



MATHS

BOOKS - RD SHARMA MATHS

(HINGLISH)

BRIEF REVIEW OF CARTESIAN SYSTEM OF RECTANGULAR COORDINATES

Solved Examples And Exercises

1. If the two vertices of an equilateral triangle be $(0, 0)$, $(3, \sqrt{3})$, find the third vertex.



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2. Find the coordinates of the circumcentre of the triangle whose vertices are $(8, 6)$, $(8 - 2)$ and $(2, - 2)$ Also, find its circum-radius.



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3. Find the distance between the points :

$$(at_1^2, 2at_1) \text{ and } (at_2^2, 2at_2)$$



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4. Find the area of the quadrilateral $ABCD$

whose vertices are respectively

$$A(1, 1), B(7, -3), C(12, 2) \text{ and } D(7, 21)$$

.



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5. Prove that the points $(a, b + c)$, $(b, c + a)$ and $(c, a + b)$ are collinear.



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6. Let the opposite angular points of a square be $(3, 4)$ and $(1, -1)$. Find the coordinates of the remaining angular points.



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7. Prove that the area of the triangle whose vertices are $(t, t - 2)$, $(t + 2, t + 2)$ and $(t + 3, t)$ is independent of t .



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8. If the axes are shifted to the point $(1, -2)$ without rotation, what do the following equations become? $2x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 4y = 0$
 $y^2 - 4x + 4y + 8 = 0$



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9. Shift the origin to a suitable point so that the equation $y^2 + 4y + 8x - 2 = 0$ will not contain term of y and the constant term.



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10. For what value of k are the points $(k, 2 - 2k)$ $(k + 1, 2k)$ and $(-4 - k, 6 - 2k)$ are collinear?



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11. If the coordinates of the mid-points of the sides of a triangle are $(1, 1)$, $(2, -3)$ and $(3, 4)$. Find its (i) centroid



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12. Find the point to which the origin should be shifted so that the equation $y^2 - 6y - 4x + 13 = 0$ is transformed to the form $y^2 + Ax = 0$.



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13. AB is a variable line sliding between the coordinate axes in such a way that A lies on the x-axis and B lies on the y-axis. If P is a variable point on AB such that $PA = b$, $Pb = a$, and $AB = a + b$, find the equation of the locus of P .



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14. A point moves so that the sum of its distances from $(ae, 0)$ and $(-ae, 0)$ is $2a$,

prove that the equation to its locus is

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1, \text{ where } b^2 = a^2(1 - e^2).$$



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16. Find the equation of the locus of a point which moves such that the ratio of its distances from $(2, 0)$ and $(1, 3)$ is $5:4$.



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17. Find the equation to the locus of a point equidistant from the points $A(1, 3)$ and $B(-2, 1)$.



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18. The sum of the squares of the distances of a moving point from two fixed points $(a, 0)$ and $(-a, 0)$ is equal to a constant quantity $2c^2$. Find the equation to its locus.



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19. Find the locus of a point, such that the join of $(-5, 1)$ and $(3, 2)$ subtends a right angle at the moving point.



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20. Find the locus of a point such that the sum of its distances from the points $(0, 2)$ and $(0, -2)$ is 6.



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21. Find the locus of the mid-point of the portion of the line $x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha = p$ which is intercepted between the axes.



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22. $A(5, 3), B(3, -2)$ are two fixed points; find the equation to the locus of a point P which moves so that the area of the triangle PAB is 9 units.



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23. Show that four points $(0, -1), (6, 7), (-2, 3)$ and $(8, 3)$ are the vertices of a rectangle. Also, find its area.



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24. If the segments joining the points $A(a, b)$ and $B(c, d)$ subtends an angle θ at the origin, prove that :

$$\cos \theta = \frac{ac + bd}{\sqrt{(a^2 + b^2)(c^2 + d^2)}}$$



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25. The vertices of a triangle are $A(1, 1)$, $B(4, 5)$ and $C(6, 13)$. Find $\cos A$.



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26. If the vertices of a triangle having integral coordinates . Prove that triangle can't be equilateral .



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27. If the coordinates of two points A and B are $(3, 4)$ and $(5, -2)$, respectively, find the coordinates of any point P if $PA = PB$. Area of PAB is 10 sq. units.



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28. The coordinates of A, B, C are $(6, 3), (-3, 5), (4, -2)$, respectively, and P is any point (x, y) . Show that the ratio of the area of PBC to that of ABC is $\frac{|x + y - 2|}{7}$.



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29. Find the coordinates of points lying on the line joining $P(3, -4)$ and $Q(-2, 5)$ that is twice as far from P as Q



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30. Determine the ratio in which the line $3x + y - 9 = 0$ divides the segment joining the points $(1,3)$ and $(2, 7)$.



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31. Prove that: $(4, -1)$, $(6, 0)$, $(7, 2)$ and $(5, 1)$ are the vertices of a rhombus. Is it a square?



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32. if the coordinates of the mid points of the Sides of a triangle are $(1, 2)$, $(0, -1)$ and $(2, -1)$. Find the coordinates of its vertices :



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33. Two vertices of a triangle are $(3, -5)$ and $(-7, 4)$. If its centroid is $(2, -1)$, find the third vertex.



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34. If the line segment joining the points $P(x_1, y_1)$ and $Q(x_2, y_2)$ subtends an angle α at the origin O , prove that :

$$OP \cdot OQ \cos \alpha = x_1 x_2 + y_1 y_2.$$


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35. Four points $A(6, 3)$, $B(-3, 5)$, $C(4, -2)$ and $D(x, 3x)$ are given in such a way that $\frac{\Delta DBC}{\Delta ABC} = \frac{1}{2}$, find x



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36. The points $A(2, 0)$, $B(9, 1)$, $C(11, 6)$ and $D(4, 4)$ are the vertices of a quadrilateral $ABCD$. Determine whether $ABCD$ is a rhombus or not.



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37. Find the coordinates of the centre of the circle inscribed in a triangle whose angular points are $(-36, 7)$, $(20, 7)$ and $(0, -8)$.



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38. The base of an equilateral triangle with side $2a$ lies along the y -axis such that the mid point of the base is at the origin. Find the vertices of the triangle.



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39. Find the distance between $P(x_1, y_1)$ and $Q(x_2, y_2)$ when i. PQ is

parallel to the y-axis ii. PQ is parallel to the x-axis.



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40. Find a point on the x-axis, which is equidistant from the point (7,6) and (3,4).



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41. Find the equation to the locus of a point which moves so that the sum of its distances

from (3,0) and (-3,0) is less than 9.



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42. Find the locus of the point of intersection of lines $x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha = a$ and $x \sin \alpha - y \cos \alpha = b$ (α is a variable).



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43. A rod of length l slides with its ends on two perpendicular lines. Find the locus of its

midpoint.



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44. If O is the origin and Q is a variable points on $x^2 = 4y$. Find the locus of the mid pint of OQ .



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45. Find the locus of a point equidistant from the point $(2,4)$ and the y -axis.



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46. Find the locus of a point such that the sum of its distances from the points $(0, 2)$ and $(0, -2)$ is 6.



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47. Find the locus of a point which is equidistant from $(1, 3)$ and x-axis.



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48. Find the locus of a point which moves such that its distance from the origin is three times its distance from x-axis.



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49. Find the locus of a point such that the line segments having end points $(2,0)$ and $(-2,0)$ subtend a right angle at that point.



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50. If $A(-1, 1)$ and $B(2, 3)$ are two fixed points, find the locus of a point P so that the area of $\Delta PAB = 8$ sq. units.



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51. If O is the origin and Q is a variable point on $y^2 = x$. Find the locus of the mid point of OQ .



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52. At what point should the origin be shifted if the coordinates of a point $(4, 5)$ become $(-3, 9)$?



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53. What does the equation $(x - a)^2 + (y - b)^2 = r^2$ become when the axes are transferred to parallel axes through the point $(a - c, b)$?



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54. What does the equation $(a - b)(x^2 + y^2) - 2abx = 0$ become if the origin is shifted to the point $\left(\frac{ab}{a - b}, 0\right)$ without rotation?



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55. Find what the following equation become when the origin is shifted to the point (1,1):

$$x^2 + xy - 3x - y + 2 = 0$$



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$$xy - x - y + 1 = 0$$



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59. Find the point to which the origin should be shifted so that the equation $y^2 - 6y - 4x + 13 = 0$ is transferred to the form $y^2 + Ax = 0$



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63. Find what the following equations become when the origin is shifted to the point (1,1):

$$x^2 - y^2 - 2x + 2y = 0$$



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64. Find the point to which the origin should be shifted after a translation of axes so that the following equations will have no first degree term: $y^2 + x^2 - 4x - 8y + 3 = 0$



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65. Find the point to which the origin should be shifted after a translation of axes so that the following equations will have no first degree term: $x^2 + y^2 - 5x + 2y - 5 = 0$



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66. Find the point to which the origin should be shifted after a translation of axes so that the following equations will have no first degree term: $x^2 - 12x + 4 = 0$



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67. Verify that the area of the triangle with vertices (4,6), (7,10) and (1,-2) remains invariant

under the translation of axes when the origin is shifted to the point $(-2,1)$.



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68. The vertices of a triangle are $O(0, 0)$, $A(a, 0)$ and $B(0, b)$. Write the coordinates of its circumcentre.



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69. Write the coordinates of the orthocentre of the triangle formed by points $(8,0)$, $(4,6)$ and $(0,0)$



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70. Three vertices of a parallelogram, taken in order, are $(-1, -6)$, $(2,-5)$ and $(7,2)$. Write the coordinates of its fourth vertex.



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71. If the points $(a, 0)$, $(at_1^2, 2at_1)$ and $(at_2^2, 2at_2)$ are collinear, write the value of $t_1 t_2$.



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72. Write the co ordinates of the circumcentre of a triangle whose centroid and orthocenter are at $(3, 3)$ and $(-3, 5)$ respectively



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73. Write the coordinates of the incentre of the triangle having its vertices at $(0,0)$, $(5,0)$ and $(0,12)$.



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74. If the points $(1,-1)$, $(2,-1)$ and $(4,-3)$ are the mid points of the sides of a triangle then write the coordinates of its centroid.



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75. Write the area of the triangle having vertices at $(a, b + c)$, $(b, c + a)$, $(c, a + b)$.



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Others

1. At what point the origin be shifted so that the equation $x^2 + y^2 - 3x + 2 = 0$ does not contain any first degree term and constant term?



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2. Verify that the area of the triangle with vertices $(2, 3)$, $(5, 7)$ and $(-3, -1)$ remains invariant under the translation of axes when the origin is shifted to the point $(-1, 3)$.



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