

# Question-1-1.9-9

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Question:

Find the distance between the points  $\mathbf{A}\left(\frac{7}{3}, 5\right)$  and  $\mathbf{B}\left(\frac{2}{3}, 5\right)$

Solution

Variable	Description	Formula
$A$	A Point to be plotted	$A = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{-7}{3} \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$
$B$	A Point to be plotted	$B = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{2}{3} \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$

TABLE 0: variables used

$$\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad (0.1)$$

$$(\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B})^T (\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B}) = 9 \quad (0.2)$$

Thus, the desired distance is

$$d = \|\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B}\| = \sqrt{9} \quad (0.3)$$

$$\implies d = 3 \quad (0.4)$$

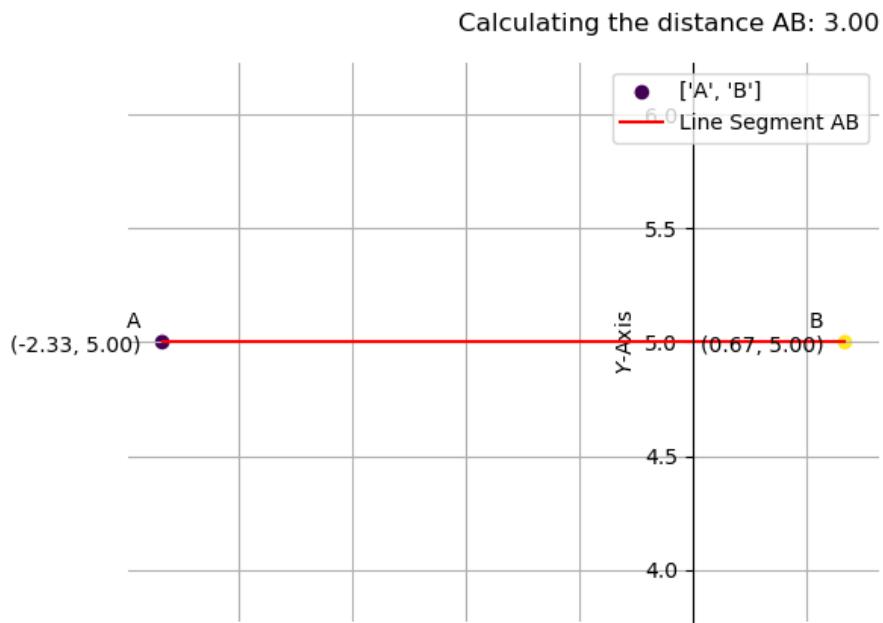


Fig. 0.1