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## Coordinate Geometry Question Bank



- **1** Given P(1, 5), Q(5, 7), R(3, 1):
  - a Show that triangle PQR is isosceles.
  - **b** Find the midpoint M of QR.
  - c Use gradients to verify that PM is perpendicular to QR.
- 2) Given A(6, 8), B(14, 6), C(-1, -3) and D(-9, -1):
  - a Use gradients to show that:
    i AB is parallel to DC ii BC is parallel to AD.
  - **b** What kind of figure is ABCD?
  - Check that AB = DC and BC = AD using the distance formula.
  - d Find the midpoints of diagonals: i AC ii BD.

Given A(1, 3), B(6, 3), C(3, -1) and D(-2, -1):

- a show that ABCD is a rhombus, using the distance formula
- **b** find the midpoints of AC and BD
- show that AC and BD are perpendicular, using gradients.
- (a) Complete the table of values for  $y = 1 + 2x x^2$ .

x	- 3	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5
у	-14	- 7				1	- 2		-14

(b) Draw the graph of  $y = 1 + 2x - x^2$ 

5) Find t given that the line joining:

- a) A(2, -3) to B(-2, t) is perpendicular to a line with slope  $1\frac{1}{4}$
- b) C(t, -2) to D(1, 4) is perpendicular to a line with slope  $\frac{2}{3}$
- c) P(t, -2) to Q(5, t) is perpendicular to a line with slope  $-\frac{1}{4}$

6) Given A(-1, 1), B(1, 5) and C(5, 1), where M is the midpoint of AB and N is the midpoint of BC:

- a) show that MN is parallel to AC, using gradients
- b) show that MN is half the length of AC.

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- 7) Given A(1, 3), B(6, 3), C(3, -1) and D(-2, -1):
- a) show that ABCD is a rhombus, using the distance formula
- b) find the midpoints of AC and BD
- c) show that AC and BD are perpendicular, using gradients.
- 8) Find the equation of the line:
  - a) which has gradient  $\frac{1}{2}$ , and cuts the y-axis at 3
  - b) which is parallel to a line with slope 2, and passes through the point (-1, 4)
- 9) Find the equations of the illustrated lines:



- 10) a) Find the midpoint of the line segment joining A(i2, 3) to B(i4, 3).
  - b) Find the distance from C(i3, i2) to D(0, 5).
  - c) Find the equation of the x-axis.
  - d) Find the gradient of all lines perpendicular to a line with slope  $\frac{2}{2}$
  - e) Write down the gradient and y-intercept of the line with equation y = 5 2x.
- 11) Find k if:
  - a) (2, 5) lies on the line with equation 3x 2y = k
  - b) (-1, 3) lies on the line with equation 5x + 2y = k.
- 12) Find a given that:
  - a) (a, 3) lies on the line with equation y = 2x 11
  - b) (a, i5) lies on the line with equation y = 4 x
  - c) (4, a) lies on the line with equation  $y = \frac{1}{2}x + 3$
  - d) (-2, a) lies on the line with equation y = 1-3x
- <sup>13)</sup> Use graphical methods to find the point of intersection of:

a	y = x + 3 $y = 1 - x$	b	$\begin{array}{l} x + y = 6\\ y = 2x \end{array}$	c	4x + 3y = 15 $x - 2y = 1$
d	3x + y = -3 $2x - 3y = -13$	e	3x + y = 6 $3x - 2y = -12$	f	$\begin{aligned} x - 3y &= -9\\ 2x - 3y &= -8 \end{aligned}$
9	2x - y = 3 $x + 2y = 4$	h	y = 2x - 3 $2x - y = 2$	ï	y = -x - 3 $2x + 2y = -6$

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- 14) Find the equation of the vertical line through (-1, 5).
- 15) Find the distance between the points S(7, -2) and T(-1, 1).
- 16) Given P(-3, 2) and Q(3, -1), find the midpoint of PQ.
- 17) Find the gradient of the line perpendicular to a line with gradient  $\frac{1}{2}$ .
- 18) Find the y-intercept for the line 4x 3y = -9.
- 19) Determine the gradient of the line with equation 4x + 5y = 11.
- 20) Find the axis intercepts and gradient of the line with equation 2x + 3y = 6.
- 21) If X(-2, 3) and Y(a, -1) are 6 units apart, find the value of a.