
8.5 Circles

- all points ( $x, y$ ) that are equidistant from a fixed point called the center. The distance, $r$, from the center to any point on the circe is called the radius.


Standard form of a circle centered at the origin is

$$
x^{2}+y^{2}=r^{2}
$$

Ex: Find the equation of a circle centered at the origin with radius of 4 .

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\begin{aligned}
& x^{2}+y^{2}=y^{2} \\
& x^{2}+y^{2}=16
\end{aligned}
$$

Ex: Find en circle regin centurial $(3,-4)$.

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\begin{gathered}
x^{2}+y^{2}=r^{2} \\
(3)^{2}+(-4)^{2}=r^{2} \\
9+16=r^{2} \\
25=r^{2} \\
x^{2}+y^{2}=2 f
\end{gathered}
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Standard form of a circe centered at $(h, k)$ is

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

Ex: Find the equation of a circle centered $(1,-2)$ passing thragh $(1,0)$

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\begin{gathered}
(1-1)^{2}+(0--2)^{2}=r^{2} \\
0^{2}+\left(2^{2}=r^{2}\right. \\
0+4=r^{2} \\
4=r^{2} \\
(x-h)^{2}+(y-k)^{2}=r^{2} \\
(x-1)^{2}+(y+2)^{2}=4
\end{gathered}
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Ex: Find the center and rad ivs


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\begin{aligned}
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\end{aligned}
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