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Question:

The points $(0, 5)$, $(0, -9)$ and $(3, 6)$ are not collinear.

Solution:

point	Name
$(0, 5)$	Point A
$(0, -9)$	Point B
$(3, 6)$	Point C

TABLE 0: Variables Used

The collinearity matrix is given by

(1)

$$(\mathbf{B} - \mathbf{A} \quad \mathbf{C} - \mathbf{A})^T = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -14 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

(2)

(3)

3 points are collinear if the rank of collinearity matrix is 1. but for above matrix by applying any row reduction also we can't create zero rows in matrix.

\Rightarrow given 3 points A,B,C are not collinear and they form a triangle.

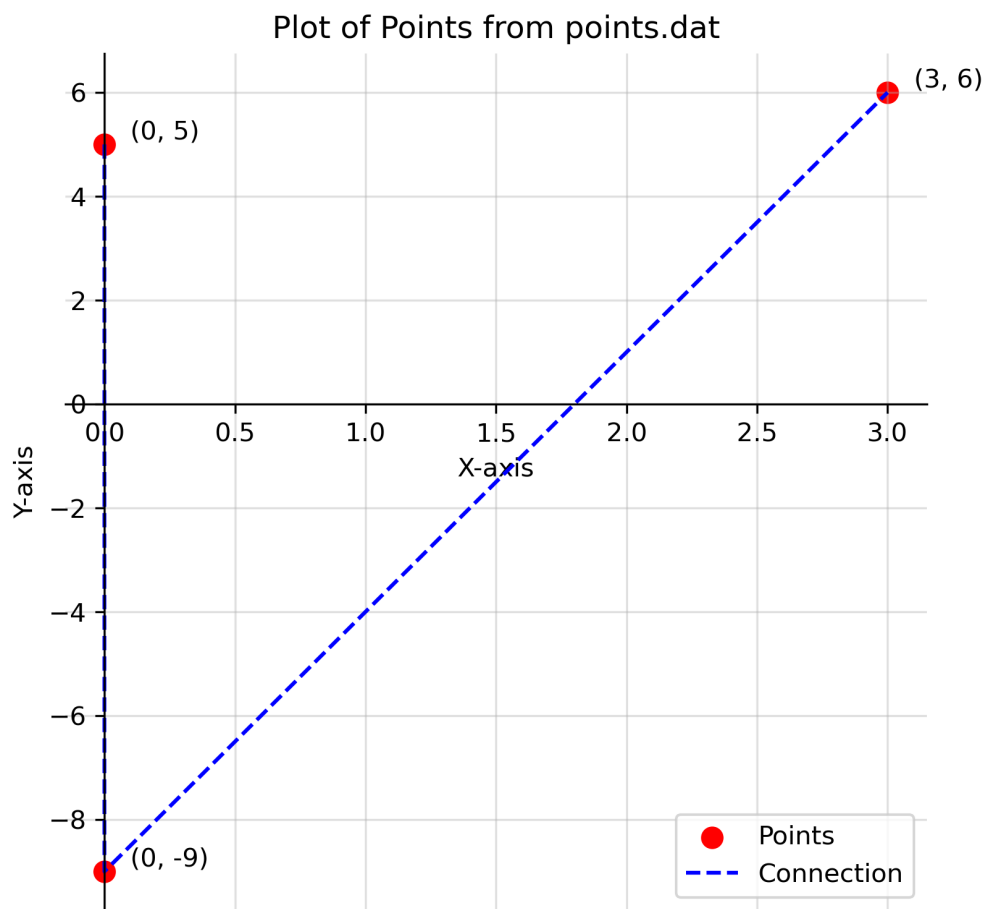


Fig. 0: A,B,C are not collinear