# Assignment 1

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https://github.com/abhiroopchintalapudi03/EE3900.git

## 1 Problem 2.5

Check whether

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{C} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \tag{1.0.1}$$

are the vertices of an isosceles triangle.

## 2 Solution

Let,

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{C} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.1}$$

For the triangle to be isosceles triangle, one of
$\|\mathbf{A}-\mathbf{B}\| = \|\mathbf{B}-\mathbf{C}\|$ or
$\|\mathbf{B}-\mathbf{C}\| = \|\mathbf{C}-\mathbf{A}\|$ or
$\|\mathbf{C}-\mathbf{A}\| = \|\mathbf{A}-\mathbf{B}\|$
Now,

$$\mathbf{A}-\mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 5-6 \\ (-2)-4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \|A-B\| = \sqrt{37}$$

$$\mathbf{B}-\mathbf{C} = \begin{pmatrix} 6-7 \\ 4-(-2) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \|B-C\| = \sqrt{37}$$

$$\mathbf{C}-\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 7-5 \\ (-2)-(-2) = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \|C-A\| = 2$$

As $\|A-B\| = \|B-C\| = \sqrt{37}$
$\Rightarrow$ In $\Delta ABC$ sides $AB, BC$ are equal.
$\Rightarrow$ $\Delta ABC$ is an isoscles triangle.

You can also see fom the below diagram that the triangle is an isosceles triangle with sides $AB, BC$ equal.

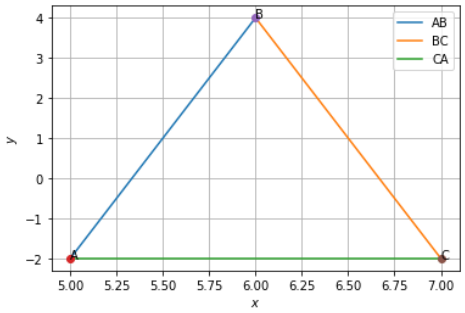


Fig. 0: $\Delta ABC$