$(x-x_1)(x-x_2) + (y-y_1)(y-y_2) = 0 \quad (\text{or}) \quad x^2 + y^2 - (x_1+x_2)x - (y_1+y_2)y + x_1x_2 + y_1y_2 = 0$$

3) **Notation:** $S \equiv x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c$;

$$S_{11} \equiv x_1^2 + y_1^2 + 2gx_1 + 2fy_1 + c$$

$$S_{12} \equiv x_1x_2 + y_1y_2 + g(x_1+x_2) + f(y_1+y_2) + c$$

$$S_1 \equiv x_1x + y_1y + g(x_1+x) + f(y_1+y) + c \quad (\text{or}) \quad S_1 \equiv (x_1+g)x + (y_1+f)y + x_1g + y_1f + c$$

4) A point $P(x_1, y_1)$ and a **circle** $S=0$ are given then the **point P** lies

(i) **on the circle** if $S_{11} = 0$ (ii) **inside** the circle if $S_{11} < 0$ (iii) **out side** the circle if $S_{11} > 0$

5) The **Power** of the point $P(x_1, y_1)$, w.r.to the circle $S=0$ is S_{11}

6.1) The equation of the **chord of contact** of (x_1, y_1) w.r.to $S=0$ is $S_1 = 0$

6.2) The equation of the chord with (x_1, y_1) as the **mid-point** to the circle $S=0$ is $S_1 = S_{11}$

6.3) If p is the **perpendicular distance** from the centre of circle of **radius** r , to a chord then the **length of the chord** is $2\sqrt{r^2 - p^2}$

7.1) The **length** of the **tangent** from an external point $P(x_1, y_1)$ to $S=0$ is $\sqrt{S_{11}}$

7.2) The **equation of tangent** at (x_1, y_1) on the circle $S = 0$ is $S_1 = 0$

7.3) The **equation of tangent** at (x_1, y_1) on the circle $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$ is $x_1x + y_1y - r^2 = 0$

7.4) The **equation of the tangent** at $(r\cos\theta, r\sin\theta)$ on $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$ is $x\cos\theta + y\sin\theta = r$

7.5) The equation of the tangent **with slope** m to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$ is $y = mx \pm r\sqrt{1+m^2}$

7.6) The equation of the tangent **with slope** m to the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ is

$$y + f = m(x + g) \pm r\sqrt{1+m^2}$$

7.7) The **equation of the tangent** at θ on the circle $S=0$ is $(x+g)\cos\theta + (y+f)\sin\theta = r$

7.8) The **tangential condition** for a circle and a line is $p=r$, where p is the perpendicular distance from the centre of the circle to the given line and r is the radius of the circle.

7.9) The **tangential condition** for the line

(i) $y=mx+c$ and the circle $x^2+y^2=r^2$ is $c^2=r^2(1+m^2)$

(ii) $lx+my+n=0$ and the circle $x^2+y^2=r^2$ is $n^2=r^2(l^2+m^2)$

7.10) The condition for the circle $x^2+y^2+2gx+2fy+c=0$ to touch

(i) the X-axis is $c=g^2$ (ii) the Y-axis $c=f^2$ (iii) both the axes is $c=g^2=f^2$.

7.11) If θ is the **angle** between pair of tangents from $P(x_1, y_1)$ to $S=0$ then $\tan \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{r}{\sqrt{S_{11}}}$

7.12) The equation of **pair of tangents** drawn from (x_1, y_1) to $S=0$ is $S_1^2=S_{11}S$

8.1) The equation of the **normal** at $P(x_1, y_1)$ on $S=0$ is $(x-x_1)(y_1+f)-(y-y_1)(x_1+g)=0$

8.2) The **normal** at $P(x_1, y_1)$ on $S=0$ always passes through the centre of the circle.

9.1) The equation of the **polar** of $P(x_1, y_1)$ w.r.to $S=0$ is $S_1=0$

9.2) The **pole** of the line $lx+my+n=0$ w.r.to the circle $x^2+y^2=r^2$ is $\left(\frac{-lr^2}{n}, \frac{-mr^2}{n} \right)$

9.3) The **pole** of the line $lx+my+n=0$ w.r.to $S=x^2+y^2+2gx+2fy+c=0$ is $\left(-g + \frac{lr^2}{N}, -f + \frac{mr^2}{N} \right)$

Where, r = radius of the circle, $N = lg+mf-n$

10.1) The points (x_1, y_1) , (x_2, y_2) are **conjugate** w.r.to $S=0$ if $S_{12}=0$

10.2) The condition for the lines $l_1x+m_1y+n_1=0$ and $l_2x+m_2y+n_2=0$ to be **conjugate** w.r.t the circle $x^2+y^2=r^2$ is $n_1n_2=r^2(l_1l_2+m_1m_2)$

11) Two points P,Q are said to be **inverse points** w.r.to $S=0$ if $CP.CQ=r^2$; C,P,Q are collinear.

12) **Relative positions of two circles:**

1) Determine C_1, C_2 and r_1, r_2

2) Determine C_1C_2, r_1+r_2, r_1-r_2

3) If $C_1C_2 > r_1+r_2$ then one circle lies completely outside the other






4) If $C_1C_2 = r_1+r_2$ then the two circles touch externally

5) If $C_1C_2 < r_1+r_2$ then compare C_1C_2 also with r_1-r_2 and according to the following order determine the relative positions of the circles.

5.1) For $C_1C_2 < r_1+r_2$ and if $C_1C_2 > |r_1-r_2|$ then the two circles intersect

5.2) For $C_1C_2 < r_1+r_2$ and if $C_1C_2 = |r_1-r_2|$ then the two circles touch internally

5.3) For $C_1C_2 < r_1+r_2$ and if $C_1C_2 < r_1-r_2$ i.e, for $C_1C_2 < |r_1-r_2| < |r_1+r_2|$ then one circle lies completely inside the other circle.

S.No.	Condition	Relative positions	No.of tangents	centres of similitude
1.	$C_1C_2 > r_1+r_2$	one circle lies outside the other 	4 (2 transverse and 2 direct)	both I and E exist
2.	$C_1C_2 = r_1+r_2$	two circles touch externally 	3 (1 transverse and 2 direct)	both I and E exist
3.	$ r_1-r_2 < C_1C_2 < r_1+r_2$	two circles intersect 	2 (direct)	E exist
4.	$C_1C_2 = r_1-r_2 $	two circles touch internally 	1 (direct)	E exist
5.	$C_1C_2 < r_1-r_2 $	one circle lies inside the other 	0	