

All objects considered here are in the plane \mathbb{E}^2 .

1. Determine parametric equations for the line ℓ in the following cases:
 - a) ℓ contains the point $A(1, 2)$ and is parallel to the vector $\mathbf{a}(3, -1)$,
 - b) ℓ contains the origin and is parallel to $\mathbf{b}(4, 5)$,
 - c) ℓ contains the point $M(1, 7)$ and is parallel to Oy ,
 - d) ℓ contains the points $M(2, 4)$ and $N(2, -5)$.
2. For the lines ℓ in the previous exercise
 - a) give a Cartesian equation for ℓ ,
 - b) describe all direction vectors for ℓ .
3. Determine a Cartesian equations for the line ℓ in the following cases:
 - a) ℓ has slope -5 and contains the point $A(1, -2)$,
 - b) ℓ has slope 1 and is at distance 2 from the origin,
 - c) ℓ contains the point $A(-2, 3)$ and has an angle of 60° with the Ox -axis,
 - d) ℓ contains the point $B(1, 7)$ and is orthogonal to $\mathbf{n}(4, 3)$.
4. For the lines ℓ in the previous exercise
 - a) give parametric equations for ℓ ,
 - b) describe all normal vectors for ℓ .
5. Consider a line ℓ . Show that
 - c) if $\mathbf{v}(v_1, v_2)$ is a direction vector for ℓ then $\mathbf{n}(v_2, -v_1)$ is a normal vector for ℓ ,
 - d) if $\mathbf{n}(n_1, n_2)$ is a normal vector for ℓ then $\mathbf{v}(n_2, -n_1)$ is a direction vector for ℓ .
6. Consider the points $A(1, 2)$, $B(-2, 3)$ and $C(4, 7)$. Determine the medians of the triangle ABC .
7. Let $M_1(1, 2)$, $M_2(3, 4)$ and $M_3(5, -1)$ be the midpoints of the sides of a triangle. Determine Cartesian equations and parametric equations for the lines containing the sides of the triangle.
8. Let $A(1, 3)$, $B(-4, 3)$ and $C(2, 9)$ be the vertices of a triangle. Determine
 - a) the length of the altitude from A ,
 - b) the line containing the altitude from A .
9. Determine the circumcenter of the triangle with vertices $A(1, 2)$, $B(3, -2)$, $C(5, 6)$.

10. Determine the angle between the lines $\ell_1 : y = 2x + 1$ and $\ell_2 : y = -x + 2$.
11. Let $A(1, -2)$, $B(5, 4)$ and $C(-2, 0)$ be the vertices of a triangle. Determine the equations of the angle bisectors for the angle $\angle A$.
12. Let A' be the orthogonal reflection of $A(10, 10)$ in the line $\ell : 3x + 4y - 20 = 0$. Determine the coordinates of A' .
13. Determine Cartesian equations for the lines passing through $A(-2, 5)$ which intersect the coordinate axes in congruent segments.
14. Determine Cartesian equations for the lines situated at distance 4 from the line $12x - 5y - 15 = 0$.
15. Determine the values k for which the distance from the point $(2, 3)$ to the line $8x + 15y + k = 0$ equals 5.
16. Consider the points $A(3, -1)$, $B(9, 1)$ and $C(-5, 5)$. For each pair of these three points, determine the line which is equidistant from them.
17. The point $A(3, -2)$ is the vertex of a square and $M(1, 1)$ is the intersection point of its diagonals. Determine Cartesian equations for the sides of the square.
18. Determine a point on the line $5x - 4y - 4 = 0$ which is equidistant to the points $A(1, 0)$ and $B(-2, 1)$.
19. The point $A(2, 0)$ is the vertex of an equilateral triangle. The side opposite to A lies on the line $x + y - 1 = 0$. Determine Cartesian equations for the lines containing the other two sides.