

Question 3.

Find the length of the tangent drawn to a circle of radius 3 cm, from a point at a distance 5 cm from the centre.

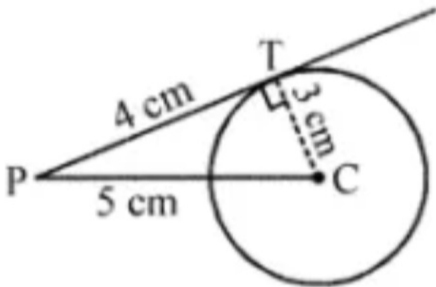
Solution:

Draw a circle with centre C and radius  $CT = 3$  cm.

Let PT be the tangent drawn from point P to a circle with centre C.

$CP = 5$  cm

$CT = 3$  cm (given radius)



$$\angle CTP = 90^\circ$$

$\therefore$  Radius is  $\perp$  to tangent

From  $\triangle CPT$ ,

by Pythagoras theorem, we get

$$CP^2 = PT^2 + CT^2$$

$$(5)^2 = PT^2 + 32$$

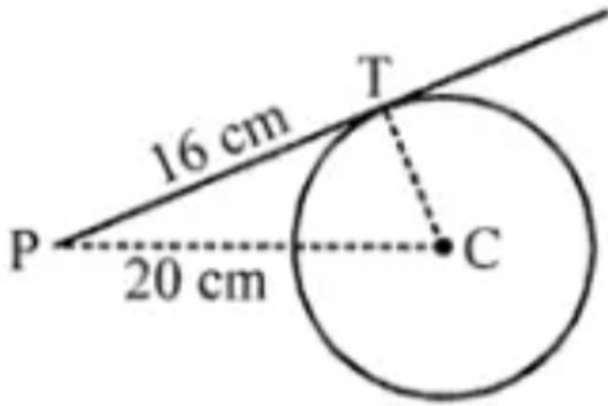
$$PT^2 = 25 - 9 = 16$$

$$PT = \sqrt{16} = 4$$

Hence, length of tangent = 4 cm

#### Question 4.

In the adjoining figure, PT is a tangent to the circle with centre C. Given  $CP = 20$  cm and  $PT = 16$  cm, find the radius of the circle.



Solution:

We know that, radius is always  $\perp$  to longest.

i. e.,  $CT \perp PT$

$\therefore \triangle CPT$  is right  $\angle$ d  $\triangle$

Where  $CP$  = hypotenuse

In rt.  $\triangle CPT$ , by Pythagoras theorem,

$$CP^2 = PT^2 + CT^2$$

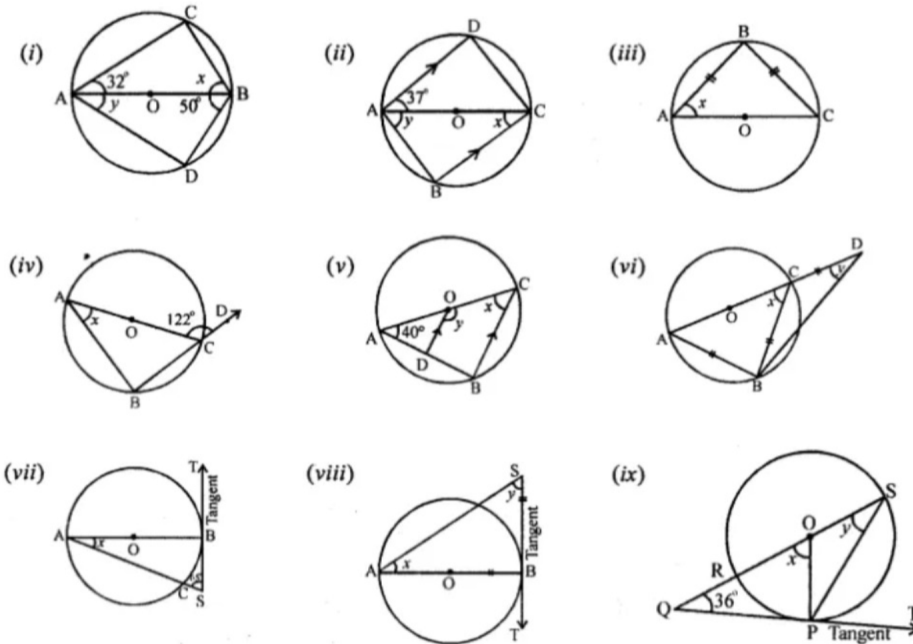
$$CT^2 = CP^2 - PT^2 = 20^2 - 16^2 = 400 - 256 = 144$$

$$CT = \sqrt{144} = 12 \text{ cm}$$

Hence, radius of circle = 12 cm

### Question 5.

In each of the following figure, O is the centre of the circle. Find the size of each lettered angle :



Solution:

(i) In the figure, AB is the diameter  
and O is the centre of the circle  $\angle CAB = 32^\circ$ ,  
 $\angle ABD = 50^\circ$ ,  $\angle C = 90^\circ$  (Angle in the semicircle)

By  $\angle$  sum property of  $\Delta$

$$\text{In } \Delta ABC, \angle C + \angle CAB + \angle ABC = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 90^\circ + \angle CAB + x = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 32^\circ + x = 180^\circ - 90^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 90^\circ - 32^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 58^\circ$$

Similarly in right  $\Delta ADB$

$$\angle ADB = 90^\circ$$

By  $\angle$  sum property of  $\Delta$

$$\angle ABD + \angle D + \angle BAD = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 50^\circ + 90^\circ + \angle BAD = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle y + 140^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle y = 180^\circ - 140^\circ = 40^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle y = 40^\circ$$

(ii) In the figure,

AC is the diameter of circle with centre O

$$\angle DAC = 37^\circ, AD \parallel BC$$

$$\therefore AD \parallel BC$$

$$\angle ACB = \angle DAC \text{ (Alternate angles)}$$

$$\therefore x = 37^\circ$$

In  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $\angle B = 90^\circ$  (Angle in a semicircle)

$\therefore$  By  $\angle$  sum property of  $\triangle$

$$\angle x + \angle y + \angle B = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 37^\circ + \angle y + 90^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 180^\circ - 127^\circ = 53^\circ$$

(iii) In the figure,

AC is the diameter of the circle with centre O.

$$BA = BC$$

$$\therefore \angle BAC = \angle BCA \text{ (}\angle\text{s of isosceles } \triangle\text{)}$$

But  $\angle ABC = 90^\circ$  (Angle in a semicircle)

In  $\triangle ABC$

(By  $\angle$  sum property of  $\triangle$ )

$$\angle BAC + \angle ABC + \angle BCA = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BAC + \angle BCA = 180^\circ - 90^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x + x = 90^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 90^\circ$$

$$\therefore x = 45^\circ$$

(iv) In the figure,

AC is the diameter of the circle with centre O,

$$\angle ACD = 122^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle ACB + \angle ACD = 180^\circ \text{ (Linear pair)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ACB + 122^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ACB + 180^\circ - 122^\circ = 58^\circ$$



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$$\Rightarrow \angle ACB + 122^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle ACB + 180^\circ - 122^\circ = 58^\circ$$

In  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $\angle ABC = 90^\circ$  (Angle in a semicircle)

$\therefore$  By angle sum prop, of  $\triangle$

$$\angle ABC + \angle BCA + \angle ACB = 180^\circ$$

$$90^\circ + 58^\circ + x = 180^\circ$$

$$x = 180^\circ - 148^\circ = 32^\circ$$

(v) In the figures,

AC is the diameter of the circle with centre O,

OD  $\parallel$  CB and  $\angle CAB = 40^\circ$

In  $\triangle ABC$ ,

$\angle B = 90^\circ$ , (Angle in a semicircle)

By  $\angle$  sum prop, of  $\triangle$

$$\angle BCA + \angle ABC + \angle BAC = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle BCA + \angle CAB + 90^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle BCA + \angle CAB = 90^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 40^\circ = 90^\circ \Rightarrow x = 90^\circ - 40^\circ = 50^\circ$$

$$\therefore x = 50^\circ$$

$\therefore$  OD  $\parallel$  CB

$\therefore \angle AOD = \angle BCA$  (corresponding angles)

$$\angle AOD = x = 50^\circ$$

But  $\angle AOD + \angle DOC = 180^\circ$  (Linear pair)

$$\Rightarrow 50^\circ + y = 180^\circ \Rightarrow y = 180^\circ - 50^\circ = 130^\circ$$

Hence  $x = 50^\circ$  and  $y = 130^\circ$

(vi) In the figure,

AC is the diameter of the circle with centre O

$$BA = BC = CD$$

In  $\triangle ABC$ ,

$$\angle ABC = 90^\circ \text{ (Angle in a semicircle)}$$

By  $\angle$  sum prop, of  $\triangle$

$$\angle BAC + \angle BCA + \angle ABC = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle BAC + \angle BCA + 90^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle BAC + \angle BCA = 90^\circ$$

But  $BA = BC$  (given)

$$\therefore \angle BAC = \angle BCA = x$$

$$\therefore x + x = 90^\circ$$

$$2x = 90^\circ$$

$$\therefore x = 45^\circ$$

In  $\triangle BCD$ ,

$$BC = CD$$

$$\therefore \angle CBD = \angle CDB = y$$

and ext.  $\angle ACB =$  Sum of interior opposite angles

$$\angle CBD + \angle CDB$$

$$x = y + y = 2y$$

$$\therefore 2y = 45^\circ$$

$$y = \frac{45^\circ}{2} = 22.5^\circ \text{ or } 22\frac{1}{2}^\circ$$

(vii) In the figure,

AB is the diameter of circle with centre O.

ST is the tangent at B

$$\angle ASB = 65^\circ$$

In  $\triangle ABS$

$\therefore$  TS is the tangent and OB is the radius

$$OB \perp ST \text{ or } \angle ABS = 90^\circ$$

But in  $\triangle ASB$

$$\angle BAC + \angle ASB + \angle ABS = 180^\circ \text{ (Angles of a triangle)}$$

$$x + 65^\circ + 90^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x^\circ + 155^\circ = 180^\circ \Rightarrow x = 180^\circ - 155^\circ = 25^\circ$$

$$\text{Hence } x = 25^\circ$$

(viii) In the figure,

AB is the diameter of the circle with centre

O. ST is the tangent to the circle at B.

$$AB = BS$$

$\therefore$  ST is the tangent and OB is the radius

$$\therefore OB \perp ST \text{ or } \angle OBS = 90^\circ$$

$\therefore$  In  $\triangle ABS$ ,

$$\angle BAS + \angle BSA + \angle ABS = 180^\circ$$

[By  $\angle$  sum property of  $\triangle$ ]

$$\Rightarrow \angle BAS + \angle BSA + 90^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle BAS + \angle BSA = 90^\circ \Rightarrow x + y = 90^\circ$$

$$\because AB = BS$$

$$\therefore x = y$$

$$\therefore x = y = \frac{90^\circ}{2} = 45^\circ$$

(ix) In the figure,

RS is the diameter of the circle with centre O.

SR is produced to Q. QT is tangent to the circle at P

OP is joined.

$$\angle Q = 36^\circ$$

QPT is tangent and OP is the radius of the circle

$$\therefore OP \perp QT$$

$$\angle OPQ = 90^\circ$$

$\therefore$  Now in  $\triangle OPQ$

By  $\angle$  sum prop, of  $\triangle$

$$\angle OQP + \angle POQ + \angle OPQ = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle OQP + \angle POQ + 90^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle OQP + \angle POQ = 90^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 36^\circ + x = 90^\circ \Rightarrow x = 90^\circ - 36^\circ = 54^\circ$$

In  $\triangle OPS$ ,  $OP = OS$  (Radii of the circle)

$$\therefore \angle OPS = \angle OSP = y$$

and Ext.  $\angle POQ = \angle OPS + \angle OSP$

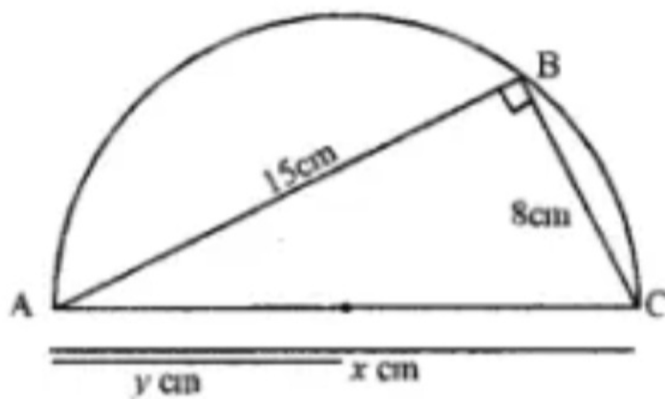
$$= y + y = 2y$$

$$\Rightarrow 2y = x = 54^\circ$$

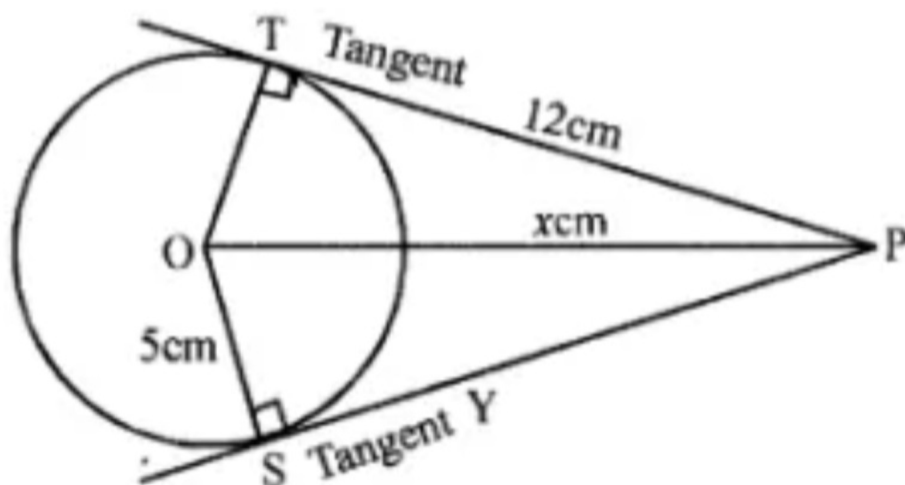
Question 6.

In each of the following figures, O is the centre of the circle. Find the values of x and y.

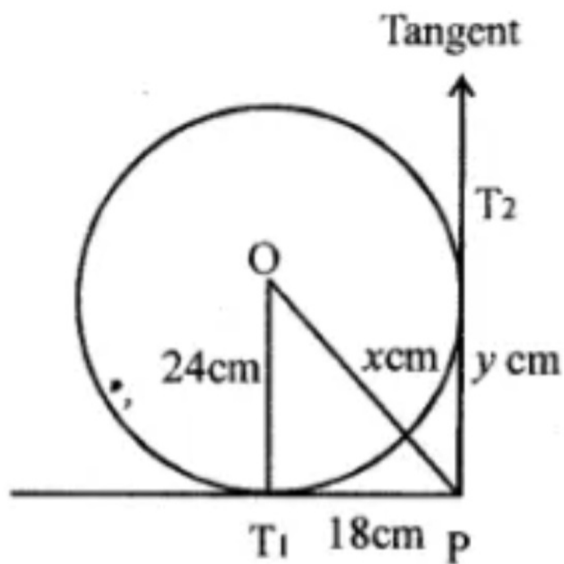
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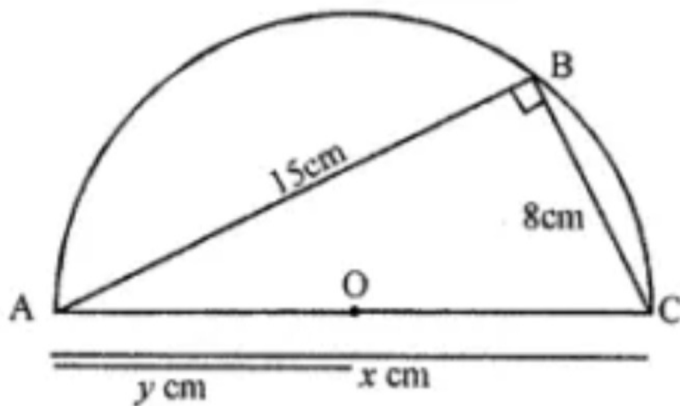
(iii)



Solution:

(i) O is the centre of the circle

AB = 15 cm, BC = 8cm



$\angle ABC = 90^\circ$  (Angles in a semicircle)

By Pythagoras Theorem,

$$AC^2 = AB^2 + BC^2$$

$$= (15)^2 + (8)^2 = 225 + 64$$

$$= 289 = (17)^2$$

$$\therefore AC = 17 \text{ cm}$$

$$\therefore x = 17 \text{ cm}$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{1}{2}$$

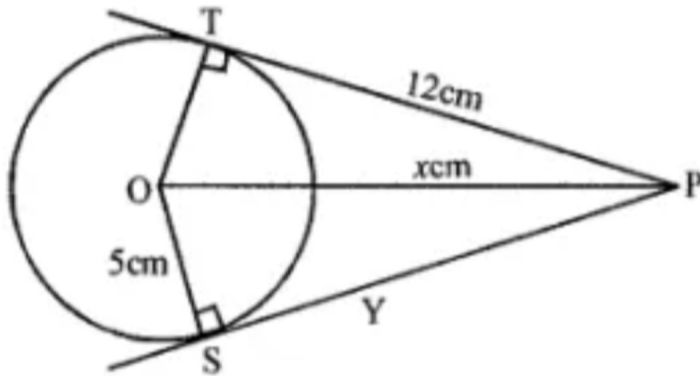
( $\because$  AC is the diameter and AO is the radius of the circle)

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 17 = \frac{17}{2} \text{ cm} = 8.5 \text{ cm}$$

(ii) O is the centre of the circle.

PT and PS are the tangents to the circle from P.

OS and OT are the radii of the circle



$$\therefore \angle OSP = \angle OTP = 90^\circ$$

$$OS = OT = 5 \text{ cm}, PT = PS = 12 \text{ cm}$$

Now in right  $\triangle OPT$  (By Pythagoras Theorem)

$$OP^2 = OT^2 + PT^2 = (5)^2 + (12)^2$$

$$= 25 + 144 = 169 = (13)^2$$

$$\therefore OP = 13 \text{ cm} \Rightarrow x = 13 \text{ cm}$$

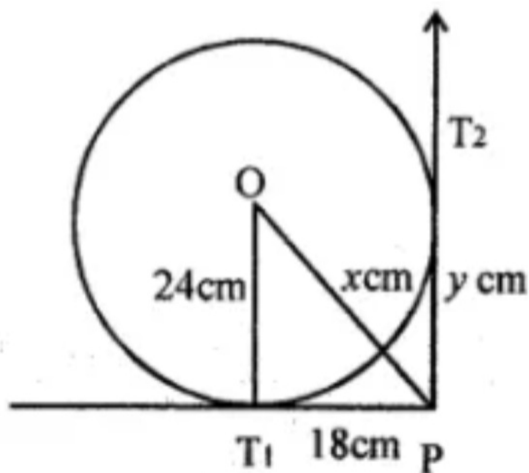
$$\therefore PS = PT = 12 \text{ cm}$$

$$\therefore y = 12 \text{ cm}$$

(iii) O is the centre of the circle  $OT_1$  is the radius,

From P,  $PT_1$  and  $PT_2$  are the tangents.

$$OT_1 = 24 \text{ cm } PT_1 = 18 \text{ cm}$$



$\therefore OT_1$  is the radius and  $PT_1$  is the tangent

$$\therefore OT_1 \perp PT_1$$

Now in right  $\triangle OPT$ , (By Pythagoras Theorem)

$$OP^2 = OT_1^2 + PT_1^2 = (24)^2 + (18)^2$$

$$= 576 + 324 = 900 = (30)^2$$

$$\therefore OP = 30$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 30 \text{ cm}$$

$\therefore PT_1$  and  $PT_2$  are the tangents from P

$$\therefore PT_2 = PT_1 = 18 \text{ cm}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 18 \text{ cm}$$