

# 1.9.16

EE24BTECH11008 - Aslin Garvasis

## Question:

Find the distance between the points  $(a, b)$  and  $(-a, -b)$

## Solution:

Variable	Description
$\mathbf{A}(a, b) = (8, 9)$	coordinates of first point
$\mathbf{B}(-a, -b) = (-8, -9)$	coordinates of second point
$(\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B})^T(\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B}) = \ \mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B}\ ^2$	square of distance between $\mathbf{A}$ and $\mathbf{B}$
$d$	distance between $\mathbf{A}$ and $\mathbf{B}$

TABLE 0: Input parameters

$$\Rightarrow d = \|\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B}\| = \sqrt{(\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B})^T (\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B})} \quad (0.1)$$

$$\Rightarrow d = \sqrt{(2a \quad 2b) \begin{pmatrix} 2a \\ 2b \end{pmatrix}} \quad (0.2)$$

$$\Rightarrow d = \sqrt{4a^2 + 4b^2} \quad (0.3)$$

$$\Rightarrow d = 2 \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \quad (0.4)$$

$$\Rightarrow d = 2 \sqrt{145} \quad (0.5)$$

