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1.  $x^2 + y^2 - 5x - y + 4 = 0$  at  $P(1, 0)$

$$x^2 - 5x + y^2 - y + 4 = 0$$

Completing the squares

$$\therefore \left(x - \frac{5}{2}\right)^2 - \frac{25}{4} + \left(y - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 - \frac{1}{4} + 4 = 0$$

$$\left(x - \frac{5}{2}\right)^2 + \left(y - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{5}{2}$$

Recall;

$$(x - x_1)^2 + (y - y_1)^2 = r^2$$

Centre  $\left(\frac{5}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$ ,  $r = \sqrt{\frac{5}{2}}$

$$\therefore \text{gradient} = \frac{0 - \frac{1}{2}}{1 - \frac{5}{2}} = \frac{-\frac{1}{2}}{-\frac{3}{2}} = \frac{1}{3}$$

gradient of tangent = -3

Equation of tangent

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

$$y - 0 = -3(x - 1)$$

$$y = -3x + 3$$

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

2.  $x^2 + y^2 - 12x - 12y + 47 = 0$  at  $P(1, 0)$

$$x^2 - 12x + y^2 - 12y + 47 = 0$$

Completing the squares

$$(x - 6)^2 - 36 + (y - 6)^2 - 36 + 47 = 0$$

$$(x - 6)^2 + (y - 6)^2 = 25$$

Recall;

$$(x - x_1)^2 + (y - y_1)^2 = r^2$$

Centre  $(6, 6)$ ,  $r = \sqrt{25} = 5$

$$\therefore \text{gradient} = \frac{0 - 6}{1 - 6} = \frac{-6}{-5} = \frac{6}{5}$$

gradient of tangent =  $-\frac{5}{6}$



Equation of tangent

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

$$6x \quad y - 0 = \frac{-5}{8} (x - 1) \times 8$$

$$6y = -5(x - 1)$$

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

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

3  $x^2 + y^2 - 8x + 14y + 40 = 0$  at  $P(1, 0)$

$$x^2 - 8x + y^2 + 14y + 40 = 0$$

Completing the squares

$$(x - 4)^2 - 16 + (y + 7)^2 - 49 + 40 = 0$$

$$(x - 4)^2 + (y + 7)^2 = 25$$

Recall

$$(x - x_1)^2 + (y - y_1)^2 = r^2$$

Centre  $(4, -7)$   $r = \sqrt{25} = 5$

$$\text{gradient} = \frac{0 - (-7)}{1 - 4} = \frac{7}{-3} = -\frac{7}{3}$$

Gradient of a tangent =  $\frac{3}{7}$

Equation of tangent

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

$$7x \quad y - 0 = \frac{3}{7} (x - 1) \times 7$$

$$7y = 3(x - 1)$$

$$7y = 3x - 3$$

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