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## Line Assignment

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### Problem Statement:

The x-coordinate of the incentre of the triangle that has the coordinates of mid points of its sides as (0, 1), (1, 1) and (1, 0) is:

- (a)  $2 + \sqrt{2}$  (b)  $2 - \sqrt{2}$   
(c)  $1 + \sqrt{2}$  (d)  $1 - \sqrt{2}$

### Construction

vertex	coordinates
B	$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$
P	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$
Q	$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$
R	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$
k	1
C	$\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$
A	$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

**Solution:** If a point Q divides the line segment AB in the ratio k: 1 is given by

$$Q = \frac{(kB + A)}{k + 1} \quad (1)$$

If a point P divides the line segment BC in the ratio k: 1 is given by

$$P = \frac{(kB + C)}{k + 1} \quad (2)$$

Given P(1,0), Q(0,1) and R(1,1) are the mid points of the sides of a triangle.

Mid points divide the line segment in 1:1 ratio.

$\therefore k=1$

By substituting k=1 in equation (1)

$$Q = \frac{B + A}{2} \quad (3)$$

$$A = 2Q - B \dots \dots \dots (4) \quad (4)$$

Given Q  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

Take B  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

By substituting Q and B in equation (4)

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

By substituting k=1 in equation (2)

$$P = \frac{B + C}{2} \quad (5)$$

$$C = 2P - B \dots \dots \dots (5) \quad (6)$$

We have P  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$  B  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

By substituting P and B in equation (5)

$$C = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

we have A  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$  B  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$  C  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

Vector representation of A,B,C are as follows

$$\mathbf{A} = 2\mathbf{j} \quad (7)$$

$$\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{0} \quad (8)$$

$$\mathbf{C} = 2\mathbf{i} \quad (9)$$

The vectors of AB, BC and CA line segments are

$$\mathbf{V1} = \mathbf{B} - \mathbf{A} = -2\mathbf{j} \quad (10)$$

$$\mathbf{V2} = \mathbf{C} - \mathbf{B} = 2\mathbf{i} \quad (11)$$

$$\mathbf{V3} = \mathbf{A} - \mathbf{C} = 2\mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{i} \quad (12)$$

Norms of the vectors V1, V2 and V3 are

$$\|\mathbf{V1}\| = 2 \quad (13)$$

$$\|\mathbf{V2}\| = 2 \quad (14)$$

$$(15)$$

$$\|\mathbf{V3}\| = 2\sqrt{2} \quad (16)$$

The incenter is the intersection of three angle bisectors,

$$I = \frac{\|\mathbf{V1}\| \mathbf{C} + \|\mathbf{V2}\| \mathbf{A} + \|\mathbf{V3}\| \mathbf{B}}{\|\mathbf{V1}\| + \|\mathbf{V2}\| + \|\mathbf{V3}\|} \quad (17)$$

$$I = \frac{2(2\mathbf{i}) + 2(2\mathbf{j}) + 2\sqrt{2}(\mathbf{0})}{2 + 2 + 2\sqrt{2}} \quad (18)$$

$$I = \frac{4\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j}}{4 + 2\sqrt{2}} \quad (19)$$

The x-coordinate of the incenter of the triangle is

$$x = \frac{4\mathbf{i}}{4 + 2\sqrt{2}} \quad (20)$$

$$x = 2 - \sqrt{2} \quad (21)$$

Download the code from Github link: [Assignment-4](#).

