Assignment 1

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vector

Abstract—This document contains the solution to find Internally and externally divided coordinate points.

Download all python codes from

https://github.com/Anjalibagade/EE5600/tree/master/Assignment1

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Problem 1.18

Find the coordinates of the point which divides, internally and externally, the line joining (-3,-4) to (-8,7) in the ratio 7:5

Solution:

Let us consider P is a point which divides A and B in the ratio of 7:5 gives internally divided point.

• Finding internal coordinate point :

The coordinates of point S(a,b) which divides the line joining points $A(x_1, y_1)$ and $B(x_2, y_2)$ internally in the ratio m:n is given by the section formula

$$\mathbf{S}\left(a,b\right) = \left(\frac{mx_2 + nx_1}{m+n}, \frac{my_2 + ny_1}{m+n}\right) \tag{0.0.1}$$

Substitute all the values in the equation given above

$$\implies \left(\frac{7(-8)+5(-3)}{7+5}, \frac{7(7)+5(-4)}{7+5}\right) \tag{0.0.2}$$

$$\implies \left(\frac{-56-15}{12}, \frac{49-20}{12}\right)$$
 (0.0.3)

$$\implies \left(\frac{-71}{12}, \frac{29}{12}\right) \tag{0.0.4}$$

Hence internal division is taking place at point

$$\mathbf{S}(a,b) = \left(\frac{-71}{12}, \frac{29}{12}\right)$$
 (0.0.5)

Similarly,

• Finding external coordinate point :

The coordinates of point T(p,q) which divides the line joining points $A(x_1, y_1)$ and $B(x_2, y_2)$ externally in the ratio m:n is given by the section formula

$$\mathbf{T}(p,q) = \left(\frac{mx_2 - nx_1}{m - n}, \frac{my_2 - ny_1}{m - n}\right)$$
 (0.0.6)

Substitute all the values in the equation given above

$$\implies \left(\frac{7(-8)-5(-3)}{7-5}, \frac{7(7)-5(-4)}{7-5}\right) \tag{0.0.7}$$

$$\implies \left(\frac{-56+15}{2}, \frac{49+20}{2}\right) \tag{0.0.8}$$

$$\implies \left(\frac{-41}{2}, \frac{69}{2}\right) \tag{0.0.9}$$

Hence external division is taking place at point

$$\mathbf{T}\left(p,q\right) = \left(\frac{-41}{2}, \frac{69}{2}\right) \tag{0.0.10}$$

Result

Plot of coordinate of the points obtained from Python code is shown below.

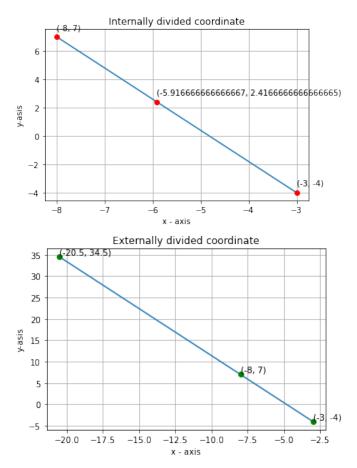


Fig. 0: Plot of coordinate of the point which divides internally and externally