

CLASS X Math - Previous Year Question

Coordinate Geometry

Q1. The distance between the points

$(a \cos \theta + b \sin \theta, 0)$ and $(0, a \sin \theta - b \cos \theta)$ is **[2020] [1 Marks]**

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

Q2. If the point $p(k, 0)$ divides the line segment joining the points $A(2, -2)$ and $B(-7, 4)$ in the ratio 1:2, then the value of k is **[2020] [1 Marks]**

- (a) 1 (b) 2 (c) -2 (d) -1

Q3. If $A(3, \sqrt{3})$, $B(0, 0)$ and $C(3, k)$ are the three vertices of an equilateral triangle ABC , then the value of k is **[2021] [1 Marks]**

- (a) 2 (b) -3 (c) $-\sqrt{3}$ (d) $-\sqrt{2}$

Q4. Three vertices of a parallelogram $ABCD$ are $A(1, 4)$, $B(-2, 3)$, and $C(5, 8)$. The ordinate of the fourth vertex D is **[2021] [1 Marks]**

- (a) 8 (b) 9 (c) 7 (d) 6

Q5. Points $A(-1, y)$ and $B(5, 7)$ lie on a circle with centre $O(2, -3y)$. The values of y are **[2021] [1 Marks]**

- (a) 1, -7 (b) -1, 7 (c) 2, 7 (d) -2, -7

Q6. If $A(4, -2)$, $B(7, -2)$ and $C(7, 9)$ are the vertices of a $\triangle ABC$, then $\triangle ABC$ is **[2021] [1 Marks]**

- (a) Equilateral triangle (b) isosceles triangle
(c) right-angle triangle (d) isosceles right-angle triangle

Q7. The line segment joining the points $P(-3, 2)$ and $Q(5, 7)$ is divided by the y -axis in the ratio **[2021] [1 Marks]**

- (a) 3:1 (b) 3:4 (c) 3:2 (d) 3:5

Q8. The ratio in which the line $3x + y - 9 = 0$ divides the line segment joining the points (1, 3) and (2, 7) is **[2021] [1 Marks]**

- (a) 3: 2 (b) 2: 3 (c) 3: 4 (d) 4: 3

Q9. The base BC of an equilateral $\triangle ABC$ lies on y-axis. The co-ordinates of C are (0, -3). If the origin is the mid-point of the base BC, what are the co-ordinates of A and B? **[2021] [1 Marks]**

- (a) $A(\sqrt{3}, 0), B(0, 3)$ (b) $A(\pm 3\sqrt{3}, 0), B(3, 0)$
(c) $A(\pm 3\sqrt{3}, 0), B(0, 3)$ (d) $A(-\sqrt{3}, 0), B(3, 0)$

Q10. The distance of the point (-1, 7) from x-axis is: **[2023] [1 Marks]**

- (a) -1 (b) 7 (c) 6 (d) $\sqrt{50}$

Q11. The mid-point of the line segment joining the point (-1, 3) and $(8, \frac{3}{2})$ is **[2024] [1 Marks]**

- (a) $(\frac{7}{2}, -\frac{3}{4})$ (b) $(\frac{7}{2}, \frac{9}{2})$ (c) $(\frac{9}{2}, -\frac{3}{4})$ (d) $(\frac{7}{2}, \frac{9}{4})$

Q12. The distance between the points (2, -3) and (-2, 3) is **[2024] [1 Marks]**

- (a) $2\sqrt{13}$ Units (b) 5 units (c) $13\sqrt{2}$ units (d) 10 units

Q13. The diameter of a circle is of length 6 cm. If one end of the diameter is (-4, 0), the other end on x-axis is at: **[2024] [1 Marks]**

- (a) (0, 2) (b) (6, 0) (c) (2, 0) (d) (4, 0)

Q14. Find the distance of a point $P(x, y)$ from the origin. **[2018] [1 Marks]**

Q15. Find the coordinates of a point A, where AB is diameter of a circle whose centre is (2, -3) and B is the point (1, 4). **[2019] [1 Marks]**

Q16. Find the ratio in which P (4, m) divides the line segment joining the points A (2, 3) and B (6, -3). Hence find m. **[2018] [2 Marks]**

Q17. Find the ratio in which the segment joining the points (1, -3) and (4, 5) is divided by x-axis? Also find the coordinates of this point on x-axis. **[2019] [2 Marks]**

Q18. If A $(-2, 1)$, B $(a, 0)$, C $(4, b)$ and D $(1, 2)$ are the vertices of a parallelogram ABCD, find the values of a and b. Hence find the lengths of its sides. **[2018] [3 Marks]**

Q19. Find the co-ordinates of the points of trisection of the line segment joining the points $(-2, 2)$ and $(7, -4)$. **[2024] [3 Marks]**

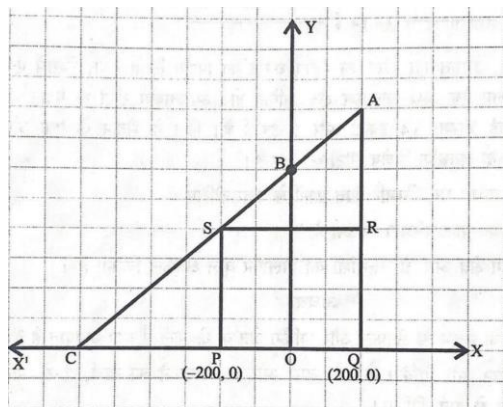
Q20. Find the point on y-axis which is equidistant from the points $(5, -2)$ and $(-3, 2)$. **[2019] [3 Marks]**

Q21. The line segment joining the points A $(2, 1)$ and B $(5, -8)$ is trisected at the points P and Q such that P is nearer to A. If P also lies on the line given by $2x - y + k = 0$, find the value of k. **[2019] [3 Marks]**

Q22. If the point C $(-1, 2)$ divides internally the line segment joining A $(2, 5)$ and B (x, y) in the ratio 3:4, find the coordinates of B. **[2020] [3 Marks]**

Q23. Case Study **[2023] [4 Marks]**

Jagdish has a field which is in the shape of a right angled triangle AQC. He wants to leave a space in the form of a square PQRS inside the field for growing wheat and the remaining for growing vegetables (as shown in the figure). In the field, there is a pole marked as O.



Based on the above information, answer the following questions:

(i) Taking O as origin, coordinates of P are $(-200, 0)$ and of Q are $(200, 0)$. PQRS being a square, what are the coordinates of R and S?

(ii) (a) What is the area of square PQRS?

OR

(b) What is the length of diagonal PR in square PQRS?

(iii) If S divides CA in the ratio $K : 1$, what is the value of K, where point A is (200, 800)?