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(1) $x^2 + y^2 - 5x - y + 4 = 0$; (1, 0)

Find eqn of tangent

Solution

General Eqn: $x^2 + y^2 - 5x - y + 4 = 0$
 $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2hy + c = 0$

$$xx_1 + yy_1 + 2g(x+x_1) + 2h(y+y_1) + c = 0$$

$$g = -5/2$$

$$x_1 = 1$$

$$h = -1/2$$

$$y_1 = 0$$

$$c = 4$$

Hence,

$$x + 0 + -5/2(x+1) + -1/2(y+0) + 4 = 0$$

$$x - 5/2x - 5/2 - 1/2y + 4 = 0$$

$$2x - 5x - 5 - y + 8 = 0$$

$$y = -3x + 3$$

or

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

$$(2.) \quad x^2 + y^2 - 12x - 12y + 47 = 0; (1, 0)$$

Solution

~~The centre C~~ $c = 47$

$$x_1 = 1$$

$$g = -6$$

$$y_1 = 0$$

$$h = -6$$

$$xx_1 + yy_1 - 6(x+x_1) - 6(y+y_1) + 47 = 0$$

$$x + 0 - 6x - 6 - 6y + 47 = 0$$

$$-5x - 6y + 41 = 0$$

or

$$6y = -5x + 41$$

$$(3.) \quad x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 14y + 40 = 0; (1, 0)$$

$$c = 40; g = -4; h = 7$$

$$x_1 = 1; y_1 = 0$$

$$xx_1 + yy_1 - 4(x+x_1) + 7(y+y_1) + 40 = 0$$

$$x + 0 - 4x - 4 + 7y + 40 = 0$$

$$-3x + 7y + 36 = 0$$

or

$$7y = 3x - 36$$

$$y = \frac{3}{7}x - \frac{36}{7}$$