

$$3x^2 - 2y^2 = 1$$

$$3x^2 + 2y^2 = 5$$

Solution(s):

- Enter your answers as points:  $(x, y)$
- Because these systems are non-linear, you may have more than one solution.
- If you have more than one solution, enter your answers as a list of points:  $(x_0, y_0), (x_1, y_1)$
- Use 'sqrt(...)' to enter radical answers, do not use decimal approximations.

Hint:

Solution:

# Elimination Method

$$\begin{array}{r} 3x^2 - 2y^2 = 1 \\ 3x^2 + 2y^2 = 5 \\ \hline 6x^2 = 6 \\ x^2 = 1 \\ x = \pm 1 \end{array}$$

Pick one equation, subst. / inter

$$\text{Let } x = -1$$

$$y = \pm 1$$

$$3x^2 + 2y^2 = 5$$

$$3(-1)^2 + 2y^2 = 5$$

$$3(1)^2 + 2y^2 = 5$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3 + 2y^2 = 5 \\ -3 \end{array}$$

$$\rightarrow (-1, -1), (-1, 1)$$

are solutions.

Let  $x = 1$

$$3x^2 + 2y^2 = 5$$

$$3(1)^2 + 2y^2 = 5$$

$$3(1) + 2y^2 = 5$$

$$3 + 2y^2 = 5$$

$$2y^2 = 2$$

$$y^2 = 1$$

$$y = \pm 1$$

$(1, -1), (1, 1)$

are solutions

0 Solutions

$(x, y) \in \{(1, -1), (-1, 1), (1, 1), (-1, -1)\}$

Four total solutions!