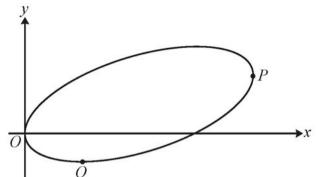
In this question you must show detailed reasoning.

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(a) Show that $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4x - 4y - 9}{4x - 16y}$.

The diagram shows the curve with equation
$$4xy = 2(x^2 + 4y^2) - 9x$$
.

At the point P on the curve the tangent to the curve is parallel to the y-axis and at the point Q on the curve the tangent to the curve is parallel to the x-axis.

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(b) Show that the distance PQ is $k\sqrt{5}$, where k is a rational number to be determined.