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CO-ORDINATE GEOMETRY

Exercise

1. The points $(1, 3)$ and $(5, 1)$ are two-opposite vertices of a rectangle. The other two vertices

lie on the line $y = 2x + c$. Find c and the remaining vertices



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2. The end points P and Q of a rod PQ having length 8 unit slide along the lines $y = 2$ and $x = 4$ respectively. Find the equation of the locus of the mid point of the rod.



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3. A line $4x + y = 1$ passes through the point A (2,-7) meets the line BC whose equation is $3x - 4y + 1 = 0$, at the point B. If $AB = AC$, find the equation of AC.



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4. Find the locus of middle points of chords of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ which subtend right angles at its centre.



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5. A variable straight line of slope of 4 intersects the hyperbola $xy = 1$ at two points. Find the locus of the point which divides the line segment between these two points in the ratio 1 : 2.



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6. An equilateral triangle is inscribed in the parabola $y^2 = 4ax$, where one vertex is at the

vertex of the parabola. Find the length of the side of the triangle.



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7. The co-ordinates of the points P,Q,R and S are $(1, 1, 1)$, $(-2, 4, 1)$, $(-1, 5, 5)$ and $(2, 2, 5)$. Prove that PQRS is a square.



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8. Show that the plane $ax + by + cz + d = 0$

divides, the line segment joining the points

(x_1, y_1, z_1) and (x_2, y_2, z_2) in the ratio

$$\frac{ax_1 + by_1 + cz_1 + d}{ax_2 + by_2 + cz_2 + d}.$$



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9. For all values of a and b , show that the circle

$$(x - 2)(x - 2 + a) + (y + 3)(y + 3 + b) = 36$$

bisects the circumference of the circle.

$$(x - 2)^2 + (y + 3)^2 = 36.$$





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10. If the Vertices of a triangle are $P\left(at_1, \frac{a}{t_1}\right)$, $Q\left(at_2, \frac{a}{t_2}\right)$ and $R\left(at_3, \frac{a}{t_3}\right)$ Show that the orthocentre of the triangle lies on $xy = a^2$.



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