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Math 10 Trimester 3 Exam 2A (152 Points)

Circles

■ **Partial credit may be given for correct work. Therefore, it is to your advantage to write clear solutions. If I cannot understand a solution within 60 seconds, then it will receive no partial credit.**

■ **A. Answer the following. (2 points each). This section is 4% of exam.**

[1] Write the equation in center-radius form of a circle centered at the origin having radius 6.

[2] Write the equation in center-radius form of a circle centered at $C(-5, 8)$ radius 6.

[3] Write the equation of the line tangent to a circle of radius r at point (x_0, y_0) on the circle.

■ B. Answer the following. (28 points each). This section is 92% of exam.

[1] Find the equation of the line tangent to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ at the point (3, 4).

[2] Find the equations of the lines through (1, 7) that are tangent to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 25$.

[3] Find the equations of the lines of slope $\frac{1}{2}$ that are tangent to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 16$.

[4] At how many points does the circle $x^2 - 16x + y^2 + 18y + 96 = 0$

[a] intersect the x-axis? *Answer:* _____

[b] intersect the y-axis? *Answer:* _____

[5] Find the center and the radius of the circle with equation $x^2 - 4x + y^2 + 6y - 3 = 0$

■ C. Answer the following. (6 points). This section is 4% of exam.

[1] Let the lines through the point $(3, 0)$ be tangent to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ at points R and S. Find the distance RS.

Answers

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■ A.

[1] $x^2 + y^2 = 36$

[2] $(x + 5)^2 + (y - 8)^2 = 36$

[3] $x_0 x + y_0 y = r^2$

■ B.

[1] $3x + 4y = 25$

[2] $l_1 : 4x + 3y = 25$ and $l_2 : -3x + 4y = 25$

[3] $l_1 : \frac{4\sqrt{5}}{5}x - \frac{8\sqrt{5}}{5}y = 16$ and $l_2 : -\frac{4\sqrt{5}}{5}x + \frac{8\sqrt{5}}{5}y = 16$

[4] (a) None. (b) None.

[5] $(2, -3), r = 4$

■ C.

[1] $RS = \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{3}$