

Solutions – Coorgeo2 2

Part -I Slope of Line

1) Find the slope of the line parallel to y-axis ?

Solution:

The line parallel to y – axis intersects y axis at infinity.

$$\text{Slope} = \frac{-y - \text{intercept}}{x - \text{intercept}}$$

The line parallel to y – axis intersects the x – axis at point (a ,0)

$$\text{So, the slope of the line} = \frac{-\infty}{a} = \infty$$

2) What is the slope of the line if the point A is (4,-3) and point B is (1,2) ?

Solution:

Given:

Point A is A(4, -3)

Point B is B(1, 2)

$$\text{Slope of the line} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{2 - (-3)}{1 - 4} = \frac{-5}{3}$$

$$\text{Slope of the line} = \frac{-5}{3}$$

3) Find the slope of the line CD which is parallel to the line AB. Where point A is (-6,-7) and B is (0, 5) ?

Solution:

Given:

The line CD is parallel to the line AB.

Point A is A(-6, -7) and

Point B is B(0, 5).

Slopes of parallel lines are equal.

That is, slope of AB = Slope of CD.

$$\text{Slope of AB} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{5 - (-7)}{0 - (-6)} = \frac{12}{6} = 2.$$

$$\text{Slope of CD} = 2.$$

4) Find the slope of the line parallel to x-axis ?

Solution:

$$\text{Slope of the line} = \frac{-y - \text{intercept}}{x - \text{intercept}}$$

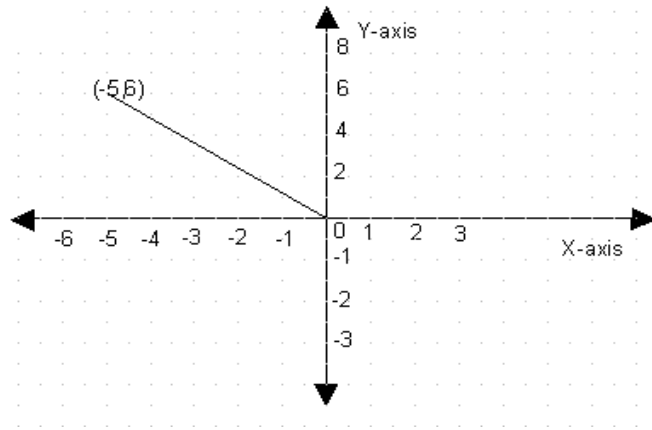
The line parallel to x – axis meets the y axis at (∞ , b), where b is the y – intercept.

So, the x – intercept is infinity and the y – intercept is b.

$$\text{Slope of the line} = \frac{-b}{\infty} = 0$$

Slope of the line parallel to x – axis is 0.

5) From the diagram below, find the slope of the line from the origin



Solution:

The given line passes through origin (0, 0) and the point (-5, 6).

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Slope} &= \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \\ &= \frac{6 - 0}{-5 - 0} = \frac{-6}{5} \\ \text{Slope} &= \frac{-6}{5}\end{aligned}$$

6) Find the slope of the line which is perpendicular to the line MN, where M is (0, -9) and N is (-5, 6)?

Solution:

Given:

M(0, -9) and N(-5, 6) are two points of the line MN.

$$\text{Slope of the line MN} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{6 - (-9)}{-5 - 0} = -3$$

Slope of the line perpendicular to a line with slope m is $-\frac{1}{m}$

$$\text{Slope of the line perpendicular to the line MN} = \frac{-1}{(-3)} = \frac{1}{3}$$

7) Determine the slope of the line making 90 degree with x-axis?

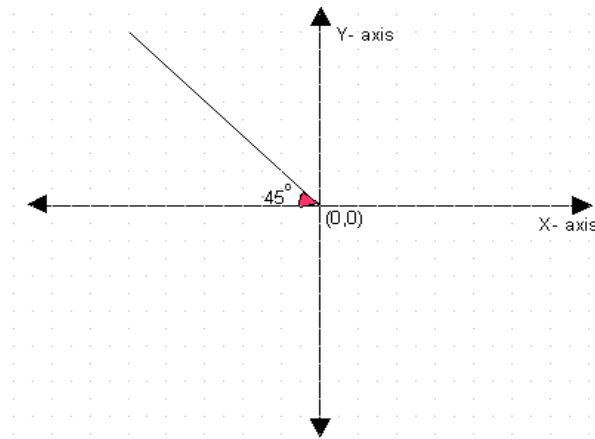
Solution:

The line making 90 degree with x – axis is parallel to y – axis.

Slope of the line parallel to y – axis is infinity.

Slope of the line making 90 degree with x – axis is infinity.

8) Find the slope of the line given below



Solution:

In the diagram, the angle is given as 45 degree in anti clockwise direction in the negative x - axis, which means the second quadrant is divided into two equal halves.

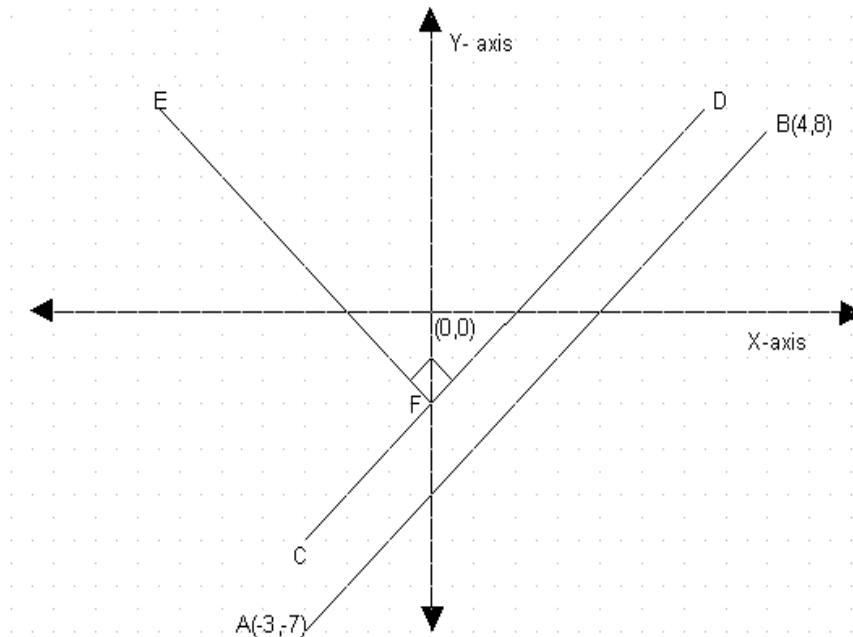
Therefore, any point on the line will be $(-a, a)$, where a is a real number.

The line passes through the origin $(0, 0)$.

$$\text{Slope of the line} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{0 - (-a)}{0 - (a)} = -1$$

Slope of the given line is -1 .

9) Find the slope of EF



Solution:

Given:

The line EF is perpendicular to CD and CD is parallel to AB.

Slope of AB = Slope of CD.

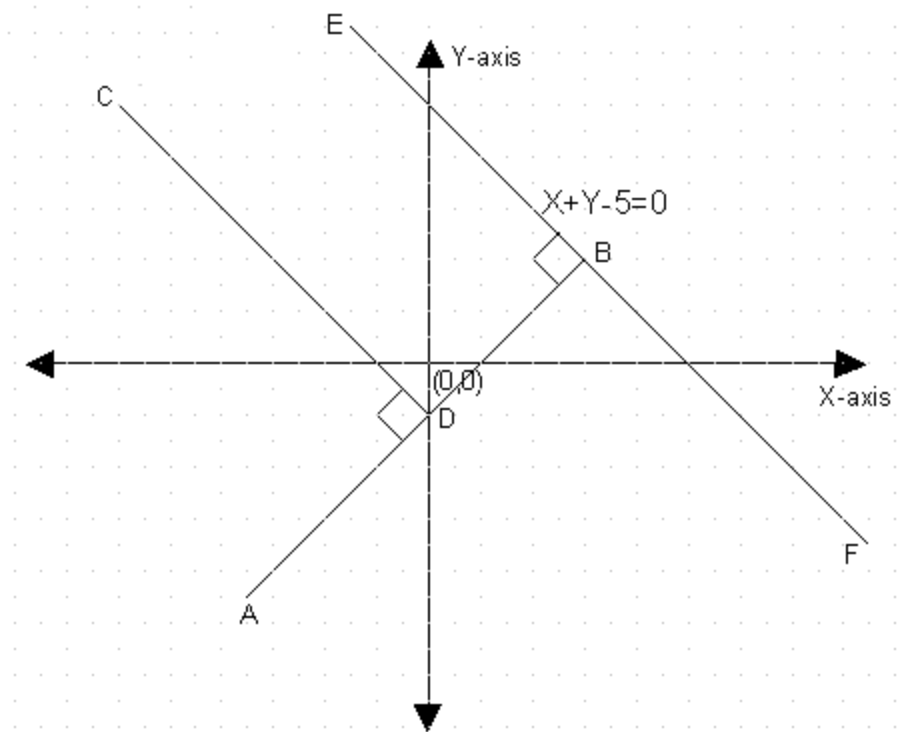
The points of the line AB are $A(-3, -7)$ and $B(4, 8)$.

$$\text{Slope of AB} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{8 - (-7)}{4 - (-3)} = \frac{15}{7}$$

Since EF is perpendicular to AB, slope of EF = -1 / slope of AB

$$\text{Slope of the line EF} = \frac{-7}{15}$$

10) Find the slope of CD



Solution:

Given:

$$\text{Equation of the line EF is } x + y - 5 = 0 \implies x/5 + y/5 = 1$$

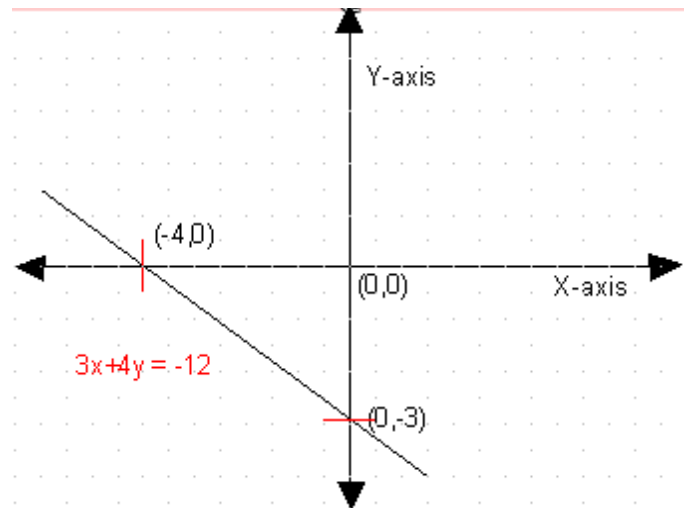
x – intercept = 5 and y – intercept = 5.

Since CD and EF are parallel, slope of CD = slope of EF

$$\text{Slope of EF} = -\frac{y\text{-intercept}}{x\text{-intercept}} = -5/5 = -1.$$

$$\text{Slope of CD} = -1$$

Part – II – Intercepts



X intercept of the above line = - 4
Y intercept of the above line = - 3

X intercept of the X axis = All the points along the x - axis
Y intercept of the Y axis = All the points along the y – axis

Part – III – Equation of a Line

1) Find the equation of the line, where slope is 5 and one point is (2,-4) ?

Solution:

Given:

Slope of the line = 5

The given point is (2, -4)

Point – slope form of a line is $(y - y_1) = m(x - x_1)$

Equation of the required line is $y - (-4) = 5(x - 2)$

=====> $y = 5x - 14$

2) What is the equation of the line parallel to x- axis?

Solution:

If the line is parallel to x – axis, then the slope of the line will be 0 and the line intersects the y – axis at a constant point (0, c).

So, the equation of the line with slope 0 and the point (0, c) is $(y - y_1) = m(x - x_1)$

The required equation of the line is $y - c = 0(x - 0)$

=====> $y = c$ is the equation of the line parallel x axis.

3) What is the equation of the line parallel to y-axis?

Soltion:

If the line is parallel to y – axis, then the slope of the line will be $1 / 0$, that is infinity and the line intersects the x – axis at a constant point (a , 0).

So, the equation of the line with slope $1 / 0$ and the point (a, 0) is $(y - y_1) = m(x - x_1)$

The required equation of the line is $y - 0 = (1 / 0)(x - a)$

=====> $x = a$ is the equation of the line parallel x axis.

4) Find the equation of the line passing through the origin from the point (6,-2) ?

Solution:

Given:

A line is passing through the point (6, -2) and the origin (0,0)

If two points are given equation of the line is $\frac{(y-y_1)}{(x-x_1)} = \frac{(y_2-y_1)}{(x_2-x_1)}$

$$\text{Equation of the required line} = \frac{(y-(-2))}{(x-6)} = \frac{(0-(-2))}{(0-6)}$$

$$\implies -6(y+2) = 2(x-6)$$

$$-6y - 12 = 2x - 12$$

The required equation is $y = -x / 3$

5) If the x - intercept is -1/5 and y intercept is 2/3, Find the equation of the line ?

Solution:

Given:

x - intercept = - 1/5

y - intercept = 2/3

If a is the x intercept and b is the y intercept, then the equation of the line is $x/a + y/b = 1$.

$$\text{The required equation of the line} = \frac{x}{(-\frac{1}{5})} + \frac{y}{(\frac{2}{3})} = 1$$

That is, $3y = 10x + 2$

The required equation of the line is $10x - 3y + 2 = 0$

6) Find the equation of the line from the diagram below

Solution:

From the diagram, x intercept of the line is -3 and y intercept of the line is also -3.

The equation of the line in intercept form

$$\text{is } \frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$$

Equation of the required line is

$$\frac{x}{(-3)} + \frac{y}{(-3)} = 1$$

The required equation of the line is $x + y + 3 = 0$.

7) Find the value of Y intercept, if slope is 2 and one point is (5,2) ?

Solution:

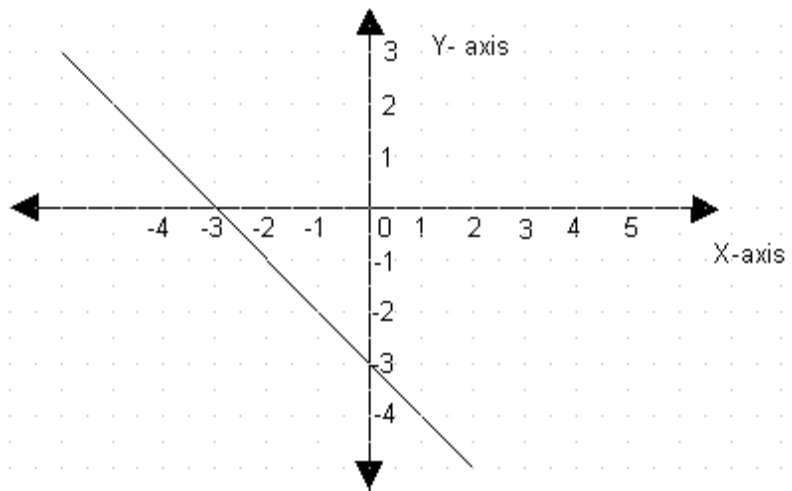
Given:

Slope of the line = 2

a point on the line is (5,2)

To find y intercept, put $x = 0$ in the equation of the line.

Equation of the line if a point and slope is given $(y-y_1) = m(x-x_1)$



y – intercept is $y - 2 = 2(-5)$
 $y = -8$.
 y – intercept of the line is -8.

8) Find the equation of the line

Solution:

The line AB passes through the point (6,3) and the y – intercept -3.

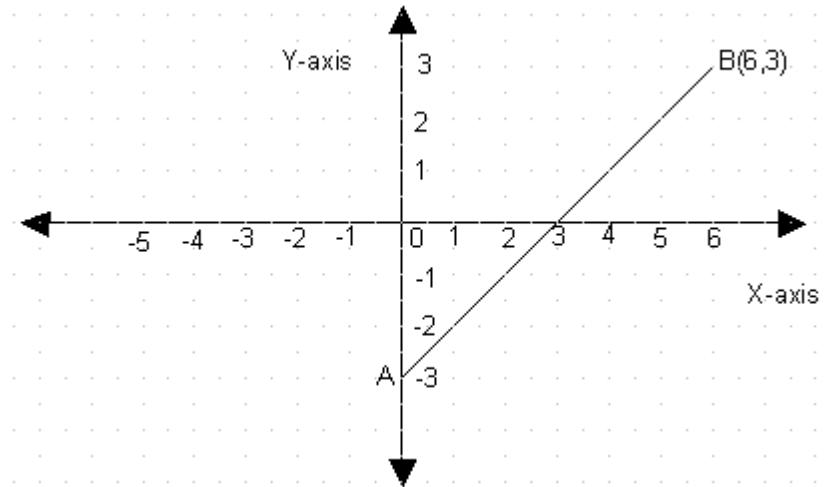
Equation of the line if slope m and y – intercept is given $y = mx + c$.

Plug in the point (6, 3) and y intercept -3 in the above equation.

$$3 = 6m - 3$$

$$m = 1.$$

So, the required equation is $y = x - 3$.



9) Find the slope of the line if X-intercept is 5 and Y-intercept is -3 ?

Solution:

Given:

$$x - \text{intercept} = 5$$

$$y - \text{intercept} = -3$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Slope of the line} &= -\frac{y - \text{intercept}}{x - \text{intercept}} \\ &= -\frac{-(-3)}{5} = \frac{3}{5} \end{aligned}$$

Slope of the line is $\frac{3}{5}$

10) Answer the following with the help of the above diagram.

1) What is the distance between AB , BC , CD , DA ?

Solution:

Given:

Point A is A(-4, -1).

Point B is B(3, -1).

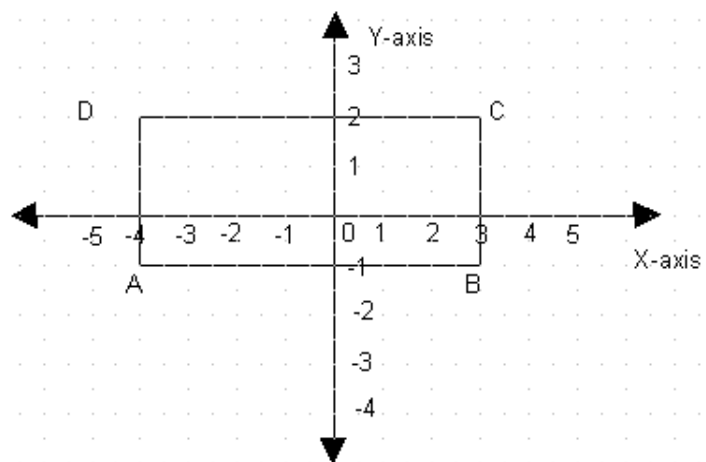
Point C is C(3, 2).

Point D is D(-4, 2).

ABCD is a rectangle.

AB is parallel to x – axis.

$$\text{Distance AB} = |x - \text{intercept of AD}| + |x - \text{intercept of BC}|$$



$$= |-4| + |3| = 7.$$

$$AB = CD = 7.$$

BC is parallel to y axis.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Distance BC} &= |y - \text{intercept of AB}| + |y - \text{intercept of DC}| \\ &= |-1| + |2| = 3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Distance BC} = 3.$$

$$BC = AD = 3$$

2) Find the slopes of AB , BC , CD and DA ?

Solution:

AB and CD are parallel. AD and BC are parallel.

AD and BC are perpendicular to AB and CD.

Slope of parallel lines is equal.

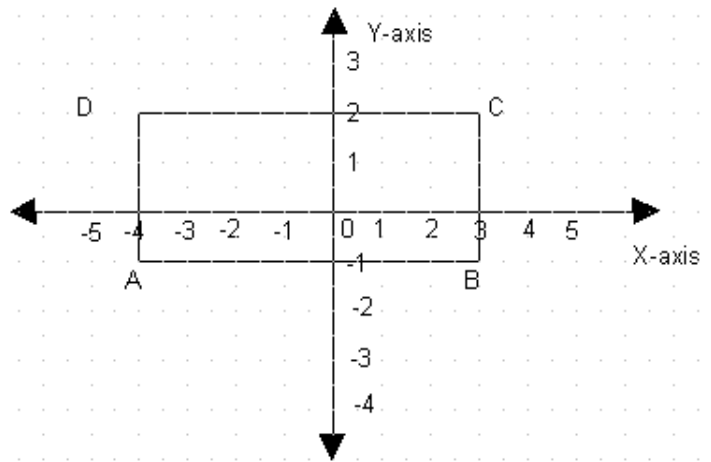
Slope of perpendicular line = $-1 / (\text{slope of another line})$

AB is parallel to x – axis.

Slope of the line parallel to x – axis is 0.

$$\text{Slope of AB} = \text{CD} = 0.$$

$$\text{Slope of AD} = \text{BC} = -1/0 = \text{infinity}.$$



3) Find the equation of the lines AB , BC, CD, DA?

Solution:

The lines AB and CD are parallel to x – axis.

Their slope is 0.

So, the equation of the line parallel to x axis is $y = k$, where k is the y – intercept.

Y – intercept of the line AB is -1 and CD is 2.

$$\text{Equation of the line AB is } y = -1$$

$$\text{Equation of the line CD is } y = 2.$$

The line BC and AD are parallel to y – axis.

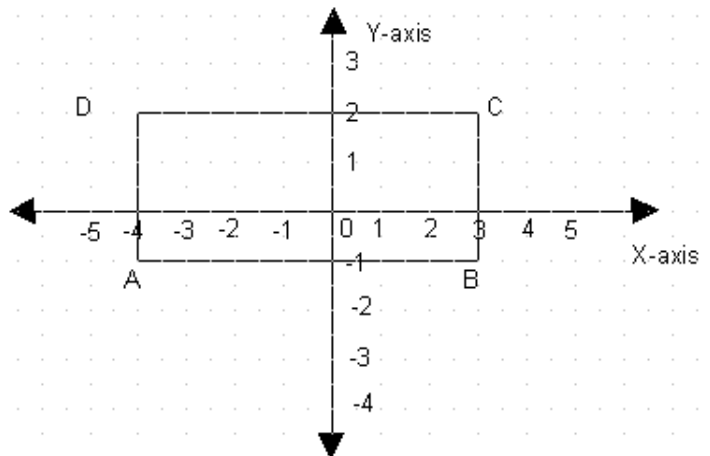
Equation of the line parallel to y – axis is $x = a$, where a is the x – intercept.

$$x - \text{intercept of BC} = 3$$

$$x - \text{intercept of AD} = -4$$

$$\text{Equation of the line BC is } x = 3$$

$$\text{Equation of the line AD is } x = -4.$$



4) Find the area of the figure?

Solution:

This is a rectangle.

Length AB = 7 units.

Width BC = 3 units.

$$\text{Area of the rectangle} = 7 \times 3 = 21 \text{ sq unit.}$$

5) Find the coordinates of A, B, C and D .

Solution:

Coordinate of A is A(x – intercept of AD, y – intercept of AB)

That is, A(-4, -1).

Coordinate of B is B(x – intercept of BC, y – intercept of AB)

That is, B(3, -1)

Coordinate of C is (x – intercept of BC, y – intercept of CD)

That is, C(3, 2).

Coordinate of D is (x – intercept of AD, y – intercept of CD)

that is, D(-4, 2).

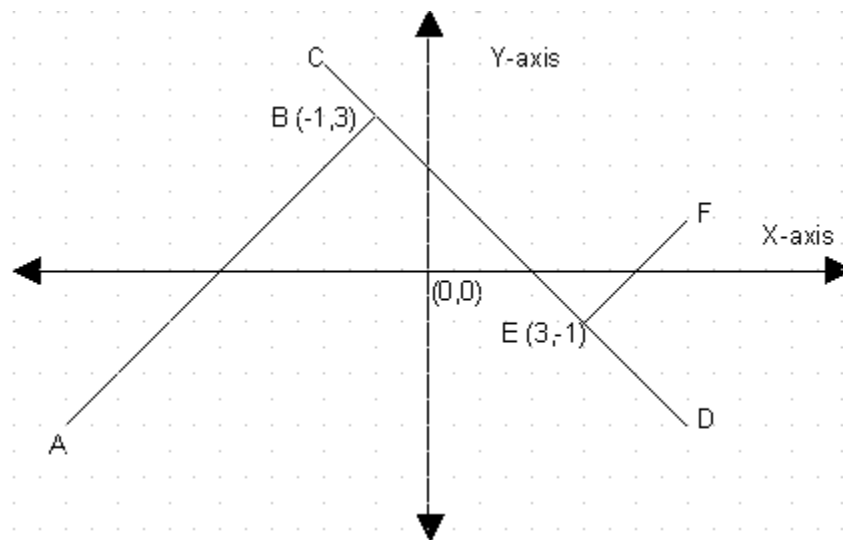
6) Find the perimeter of the figure ?

Solution:

Perimeter = 2(length of AB + length of BC)

$$= 2(7+ 3) = 20 \text{ units.}$$

11) Find the equation of the line EF and AB, if the equation of the line CD is $x+y-2=0$



Solution:

Given:

Equation of the line CD is $x + y - 2 = 0$.

AC is perpendicular to CD.

Slope of the line $y = -x - 2$ is -1 .

slope of the line perpendicular to the line $y = -x - 2$ is 1 .

So, the equation of the line AB is $y = x + c$, where c is y intercept.

The line AB passes through $B(-1, 3)$.

Plug in the point in the equation $y = x + c$.

$$3 = -1 + c \implies c = 4.$$

So, the equation of the line is $y = x + 4$.

EF is parallel to the line AB.

So, equation of the line EF is $y = x + k$, where k is the y intercept.

EF passes through the point $E(3, -1)$.

Plug in the point $E(3, -1)$ in the equation.

$$-1 = 3 + k \implies k = -4$$

So, the equation of the line is $y = x - 4$.

12) If the equation of the line is $Y = 3x - 7$, what is the Y - intercept ?

Solution:

To find y intercept, put $x = 0$ in the given equation.

$$Y = 3(0) - 7 = -7$$

$y = -7$ is the y intercept of the given line.

13) If the equation of the line is $Y = 5x + 2$, what is the X - intercept ?

Solution:

To find the x - intercept of a line, put $y = 0$.

$$0 = 5x + 2 \implies x = -2/5.$$

x - intercept of the given line is $-2/5$.