

Topical Revision Paper 9

Term 3 Unit 9: Points, Lines and Shapes

Question 1:

The vertices of a triangle ABC are $A(5, 10)$, $B(0, 0)$ and $C(-6, 8)$.

- (i) Show that the triangle ABC is an isosceles triangle. [2]
- (ii) Calculate the area of triangle ABC . [2]
- (iii) Find the coordinates of the foot of perpendicular from A to BC . [1]
- (iv) Given that four points A , B , C and D form a rhombus, find the coordinates of the point D . [3]
- (v) Find the equation of AC . Hence or otherwise, find the coordinates of the foot of perpendicular from B to AC . [5]

Solution:

(i)

$$AB = \sqrt{(5-0)^2 + (10-0)^2} = \sqrt{125} \text{ units}$$

$$BC = \sqrt{(-6-0)^2 + (8-0)^2} = 10 \text{ units}$$

$$AC = \sqrt{(5+6)^2 + (10-8)^2} = \sqrt{125} \text{ units}$$

$$AB = AC$$

Hence, triangle ABC is isosceles.

(ii)

Area of triangle ABC

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 5 & -6 & 0 \\ 0 & 10 & 8 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 50 \text{ units}^2$$

(iii)

Foot of perpendicular from A to BC in the isosceles triangle ABC is the midpoint of BC . That is

$$\left(\frac{-6+0}{2}, \frac{8+0}{2} \right) = (-3, 4)$$

(iv)

Let the coordinate of D be (x, y) . $ABDC$ is the rhombus.

Since the diagonals of a rhombus bisect each other,

$$\left(\frac{x+5}{2}, \frac{y+10}{2}\right) = (-3, 4)$$

$$x = -11, y = -2$$

$$D : (-11, -2)$$

(v)

$$\text{Gradient of } AC = \frac{8-10}{-6-5} = \frac{2}{11}$$

Equation of the line AC :

$$y - 10 = \frac{2}{11}(x - 5)$$

$$y = \frac{2}{11}x + \frac{100}{11}$$

$$\text{Gradient of the line perpendicular to } AC = -\frac{11}{2}$$

Equation of the line perpendicular to AC through B :

$$y = -\frac{11}{2}x$$

Solving the simultaneous equations, we have

$$x = -\frac{8}{5}$$

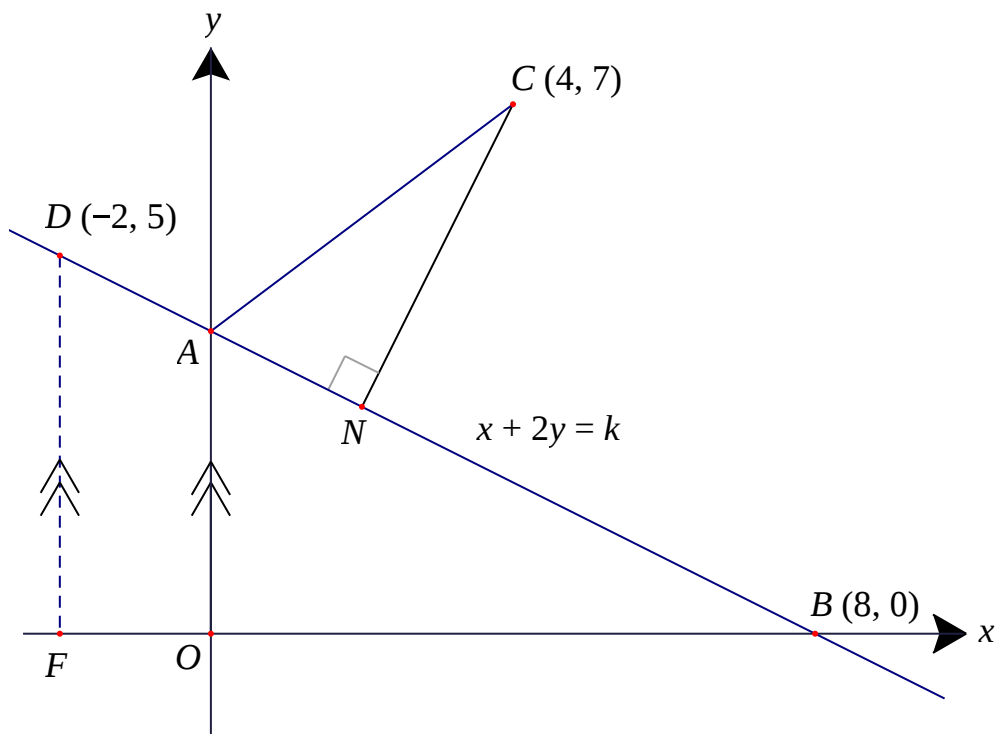
$$y = \frac{44}{5}$$

The coordinate of the foot of perpendicular

$$\text{are } \left(-\frac{8}{5}, \frac{44}{5}\right).$$

Question 2 :

The diagram below shows triangle ANC . Point B has coordinates $(8, 0)$, Point C has coordinates $(4, 7)$ and Point D has coordinates $(-2, 5)$. The equation of the straight line DB is $x + 2y = k$ and this line intersects the y -axis at A . Point N lies on the line DB such that CN is perpendicular to line DB . Point F is on the x -axis such that DF is parallel to the y -axis.



- (i) Find the value of k , in the equation of straight line DB . [2]
- (ii) Find
 - (a) the gradient of CN , [2]
 - (b) the equation of CN . [1]
- (iii) Calculate the coordinates of N . [2]
- (iv) Is CN a perpendicular bisector of BD ? Explain your answer. [1]
- (v) Calculate the area of triangle DFB . [3]
- (vi) Show clearly that the distance between D and B is 11.18 units, correct to 2 decimal places. [2]
- (vii) Find the perpendicular distance of F to BD . [2]

Solution:

(i)

$$x + 2y = k$$

Substitute $(-2, 5)$ into the equation to find value of k ,

$$(-2) + 2(5) = k$$

$$k = 8$$

(ii)

Rewriting the equation of DB , we have $y = -\frac{1}{2}x + 4$.

$$(a) \text{ Gradient of } DB = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Gradient of } CN = 2$$

$$(b) y - 7 = 2(x - 4)$$

$$\text{Equation of } CN \text{ is } y = 2x - 1$$

(iii)

$$2x - 1 = -\frac{1}{2}x + 4$$

$$x = 2, y = 3$$

$$N : (2, 3)$$

(iv)

$$\text{Midpoint of } BD = \left(\frac{-2+8}{2}, \frac{5+0}{2} \right) = \left(3, 2\frac{1}{2} \right)$$

Therefore CN is not a perpendicular bisector of BD since N is not the midpoint of BD .

(v)

$$\text{Coordinate of } F = (-2, 0)$$

$$\text{Area of triangle } DFB = \frac{1}{2} \times 10 \times 5 = 25 \text{ units}^2$$

(vi)

$$\text{Distance of } DB = \sqrt{(-2-8)^2 + (5-0)^2} = \sqrt{100+25} = 11.18 \text{ units}$$

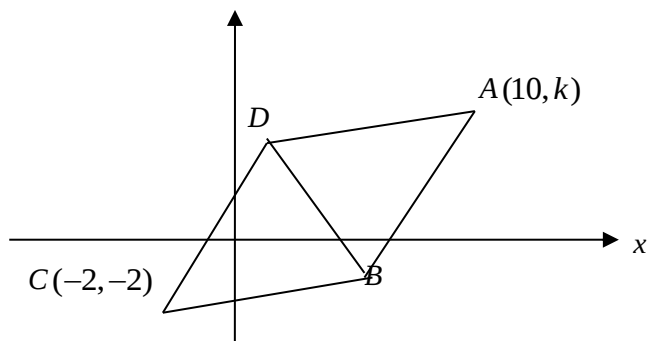
(vii)

$$\frac{1}{2} \times \sqrt{125} \times d = 25 \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{1}{2} \times 11.18 \times d = 25$$

$$d = 4.47 \text{ or } 2\sqrt{5} \quad d = 4.47$$

Question 3:

Solutions to this question by accurate drawing will not be accepted.



The diagram shows a rhombus $ABCD$ with vertices $A(10,k)$, B , $C(-2,-2)$ and D in which the equation of line BC is given to be $8y - x + 14 = 0$ and the equation of line BD is

$$2y + 3x - 16 = 0.$$

- (i) Show that $k = 6$. [3]
- (ii) Find the coordinates of B and of D . [6]
- (iii) Find the area of the rhombus $ABCD$. [2]

Solution:

(i)

Diagonals of rhombus bisect each other. Midpoint.

$$BD \text{ is } 2y + 3x - 16 = 0$$

$$\text{when } x = \frac{-2+10}{2} = 4,$$

$$2y + 3(4) - 16 = 0$$

$$y = \frac{4}{2} = 2$$

$$\frac{k-2}{2} = 2$$

$$k = 6 \text{ (shown)}$$

(ii)

BC and BD intersect at B

$$x = 8y + 14$$

$$3x = 42 + 24y = 16 - 2y$$

$$26y = -26$$

$$y = -1$$

$$x = -8 + 14 = 6$$

$$B : (6, -1)$$

Let $D = (x, y)$

$$\frac{x+6}{2} = 4$$

$$x = 2$$

$$\frac{y-1}{2} = 2$$

$$y = 5$$

$$D : (2, 5)$$

(iii)

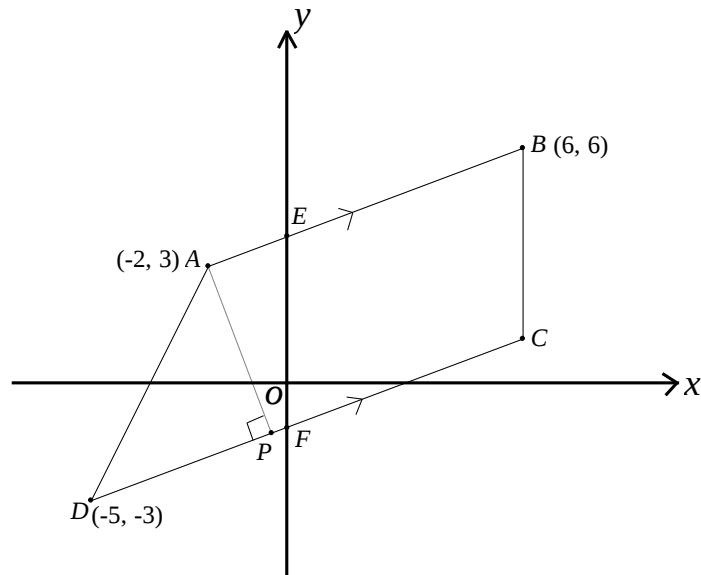
Area of $ABCD$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} -2 & 6 & 10 & 2 & -2 \\ -2 & -1 & 6 & 5 & -2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 52 \text{ unit}^2$$

Question 4:

Solutions to this question by accurate drawing will not be accepted.



The diagram shows a trapezium $ABCD$ in which AB is parallel to DC and BC is a vertical line. The vertices of the trapezium are $A(-2, 3)$, $B(6, 6)$, C and $D(-5, -3)$.

The perpendicular from A to DC meets DC at the point P .

(i) Find the coordinates of P and C .

[6]

The lines AB and DC cut the y -axis at E and F respectively.

(ii) Find the area of the parallelogram $BCFE$.

[2]

Solution:

(i)

$$m_{AB} = m_{DC} = \frac{6-3}{6+2} = \frac{3}{8}$$

Equation of AP :

$$y - 3 = -\frac{8}{3}(x + 2) \text{ ----- (1)}$$

Equation of DC :

$$y + 3 = \frac{3}{8}(x + 5) \text{ ----- (2)}$$

$$(2) - (1): \quad \frac{3}{8}(x + 5) + \frac{8}{3}(x + 2) = 6$$

$$\left(\frac{3}{8} + \frac{8}{3}\right)x = 6 - \frac{15}{8} - \frac{16}{3}$$

$$x = -\frac{29}{73} \quad [\text{or } -0.39726 \approx -0.397]$$

$$y = -\frac{8}{3}\left(-\frac{29}{73} + 2\right) + 3 = -\frac{93}{73} = -1\frac{20}{73} \quad [\text{or } -1.2739 \approx -1.27]$$

$$\therefore P: \left(-\frac{29}{73}, -1\frac{20}{73}\right)$$

$$\text{Sub } x = 6 \text{ into (2):} \quad y = \frac{3}{8}(6 + 5) - 3 = \frac{7}{8} = 1\frac{1}{8} \quad [\text{or } 1.125]$$

$$\therefore \text{ the coordinates of } C \text{ are } \left(6, 1\frac{1}{8}\right)$$

(ii)

$$\text{Area of } BCFE = 6 \times \left(6 - 1\frac{1}{8}\right) = \frac{117}{4} = 29\frac{1}{4} \text{ units}^2$$