



# MATHS

## BOOKS - NCERT MATHS (ENGLISH)

### STRAIGHT LINES

#### Short Answer Type Questions

1. Find the equation of the straight line which passes through the point  $(1 - 2)$  and cuts off equal intercepts from axes.



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2. Find the equation of the line passing through the point  $(5, 2)$  and perpendicular to the line joining the points  $(2,3)$  and  $(3,-1)$ .



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3. Find the angle between the lines  $y = (2 - \sqrt{3})(x + 5)$  and  $y = (2 + \sqrt{3})(x - 7)$ .



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4. Find the equations of the line which passes through the point  $(3, 4)$  and the sum of its intercepts on the axes is 14.

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5. The points on  $x + y = 4$  that lie at a unit distance from the line  $4x + 3y - 10 = 0$  are

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6. Show that the tangent of an angle between the lines  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$  and  $\frac{x}{a} - \frac{y}{b} = 1$  is  $\frac{2ab}{a^2 - b^2}$ .

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7. Find the equation of a line passing through  $(1, 2)$  and making angle of  $30^\circ$  with y-axis .

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8. Find the equation of the line passing through the intersection of the lines  $2x + y = 5$  and  $x + 3y + 8 = 0$  and parallel to the line  $3x + 4y = 7$ .

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9. For what values of  $a$  and  $b$  the intercepts cut off on the coordinate axes by the line  $ax + by + 8 = 0$  are equal in length but opposite in signs to those cut off by the line  $2x - 3y + 6 = 0$  on the axes.



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10. If the intercept of a line between the coordinate axes is divided by the point  $(-5, 4)$  in the ratio  $1:2$ , then find the equation of the line.



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**11. a** Find equation of a straight line on which length of perpendicular from the origin is four units and the line makes an angle of  $120^0$  with the positive direction of x-axis.



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**12.** Find the equations the sides of an isosceles right angled triangle the equation of whose hypotenuse is  $3x + 4y = 4$  and the opposite vertex is the point (2, 2).



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## Long Answer Type

1. The equation of the base of an equilateral triangle is  $x + y = 2$  and its vertex is  $(2, -1)$ . Find the length and equations of its sides.



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2. A variable line passes through a fixed point P. The algebraic sum of the perpendiculars drawn from the points  $(2,0)$ ,  $(0,2)$  and  $(1,1)$  on the line is zero. Find the coordinate of the point P.



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3. Angle made with the x-axis by a straight line drawn through  $(1, 2)$  so that it intersects  $x + y = 4$  at a distance  $\frac{\sqrt{6}}{3}$  from  $(1, 2)$  is  $105^\circ$  (b)  $75^\circ$  (c)  $60^\circ$  (d)  $15^\circ$



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4. A straight line moves so that the sum of the reciprocals of its intercepts made on axes is constant. Show that the line passes through a fixed point.



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5. The equation of the straight line which passes through the point  $(-4, 3)$  such that the portion of the line between the axes is divided internally by the point in the ratio  $5:3$  is (a)  $9x - 20y + 96 = 0$  (b)  $9x + 20y = 24$  (c)  $20x - 9y + 53 = 0$  (d) none of these



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6. Find the equations of the lines through the point of intersection of the lines  $x - y + 1 = 0$  and  $2x - 3y + 5 = 0$  whose distance from the point  $(3, 2)$  is  $7/5$ .





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7. If the sum of the distances of a moving point in a plane from the axes is 1, then find the locus of the point.



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8.  $P_1, P_2$  are points on either of the two line  $y - \sqrt{3}|x| = 2$  at a distance of 5 units from their point intersection. Find the coordinates of the foot of perpendiculars drawn from  $P_1, P_2$  on the bisector of the angle between the given lines.



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9. If  $p$  is the length of perpendicular from the origin on the line  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$  and  $a^2, p^2$  and  $b^2$  are in AP, then show that  $a^4 + b^4 = 0$ .



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## Objective Type Questions

1. A line cutting off intercept  $-3$  from the  $Y$  - axis and the tangent at angle to the  $X$  - axis is  $\frac{3}{5}$ , its equation is

A.  $5y - 3x + 15 = 0$

B.  $3y - 5x + 15 = 0$

C.  $5y - 3x - 15 = 0$

D. None of the above

**Answer: A**



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2. Slope of a line which cuts off intercepts of equal lengths on the axes is

A.  $-1$

B.  $0$

C. 2

D.  $\sqrt{3}$

**Answer: A**



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3. The equation of the straight line passing through the point  $(3, 2)$  and perpendicular to the line  $y = x$  is

A.  $x - y = 5$

B.  $x + y = 5$

C.  $x + y = 1$

D.  $x - y = 1$

**Answer: B**



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4. The equation of the line passing through the point  $(1, 2)$  and perpendicular to the line  $x + y + 1 = 0$  is

A.  $y - x + 1 = 0$

B.  $y - x - 1 = 0$

C.  $y - x + 2 = 0$

D.  $y - x - 2 = 0$

**Answer: B**



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5. Find the tangent of the angle between the lines whose intercepts on the axes are respectively  $a, -b$  and  $a, -b$ .

A.  $\frac{a^2 - b^2}{ab}$

B.  $\frac{b^2 - a^2}{2}$

C.  $\frac{b^2 - a^2}{2ab}$

D. None of these

**Answer: C**



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6. If the line  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$  passes through the points  $a$   $(2, -3)$  and  $(4, -5)$ , then  $(a, b) =$

A.  $(1, 1)$

B.  $(-1, 1)$

C.  $(1, -1)$

D.  $(-1, -1)$

**Answer: D**



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7. The distance of the point of intersection of the lines  $2x - 3y + 5 = 0$  and  $3x + 4y = 0$  from the line



$5x - 2y = 0$  is

A.  $\frac{130}{17\sqrt{129}}$

B.  $\frac{13}{7\sqrt{29}}$

C.  $\frac{130}{7}$

D. None of these

**Answer: A**



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8. Show that the equations of the straight lines passing through the point  $(3, -2)$  and inclined at

$60^\circ$

to

the

line

$$\sqrt{3}x + y = 1 \text{ and } y + 2 = 0 \text{ and } y - \sqrt{3}x + 2 + 3\sqrt{3} = 0.$$

A.  $y + 2 = 0, \sqrt{3}x - y - 2 - 3\sqrt{3} = 0$

B.  $x - 2 = 0, \sqrt{3}x - y + 2 + 3\sqrt{3} = 0$

C.  $\sqrt{3}x - y - 2 - 3\sqrt{3} = 0$

D. none of above

**Answer: A**



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9. Find the equations of lines passing through the point  $(1, 0)$  and a distance  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$  from the origin.

A.  $\sqrt{3}x + y - \sqrt{3} = 0, \sqrt{3}x - y - \sqrt{3} = 0$

B.  $\sqrt{3}x + y + \sqrt{3} = 0, \sqrt{3}x - y + \sqrt{3} = 0$

C.  $x + \sqrt{3}y - \sqrt{3} = 0, x - \sqrt{3}y - \sqrt{3} = 0$

D. None of the above

**Answer: A**



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**10.** The distance between the lines  $y = mx + c_1$  and

$y = mx + c_2$  is

A.  $\frac{c_1 - c_2}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}}$

B.  $\frac{|(c_1 - c_2)|}{\sqrt{1 + m^2}}$

C.  $\frac{c_2 - c_1}{\sqrt{1 + m^2}}$

D. 0

**Answer: B**



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**11.** Find coordinates of the foot of perpendicular, image and equation of perpendicular drawn from the point  $(2, 3)$  to the line  $y = 3x + 4$ .



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12. If the coordinates of the middle point of the portion of a line intercepted between the coordinate axes is  $(3, 2)$ , then the equation of the line will be

A.  $2x + 3y = 12$

B.  $3x + 2y = 12$

C.  $4x - 3y = 6$

D.  $5x - 2y = 10$

**Answer: A**



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13. Equation of the line passing through  $(1, 2)$  and parallel to the line  $y = 3x - 1$  is

A.  $y + 2 = x + 1$

B.  $y + 2 = 3(x + 1)$

C.  $y - 2 = 3(x - 1)$

D.  $y - 2 = x - 1$

**Answer: C**



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14. Find the equations of the diagonals of the square formed by the lines  $x = 0$ ,  $y = 0$ ,  $x = 1$  and  $y = 1$ .

A.  $y = x$ ,  $y + x = 1$

B.  $y = x$ ,  $x + y = 2$

C.  $2y = x$ ,  $y + x = \frac{1}{3}$

D.  $y \equiv 2x$ ,  $y + 2x = 1$

**Answer: A**



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15. For specifying a straight line, how many geometrical parameters should be known ?

A. 1

B. 2

C. 4

D. 3

**Answer: B**



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**16.** The point  $(4, 1)$  undergoes the following two successive transformations

(i) Reflection about the line  $y = x$

(ii) Translation through a distance 2 units along the positive X-axis.

Then the final coordinate of the point are

A.  $(4, 3)$

B.  $(3, 4)$

C.  $(1, 4)$

D.  $\left(\frac{7}{2}, \frac{7}{2}\right)$

**Answer: B**



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17. A point equidistant from the line  $4x + 3y + 10 = 0$ ,  $5x - 12y + 26 = 0$  and  $7x + 24y - 50 = 0$  is

A.  $(1, -1)$

B.  $(1, 1)$

C.  $(0, 0)$

D.  $(0, 1)$

**Answer: C**



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18. A line passes through the point  $(2, 2)$  and is perpendicular to the line  $3x + y = 3$ , then its  $y$ -intercept is

A.  $\frac{1}{3}$

B.  $\frac{2}{3}$

C. 1

D.  $\frac{4}{3}$

**Answer: D**



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19. Find the ratio in which the line  $3x + 4y + 2 = 0$  divides the distance between the lines  $3x + 4y + 5 = 0$  and  $3x - 4y - 5 = 0$ .

A. 1 : 2

B. 3 : 7

C. 2 : 3

D. 2 : 5

**Answer: B**



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20. Find the coordinates of one vertex of an equilateral triangle with centroid at the origin and the opposite side  $x + y - 2 = 0$ .

A.  $(-1, -1)$

B.  $(2, 2)$

C.  $(-2, -2)$

D.  $(2, -2)$

**Answer: C**



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1. If  $a, b$  and  $c$  are in  $AP$ , then the straight line  $ax + by + c = 0$  will always pass through a fixed point whose coordinates are \_\_\_\_\_



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2. Find the equation of the straight line which passes through the point  $(1 - 2)$  and cuts off equal intercepts from axes.



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3. Find the equation of the lines through the point (3, 2) which make an angle of  $45^\circ$  with the line  $x - 2y = 3$ .

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4. The points (3, 4) and (2, -6) are situated on the ..... Of the line  $3x - 4y - 8 \equiv 0$

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5. A point moves so that square of its distance from the point (3, -2) is numerically equal to its distance

from the line  $5x - 12y = 3$ . The equation of its locus is .....



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6. 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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**True False**



1. If the vertices of a triangle have rational coordinates, then prove that the triangle cannot be equilateral.

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2. The points  $A(-2,1)$ ,  $B(0,5)$  and  $C(-1,2)$  are collinear. check the statement is true or false.

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3. Equation of the line passing through the point  $(a \cos^3 \theta, a \sin^3 \theta)$  and perpendicular to the line  $x \sec \theta + y \operatorname{cosec} \theta = a$  is  $x \cos \theta - y \sin \theta = a \cos 2\theta$ .

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4. The line  $5x + 4y = 0$  passes through the point of intersection of straight lines (1)  $x+2y-10 = 0$ ,  $2x + y = -5$

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5. The vertex of an equilateral triangle is  $(2, 3)$  and the equation of the opposite side is  $x + y = 2$ . Then, the other two sides are  $y - 3 = (2 \pm \sqrt{3})(x - 2)$ .

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6. The equation of the line joining the point  $(3, 5)$  to the point of intersection of the lines  $4x + y - 1 = 0$  and  $7x - 3y - 35 = 0$  is equidistant from the points  $(0, 0)$  and  $(8, 34)$ .



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7. If the line  $\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + \left(\frac{y}{b}\right) = 1$  moves in such a way that  $\left(\frac{1}{a^2}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{b^2}\right) = \left(\frac{1}{c^2}\right)$ , where  $c$  is a constant, prove that the foot of the perpendicular from the origin on the straight line describes the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = c^2$ .



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8. If the lines

$$ax + 2y + 1 = 0, bx + 3y + 1 = 0 \text{ and } cx + 4y + 1 = 0$$

are concurrent, then  $a, b, c$  are a. A.P. b. G.P. c. H.P. d.

none of these



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9. Line joining the points  $(3,-4)$  and  $(-2,6)$  is perpendicular to the line joining the points  $(-3,6)$  and  $(9,-18)$ .



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# Matching The Column

## 1. Match the following

Column I	Column II
(i) The coordinates of the points $P$ and $Q$ on the line $x + 5y = 13$ which are at a distance of 2 units from the line $12x - 5y + 26 = 0$ are	(a) $(3, 1), (-7, 11)$
(ii) The coordinates of the point on the line $x + y = 4$ , which are at a unit distance from the line $4x + 3y - 10 = 0$ are	(b) $\left(-\frac{1}{3}, \frac{11}{3}\right), \left(\frac{4}{3}, \frac{7}{3}\right)$
(iii) The coordinates of the point on the line joining $A(-2, 5)$ and $B(3, 1)$ such that $AP = PQ = QB$ are	(c) $\left(1, \frac{12}{5}\right), \left(-3, \frac{16}{5}\right)$



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2. The value of the  $\lambda$  if the lines

$$(2x + 3y + 4) + \lambda(6x - y + 12) = 0 \text{ are}$$

Column I	Column II
(i) parallel to Y axis is	(a) $\lambda = -\frac{3}{4}$
(ii) perpendicular to $7x + y - 4 = 0$ is	(b) $\lambda = -\frac{1}{3}$
(iii) passes through (1, 2) is	(c) $\lambda = -\frac{17}{41}$
(iv) parallel to X-axis is	(d) $\lambda = 3$

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3. The equation of the line through the intersection of the lines  $2x - 3y = 0$  and  $4x - 5y = 2$  and

Column I	Column II
(i) through the point (2, 1) is	(a) $2x - y = 4$
(ii) perpendicular to the line $x + 2y + 1 = 0$	(b) $x + y - 5 = 0$
(iii) parallel to the line $3x - 4y + 5 = 0$ is	(c) $x - y - 1 = 0$
(iv) equally inclined to the axes is	(d) $3x - 4y - 1 = 0$

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