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Corbettmaths

Work out the value of $(2^{\frac{9}{2}} - 2^{\frac{1}{2}})^2 = 2^9 - 2 \times 2^{\frac{9}{2}} \times 2^{\frac{1}{2}} + 2$

$$= 2^9 - 2^6 + 2$$

$$= 512 - 64 + 2$$

$$= \underline{450}$$

Simplify this ratio fully

$$\sqrt{45} : \sqrt{320} : \sqrt{405}$$

$$= 3\sqrt{5} : 8\sqrt{5} : 9\sqrt{5}$$

$$= \underline{3 : 8 : 9}$$

AB is a diameter of a circle C.
Q is the centre of the circle

A has coordinates $(-6, 13)$ and B has coordinates $(8, 7)$.

Find the equation of C

Q = midpoint AB = $(1, 10)$

$$r = AQ = \sqrt{7^2 + 3^2} = \sqrt{58}$$

Eqt is $\underline{(x-1)^2 + (y-10)^2 = 58}$

Solve $6\sin^2\theta + 7\cos\theta - 8 = 0$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$

$$6(1 - \cos^2\theta) + 7\cos\theta - 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -6\cos^2\theta + 7\cos\theta - 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 6\cos^2\theta - 7\cos\theta + 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (2\cos\theta - 1)(3\cos\theta - 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos\theta = \frac{1}{2}, \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{\theta = 48.2^\circ, 60^\circ, 300^\circ, 311.8^\circ}$$