

Assignment-1(EE5600)

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Abstract—This assignment deals with basic coordinate geometry.

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1 PROBLEM STATEMENT

22.The coordinates of vertices of a triangle are $(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2),$ and (x_3, y_3) . The line joining the first two is divided into the ratio $l:k$, and line joining this point of division to the opposite angular point is then divided in the ratio $m:k+1$. Find the coordinates of the latter point of section.

2 SOLUTION

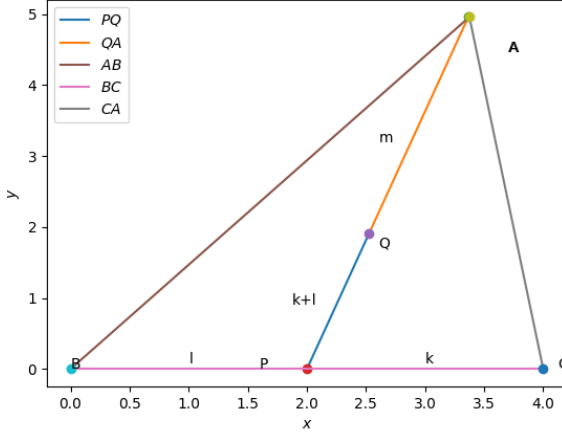


Fig. 0: Triangle

Consider Fig.0 the line joining **BC** divided into the ratio $l:k$ can be written as

$$\mathbf{P} = \frac{1}{l+k} \begin{pmatrix} x_2 & x_1 \\ y_2 & y_1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} l \\ k \end{pmatrix} \quad (2.0.1)$$

$$\mathbf{P} = \frac{1}{l+k} \begin{pmatrix} x_2 l + x_1 k \\ y_2 l + y_1 k \end{pmatrix} \quad (2.0.2)$$

$$\mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{x_2 l + x_1 k}{l+k} \\ \frac{y_2 l + y_1 k}{l+k} \end{pmatrix} \quad (2.0.3)$$

Now, the line joining **PA** divided into the ratio $m:k+1$ can be written as

$$\mathbf{Q} = \frac{1}{l+k+m} \begin{pmatrix} x_3 & \frac{x_2 l + x_1 k}{l+k} \\ y_3 & \frac{y_2 l + y_1 k}{l+k} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} m \\ k+l \end{pmatrix} \quad (2.0.4)$$

$$\mathbf{Q} = \frac{1}{l+k+m} \begin{pmatrix} mx_3 + (k+l) \frac{x_2 l + x_1 k}{l+k} \\ my_3 + (k+l) \frac{y_2 l + y_1 k}{l+k} \end{pmatrix} \quad (2.0.5)$$

$$\mathbf{Q} = \frac{1}{l+k+m} \begin{pmatrix} mx_3 + x_2 l + x_1 k \\ my_3 + y_2 l + y_1 k \end{pmatrix} \quad (2.0.6)$$

$$\mathbf{Q} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{mx_3 + x_2 l + x_1 k}{l+k+m} \\ \frac{my_3 + y_2 l + y_1 k}{l+k+m} \end{pmatrix} \quad (2.0.7)$$

Hence, **Q** is the required coordinate of the latter point of section.