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Question:

The distance of the point $\mathbf{P}(-6, 8)$ from the origin is

Solution:

Variable	Description
$\mathbf{P}(-6, 8)$	coordinates of first point
$\mathbf{O}(0, 0)$	coordinates of second point
d	Distance between point \mathbf{P} and \mathbf{O}

TABLE 0: Input parameters

$$d = \|\mathbf{P} - \mathbf{O}\| \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow d = \sqrt{(\mathbf{P} - \mathbf{O})^\top (\mathbf{P} - \mathbf{O})} \quad (2)$$

$$\Rightarrow d = \sqrt{\begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -6 & 8 \end{pmatrix}} \quad (3)$$

$$\Rightarrow d = \sqrt{(-6)^2 + 8^2} \quad (4)$$

$$\Rightarrow d = \sqrt{100} \quad (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow d = 10 \quad (6)$$

The distance of the point $\mathbf{P}(-6, 8)$ from the origin is 10 units.

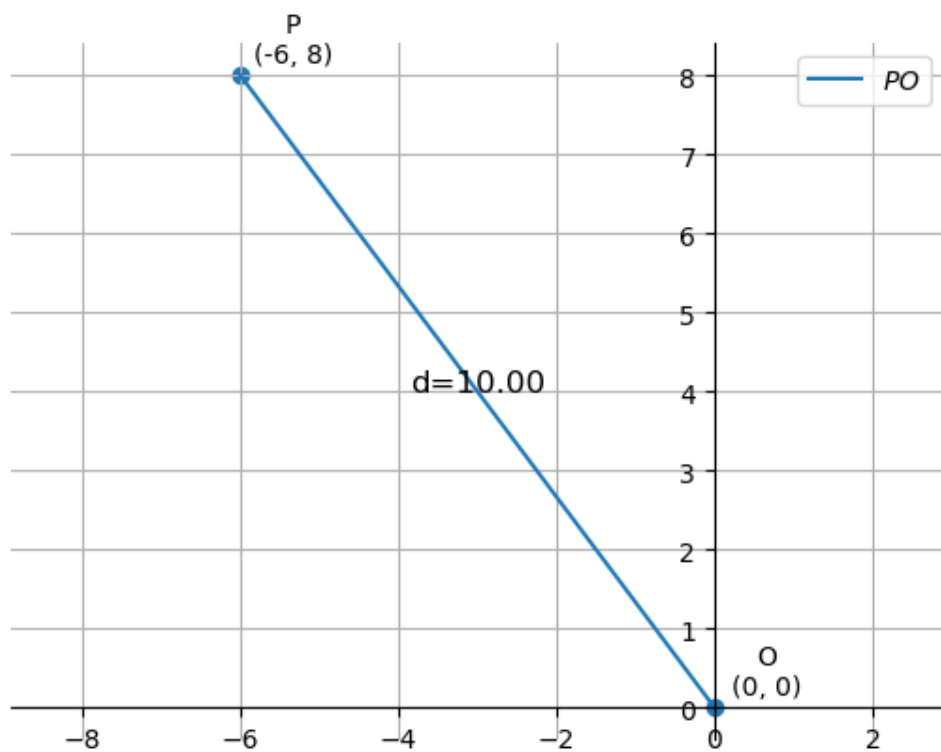


Fig. 0: Distance between points P and O