

Coordinate Geometry.

→ Distance b/w two points

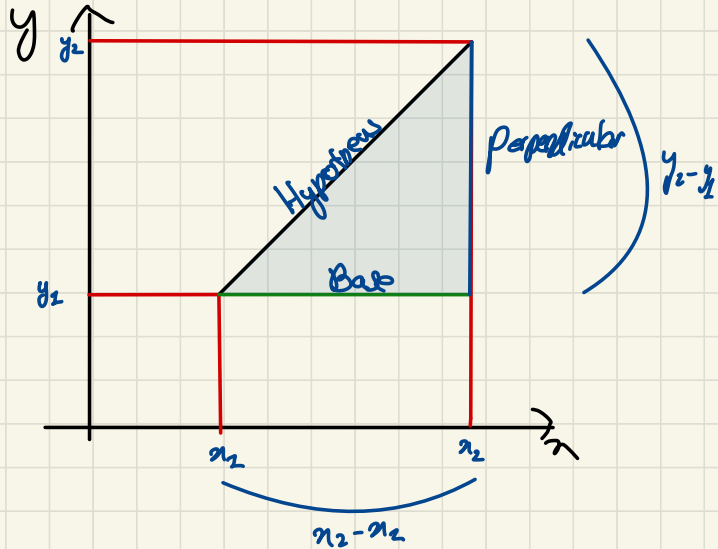
$$A = (x_1, y_1) \quad B = (x_2, y_2)$$

$$AB = \sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2}$$

Examples

1) $A(3, 5) \quad B(6, 1)$

$$\begin{aligned} AB &= \sqrt{(6-3)^2 + (1-5)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{9+16} \\ &= \sqrt{25} \\ &= 5 \text{ units} \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Base}^2 + \text{Perpendicular}^2 &= \text{Hyp}^2 \\ (x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2 &= \text{Hyp}^2 \\ \sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2} &= \text{Hyp} \end{aligned}$$

2) $A(2, -5) \quad B(14, 0)$

$$\begin{aligned} AB &= \sqrt{(14-2)^2 + (0-(-5))^2} \\ &= \sqrt{144+25} \\ &= \sqrt{169} \\ &= 13 \text{ units} \end{aligned}$$

2a) $A(a, 5) \quad B(3, a)$. Given that $AB = 5$ units. Find the values of a

$$\begin{aligned} AB &= \sqrt{(3-a)^2 + (a-5)^2} = 5 \\ \therefore (3-a)^2 + 16 &= 25 \\ (3-a)^2 &= 9 \\ 3-a &= \pm 3 \\ a &= 0 \\ a &= 6 \end{aligned}$$

(b) $P(6, -2)$ $Q(6, 13)$. Given that $PQ = 17$ units. Find the values of p .

$$\sqrt{(6-p)^2 + (13+2)^2} = 17$$

$$(6-p)^2 + 225 = 17^2$$

$$(6-p)^2 = 289 - 225$$

$$(6-p)^2 = 64$$

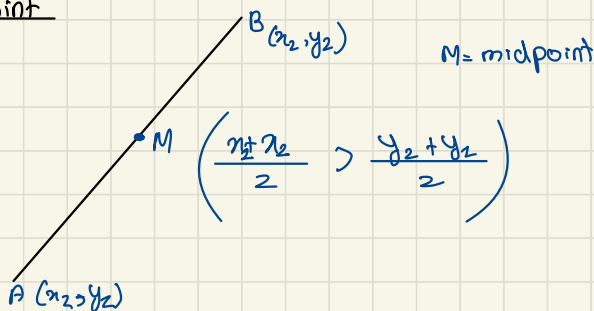
$$6-p = \pm 8$$

$$-2 = p, \quad 14 = p$$

$$\boxed{p = -2}$$

$$\boxed{p = 14}$$

→ Midpoint



Examples

1) $A(3, 9)$ $B(1, 5)$

$$M = \left(\frac{3+1}{2}, \frac{9+5}{2} \right)$$

$$= \boxed{2, 7}$$

(b) $P(-2, 6)$ $Q(4, 6)$

$$M \left(\frac{-2+4}{2}, \frac{6+6}{2} \right)$$

$$= \boxed{1, 6}$$

Qs 2 $A(3, 5)$ $B(x, y)$. Given that midpoint of A & B is $M(4, 7)$

$$\left(\frac{3+x}{2}, \frac{5+y}{2} \right) = 4, 7$$

$$\frac{3+x}{2} = 4$$

$$3+x = 8$$

$$\boxed{x = 5}$$

$$\frac{5+y}{2} = 7$$

$$5+y = 14$$

$$\boxed{y = 9}$$

$$\boxed{B(5, 9)}$$

Q33 A(-1,0), B(1,6) and C(7,4)

Show that triangle ABC is a right angled isosceles triangle

$$\begin{aligned} AB &= \sqrt{(-1-1)^2 + (0-6)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{4 + 36} \\ &= \sqrt{40} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} BC &= \sqrt{(1-7)^2 + (6-4)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{36 + 4} \\ &= \sqrt{40} \end{aligned}$$

same values prove that they are isosceles

$$\begin{aligned} AC &= \sqrt{(-1-7)^2 + (0-4)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{64 + 16} \\ &= \sqrt{80} \end{aligned}$$

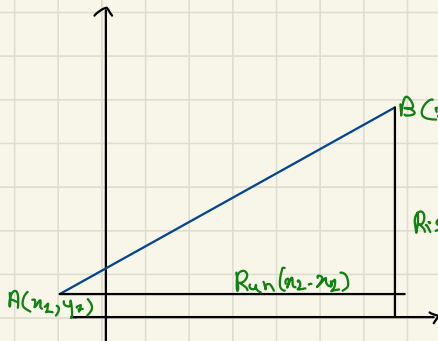
$$\begin{aligned} AB^2 + BC^2 &= AC^2 \\ \sqrt{40}^2 + \sqrt{40}^2 &= \sqrt{80}^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$40 + 40 = 80$$

$$80 = 80$$

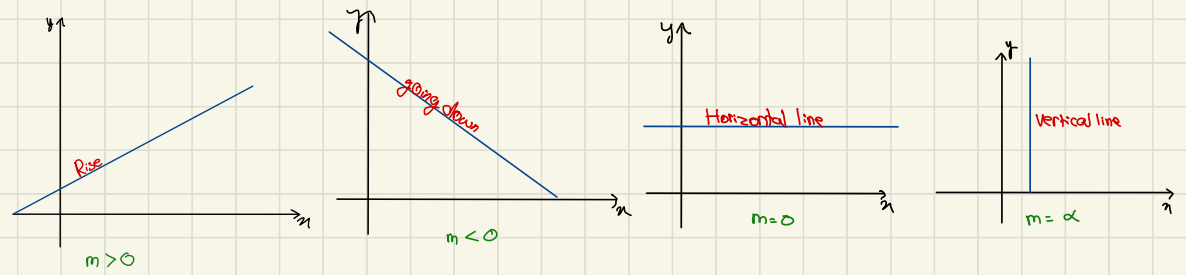
hence proved that they are right angled.

Gradient/slope : Measure of steepness of a line



Gradient

$$m = \frac{\text{Rise}}{\text{Run}} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

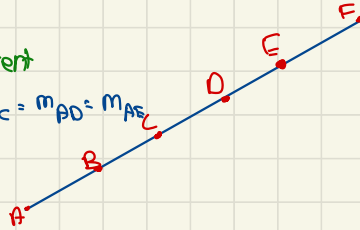


Key Point

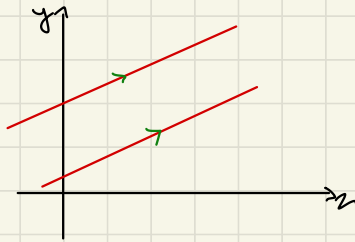
- ① Collinear Points have the same gradient

Points lying on the same line

$$m_{AB} = m_{BC} = m_{AC} = m_{AE}$$



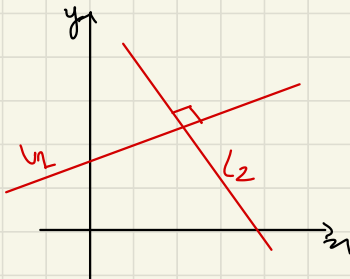
- ② Parallel lines have the same gradient



$$L_1 \parallel L_2$$

$$m_1 = m_2$$

- ③ Product of the gradient perpendicular lines is -1



$$m_1 \times m_2 = -1$$

$$m_1 = -\frac{1}{m_2}$$

4) A $(-1, -5)$, B $(5, -2)$ and C $(2, 1)$

ABCD is a trapezium

AB is parallel to DC and angle BAD is 90° .

Find the coordinates of D.

$$m_{AB} = \frac{-2 - (-5)}{5 - (-1)} = \frac{3}{6}$$

$$m_{AB} = m_{DC}$$

$$\frac{1-y}{1-x} = \frac{3}{6} \Rightarrow$$

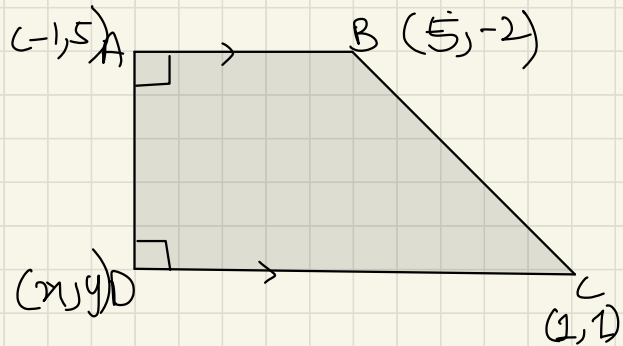
$$6 - 6y = 3 - 3x$$

$$3 + 3x = 6y$$

$$\frac{1+x}{2} = y$$

$$y = \frac{1+x}{2}$$

$$y = 1$$



$$m_{AD} = -\frac{1}{m_{AB}}$$

$$m_{AD} = -\frac{6}{3}$$

$$\frac{5-y}{-1-x} = -\frac{6}{3}$$

$$5-y = 1+2x$$

$$3-2x = y$$

$$2(3-2x) = 1+x$$

$$6-4x = 1+x$$

$$5 = 5x$$

$$x = 1$$

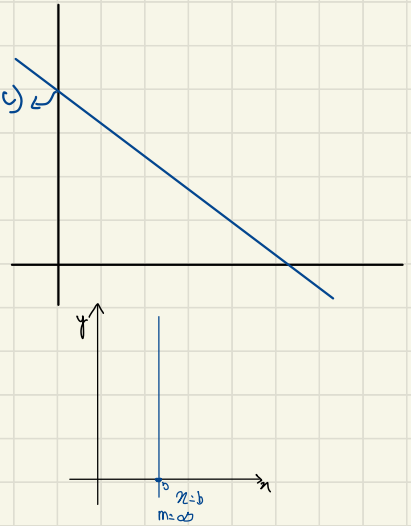
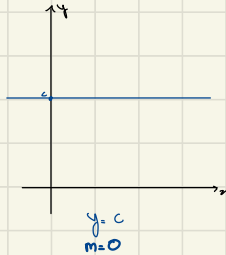
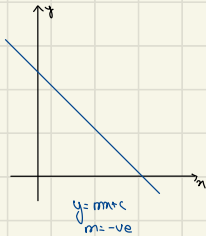
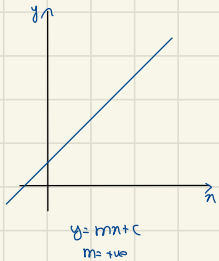
→ Equation of Straight line

$$y = mx + c$$

↗ gradient

↘ y-intercept where the point is $(0, c)$

$(0, c)$



How to find the equation of a straight line

① Gradient & y intercept.

② Gradient of a point on the line

③ Two points on the line

$$y = mx + c$$

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$m = \text{gradient}$

$(x_1, y_1) = \text{Point on the line}$

① Gradient & y intercept.

$$m = 3 \quad c = 2$$

$$y = mx + c$$

$$y = 3x + 2$$

② Gradient of a point on the line

$$y = mx + c$$

$$m = 4$$

$$y = 4x + c$$

$$3 = 4(2) + c$$

$$-5 = c$$

$P(2, 3)$

$$y = 4x - 5$$

New way

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$m = 4 \quad P(2, 3)$$

$$y - 3 = 4(x - 2)$$

$$y - 3 = 4x - 8$$

$$y = 4x - 5$$

Two points

$$P(1, -3) \quad Q(1, 7)$$

$$y - y_2 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$y - 7 = 2(x - 1)$$

$$y - 7 = 2x - 2$$

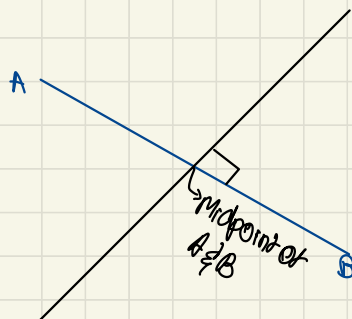
$$y = 2x + 5$$

$$m = \frac{7 - (-3)}{1 - 1} = \frac{y}{x} = 2$$

Perpendicular Bisector

Equation of perpendicular bisector of line AB

- ① Find the midpoint of A & B
- ② (i) Find the gradient of line AB (m_1)
(ii) Take the negative reciprocal $m_2 = -\frac{1}{m_1}$
- ③ Form an equation using $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$



Example

find the equation of the perpendicular bisector of

$$(a) \quad A(-1, 2) \quad B(1, 6)$$

$$m_{AB} = \frac{6 - 2}{1 - (-1)}$$

$$m_{pb} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$M = \left(\frac{-1 + 1}{2}, \frac{2 + 6}{2} \right) = (0, 4)$$

$$m_{AB} = 2$$

$$y - 4 = -\frac{1}{2}(x - 0)$$
$$y = -\frac{x}{2} + 4$$