

Exercise 9.1

Q1 Find the distance between the following pairs of points.

(a) A (9,2), B (7,2)

Solution:

$$\text{Distance formula} = d = \pm \sqrt{|x_2 - x_1|^2 + |y_2 - y_1|^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(7-9)^2 + (2-2)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(-2)^2 + (0)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{4+0} = \sqrt{4} = 2$$

(b) A (2, -6), B (3, -6)

Solution:

$$= \sqrt{(3-2)^2 + (-6+6)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(1)^2 + (0)^2} = \sqrt{1+0} = 1$$

(c) A (-8, 1), B (6, 1)

Solution:

$$= \sqrt{[(6-(-8))]^2 + [1-1]^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(14)^2 + (0)^2} = 14$$

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(d) A (-4, $\sqrt{2}$), B (-4, -3)

Solution:

$$= (-4 + 4)^2 + (-3 - \sqrt{2})^2$$

$$= \sqrt{(0)^2 + (-3 - \sqrt{2})^2} = |-3 - \sqrt{2}| = 3 + \sqrt{2}$$

(e) A (3, -11), B (3, -4)

Solution:

$$|AB| = \sqrt{(3-3)^2 + [-4-(-11)]^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(0)^2 + (7)^2} = 7$$

(f) A (0, 0), B (0, -5)

Solution:

$$|AB| = \sqrt{(0-0)^2 + (-5-0)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(0)^2 + (-5)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{0+25}$$

$$= \sqrt{25} = 5$$

Q2. Let P be the point on x-axis with x-coordinate a and Q be the point on y-axis with y-coordinate b as given below. Find the distance between P and Q.

(i) a = 9, b = 7

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Solution:

P is (9,0) and Q is (0,7)

$$|PQ| = \sqrt{(0-9)^2 + (7-0)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{81+49} = \sqrt{130}$$

(ii) a = 2, b = 3

Solution:

P is (2,0) and Q is (0,3)

$$|AB| = \sqrt{(0-2)^2 + (3-0)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{4+9} = \sqrt{13}$$

(iii) a = -8, b = 6

Solution:

$$|PQ| = \sqrt{[0-(-8)]^2 + (6-0)^2} = \sqrt{(8)^2 + (6)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{64+36} = \sqrt{100} = 10$$

(iv) a = -2, b = -3

Solution:

\therefore P is (-2,0) and Q is (0,3)

$$|PQ| = \sqrt{[0-(-2)]^2 + (-3-0)^2}$$

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$$= \sqrt{(2)^2 + (-3)^2} = \sqrt{9+4}$$

$$= \sqrt{13}$$

(v) a = $\sqrt{2}$, b = 1

Solution:

\therefore P is ($\sqrt{2}$,0) and Q is (0,1)

$$|PQ| = \sqrt{(0-\sqrt{2})^2 + (1-0)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(-\sqrt{2})^2 + (1)^2} = \sqrt{2+1} = \sqrt{3}$$

(vi) a = -9 and b = -4

Solution:

\therefore P is (-9,0) and Q is (0,4)

$$|PQ| = \sqrt{[0-(-9)]^2 + [-4-0]^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(9)^2 + (-4)^2} = \sqrt{81+16}$$

$$= \sqrt{97}$$

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Exercise 9.2

Q1. Show whether the points with vertices (5, -2), (5, 4) and (-4, 1), are vertices of an equilateral triangle or an isosceles triangle?

Solution:

Let the points be A(5, -2), B(5, 4) and C(-4, 1).

$$\begin{aligned}
 |AB| &= \sqrt{(5-5)^2 + (4+2)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{(0)^2 + (6)^2} = \sqrt{0+36} = 6 \\
 |BC| &= \sqrt{(5+4)^2 + (4-1)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{(9)^2 + (3)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{81+9} = \sqrt{90} = \sqrt{9 \times 10} = 3\sqrt{10} \\
 |CA| &= \sqrt{(5+4)^2 + (-2-1)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{(9)^2 + (-3)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{81+9} = \sqrt{90} = \sqrt{9 \times 10} = 3\sqrt{10}
 \end{aligned}$$

As $|BC| = |CA| = 3\sqrt{10}$

Since two sides are equal therefore the triangle is formed is an isosceles triangle.

Q2. Show whether or not the points with vertices (-1, 1), (5, 4), (2, -2) and (-4, 1) form a square.

Solution:

Let the points be A(-1, 1), B(5, 4), C(2, 2) and D (-4, 1)

$$\begin{aligned}
 |AB| &= \sqrt{(5+1)^2 + (4-1)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{(36+9)} = \sqrt{45} = \sqrt{9 \times 5} = 3\sqrt{5} \\
 |BC| &= \sqrt{(5-2)^2 + (4-2)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{(9+36)} = \sqrt{45} = \sqrt{9 \times 5} = 3\sqrt{5} \\
 |CD| &= \sqrt{(2+4)^2 + (-2-1)^2} = \sqrt{(6)^2 + (-3)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{(36+9)} = \sqrt{45} = 3\sqrt{5} \\
 |DA| &= \sqrt{(-1+4)^2 + (1-1)^2} = \sqrt{(3)^2 + 0^2} = 3 \\
 |AB| &= |BC| = |CD| = 3\sqrt{5} \text{ but } |AD| = 3
 \end{aligned}$$

Since all sides are not equal therefore the given points did not form a square.

Q3. Show whether or not the points coordinate (1, 3), (4, 2) and (-2, 6) are vertices of a right triangle.

Solution:

Let the given points be A (1, 3), B(4, 2) and C(-2, 6).

$$\begin{aligned}
 |AB| &= \sqrt{(4-1)^2 + (2-3)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{(3)^2 + (-1)^2} = \sqrt{9+1} = 10 \\
 |BC| &= \sqrt{(4+2)^2 + (2-6)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{(6)^2 + (-4)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{(36+16)} = \sqrt{52}
 \end{aligned}$$

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 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 |CA| &= \sqrt{(1+2)^2 + (3-6)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{(3)^2 + (-3)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{(9+9)} = \sqrt{18} \\
 |BC|^2 &= 52 \\
 |AB|^2 + |CA|^2 &= 10 + 18 = 28 \neq |BC|^2
 \end{aligned}$$

Since given points does not obey the Pythagoras theorem therefore the coordinates are not the vertices of right-angle triangle.

Q4. Use the distance formula to prove whether or not the points (1, 1), (-2, -8) and (4, 10) lie on a straight line?

Solution:

A (1, 1), B(-2, 8) and C(4, 10)

$$\begin{aligned}
 |AB| &= \sqrt{(2+1)^2 + (1+8)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{(3)^2 + (9)^2} = \sqrt{(3)^2 + (9)^2} = \sqrt{9+81} = \sqrt{90} = \sqrt{(9 \times 10)} = 3\sqrt{10} \\
 |BC| &= \sqrt{(4+2)^2 + (10+8)^2} = \sqrt{(6)^2 + (18)^2} = \sqrt{36+324} = \sqrt{360} = 6\sqrt{10} \\
 |AC| &= \sqrt{(4-1)^2 + (10-1)^2} = \sqrt{(3)^2 + (9)^2} = \sqrt{(9+81)} = \sqrt{90} = 3\sqrt{10}
 \end{aligned}$$

By applying the condition of collinear points

As $|AB| + |AC| = 3\sqrt{10} + 3\sqrt{10} = 6\sqrt{10} = |BC|$

So, the points A, B, C are on the same straight line.

OR the given points are collinear.

Q5. Find k, given that the point (2, k) is equidistant from (3, 7) and (9, 1).

Solution:

Let the given points be P(2, k) and A(3, 7), B(9, 1).

As the points P is equidistant from A and B.

$\therefore |PA| = |PB|$

i.e. $\sqrt{(2-3)^2 + (k-7)^2} = \sqrt{(2-9)^2 + (k-1)^2}$

Squaring both sides, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 (-1)^2 + (5-7)^2 &= (-7)^2 + (k-1)^2 \\
 1 + k^2 - 14k + 49 &= 49 + k^2 - 2k + 1 \\
 50 + k^2 - 14k &= 50 + k^2 - 2k \\
 -14 + 2k &= 0 \\
 -12k &= 0 \\
 \Rightarrow k &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

Q6. Use distance formula to verify that the points A(0, 7), B(3, -5), C(-2, 15) are collinear.

Solution:

Let the points be A(0, 7), B(3, 5) and C(-2, 15).

$$\begin{aligned}
 |AB| &= \sqrt{(0-3)^2 + (7+5)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{(-3)^2 + (12)^2} = \sqrt{9+144} = \sqrt{153} = \sqrt{9 \times 17} = 3\sqrt{17} \\
 |BC| &= \sqrt{(-2-3)^2 + (15+5)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{(-5)^2 + (20)^2} = \sqrt{25+400} = \sqrt{425} = \sqrt{25 \times 17} = 5\sqrt{17} \\
 |CA| &= \sqrt{(0+2)^2 + (7-15)^2} = \sqrt{(2)^2 + (-8)^2} = \sqrt{4+64} = \sqrt{68} = 2\sqrt{17}
 \end{aligned}$$

By applying the condition of collinear points

$$\begin{aligned}
 |AB| + |CA| &= 3\sqrt{17} + 2\sqrt{17} = (3+2)\sqrt{17} \\
 &= (3+2)\sqrt{17} = 5\sqrt{17} = |BC|
 \end{aligned}$$

The given points are collinear.

Q7. Verify whether or not the points O (0, 0), A(√3, 1), B(√3, -1) are the vertices of an equilateral triangle.

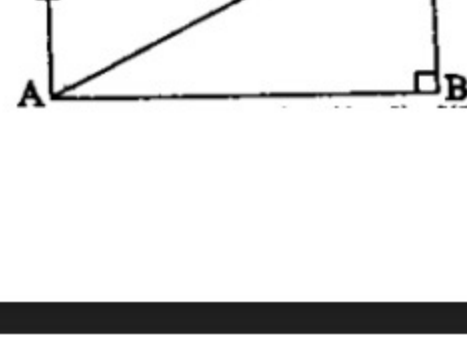
Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}
 |OA| &= \sqrt{(\sqrt{3}-0)^2 + (1-0)^2} = \sqrt{(3)^2 + (1)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{3+1} = \sqrt{4} = 2 \\
 |OB| &= \sqrt{(\sqrt{3}-0)^2 + (-1-0)^2} = \sqrt{(3)^2 + (-1)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{3+1} = \sqrt{4} = 2 \\
 |AB| &= \sqrt{(\sqrt{3}-\sqrt{3})^2 + (-1-1)^2} = \sqrt{(0)^2 + (-2)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{0+4} = \sqrt{4} = 2
 \end{aligned}$$

Since $|OA| = |OB| = |AB|$ therefore ABO are vertices of an equilateral triangle.

Q8. Show that the points A(-6, -5), B(5, -5), C(5, -8) and D(-6, -8) are vertices of a rectangle. Find the lengths of its diagonals. Are they equal?

Solution:



The points are A(-6, -5), B(5, -5), C(5, -8) and D(-6, -8)

$$\begin{aligned}
 |AB| &= \sqrt{(-6-5)^2 + (-5+5)^2} = \sqrt{(-11)^2 + (0)^2} = \sqrt{121} = 11 \\
 |DC| &= \sqrt{(5+6)^2 + (-8+8)^2} = \sqrt{(11)^2 + (0)^2} = \sqrt{121} = 11 \\
 |AD| &= \sqrt{(-6+6)^2 + (-5+8)^2} = \sqrt{0^2 + 9} = 3 \\
 |BC| &= \sqrt{(5-5)^2 + (-8+5)^2} = \sqrt{0+9} = 3 \\
 |AC| &= \sqrt{(-6-5)^2 + (-5+8)^2} = \sqrt{(11)^2 + (3)^2} = \sqrt{121+9} = \sqrt{130}
 \end{aligned}$$

Now by applying Pythagoras theorem

$$\begin{aligned}
 |AB|^2 + |BC|^2 &= (11)^2 + (3)^2 = 121 + 9 = 130 = |AC|^2 \\
 \therefore \angle ABC &= 90^\circ
 \end{aligned}$$

and $|AB| = |DC|$ and $|AD| = |BC|$

Hence ABCD is a rectangle

For diagonals

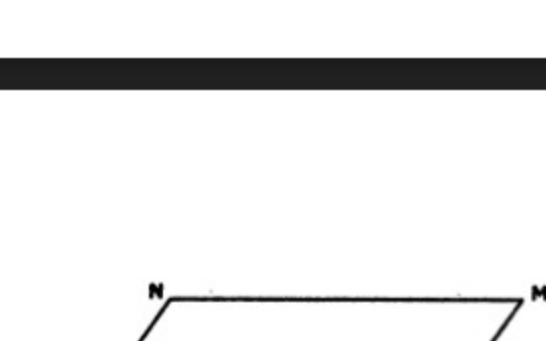
$$|AC| = \sqrt{(-6-5)^2 + (-5+8)^2} = \sqrt{(11)^2 + (3)^2} = \sqrt{121+9} = \sqrt{130}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Also } |BD| &= \sqrt{(-6-5)^2 + (-8+5)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{(-11)^2 + (-3)^2} = \sqrt{121+9} = \sqrt{130}
 \end{aligned}$$

The two diagonals are equal in length.

Q9. Show that the points M(-1, 4), N(-5, 3), P(1, -3) and Q(5, -2) are the vertices of a parallelogram.

Solution:



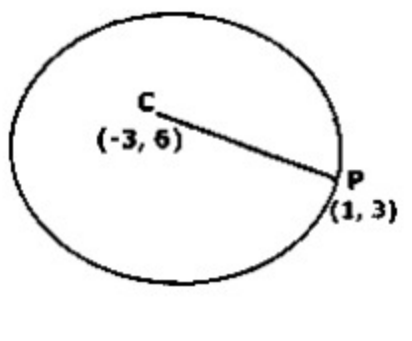
Points are M(-1, 4), N(-5, 3), P(1, -3) and Q(5, -2)

$$\begin{aligned}
 |MN| &= \sqrt{(-1+5)^2 + (4-3)^2} = \sqrt{(4)^2 + (1)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{16+1} = \sqrt{17} \\
 |PQ| &= \sqrt{(5-1)^2 + (-2+3)^2} = \sqrt{(4)^2 + (1)^2} = \sqrt{16+1} = \sqrt{17} \\
 |NP| &= \sqrt{(1+5)^2 + (-3-3)^2} = \sqrt{(6)^2 + (-6)^2} = \sqrt{36+36} = \sqrt{72} = 6\sqrt{2} \\
 |QN| &= \sqrt{(5+5)^2 + (-2-3)^2} = \sqrt{(6)^2 + (-6)^2} = \sqrt{36+36} = 6\sqrt{2} \\
 |NP|^2 + |PQ|^2 &= 72 + 17 = 89 \neq 125 = |QN|^2 \\
 \text{But } |MN| &= |PQ| = |NQ| = |MQ|
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence the given points form a parallelogram.

Q10. Find the length of the diameter of the circle having center at C(-3, 6) and passing through point P(1, 3).

Solution:



Centre C(-3, 6) and the circle is passing through the point P(1, 3)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore \text{radius} &= m|PC| \\
 &= \sqrt{(-3-1)^2 + (6-3)^2} = \sqrt{(-4)^2 + (3)^2} = \sqrt{16+9} = \sqrt{25} = 5 \\
 \text{Diameter} &= 2 \times \text{radius} \\
 &= 2 \times 5 = 10\text{cm}
 \end{aligned}$$

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 &= 2 \times 5 = 10\text{cm}
 \end{aligned}$$

Exercise 9.3

1. Find the mid-point of the line segment joining each of the following pairs of points

(a) A(9, 2), B(7, 2)

Solution:

$$\text{Midpoint M is } \left(\frac{x_1+x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1+y_2}{2} \right)$$

$$\left(\frac{9+7}{2}, \frac{2+2}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{or } \left(\frac{16}{2}, \frac{4}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{or } (8, 2)$$

(b) A(2, -6), B(3, -6)

$$\text{Midpoint M is } \left(\frac{x_1+x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1+y_2}{2} \right)$$

$$\left(\frac{2+3}{2}, \frac{-6-6}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{or } \left(\frac{5}{2}, -6 \right)$$

$$\text{or } (2.5, -6)$$

(c) A(-8, 1), B(6, 1)

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$$\text{Midpoint M is } \left(\frac{x_1+x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1+y_2}{2} \right)$$

$$\left(\frac{-8+6}{2}, \frac{1+1}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{or } \left(\frac{-2}{2}, \frac{2}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{or } (-1, 1)$$

(d) A(-4, 9), B(-4, -3)

$$\text{Midpoint M is } \left(\frac{x_1+x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1+y_2}{2} \right)$$

$$\left(\frac{-4-4}{2}, \frac{9-3}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{or } \left(\frac{-8}{2}, \frac{6}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{or } (-4, 3)$$

(e) A(3, -11), B(3, -4)

$$\text{Midpoint M is } \left(\frac{x_1+x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1+y_2}{2} \right)$$

$$\left(\frac{3+3}{2}, \frac{-11-4}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{or } \left(\frac{6}{2}, \frac{-15}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{or } (3, -7.5)$$

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(f) A(0, 0), B(0, -5)

$$\text{Midpoint M is } \left(\frac{x_1+x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1+y_2}{2} \right)$$

$$\left(\frac{0+0}{2}, \frac{0-5}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{or } \left(\frac{0}{2}, \frac{-5}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{or } (0, -2.5)$$

2. The end point P of a line segment PQ is (-3, 6) and its mid-point is (5, 8). Find the coordinates of the end point Q.

Solution:

$$\underline{P(-3, 6) \quad M(5, 8) \quad Q(x, y)}$$

Let Q be the point (x, y). M(5, 8) is the midpoint of PQ by mid point formula we have

$$x = \frac{x_1+x_2}{2}$$

$$5 = \frac{-3+x}{2}$$

$$10 = -3+x$$

$$10+3 = x$$

$$x = 13$$

$$\text{Now } y = \frac{y_1+y_2}{2}$$

$$8 = \frac{6+y}{2}$$

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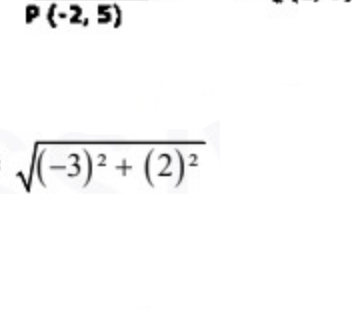
$$16 = 6+y$$

$$16-6 = y$$

$$y = 10$$

Hence point Q is (13, 10).

3. Prove that mid-point of the hypotenuse of a right triangle is equidistant from its three vertices P(-2, 5), Q(1, 3) and R(-1, 0).



P(-2, 5), Q(1, 3), R(-1, 0)

$$PQ = \sqrt{(-2-1)^2 + (5-3)^2} = \sqrt{(-3)^2 + (2)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{9+4} = \sqrt{13}$$

$$QR = \sqrt{(1+1)^2 + (3-0)^2} = \sqrt{(-2)^2 + (3)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{4+9} = \sqrt{13}$$

$$PR = \sqrt{(-2+1)^2 + (5-0)^2} = \sqrt{(-1)^2 + (5)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{1+25} = \sqrt{26} = 2$$

∴ PR is hypotenuse

Midpoint of hypotenuse PR is M $\left(\frac{x_1+x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1+y_2}{2} \right)$

$$M \left(\frac{-2-1}{2}, \frac{5+0}{2} \right)$$

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$$\text{or } M \left(-\frac{3}{2}, \frac{5}{2} \right)$$

$$|MP|^2 = |MR|^2$$

$$= \sqrt{\left(-\frac{3}{2}+1\right)^2 + \left(\frac{5}{2}-0\right)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\left(\frac{-1}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{5}{2}\right)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{4}\right) + \left(\frac{25}{4}\right)} = \frac{\sqrt{26}}{2}$$

$$\text{Now } |MQ| = \sqrt{\left(\frac{3}{2}-1\right)^2 + \left(\frac{5}{2}-3\right)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{-1}{2}\right)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\left(\frac{25}{4}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)} = \frac{\sqrt{26}}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{26}}{2}$$

$$|MP| = |MR|$$

Hence M the midpoint of hypotenuse is equidistant from the three vertices of the angle PQR.

4. If O(0, 0), A(3, 0) and B(3, 5) are three points in the plane, find M_1 and M_2 as mid-points of the line segments AB and OB respectively. Find $|M_1M_2|$.

Solution:

$$\underline{O(0, 0) \quad A(3, 0) \quad B(3, 5)}$$

O(0, 0), A(3, 0) and B(3, 5)

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$$\text{Midpoint of AB is } \left(\frac{x_1+x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1+y_2}{2} \right)$$

$$M_1 \left(\frac{3+3}{2}, \frac{0+5}{2} \right) \text{ or } M_1 \left(\frac{3}{2}, \frac{5}{2} \right)$$

$$M_2 \text{ the mid point of OB is } M_2 \left(\frac{x_1+x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1+y_2}{2} \right)$$

$$M_2 \left(\frac{0+3}{2}, \frac{0+5}{2} \right) \text{ or } M_2 \left(\frac{3}{2}, \frac{5}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{Now } |M_1M_2| = \sqrt{\left(\frac{3}{2}-\frac{3}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{5}{2}-\frac{5}{2}\right)^2}$$

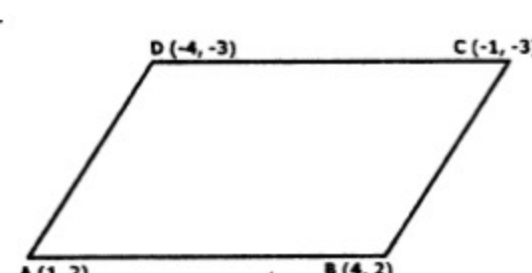
$$= \sqrt{\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2 + (0)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\left(\frac{9}{4}\right) + (0)} = \frac{3}{2}$$

5. Show that the diagonals of the parallelogram having vertices A(1, 2), B(4, 2), C(-1, -3) and D(-4, -3) bisect each other.

[Hint: The mid-points of the diagonals coincide]

Solution:



M_1 midpoint of AC is $\left(\frac{x_1+x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1+y_2}{2} \right)$

$$\left(\frac{1-1}{2}, \frac{2-3}{2} \right)$$

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$$\text{or } \left(\frac{0}{2}, \frac{-1}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{or } \left(0, \frac{-1}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{Midpoint of BD is } \left(\frac{x_1+x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1+y_2}{2} \right)$$

$$\left(\frac{-4+4}{2}, \frac{-3+2}{2} \right)$$

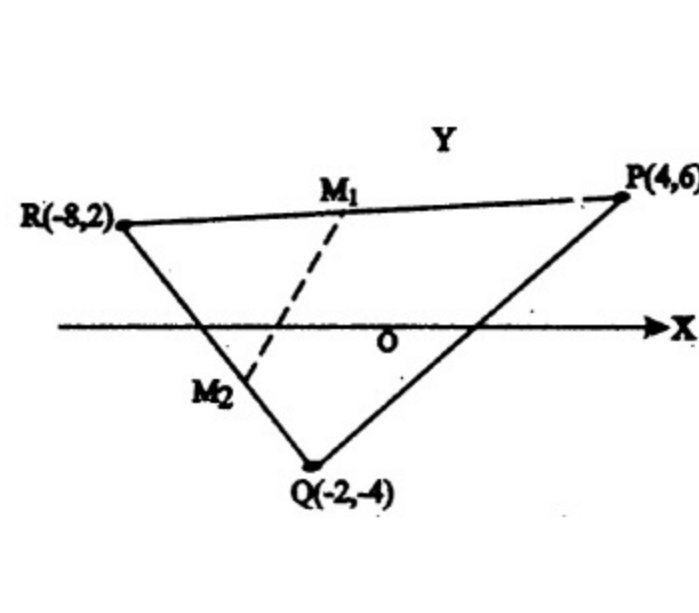
$$\text{or } \left(\frac{0}{2}, \frac{-1}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{or } \left(0, \frac{-1}{2} \right)$$

Since both the diagonals have same mid-point therefore, they bisect each other.

Q6. The vertices of a triangle are P(4, 6), Q(-2, -4) and R(-8, 2). Show that the length of the line segment joining the mid-points of the line segments PR, QR is $\frac{1}{2}$ PQ.

Solution:



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$$\text{Midpoint of QR is } \left(\frac{x_1+x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1+y_2}{2} \right)$$

$$M_1 \left(\frac{-2-8}{2}, \frac{-4+2}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{or } \left(\frac{-10}{2}, \frac{-2}{2} \right) \text{ or } M_1 (-5, -1)$$

$$\text{The mid point of PR is } M_2 \left(\frac{x_1+x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1+y_2}{2} \right)$$

$$M_2 \left(\frac{4-8}{2}, \frac{6+2}{2} \right) \text{ or } M_2 \left(\frac{-4}{2}, \frac{8}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{or } M_2 (-2, 4)$$

$$\text{Now } |M_1M_2| = \sqrt{(-5+2)^2 + (-1-4)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(-3)^2 + (-5)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(9) + (25)} = \sqrt{34} \quad \text{(i)}$$

$$\text{Now } |PQ| = \sqrt{(4+2)^2 + (6+4)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(6)^2 + (10)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{36+100} = \sqrt{136}$$

$$= \sqrt{4 \times 34} = 2\sqrt{34}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} |PQ| = \sqrt{34} \quad \text{(ii)}$$

From (i) and (ii), we get

$$|M_1M_2| = \frac{1}{2} |PQ|$$

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Review Exercise 9

Q1. Choose the correct answer.

(i) Distance between points (0, 0) and (1, 1) is

- (a) 0 (b) 1
(c) 2 (d) $\sqrt{2}$

(ii) Distance between the points (1, 0) and (0, 1) is

- (a) 0 (b) 1
(c) $\sqrt{2}$ (d) 2

(iii) Midpoint of the points (2, 2) and (0, 0) is

- (a) (1, 1) (b) (1, 0)
(c) (0, 1) (d) (-1, -1)

(iv) Mid-point of the points (2, >2) and (-2, 2) is

- (a) (2, 2) (b) (-2, -2)
(c) (0, 0) (d) (1, 1)

(v) A triangle having all sides equal is called

- (a) Isosceles (b) Scalene
(c) Equilateral (d) None of these

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(vi) A triangle having all sides different is called

- (a) Isosceles (b) Scalene
(c) Equilateral (d) None of these

Answers:

(i) d	(ii) c	(iii) a	(iv) c	(v) c	(vi) b
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Q2. Answer the following, which is true and which is false.

- (i) A line has two end points.
(ii) A line segment has one end point.
(iii) A triangle is formed by three collinear points.
(iv) Each side of a triangle has two collinear vertices.
(v) The end points of each side of a rectangle are collinear.
(vi) All the points that lie on the x-axis are collinear.
(vii) Origin is the only point collinear with the points of both the axes separately.

Answers:

(i) F	(ii) F	(iii) F	(iv) T	(v) T	(vi) T
(vii) T					

Q3. Find the distance between the following pairs of points.

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Solution:

(i) A (6, 3), B (3, -3)

$$\begin{aligned}
 |AB| &= \sqrt{(3-6)^2 + (-3-3)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{(-3)^2 + (-6)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{9+36} = \sqrt{45}
 \end{aligned}$$

(ii) A (7, 5), B (1, -1)

$$\begin{aligned}
 |AB| &= \sqrt{(7-1)^2 + (5-1)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{(6)^2 + (6)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{36+36} = \sqrt{72} = 6\sqrt{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

(iii) A (0, 0), B (-4, -3)

$$\begin{aligned}
 |AB| &= \sqrt{(0+4)^2 + (0+3)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{(4)^2 + (3)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{16+9} = \sqrt{25} = 5
 \end{aligned}$$

Q4. Find the mid-point between following pairs of points

(i) (6, 6), (4, -2)

Solution:

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Mid-point M is $\left(\frac{x_1+x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1+y_2}{2}\right)$

$$\left(\frac{6+4}{2}, \frac{6-2}{2}\right)$$

or $\left(\frac{10}{2}, \frac{4}{2}\right)$

or (5, 2).

(ii) (-5, -7), (-7, -5)

Mid-point M is $\left(\frac{x_1+x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1+y_2}{2}\right)$

$$\left(\frac{-5-7}{2}, \frac{-7-5}{2}\right)$$

or $\left(\frac{-12}{2}, \frac{-12}{2}\right)$

or (-6, -6).

(iii) (8, 0), (0, -12)

Midpoint M is $\left(\frac{x_1+x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1+y_2}{2}\right)$

$$\left(\frac{8+0}{2}, \frac{0-12}{2}\right)$$

or $\left(\frac{8}{2}, \frac{-12}{2}\right)$

or (-4, -6).

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Q5. Define the following:

(i) **Coordinate geometry:**

Coordinate geometry is the study of geometrical shapes the Cartesian plane (or coordinate plane)

(ii) **Collinear:**

Two or more than two points which lie on the same straight line are called collinear points with respect to that line.

(iii) **Non-Collinear:**

The points which do not on the same straight line are called Non-collinear.

(iv) **Equilateral triangle:**

If the length of all three sides of a triangle is same, then the triangle is called an equilateral triangle.

(v) **Scalene Triangle:**

A triangle is called scalene triangle if measure of all the three sides are different.

(vi) **Isosceles Triangle:**

An isosceles triangle is a triangle which has two of its sides with equal length while the third side has different length.

(vii) **Right Triangle:**

A triangle in which one of the angles has measure equal to 90° is called right triangle.

(viii) **Square:**

A square is a closed figure formed by four non-collinear points such that lengths of all sides are equal and measure of each angle is 90°

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