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PURE MATH

ALGEBRA AND FUNCTION

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(a) Given that circle C with center (-2,6) passes through the point (10,11)Let's denoted the radius of the circle as r.We know that

$$(x-h)^{2} + (y-k)^{2} = r^{2}$$
$$(x+2)^{2} + (y-6)^{2} = r^{2}$$

Now,

$$p(10,11) = p(x, y)$$

$$(10+2)^{2} + (11-6)^{2} = r^{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow r^{2} = 144 + 25$$

$$\Rightarrow r^{2} = 169$$

So, the circle C indeed passes through the point (10,1)

(b) Let's denote the points P and Q as the point where the tangent lines at (10,11) and (10,1) respectively, intersect the y-axis.
 Let m₁ and m₂ be the slope of the tangent at(10,11) and (10,1) Now, The equation of the tangent in point – slope form are:

 $\Rightarrow \quad y - y_1 = m_1(x - x_1)$ $\Rightarrow \quad y - 11 = m_1(x - 10)$ $\Rightarrow \quad y - y_1 = m_2(x - 10)$

To find the y – intercepts (P and Q)

For P: $y_P = 11 - 10m_1$

For Q:
$$y_0 = 1 - 10m_2$$

Using distance formula

$$|pq| = d = \sqrt{(0-0)^2 + (y_Q - y_P)^2}$$

Now, Substitute the values into the formula for PQ and simplify.

If done correctly, you should obtain PQ = 58

(a) Using distance formula

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

$$d = \sqrt{((-3)^2 - 5)^2 + (4 - (-2))^2}$$

$$d = \sqrt{64 + 36}$$

$$d = \sqrt{100}$$

$$d = 10$$

Thus, the distance of xy is 10

(b) Using mid-point formula

$$m = \left(\frac{x_2 - x_1}{2}, \frac{y_2 - y_1}{2}\right)$$
$$m = \left(\frac{-3 + 5}{2}, \frac{4 + (-2)}{2}\right)$$
$$m = (1, 1)$$

The slope of the hypoteneouse xy is given by:

$$m_{xy} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{-2 - 4}{5 + 3}$$
$$m_{xy} = \frac{-3}{4}$$

 \Rightarrow The slope of the perpendicular bisector is $\frac{4}{3}$

$$\implies \quad y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$y-1 = \frac{4}{3}(x-1)$$

$$3(y-1) = 4(x-1)$$

$$3y - 3 = 4x - 4$$

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

$$3y = 4x - 1$$

This is the equation of the perpendicular bisector.

(c) The perpendicular bisector has the equation 3y = 4x - 1

Put m(1,1) of xy

$$\Rightarrow \quad 3(1) = 4(1) - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 3 = 4 - 1

 \Rightarrow 3 = 3

The coordinates of the circumcenter are m(1,1)

Q.3

Solution:

We know that

The slope (m) of a line passing through two points (x_1, y_1) and (x_2, y_2)

Given by:

$$\Rightarrow \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

$$\Rightarrow m_{ab} = \frac{8 - 3}{7 - 2} = \frac{5}{5} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow m_{cd} = \frac{4 - (-1)}{-1 - 4} = \frac{5}{5} = 1$$

Since,

 $m_{ab} = m_{cd}$

The opposite sides AB and CD are parallel

Q.4

Solution

The distance between two points x_1, y_1 and x_2, y_2 in a plane is given by the

Distance formula

$$d = \sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2}$$
$$d = |PQ| = \sqrt{(8 - 3)^2 + (4 - 2)^2}$$
$$PQ = \sqrt{25 + 4}$$
$$PO = \sqrt{29}$$

Q.5

Solution:

The mid – point m of QR is given by:

$$M = \left(\frac{x_Q + x_R}{2}, \frac{y_Q + y_R}{2}\right)$$

Similarly,

find the midpoints N and O for RP and PQ respectively.

The equation of the line passing through two points

 (x_1, y_1) and (x_2, y_2) is given by

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

For Pm, QN and RO

Substitute the mid – point coordinates to find the equation

Q.6

Solution:

The distance (d) from a point (x_0, y_0) to a line Ax + By + c = 0

Is given by the formula,

$$d = \frac{|Ax_0 + By_0 + c|}{\sqrt{A^2 + B^2}}$$

For this line AC: y = -2x + 7 and the point B(7,8)

$$\Rightarrow \quad d = \frac{|-2(7)+1(8)-7|}{\sqrt{(-2)^2+(1)^2}}$$
$$\Rightarrow \quad d = \frac{|-14+8-7|}{\sqrt{4+1}}$$
$$\Rightarrow \quad d = \frac{|-13|}{\sqrt{5}}$$

 \therefore Rationalize

$$\Rightarrow \quad d = \frac{13}{\sqrt{5}} \times \frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5}}$$
$$\Rightarrow \quad d = \frac{13\sqrt{5}}{5}$$

Solution:

$$\Rightarrow (x-h)^2 + (y-k)^2 = r^2$$
$$\Rightarrow (x+3)^2 + (y-5)^2 = r^2$$

(b) Since point A(4,2) lines on the circle, we can substitute these coordinates

Into the equation of the circle and solve for r:

$$(4+3)^{2} + (2-5)^{2} = r^{2}$$

$$(7)^{2} + (-3)^{2} = r^{2}$$

$$49 + 9 = r^{2}$$

$$r^{2} = 58$$

$$r = \sqrt{58}$$

Q.8

Solution:

The equation of a line passing through two points (x_1, y_1) and (x_2, y_2)

is given by:

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

$$\Rightarrow y - y_1 = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} (x - x_1)$$

$$\Rightarrow y - 3 = \frac{(-1 - 3)}{(4 - 2)} (x - 2)$$

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

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

$$\Rightarrow y - 3 = -2x + 4$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -2x + 4 + 3$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -2x + 7$$

So, the equation of the line containing the diagonal A is y = 2x + 7



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