Equation of a Circle

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1 The equation of a circle is $x^2 + y^2 = 16$
Write down the radius of the circle.

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(Total for Question 1 is 1 mark)

2 The equation of a circle is $x^2 + y^2 = 100$
Write down the diameter of the circle.

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(Total for Question 2 is 1 mark)

3 The equation of a circle is $x^2 + y^2 = 400$
Write down the radius of the circle.

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(Total for Question 3 is 1 mark)

4 The equation of a circle is $x^2 + y^2 = 9$
Write down the diameter of the circle.

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(Total for Question 4 is 1 mark)

5 The equation of a circle is $x^2 + y^2 = 16^2$
Write down the radius of the circle.

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(Total for Question 5 is 1 mark)

6 The equation of a circle is $x^2 + y^2 = 25$

Write down the coordinates of the centre of the circle.

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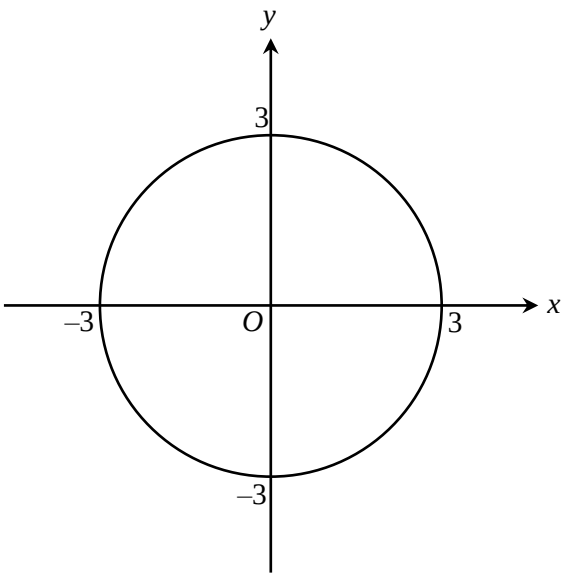
(Total for Question 6 is 1 mark)

7 A circle, centre O, passes through (3, 0)



Write down the equation of the circle.

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(Total for Question 7 is 1 mark)

8 A circle has centre (0, 0) and passes through (9, 0)

Write down the equation of the circle.

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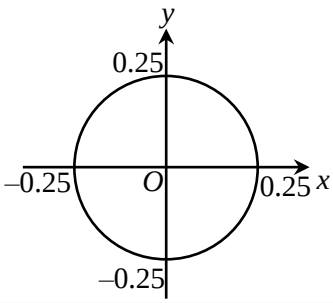
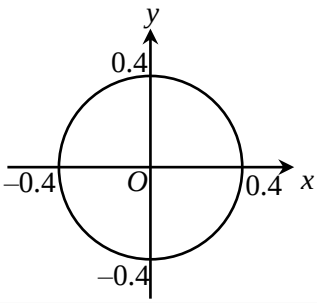
(Total for Question 8 is 1 mark)

9 Here are some graphs.

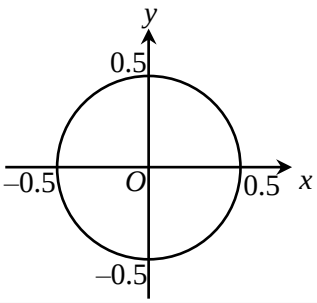
Graph **A**



Graph **B**



Graph **C**



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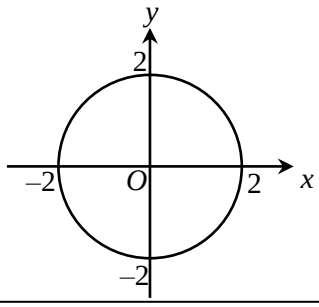
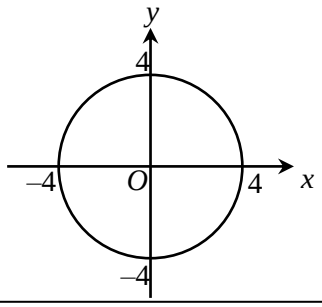
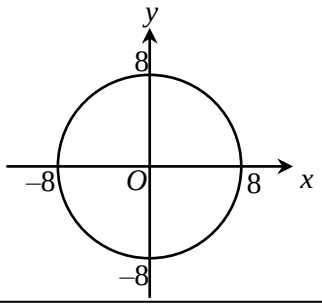


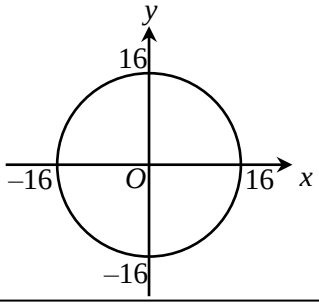
Graph **E**



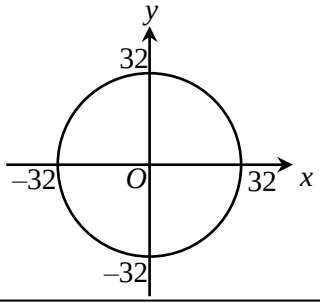
Graph **F**



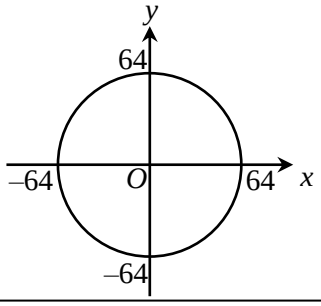
Graph **G**



Graph **H**



Graph **I**



Each of the equations in the table is the equation of one of the graphs.
Complete the table.

Equation	Graph Letter
$x^2 + y^2 = \frac{1}{4}$	
$x^2 + y^2 = 4$	
$x^2 + y^2 = 16$	
$x^2 + y^2 = 64$	

(Total for Question 9 is 2 marks)

10 A circle with centre (0, 0) has a diameter of 10.
Write down the equation of the circle.

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(Total for Question 10 is 1 mark)

11 A circle has centre (0, 0)
The line $y = -12$ is a tangent to the circle.
Write down the equation of the circle.

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(Total for Question 11 is 1 mark)

12 A circle with centre (0, 0) has a diameter of 3.
Write down the equation of the circle.

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(Total for Question 12 is 1 mark)

13 A circle with centre (0, 0) has a radius of $\sqrt{7}$.
Write down the equation of the circle.

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(Total for Question 13 is 1 mark)

14 The equation of a circle is $x^2 + y^2 = 9.82$
Write down the area of the circle in terms of π

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(Total for Question 14 is 1 mark)

15 Tick the correct box for each statement below

	True	False
$x^2 = 30 - y^2$ is an equation of a circle.	☐	☐
$\frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{y^2}{2} = 7$ is an equation of a circle.	☐	☐
$x^2 - y^2 = 64$ is an equation of a circle.	☐	☐
$x^2 + y^2 = \pi^2$ is an equation of a circle.	☐	☐

(Total for Question 15 is 2 marks)

16 The equation of a circle is $x^2 + y^2 = 20$

Work out the radius of the circle.

Give your answer in the form $a\sqrt{b}$, where a and b are integers.

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(Total for Question 16 is 2 marks)

Solutions

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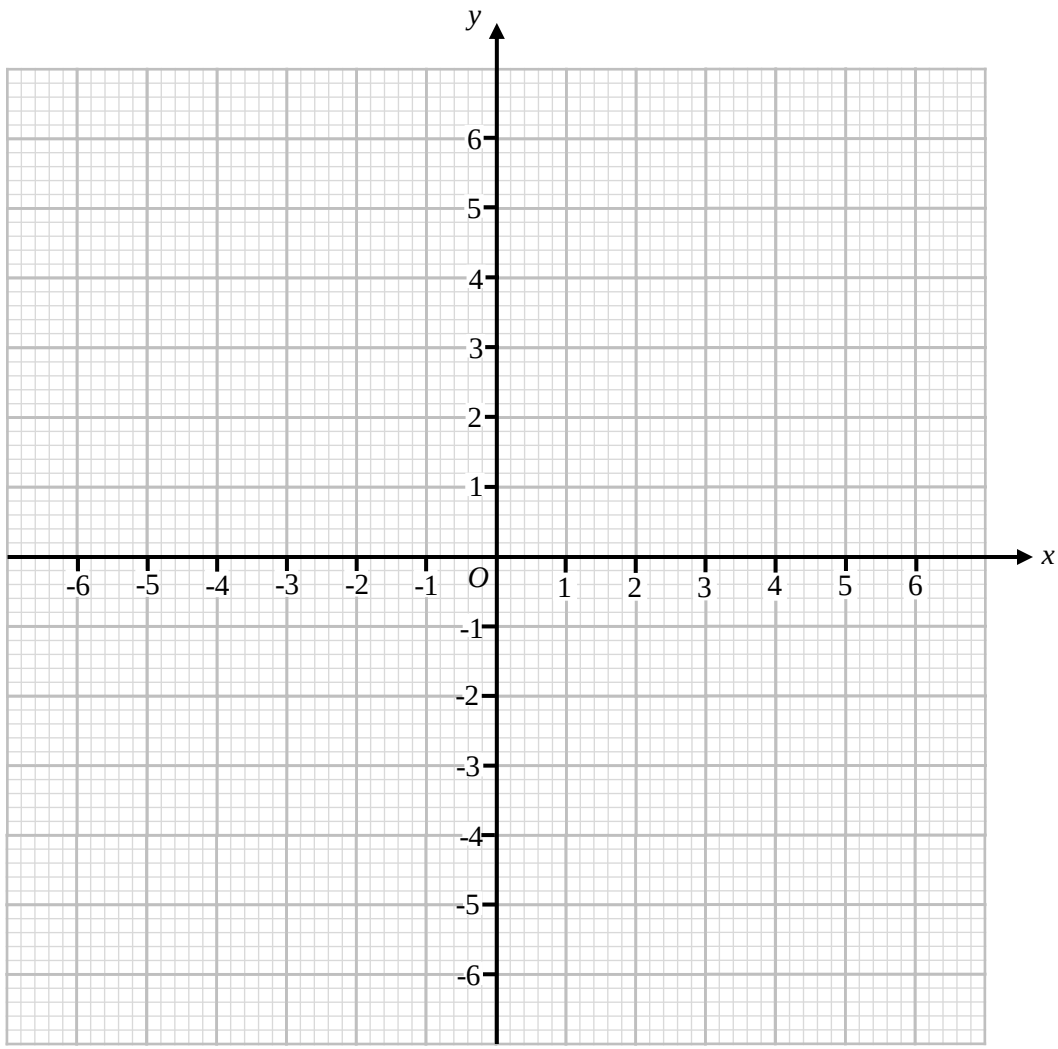

(a) On the grid above, draw the graph of $x^2 + y^2 = 16$
Label the graph ***A***.

(2)

(b) On the grid above, draw the graph of $x^2 + y^2 = 30\frac{1}{4}$
Label the graph ***B***.

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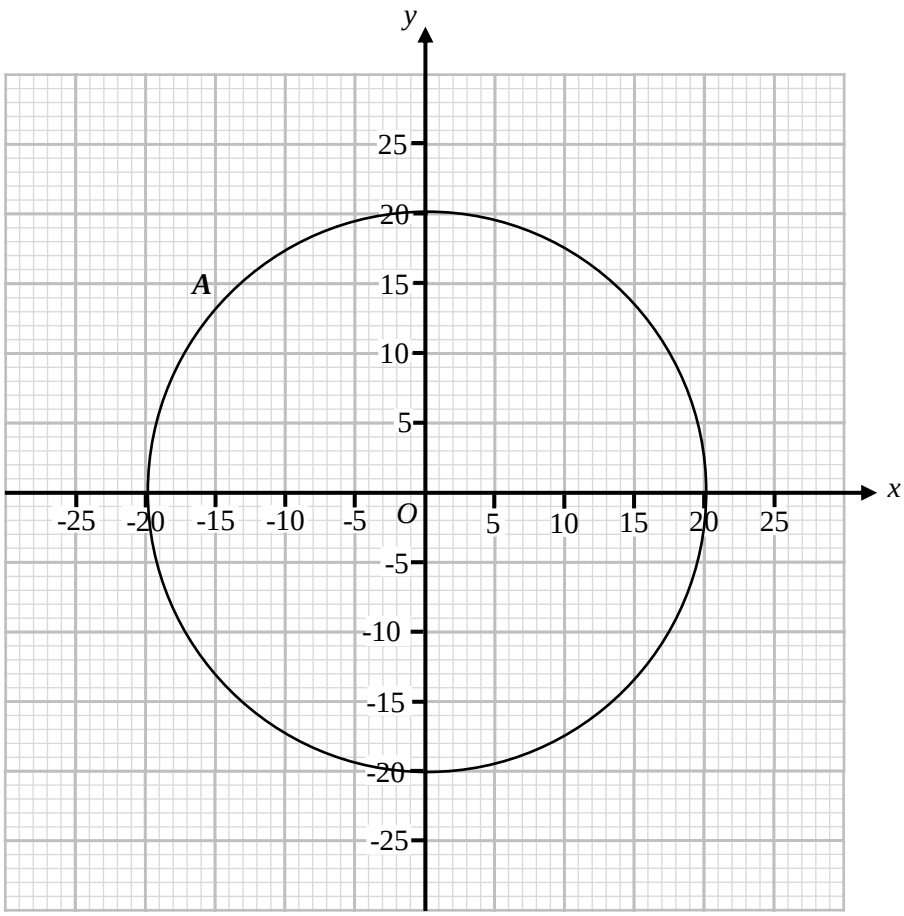
(Total for Question 18 is 4 marks)

18 The graph of circle A is shown on the grid below.



(a) Write down the equation of circle ***A.***

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(1)

(b) Sammi draws another circle called circle ***B***.

Area of circle ***B*** = 50% of the area of circle ***A***.

Work out the equation of circle ***B***.

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(Total for Question 18 is 3 marks)