2.CIRCLE

1. Intercepts made by Circle $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ on the Axes:

(a)
$$2\sqrt{g^2-c}$$
 on x -axis

(b)
$$2\sqrt{f^2-c}$$
 on y - aixs

- 2. Parametric Equations of a Circle: $x = h + r \cos \theta$; $y = k + r \sin \theta$
- 3. Tangent:

(a) Slope form :
$$y = mx \pm a \sqrt{1 + m^2}$$

(b) Point form :
$$xx_1 + yy_1 = a^2$$
 or T = 0

(c) Parametric form :
$$x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha = a$$
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- 4. Pair of Tangents from a Point: SS, = T2.
- **5.** Length of a Tangent : Length of tangent is $\sqrt{S_1}$
- **6. Director Circle:** $x^2 + y^2 = 2a^2$ for $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$
- 7. Chord of Contact: T = 0
 - 1. Length of chord of contact = $\frac{2 LR}{\sqrt{R^2 + L^2}}$
 - 2. Area of the triangle formed by the pair of the tangents & its chord of contact = $\frac{RL^3}{R^2+L^2}$
 - 3. Tangent of the angle between the pair of tangents from $(x_1, y_1) = \left(\frac{2RL}{L^2 R^2}\right)$
 - 4. Equation of the circle circumscribing the triangle PT_1T_2 is : $(x x_1)(x + g) + (y y_1)(y + f) = 0$.
- 8. Condition of orthogonality of Two Circles: $2g_1g_2 + 2f_1f_2 = c_1 + c_2$.
- 9. Radical Axis: $S_1 S_2 = 0$ i.e. $2(g_1 g_2) \times 2(f_1 f_2) \times (c_1 c_2) = 0$.
- 10. Family of Circles: $S_1 + K S_2 = 0$, S + KL = 0.