

Worksheet (Class IX)  
Coordinate Geometry

1. Where does the following points lie on the coordinate plane?  
(i)  $(-3, 5)$       (ii)  $(0, -7)$       (iii)  $(0, 0)$       (iv)  $(2, 0)$       (v)  $(-2, -5)$       (vi)  $(2, -3)$   
  
[(i) II quad.      (ii) negative y-axis      (iii) point of intersection of x and y axes  
(iv) positive x-axis      (v) III quad.      (vi) IV quad.]
2. What do we call the point at which two coordinate axes meet?      [origin]
3. What is the abscissa and ordinate of all the points on x-axis?      [abscissa – any number  
ordinate – 0]
4. Plot the point  $P(-6, 2)$  and from it draw PM and PN as perpendiculars to x-axis and y-axis respectively. Write the coordinates of the points M and N.      [ $M(-6, 0)$ ,  $N(0, 2)$ ]
5. Plot the following points on a graph and name the figure obtained by joining them in order:  $P(-3, 2)$ ,  $Q(-7, -3)$ ,  $R(6, -3)$ ,  $S(2, 2)$ .      [Trapezium]
6. Points  $A(5, 3)$ ,  $B(-2, 3)$  and  $D(5, -4)$  are three vertices of a square ABCD. Plot these points on a graph and hence find the coordinates of the vertex C.      [ $C(-2, -4)$ ]
7. Write the coordinates of the vertices of a rectangle whose length and breadth are 5 and 3 units respectively, one vertex at the origin, the longer side lies on the x-axis and one of the vertices lies in the third quadrant.      [ $(0, 0)$ ,  $(-5, 0)$ ,  $(-5, -3)$ ,  $90, -3)$ ]
8. Find the distance of the point  $P(4, 3)$  from the origin if a perpendicular from P is dropped on x-axis.      [5 units]
9. Plot the points  $A(4, 0)$ ,  $B(6, 0)$  and  $C(4, 6)$  on a graph and join them in order, then find the area of the figure obtained by joining A, B and C.      [ $12 \text{ cm}^2$ ]
10. Find the area of the triangle formed by joining the points  $P(0, 1)$ ,  $Q(0, 5)$  and  $R(3, 4)$ .      [ $6 \text{ cm}^2$ ]
11. Where does two points having same abscissa but different ordinates lie on the coordinate plane.      [a line parallel to y-axis]