assignment1

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1 Problem statement

find the area of triangle whose vertices are given below: $(0,4),\,(3,6),\,(-8,-2)$

2 Solution

The vertices are:

$$a = 0, 4$$

 $b = 3, 6$

$$c = -8, -2$$

We make matrix by given coordinates matrix = [[0,4,1],[3,6,1],[-8,-2,1]] Determinants of the above matrix:

determinants = 2

Now Area of triangle is given by: Area of triangle is half of the determinants

$$Area = \frac{1}{2}*determinants$$

$$Area = 0.5*2$$

$$Area = 1unit$$