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# 1. Find the slopes of the lines which make the following angles with the positive direction of x - axis:

- (i)  $-\pi/4$
- (ii)  $2\pi/3$

#### **Solution:**

(i) 
$$-\pi/4$$

Let the slope of the line be 'm'

Where,  $m = \tan \theta$ 

So, the slope of Line is  $m = \tan(-\pi/4)$ 

$$= -1$$

 $\therefore$  The slope of the line is -1.

### (ii) $2\pi/3$

Let the slope of the line be 'm'

Where,  $m = \tan \theta$ 

So, the slope of Line is  $m = \tan (2\pi/3)$ 

$$\tan\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right) = \tan\left(\pi - \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$$

$$\tan\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right) = \tan\left(-\frac{\pi}{3}\right)$$

$$\tan\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right) = -\sqrt{3}$$

 $\therefore$  The slope of the line is  $-\sqrt{3}$ 

## 2. Find the slopes of a line passing through the following points:

- (i) (-3, 2) and (1, 4)
- (ii)  $(at_{1}^{2}, 2at_{1})$  and  $(at_{2}^{2}, 2at_{2})$

### **Solution:**

(i) 
$$(-3, 2)$$
 and  $(1, 4)$ 

By using the formula,

Slope of line, 
$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

So, the slope of the line, 
$$m = \frac{4-2}{1-(-3)}$$
  
= 2/4  
= 1/2



 $\therefore$  The slope of the line is  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

(ii)  $(at_1^2, 2at_1)$  and  $(at_2^2, 2at_2)$ By using the formula,

Slope of line, 
$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

Now, substitute the values The slope of the line, 
$$m = \frac{2at_2 - 2at_1}{at_2^2 - at_1^2}$$

$$= \frac{2a(t_2 - t_1)}{a(t_2^2 - t_1^2)}$$

$$= \frac{2a(t_2 - t_1)}{a(t_2 - t_1)} \quad [Since, (a^2 - b^2 = (a - b) (a + b)]$$

$$= \frac{2}{t_2 + t_1}$$

 $\therefore$  The slope of the line is  $t_2 + t_1$ 

### 3. State whether the two lines in each of the following are parallel, perpendicular or neither:

- (i) Through (5, 6) and (2, 3); through (9, -2) and (6, -5)
- (ii) Through (9, 5) and (-1, 1); through (3, -5) and (8, -3)**Solution:**
- (i) Through (5, 6) and (2, 3); through (9, -2) and (6, -5)

By using the formula,

Slope of line, 
$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

The slope of the line whose Coordinates are (5, 6) and (2, 3)

$$m_1 = \frac{3-6}{2-5} \\ = \frac{-3}{-3} \\ = 1$$

$$So, m_1 = 1$$

The slope of the line whose Coordinates are (9, -2) and (6, -5)

$$m_2 = \frac{-5 - (-2)}{6 - 9}$$
$$= \frac{-3}{-3}$$

So, 
$$m_2 = 1$$



Here,  $m_1 = m_2 = 1$ 

: The lines are parallel to each other.

(ii) Through (9, 5) and (-1, 1); through (3, -5) and (8, -3)

By using the formula,

Slope of line, 
$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

The slope of the line whose Coordinates are (9, 5) and (-1, 1)

$$m_1 = \frac{1-5}{-1-9}$$
$$= \frac{-4}{-10}$$
$$= 2/5$$

The slope of the line whose Coordinates are (3, -5) and (8, -3)  $m_2 = \frac{-3 - (-5)}{8 - 3}$ 

$$m_2 = \frac{-3 - (-5)}{8 - 3}$$
$$= 2/5$$

So,  $m_2 = 2/5$ 

Here,  $m_1 = m_2 = 2/5$ 

: The lines are parallel to each other.

## 4. Find the slopes of a line

- (i) which bisects the first quadrant angle
- (ii) which makes an angle of  $30^{\circ}$  with the positive direction of y axis measured anticlockwise.

**Solution:** 

(i) Which bisects the first quadrant angle?

Given: Line bisects the first quadrant

We know that, if the line bisects in the first quadrant, then the angle must be between line and the positive direction of x - axis.

Since, angle =  $90/2 = 45^{\circ}$ 

By using the formula,

The slope of the line,  $m = \tan \theta$ 

The slope of the line for a given angle is  $m = \tan 45^{\circ}$ 

So, m = 1

- $\therefore$  The slope of the line is 1.
- (ii) Which makes an angle of  $30^{\circ}$  with the positive direction of y axis measured



anticlockwise?

Given: The line makes an angle of  $30^{\circ}$  with the positive direction of y – axis.

We know that, angle between line and positive side of axis =>  $90^{\circ} + 30^{\circ} = 120^{\circ}$ 

By using the formula,

The slope of the line,  $m = \tan \theta$ 

The slope of the line for a given angle is  $m = \tan 120^{\circ}$ 

So, 
$$m = -\sqrt{3}$$

 $\therefore$  The slope of the line is  $-\sqrt{3}$ .

### 5. Using the method of slopes show that the following points are collinear:

(i) A (4, 8), B (5, 12), C (9, 28)

(ii) 
$$A(16, -18)$$
,  $B(3, -6)$ ,  $C(-10, 6)$ 

**Solution:** 

By using the formula,

The slope of the line =  $[y_2 - y_1] / [x_2 - x_1]$ So,

The slope of line AB = 
$$[12 - 8] / [5 - 4]$$
  
=  $4 / 1$ 

The slope of line 
$$CA = [8 - 28] / [4 - 9]$$
  
= -20 / -5  
= 4

Here, AB = BC = CA

∴ The Given points are collinear.

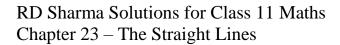
By using the formula,

The slope of the line =  $[y_2 - y_1] / [x_2 - x_1]$ 

So,

The slope of line AB = 
$$[-6 - (-18)] / [3 - 16]$$
  
=  $12 / -13$ 

The slope of line BC = 
$$[6 - (-6)] / [-10 - 3]$$
  
=  $12 / -13$ 





The slope of line CA = 
$$[6 - (-18)] / [-10 - 16]$$
  
=  $12 / -13$   
=  $4$ 

Here, AB = BC = CA

∴ The Given points are collinear.





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# 1. Find the equation of the parallel to x-axis and passing through (3, -5). Solution:

Given: A line which is parallel to x-axis and passing through (3, -5)

By using the formula,

The equation of line:  $[y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)]$ 

We know that the parallel lines have equal slopes

And, the slope of x-axis is always 0

Then

The slope of line, m = 0

Coordinates of line are  $(x_1, y_1) = (3, -5)$ 

The equation of line =  $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$ 

Now, substitute the values, we get

$$y - (-5) = 0(x - 3)$$

$$y + 5 = 0$$

 $\therefore$  The equation of line is y + 5 = 0

# 2. Find the equation of the line perpendicular to x-axis and having intercept -2 on x-axis.

#### **Solution:**

Given: A line which is perpendicular to x-axis and having intercept -2

By using the formula,

The equation of line:  $[y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)]$ 

We know that, the line is perpendicular to the x-axis, then x is 0 and y is -1.

The slope of line is, m = y/x= -1/0

It is given that x-intercept is -2, so, y is 0.

Coordinates of line are  $(x_1, y_1) = (-2, 0)$ 

The equation of line  $= y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$ 

Now, substitute the values, we get

$$y - 0 = (-1/0)(x - (-2))$$

$$x + 2 = 0$$

 $\therefore$  The equation of line is x + 2 = 0

# 3. Find the equation of the line parallel to x-axis and having intercept -2 on y - axis.

**Solution:** 



Given: A line which is parallel to x-axis and having intercept -2 on y - axis

By using the formula,

The equation of line:  $[y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)]$ 

The parallel lines have equal slopes,

And, the slope of x-axis is always 0

Then

The slope of line, m = 0

It is given that intercept is -2, on y - axis then

Coordinates of line are  $(x_1, y_1) = (0, -2)$ 

The equation of line is  $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$ 

Now, substitute the values, we get

$$y - (-2) = 0 (x - 0)$$

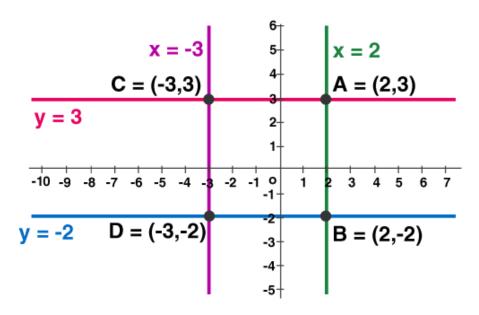
$$y + 2 = 0$$

 $\therefore$  The equation of line is y + 2 = 0

4. Draw the lines x = -3, x = 2, y = -2, y = 3 and write the coordinates of the vertices of the square so formed.

#### **Solution:**

Given: 
$$x = -3$$
,  $x = 2$ ,  $y = -2$  and  $y = 3$ 



- $\therefore$  The Coordinates of the square are: A(2, 3), B(2, -2), C(-3, 3), and D(-3, -2).
- 5. Find the equations of the straight lines which pass through (4, 3) and are respectively parallel and perpendicular to the x-axis. Solution:



Given: A line which is perpendicular and parallel to x-axis respectively and passing through (4, 3)

By using the formula,

The equation of line:  $[y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)]$ 

Let us consider,

<u>Case 1:</u> When Line is parallel to x-axis

The parallel lines have equal slopes,

And, the slope of x-axis is always 0, then

The slope of line, m = 0

Coordinates of line are  $(x_1, y_1) = (4, 3)$ 

The equation of line is  $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$ 

Now substitute the values, we get

$$y - (3) = 0(x - 4)$$

$$y - 3 = 0$$

Case 2: When line is perpendicular to x-axis

The line is perpendicular to the x-axis, then x is 0 and y is -1.

The slope of the line is, m = y/x

$$=-1/0$$

Coordinates of line are  $(x_1, y_1) = (4, 3)$ 

The equation of line =  $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$ 

Now substitute the values, we get

$$y - 3 = (-1/0)(x - 4)$$

$$x = 4$$

 $\therefore$  The equation of line when it is parallel to x - axis is y = 3 and it is perpendicular is x = 4.



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# 1. Find the equation of a line making an angle of $150^{\circ}$ with the x-axis and cutting off an intercept 2 from y-axis.

#### **Solution:**

Given: A line which makes an angle of 150° with the x-axis and cutting off an intercept at 2

By using the formula,

The equation of a line is y = mx + c

We know that angle,  $\theta = 150^{\circ}$ 

The slope of the line,  $m = \tan \theta$ 

Where, m =  $\tan 150^\circ$ =  $-1/\sqrt{3}$ 

Coordinate of y-intercept is (0, 2)

The required equation of the line is y = mx + c

Now substitute the values, we get

$$y = -x/\sqrt{3} + 2$$

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

$$x + \sqrt{3}y = 2\sqrt{3}$$

 $\therefore$  The equation of line is  $x + \sqrt{3}y = 2\sqrt{3}$ 

## 2. Find the equation of a straight line:

- (i) with slope 2 and y intercept 3;
- (ii) with slope -1/3 and y intercept -4.
- (iii) with slope -2 and intersecting the x-axis at a distance of 3 units to the left of origin.

### **Solution:**

(i) With slope 2 and y – intercept 3

The slope is 2 and the coordinates are (0, 3)

Now, the required equation of line is

$$y = mx + c$$

Substitute the values, we get

$$y = 2x + 3$$

(ii) With slope -1/3 and y - intercept - 4

The slope is -1/3 and the coordinates are (0, -4)

Now, the required equation of line is

$$y = mx + c$$



Substitute the values, we get

$$y = -1/3x - 4$$
  
 $3y + x = -12$ 

(iii) With slope -2 and intersecting the x-axis at a distance of 3 units to the left of origin The slope is -2 and the coordinates are (-3, 0)

Now, the required equation of line is  $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$ 

Substitute the values, we get

$$y - 0 = -2(x + 3)$$

$$y = -2x - 6$$

$$2x + y + 6 = 0$$

# 3. Find the equations of the bisectors of the angles between the coordinate axes. Solution:

There are two bisectors of the coordinate axes.

Their inclinations with the positive x-axis are 45° and 135°

The slope of the bisector is  $m = \tan 45^{\circ}$  or  $m = \tan 135^{\circ}$ 

i.e., 
$$m = 1$$
 or  $m = -1$ ,  $c = 0$ 

By using the formula, y = mx + c

Now, substitute the values of m and c, we get

$$\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{0}$$

$$x - y = 0$$
 or  $y = -x + 0$ 

$$x + y = 0$$

 $\therefore$  The equation of the bisector is  $x \pm y = 0$ 

# 4. Find the equation of a line which makes an angle of tan <sup>-1</sup> (3) with the x-axis and cuts off an intercept of 4 units on the negative direction of y-axis. Solution:

Given:

The equation which makes an angle of  $tan^{-1}(3)$  with the x-axis and cuts off an intercept of 4 units on the negative direction of y-axis

By using the formula,

The equation of the line is y = mx + c

Here, angle  $\theta = \tan^{-1}(3)$ 

So,  $\tan \theta = 3$ 

The slope of the line is, m = 3

And, Intercept in the negative direction of y-axis is (0, -4)

The required equation of the line is y = mx + c

Now, substitute the values, we get



$$y = 3x - 4$$

 $\therefore$  The equation of the line is y = 3x - 4.

# 5. Find the equation of a line that has y – intercept – 4 and is parallel to the line joining (2, -5) and (1, 2).

#### **Solution:**

Given:

A line segment joining (2, -5) and (1, 2) if it cuts off an intercept -4 from y-axis By using the formula,

The equation of line is y = mx + C

It is given that, c = -4

Slope of line joining  $(x_1 - x_2)$  and  $(y_1 - y_2)$ ,

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

So, Slope of line joining (2, -5) and (1, 2),

$$m = \frac{2-(-5)}{1-2} = \frac{7}{-1}$$

$$m = -7$$

The equation of line is y = mx + c

Now, substitute the values, we get

$$y = -7x - 4$$

$$y + 7x + 4 = 0$$

 $\therefore$  The equation of line is y + 7x + 4 = 0.



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# 1. Find the equation of the straight line passing through the point (6, 2) and having slope -3.

#### **Solution:**

Given, A straight line passing through the point (6, 2) and the slope is -3

By using the formula,

The equation of line is  $[y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)]$ 

Here, the line is passing through (6, 2)

It is given that, the slope of line, m = -3

Coordinates of line are  $(x_1, y_1) = (6,2)$ 

The equation of line =  $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$ 

Now, substitute the values, we get

$$y-2=-3(x-6)$$

$$y - 2 = -3x + 18$$

$$y + 3x - 20 = 0$$

 $\therefore$  The equation of line is 3x + y - 20 = 0

# 2. Find the equation of the straight line passing through (–2, 3) and indicated at an angle of $45^\circ$ with the x-axis

#### **Solution:**

Given:

A line which is passing through (-2, 3), the angle is  $45^{\circ}$ .

By using the formula,

The equation of line is  $[y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)]$ 

Here, angle,  $\theta = 45^{\circ}$ 

The slope of the line,  $m = \tan \theta$ 

 $m = \tan 45^{\circ}$ 

= 1

The line passing through  $(x_1, y_1) = (-2, 3)$ 

The required equation of line is  $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$ 

Now, substitute the values, we get

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

$$y - 3 = x + 2$$

$$x - y + 5 = 0$$

∴The equation of line is x - y + 5 = 0

# 3. Find the equation of the line passing through (0, 0) with slope m Solution:



#### Given:

A straight line passing through the point (0, 0) and slope is m.

By using the formula,

The equation of line is  $[y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)]$ 

It is given that, the line is passing through (0, 0) and the slope of line, m = m

Coordinates of line are  $(x_1, y_1) = (0, 0)$ 

The equation of line =  $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$ 

Now, substitute the values, we get

$$y - 0 = m(x - 0)$$

y = mx

 $\therefore$  The equation of line is y = mx.

# 4. Find the equation of the line passing through (2, $2\sqrt{3}$ ) and inclined with x – axis at an angle of 75°.

#### **Solution:**

Given:

A line which is passing through  $(2, 2\sqrt{3})$ , the angle is  $75^{\circ}$ .

By using the formula,

The equation of line is  $[y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)]$ 

Here, angle,  $\theta = 75^{\circ}$ 

The slope of the line,  $m = \tan \theta$ 

$$m = tan 75^{\circ}$$

$$=3.73=2+\sqrt{3}$$

The line passing through  $(x_1, y_1) = (2, 2\sqrt{3})$ 

The required equation of the line is  $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$ 

Now, substitute the values, we get

$$y - 2\sqrt{3} = 2 + \sqrt{3}(x - 2)$$

$$y - 2\sqrt{3} = (2 + \sqrt{3})x - 7.46$$

$$(2 + \sqrt{3})x - y - 4 = 0$$

∴ The equation of the line is  $(2 + \sqrt{3})x - y - 4 = 0$ 

# 5. Find the equation of the straight line which passes through the point (1, 2) and makes such an angle with the positive direction of x - axis whose sine is 3/5. Solution:

A line which is passing through (1, 2)

To Find: The equation of a straight line.

By using the formula,

The equation of line is  $[y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)]$ 

Here,  $\sin \theta = 3/5$ 



We know,  $\sin \theta = \text{perpendicular/hypotenuse}$ = 3/5

So, according to Pythagoras theorem,

(Hypotenuse)<sup>2</sup> = (Base)<sup>2</sup> + (Perpendicular)<sup>2</sup>  

$$(5)^2 = (Base)^2 + (3)^2$$

$$(5)^{2} = (Base)^{2} + (3)^{2}$$

(Base) = 
$$\sqrt{(25 - 9)}$$

$$(Base)^2 = \sqrt{16}$$

Base 
$$= 4$$

Hence,  $\tan \theta = \text{perpendicular/base}$ 

$$= 3/4$$

The slope of the line,  $m = \tan \theta$ 

$$= 3/4$$

The line passing through  $(x_1,y_1) = (1,2)$ 

The required equation of line is  $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$ 

Now, substitute the values, we get

$$y-2=(3/4)(x-1)$$

$$4y - 8 = 3x - 3$$

$$3x - 4y + 5 = 0$$

 $\therefore$  The equation of line is 3x - 4y + 5 = 0



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# 1. Find the equation of the straight lines passing through the following pair of points:

- (i) (0, 0) and (2, -2)
- (ii) (a, b) and (a + c sin  $\alpha$ , b + c cos  $\alpha$ )

**Solution:** 

(i) (0, 0) and (2, -2)

Given:

$$(x_1, y_1) = (0, 0), (x_2, y_2) = (2, -2)$$

The equation of the line passing through the two points (0, 0) and (2, -2) is By using the formula,

$$y - y_1 = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} (x - x_1)$$

Now, substitute the values, we get

$$y - 0 = \frac{-2 - 0}{2 - 0}(x - 0)$$

$$y = -x$$

 $\therefore$  The equation of line is y = -x

(ii) 
$$(a, b)$$
 and  $(a + c \sin \alpha, b + c \cos \alpha)$ 

Given:

$$(x_1, y_1) = (a, b), (x_2, y_2) = (a + c \sin \alpha, b + c \cos \alpha)$$

So, the equation of the line passing through the two points (0, 0) and (2, -2) is By using the formula,

$$y - y_1 = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} (x - x_1)$$

Now, substitute the values, we get

$$y - b = \frac{b + c \cos \alpha - b}{a + c \sin \alpha - a} (x - a)$$

$$y - b = \cot \alpha (x - a)$$

: The equation of line is  $y - b = \cot \alpha (x - a)$ 

# 2. Find the equations to the sides of the triangles the coordinates of whose angular points are respectively:

(i) 
$$(1, 4), (2, -3)$$
 and  $(-1, -2)$ 

(ii) 
$$(0, 1), (2, 0)$$
 and  $(-1, -2)$ 

**Solution:** 

(i) 
$$(1, 4), (2, -3)$$
 and  $(-1, -2)$ 

Given:



Points A (1, 4), B (2, -3) and C (-1, -2).

Let us assume,

 $m_1$ ,  $m_2$ , and  $m_3$  be the slope of the sides AB, BC and CA, respectively. So,

The equation of the line passing through the two points  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$ . Then,

$$m_1 = \frac{-3-4}{2-1}$$

$$m_2 = \frac{-2+3}{-1-2}$$

$$m_3 = \frac{4+2}{1+1}$$

$$m_{1} = -7$$
,  $m_{2} = -1/3$  and  $m_{3} = 3$ 

So, the equation of the sides AB, BC and CA are

By using the formula,

$$y - y_1 = m (x - x_1)$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 y - 4 = -7 (x - 1)

$$y - 4 = -7x + 7$$

$$y + 7x = 11$$
,

$$=> y + 3 = (-1/3) (x - 2)$$

$$3y + 9 = -x + 2$$

$$3y + x = -7$$

$$x + 3y + 7 = 0$$
 and

$$=> y + 2 = 3(x+1)$$

$$y + 2 = 3x + 3$$

$$y - 3x = 1$$

So, we get

$$y + 7x = 11$$
,  $x + 3y + 7 = 0$  and  $y - 3x = 1$ 

 $\therefore$  The equation of sides are y + 7x = 11, x + 3y + 7 = 0 and y - 3x = 1

(ii) 
$$(0, 1)$$
,  $(2, 0)$  and  $(-1, -2)$ 

Given:

Points A (0, 1), B (2, 0) and C (-1, -2).

Let us assume,

 $m_1$ ,  $m_2$ , and  $m_3$  be the slope of the sides AB, BC and CA, respectively. So,

The equation of the line passing through the two points  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$ . Then,



$$m_1 = \frac{0-1}{2-0}$$

$$m_2 = \, \frac{{\scriptstyle -2\,-0}}{{\scriptstyle -1\,-2}} \, ,$$

$$m_3 = \frac{1+2}{1+0}$$

$$m_1 = -1/2$$
,  $m_2 = -2/3$  and  $m_3 = 3$ 

So, the equation of the sides AB, BC and CA are

By using the formula,

$$y - y_1 = m (x - x_1)$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 y - 1 = (-1/2) (x - 0)

$$2y - 2 = -x$$

$$x + 2y = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 y - 0 = (-2/3) (x - 2)

$$3y = -2x + 4$$

$$2x - 3y = 4$$

$$=> y + 2 = 3(x+1)$$

$$y + 2 = 3x + 3$$

$$y - 3x = 1$$

So, we get

$$x + 2y = 2$$
,  $2x - 3y = 4$  and  $y - 3x = 1$ 

 $\therefore$  The equation of sides are x + 2y = 2, 2x - 3y = 4 and y - 3x = 1

# 3. Find the equations of the medians of a triangle, the coordinates of whose vertices are (-1, 6), (-3, -9) and (5, -8).

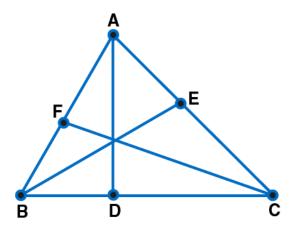
#### **Solution:**

Given:

A (-1, 6), B (-3, -9) and C (5, -8) be the coordinates of the given triangle.

Let us assume: D, E, and F be midpoints of BC, CA and AB, respectively. So, the coordinates of D, E and F are





Median AD passes through A (-1, 6) and D (1, -17/2) So, by using the formula,

$$y - y_1 = \left(\frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}\right)(x - x_1)$$

$$y - 6 = \frac{-\frac{17}{2} - 6}{1 + 1}(x + 1)$$

$$4y - 24 = -29x - 29$$

$$29x + 4y + 5 = 0$$

Similarly, Median BE passes through B (-3,-9) and E (2,-1) So, by using the formula,

$$y - y_1 = \left(\frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}\right)(x - x_1)$$

$$y + 9 = \frac{-1 + 9}{2 + 3}(x + 3)$$

$$5y + 45 = 8x + 24$$

$$8x - 5y - 21 = 0$$

Similarly, Median CF passes through C (5,-8) and F(-2,-3/2) So, by using the formula,

$$y - y_1 = \left(\frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}\right)(x - x_1)$$

$$y + 9 = \frac{-\frac{3}{2} + 8}{-2 - 5}(x - 5)$$

$$-14y - 112 = 13x - 65$$

$$13x + 14y + 47 = 0$$

: The equation of lines are: 29x + 4y + 5 = 0, 8x - 5y - 21 = 0 and 13x + 14y + 47 = 0



# 4. Find the equations to the diagonals of the rectangle the equations of whose sides are x = a, x = a', y = b and y = b'.

#### **Solution:**

Given:

The rectangle formed by the lines x = a, y = b and y = b'

It is clear that, the vertices of the rectangle are A (a, b), B (a', b), C (a', b') and D (a, b').

The diagonal passing through A (a, b) and C (a', b') is

By using the formula,

$$y - y_1 = \left(\frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}\right)(x - x_1)$$

$$y - b = \frac{b' - b}{a' - a}(x - a)$$

$$(a'-a)y - b(a'-a) = (b'-b)x - a(b'-b)$$

$$(a'-a) - (b'-b)x = ba' - ab'$$

Similarly, the diagonal passing through B (a', b) and D (a, b') is By using the formula,

$$V - V_4 = \left(\frac{y_2 - y_1}{x}\right)(x - x_4)$$

$$y - y_1 = \left(\frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}\right)(x - x_1)$$

$$y - b = \frac{b' - b}{a - a'}(x - a')$$

$$(a'-a)y - b(a-a') = (b'-b)x - a'(b'-b)$$

$$(a'-a) + (b'-b)x = a'b' - ab$$

 $\therefore$  The equation of diagonals are y(a'-a)-x(b'-b)=a'b-ab' and

$$y(a'-a) + x(b'-b) = a'b' - ab$$

## 5. Find the equation of the side BC of the triangle ABC whose vertices are A (-1, -2), B (0, 1) and C (2, 0) respectively. Also, find the equation of the median through A (-1, -2).

#### **Solution:**

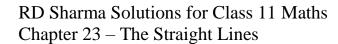
Given:

The vertices of triangle ABC are A (-1, -2), B(0, 1) and C(2, 0).

Let us find the equation of median through A.

So, the equation of BC is

By using the formula,





$$y - y_1 = \left(\frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}\right)(x - x_1)$$

$$y-1 = \frac{0-1}{2-0}(x-0)$$

$$y-1 = \frac{-1}{2}(x-0)$$

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

Let D be the midpoint of median AD,

So,D
$$\left(\frac{0+2}{2}, \frac{1+0}{2}\right) = \left(1, \frac{1}{2}\right)$$

So,D $\left(\frac{0+2}{2},\frac{1+0}{2}\right) = \left(1,\frac{1}{2}\right)$ The equation of the median AD is

By using the formula,

$$y - y_1 = \left(\frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}\right)(x - x_1)$$

$$y + 2 = \frac{\frac{1}{2} + 2}{1 + 1}(x + 1)$$

$$4y + 8 = 5x + 5$$

$$5x - 4y - 3 = 0$$

 $\therefore$  The equation of line BC is x + 2y - 2 = 0

The equation of median is 5x - 4y - 3 = 0



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- 1. Find the equation to the straight line
- (i) cutting off intercepts 3 and 2 from the axes.
- (ii) cutting off intercepts -5 and 6 from the axes.

#### **Solution:**

(i) Cutting off intercepts 3 and 2 from the axes.

Given:

$$a = 3, b = 2$$

Let us find the equation of line cutoff intercepts from the axes.

By using the formula,

The equation of the line is x/a + y/b = 1

$$x/3 + y/2 = 1$$

By taking LCM,

$$2x + 3y = 6$$

- $\therefore$  The equation of line cut off intercepts 3 and 2 from the axes is 2x + 3y = 6
- (ii) Cutting off intercepts -5 and 6 from the axes.

Given:

$$a = -5, b = 6$$

Let us find the equation of line cutoff intercepts from the axes.

By using the formula,

The equation of the line is x/a + y/b = 1

$$x/-5 + y/6 = 1$$

By taking LCM,

$$6x - 5y = -30$$

- ∴ The equation of line cut off intercepts 3 and 2 from the axes is 6x 5y = -30
- 2. Find the equation of the straight line which passes through (1, -2) and cuts off equal intercepts on the axes.

### **Solution:**

Given:

A line passing through (1, -2)

Let us assume, the equation of the line cutting equal intercepts at coordinates of length 'a' is

By using the formula,

The equation of the line is x/a + y/b = 1

$$x/a + y/a = 1$$

$$x + y = a$$



The line x + y = a passes through (1, -2) Hence, the point satisfies the equation.

$$1 - 2 = a$$

- a = -1 $\therefore$  The equation of the line is x + y = -1
- 3. Find the equation to the straight line which passes through the point (5, 6) and has intercepts on the axes
- (i) Equal in magnitude and both positive
- (ii) Equal in magnitude but opposite in sign Solution:
- (i) Equal in magnitude and both positive Given:

$$a = b$$

Let us find the equation of line cutoff intercepts from the axes.

By using the formula,

The equation of the line is x/a + y/b = 1

$$x/a + y/a = 1$$
$$x + y = a$$

The line passes through the point (5, 6)

Hence, the equation satisfies the points.

$$5+6=a$$

$$a = 11$$

- $\therefore$  The equation of the line is x + y = 11
- (ii) Equal in magnitude but opposite in sign Given:

$$b = -a$$

Let us find the equation of line cutoff intercepts from the axes.

By using the formula,

The equation of the line is x/a + y/b = 1

$$x/a + y/-a = 1$$

$$x - y = a$$

The line passes through the point (5, 6)

Hence, the equation satisfies the points.

$$5 - 6 = a$$

$$a = -1$$

 $\therefore$  The equation of the line is x - y = -1



4. 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.

#### **Solution:**

Given:

Intercepts cut off on the coordinate axes by the line ax + by +8 = 0 ..... (i)

And are equal in length but opposite in sign to those cut off by the line

$$2x - 3y + 6 = 0$$
 .....(ii)

We know that, the slope of two lines is equal

The slope of the line (i) is -a/b

The slope of the line (ii) is 2/3

So let us equate,

$$-a/b = 2/3$$

$$a = -2b/3$$

The length of the perpendicular from the origin to the line (i) is By using the formula,

$$d = \left| \frac{ax + by + d}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} \right|$$

$$d_1 = \left| \frac{a(0) + b(0) + 8}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} \right|$$

$$= \frac{8 \times 3}{\sqrt{13b^2}}$$

The length of the perpendicular from the origin to the line (ii) is By using the formula,

$$d = \left| \frac{ax + by + d}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} \right|$$

$$d_2 = \left| \frac{2(0) - 3(0) + 6}{\sqrt{2^2 + 3^2}} \right|$$

It is given that,  $d_1 = d_2$ 

$$\frac{8\times3}{\sqrt{13b^2}} = \frac{6}{\sqrt{13}}$$

$$b = 4$$

So, 
$$a = -2b/3$$
  
= -8/3

 $\therefore$  The value of a is -8/3 and b is 4.



# 5. Find the equation to the straight line which cuts off equal positive intercepts on the axes and their product is 25.

#### **Solution:**

Given:

a = b and ab = 25

Let us find the equation of the line which cutoff intercepts on the axes.

$$\therefore a^2 = 25$$

a = 5 [considering only positive value of intercepts]

By using the formula,

The equation of the line with intercepts a and b is x/a + y/b = 1

$$x/5 + y/5 = 1$$

By taking LCM

$$x + y = 5$$

 $\therefore$  The equation of line is x + y = 5



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#### 1. Find the equation of a line for which

(i) 
$$p = 5$$
,  $\alpha = 60^{\circ}$ 

(ii) 
$$p = 4$$
,  $\alpha = 150^{\circ}$ 

#### **Solution:**

(i) 
$$p = 5$$
,  $\alpha = 60^{\circ}$ 

Given:

$$p = 5, \alpha = 60^{\circ}$$

The equation of the line in normal form is given by

Using the formula,

$$x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha = p$$

Now, substitute the values, we get

$$x \cos 60^{\circ} + y \sin 60^{\circ} = 5$$

$$x/2 + \sqrt{3}y/2 = 5$$

$$x + \sqrt{3}y = 10$$

∴ The equation of line in normal form is  $x + \sqrt{3}y = 10$ .

(ii) 
$$p = 4$$
,  $\alpha = 150^{\circ}$ 

Given:

$$p = 4, \alpha = 150^{\circ}$$

The equation of the line in normal form is given by

Using the formula,

$$x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha = p$$

Now, substitute the values, we get

$$x \cos 150^{\circ} + y \sin 150^{\circ} = 4$$

$$\cos (180^{\circ} - \theta) = -\cos \theta , \sin (180^{\circ} - \theta) = \sin \theta$$

$$x \cos(180^{\circ} - 30^{\circ}) + y \sin(180^{\circ} - 30^{\circ}) = 4$$

$$-x\cos 30^{\circ} + y\sin 30^{\circ} = 4$$

$$-\sqrt{3}x/2 + y/2 = 4$$

$$-\sqrt{3}x + y = 8$$

∴ The equation of line in normal form is  $-\sqrt{3}x + y = 8$ .

# 2. Find the equation of the line on which the length of the perpendicular segment from the origin to the line is 4 and the inclination of the perpendicular segment with the positive direction of x-axis is $30^{\circ}$ .

### **Solution:**

Given:

$$p = 4, \alpha = 30^{\circ}$$



The equation of the line in normal form is given by Using the formula,

 $x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha = p$ 

Now, substitute the values, we get

$$x \cos 30^{\circ} + y \sin 30^{\circ} = 4$$

$$x\sqrt{3/2} + y1/2 = 4$$

$$\sqrt{3}x + y = 8$$

 $\therefore$  The equation of line in normal form is  $\sqrt{3}x + y = 8$ .

### 3. Find the equation of the line whose perpendicular distance from the origin is 4 units and the angle which the normal makes with the positive direction of x-axis is 15°.

#### **Solution:**

Given:

$$p = 4, \alpha = 15^{\circ}$$

The equation of the line in normal form is given by

We know that,  $\cos 15^{\circ} = \cos (45^{\circ} - 30^{\circ}) = \cos 45^{\circ} \cos 30^{\circ} + \sin 45^{\circ} \sin 30^{\circ}$ 

$$Cos (A - B) = cos A cos B + sin A sin B$$

So.

$$\cos 15 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

And  $\sin 15 = \sin (45^{\circ} - 30^{\circ}) = \sin 45^{\circ} \cos 30^{\circ} - \cos 45^{\circ} \sin 30^{\circ}$ 

$$Sin (A - B) = sin A cos B - cos A sin B$$

So.

$$\sin 15 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{3} - 1}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

Now, by using the formula,

$$x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha = p$$

Now, substitute the values, we get

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{2\sqrt{2}}x + \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2\sqrt{2}}y = 4$$

$$(\sqrt{3}+1)x + (\sqrt{3}-1)y = 8\sqrt{2}$$

: The equation of line in normal form is  $(\sqrt{3}+1)x + (\sqrt{3}-1)y = 8\sqrt{2}$ .

## 4. Find the equation of the straight line at a distance of 3 units from the origin such that the perpendicular from the origin to the line makes an angle $\alpha$ given by tan $\alpha$ =



# 5/12 with the positive direction of x-axis. Solution:

Given:

$$p = 3$$
,  $\alpha = \tan^{-1} (5/12)$ 

So, 
$$\tan \alpha = 5/12$$

$$\sin \alpha = 5/13$$

$$\cos \alpha = 12/13$$

The equation of the line in normal form is given by

By using the formula,

$$x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha = p$$

Now, substitute the values, we get

$$12x/13 + 5y/13 = 3$$

$$12x + 5y = 39$$

: The equation of line in normal form is 12x + 5y = 39.

# 5. Find the equation of the straight line on which the length of the perpendicular from the origin is 2 and the perpendicular makes an angle $\alpha$ with x-axis such that $\sin \alpha = 1/3$ .

#### **Solution:**

Given:

$$p = 2$$
,  $\sin \alpha = 1/3$ 

We know that 
$$\cos \alpha = \sqrt{(1 - \sin^2 \alpha)}$$
  
=  $\sqrt{(1 - 1/9)}$   
=  $2\sqrt{2/3}$ 

The equation of the line in normal form is given by

By using the formula,

$$x \cos \alpha + y \sin \alpha = p$$

Now, substitute the values, we get

$$x2\sqrt{2/3} + y/3 = 2$$

$$2\sqrt{2x} + y = 6$$

∴ The equation of line in normal form is  $2\sqrt{2x} + y = 6$ .

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1. A line passes through a point A (1, 2) and makes an angle of  $60^0$  with the x-axis and intercepts the line x + y = 6 at the point P. Find AP. Solution:

Given:

$$(x_1, y_1) = A(1, 2), \theta = 60^{\circ}$$

Let us find the distance AP.

By using the formula,

The equation of the line is given by:

$$\frac{x-x_1}{\cos\theta} = \frac{y-y_1}{\sin\theta} = r$$

Now, substitute the values, we get

$$\frac{\frac{x-1}{\cos 60^{\circ}} = \frac{y-2}{\sin 60^{\circ}} = r}{\frac{x-1}{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{y-2}{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}} = r}$$

Here, r represents the distance of any point on the line from point A (1, 2).

The coordinate of any point P on this line are  $(1 + r/2, 2 + \sqrt{3}r/2)$ 

It is clear that, P lies on the line x + y = 6

So,

$$1 + \frac{r}{2} + 2 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}r = 6$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}r + \frac{r}{2} = 3$$

$$r(\sqrt{3} + 1) = 6$$

$$r = \frac{6}{\sqrt{3} + 1} = 3(\sqrt{3} - 1)$$

 $\therefore$  The value of AP is  $3(\sqrt{3}-1)$ 

2. If the straight line through the point P(3,4) makes an angle  $\pi/6$  with the x-axis and meets the line 12x + 5y + 10 = 0 at Q, find the length PQ. Solution:

Given:

$$(x_1, y_1) = A(3, 4), \theta = \pi/6 = 30^{\circ}$$

Let us find the length PQ.

By using the formula,

The equation of the line is given by:



$$\tfrac{x-x_1}{\cos\theta}\,=\,\tfrac{y-y_1}{\sin\theta}\,=\,r$$

Now, substitute the values, we get

$$\frac{\frac{x-3}{\cos 30^{\circ}} = \frac{y-4}{\sin 30^{\circ}} = r}{\frac{x-3}{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}} - \frac{y-4}{\frac{1}{2}}} = r$$

$$x - \sqrt{3} y + 4\sqrt{3} - 3 = 0$$

Let 
$$PQ = r$$

Then, the coordinate of Q are given by

$$\frac{x-3}{\cos 30^{\circ}} = \frac{y-4}{\sin 30^{\circ}} = r$$

$$X = 3 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}r, y = 4 + \frac{r}{2}$$

The coordinate of point Q is  $\left(3 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}r, 4 + \frac{r}{2}\right)$ It is clear that, Q lies on the line 12x + 5y + 10 = 0So,

$$12\left(3 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}r\right) + 5\left(4 + \frac{r}{2}\right) + 10 = 0$$

$$66 + \frac{12\sqrt{3} + 5}{2}r = 0$$

$$r = -\frac{132}{5 + 12\sqrt{3}}$$

$$PQ = |r| = \frac{132}{5 + 12\sqrt{3}}$$

∴ The value of PQ is 
$$\frac{132}{5+12\sqrt{3}}$$

# 3. A straight line drawn through the point A (2, 1) making an angle $\pi/4$ with positive x-axis intersects another line x + 2y + 1 = 0 in the point B. Find length AB. Solution:

Given:

$$(x_1, y_1) = A(2, 1), \theta = \pi/4 = 45^{\circ}$$

Let us find the length AB.

By using the formula,

The equation of the line is given by:



$$\tfrac{x-x_1}{\cos\theta}\,=\,\tfrac{y-y_1}{\sin\theta}\,=\,r$$

Now, substitute the values, we get

$$\frac{x-2}{\cos 45^{\circ}} = \frac{y-1}{\sin 45^{\circ}} = r$$

$$\frac{x-2}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} = \frac{y-1}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} = r$$

$$x - y - 1 = 0$$

Let 
$$AB = r$$

Then, the coordinate of B is given by

$$\frac{x-2}{\cos 45 \circ} = \frac{y-1}{\sin 45 \circ} = r$$

$$x = 2 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}r, y = 1 + \frac{r}{\sqrt{2}}$$

The coordinate of point B is  $\left(2 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}r, 1 + \frac{r}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ 

It is clear that, B lies on the line x + 2y + 1 = 0

$$2 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}r + 2\left(1 + \frac{r}{\sqrt{2}}\right) + 1 = 0$$

$$5 + \frac{3r}{\sqrt{2}}r = 0$$

$$r = \frac{5\sqrt{2}}{3}$$

$$\therefore$$
 The value of AB is  $\frac{5\sqrt{2}}{3}$ 

# 4. A line a drawn through A (4, -1) parallel to the line 3x - 4y + 1 = 0. Find the coordinates of the two points on this line which are at a distance of 5 units from A. Solution:

Given:

$$(x_1, y_1) = A(4, -1)$$

Let us find Coordinates of the two points on this line which are at a distance of 5 units from A.

Given: Line 3x - 4y + 1 = 0

$$4y = 3x + 1$$

$$y = 3x/4 + 1/4$$

Slope 
$$\tan \theta = 3/4$$

So,

Sin 
$$\theta = 3/5$$

$$\cos \theta = 4/5$$



The equation of the line passing through A (4, -1) and having slope  $\frac{3}{4}$  is By using the formula,

The equation of the line is given by:

$$\frac{x-x_1}{\cos\theta} = \frac{y-y_1}{\sin\theta}$$

Now, substitute the values, we get

$$\frac{x-4}{\frac{4}{5}} = \frac{y+1}{\frac{3}{5}}$$

$$3x - 4y = 16$$

Here, 
$$AP = r = \pm 5$$

Thus, the coordinates of P are given by

$$\frac{x-x_1}{\cos\theta} = \frac{y-y_1}{\sin\theta} = r$$

$$\frac{x-4}{\frac{4}{5}} = \frac{y+1}{\frac{3}{5}} = r$$

$$x = \frac{4r}{5} + 4 \text{ and } y = \frac{3r}{5} - 1$$

$$x = \frac{4(\pm 5)}{5} + 4$$
 and  $y = \frac{3(\pm 5)}{5} - 1$ 

$$x = \pm 4 + 4$$
 and  $y = \pm 3 - 1$ 

$$x = 8, 0 \text{ and } y = 2, -4$$

 $\therefore$  The coordinates of the two points at a distance of 5 units from A are (8, 2) and (0, -4).

# 5. The straight line through $P(x_1, y_1)$ inclined at an angle $\theta$ with the x-axis meets the line ax + by + c = 0 in Q. Find the length of PQ. Solution:

Given:

The equation of the line that passes through  $P(x_1, y_1)$  and makes an angle of  $\theta$  with the x-axis

Let us find the length of PQ.

We know that,

$$\frac{x - x_1}{\cos \theta} = \frac{y - y_1}{\sin \theta}$$

Let 
$$PQ = r$$

Then, the coordinates of Q are given by

By using the formula,

The equation of the line is given by:



$$\tfrac{x-x_1}{\cos\theta}\,=\,\tfrac{y-y_1}{\sin\theta}\,=\,r$$

$$x = x_1 + r\cos\theta, y = y_1 + r\sin\theta$$

Thus, the coordinates of Q are  $(x_1 + r\cos\theta, y_1 + r\sin\theta)$ It is clear that, Q lies on the line ax + by + c = 0.

$$a(x_1 + r\cos\theta) + b(y_1 + r\sin\theta) + c = 0$$

$$r = PQ = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{ax_1 + by_1 + c}{a\cos\theta + b\sin\theta} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \text{ The value of PQ is } \begin{vmatrix} ax_1 + by_1 + c \\ a\cos\theta + b\sin\theta \end{vmatrix}$$



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- 1. Reduce the equation  $\sqrt{3}x + y + 2 = 0$  to:
- (i) slope intercept form and find slope and y intercept;
- (ii) Intercept form and find intercept on the axes
- (iii) The normal form and find p and  $\alpha$ .

#### **Solution:**

(i) Given:

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

This is the slope intercept form of the given line.

- $\therefore$  The slope = - $\sqrt{3}$  and y intercept = -2
- (ii) Given:

$$\sqrt{3}x + y + 2 = 0$$

$$\sqrt{3}x + y = -2$$

Divide both sides by -2, we get

$$\sqrt{3}x/-2 + y/-2 = 1$$

- : The intercept form of the given line. Here, x intercept =  $-2/\sqrt{3}$  and y intercept = -2
- (iii) Given:

$$\sqrt{3}x + y + 2 = 0$$

$$-\sqrt{3}x - y = 2$$

$$-\frac{\sqrt{3}x}{\sqrt{\left(-\sqrt{3}\right)^2 + (-1)^2}} - \frac{y}{\sqrt{\left(-\sqrt{3}\right)^2 + (-1)^2}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\left(-\sqrt{3}\right)^2 + (-1)^2}}$$

Divide both sides by  $\sqrt{(\text{coefficient of } x)^2 + (\text{coefficient of } y)^2}$ 

$$-\frac{\sqrt{3}x}{2} - \frac{y}{2} = 1$$

This is the normal form of the given line.

So, 
$$p = 1 \cos \alpha = -\sqrt{3}/2$$
 and  $\sin \alpha = -1/2$ 

$$\therefore$$
 p = 1 and  $\alpha$  = 210

2. Reduce the following equations to the normal form and find p and  $\alpha$  in each case:

(i) 
$$x + \sqrt{3}y - 4 = 0$$

$$(ii) x + y + \sqrt{2} = 0$$

## **Solution:**

(i) 
$$x + \sqrt{3}y - 4 = 0$$



$$x + \sqrt{3}y = 4$$

$$\frac{x}{\sqrt{1^2 + \left(\sqrt{3}\right)^2}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}y}{\sqrt{1^2 + \left(\sqrt{3}\right)^2}} = \frac{4}{\sqrt{1^2 + \left(\sqrt{3}\right)^2}}$$

Divide both sides by  $\sqrt{(\text{coefficient of } x)^2 + (\text{coefficient of } y)^2}$ 

$$\frac{x}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}y}{2} = 2$$

The normal form of the given line, where p = 2,  $\cos \alpha = 1/2$  and  $\sin \alpha = \sqrt{3/2}$  $\therefore$  p = 2 and  $\alpha = \pi/3$ 

(ii) 
$$x + y + \sqrt{2} = 0$$
  
-x - y =  $\sqrt{2}$ 

$$x - y = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\frac{-x}{\sqrt{(-1)^2 + (-1)^2}} + \frac{y}{\sqrt{(-1)^2 + (-1)^2}} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{(-1)^2 + (-1)^2}}$$
Divide both sides by  $\sqrt{\text{(coefficient of x)}^2 + (\text{coefficient of y})^2}$ 

Divide both sides by  $\sqrt{(\text{coefficient of } x)^2 + (\text{coefficient of } y)^2}$ 

$$-\frac{x}{\sqrt{2}} - \frac{y}{\sqrt{2}} = 1$$

The normal form of the given line, where p = 1,  $\cos \alpha = -1/\sqrt{2}$  and  $\sin \alpha = -1/\sqrt{2}$  $\therefore$  p = 1 and  $\alpha$  = 225°

# 3. Put the equation x/a + y/b = 1 the slope intercept form and find its slope and y intercept.

#### **Solution:**

Given: the equation is x/a + y/b = 1

We know that,

General equation of line y = mx + c.

$$bx + ay = ab$$

$$ay = -bx + ab$$

$$y = -bx/a + b$$

The slope intercept form of the given line.

$$\therefore$$
 Slope = - b/a and y - intercept = b

# 4. Reduce the lines 3x - 4y + 4 = 0 and 2x + 4y - 5 = 0 to the normal form and hence find which line is nearer to the origin.

## **Solution:**

Given:



The normal forms of the lines 3x - 4y + 4 = 0 and 2x + 4y - 5 = 0.

Let us find, in given normal form of a line, which is nearer to the origin.

$$-3x + 4y = 4$$

$$-\frac{3 x}{\sqrt{(-3)^2 + (4)^2}} + 4 \frac{y}{\sqrt{(-3)^2 + (4)^2}} = \frac{4}{\sqrt{(-3)^2 + (4)^2}}$$

Divide both sides by  $\sqrt{(\text{coefficient of } x)^2 + (\text{coefficient of } y)^2}$ 

$$-\frac{3}{5}x + \frac{4}{5}y = \frac{4}{5} \dots (1)$$

Now 
$$2x + 4y = -5$$

$$-2x - 4y = 5$$

$$-2x - 4y = 5$$

$$-\frac{2x}{\sqrt{(-2)^2 + (-4)^2}} - 4\frac{y}{\sqrt{(-2)^2 + (-4)^2}} = \frac{5}{\sqrt{(-2)^2 + (-4)^2}}$$

Divide both sides by  $\sqrt{(\text{coefficient of } x)^2 + (\text{coefficient of } y)^2}$ 

$$-\frac{2}{2\sqrt{5}}x - \frac{4}{2\sqrt{5}}y = \frac{5}{2\sqrt{5}} \dots (2)$$

From equations (1) and (2):

∴ The line 3x - 4y + 4 = 0 is nearer to the origin.

# 5. Show that the origin is equidistant from the lines 4x + 3y + 10 = 0; 5x - 12y + 26 =0 and 7x + 24y = 50.

#### **Solution:**

Given:

The lines 4x + 3y + 10 = 0; 5x - 12y + 26 = 0 and 7x + 24y = 50.

We need to prove that, the origin is equidistant from the lines 4x + 3y + 10 = 0; 5x - 12y+26 = 0 and 7x + 24y = 50.

Let us write down the normal forms of the given lines.

First line: 4x + 3y + 10 = 0

$$-4x - 3y = 10$$

$$-\frac{4x}{\sqrt{(-4)^2 + (-3)^2}} - 3\frac{y}{\sqrt{(-4)^2 + (-3)^2}} = \frac{10}{\sqrt{(-4)^2 + (-3)^2}}$$

Divide both sides by  $\sqrt{(\text{coefficient of } x)^2 + (\text{coefficient of } y)^2}$ 

$$-\frac{4}{5}x - \frac{3}{5}y = 2$$

So, 
$$p = 2$$



Second line: 
$$5x - 12y + 26 = 0$$

$$-5x + 12y = 26$$

$$-\frac{5 x}{\sqrt{(-5)^2 + (12)^2}} + 12 \frac{y}{\sqrt{(-5)^2 + (12)^2}} = \frac{26}{\sqrt{(-5)^2 + (12)^2}}$$

Divide both sides by  $\sqrt{(\text{coefficient of } x)^2 + (\text{coefficient of } y)^2}$ 

$$-\frac{5}{13}x + \frac{12}{13}y = 2$$

So, 
$$p = 2$$

Third line: 7x + 24y = 50

$$\frac{7 \, x}{\sqrt{(7)^2 \, + \, (24)^2}} \, + \, 24 \frac{y}{\sqrt{(7)^2 \, + \, (24)^2}} = \frac{50}{\sqrt{(7)^2 \, + \, (24)^2}}$$

Divide both sides by  $\sqrt{(\text{coefficient of } x)^2 + (\text{coefficient of } y)^2}$ 

$$\frac{7}{25}x + \frac{24}{25}y = 2$$

So, 
$$p = 2$$

∴ The origin is equidistant from the given lines.



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### 1. Find the point of intersection of the following pairs of lines:

(i) 
$$2x - y + 3 = 0$$
 and  $x + y - 5 = 0$ 

(ii) 
$$bx + ay = ab$$
 and  $ax + by = ab$ 

#### **Solution:**

(i) 
$$2x - y + 3 = 0$$
 and  $x + y - 5 = 0$ 

Given:

The equations of the lines are as follows:

$$2x - y + 3 = 0 \dots (1)$$

$$x + y - 5 = 0 \dots (2)$$

Let us find the point of intersection of pair of lines.

By solving (1) and (2) using cross - multiplication method, we get

$$\frac{x}{5-3} = \frac{y}{3+10} = \frac{1}{2+1}$$
$$\frac{x}{2} = \frac{y}{13} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$x = 2/3$$
 and  $y = 13/3$ 

 $\therefore$  The point of intersection is (2/3, 13/3)

(ii) 
$$bx + ay = ab$$
 and  $ax + by = ab$ 

Given:

The equations of the lines are as follows:

$$bx + ay - ab = 0...(1)$$

$$ax + by = ab \Rightarrow ax + by - ab = 0 \dots (2)$$

Let us find the point of intersection of pair of lines.

By solving (1) and (2) using cross - multiplication method, we get

$$\frac{x}{-a^{2}b + ab^{2}} = \frac{y}{-a^{2}b + ab^{2}} = \frac{1}{b^{2} - a^{2}}$$

$$\frac{x}{ab(b-a)} = \frac{y}{ab(b-a)} = \frac{1}{(a+b)(b-a)}$$

$$x = \frac{ab}{a+b} \text{ and } y = \frac{ab}{a+b}$$

: The point of intersection is (ab/a+b, ab/a+b)

## 2. Find the coordinates of the vertices of a triangle, the equations of whose sides are:

(i) 
$$x + y - 4 = 0$$
,  $2x - y + 30$  and  $x - 3y + 2 = 0$ 

(ii) 
$$y(t_1 + t_2) = 2x + 2at_1t_2$$
,  $y(t_2 + t_3) = 2x + 2at_2t_3$  and,  $y(t_3 + t_1) = 2x + 2at_1t_3$ . Solution:



(i) 
$$x + y - 4 = 0$$
,  $2x - y + 30$  and  $x - 3y + 2 = 0$ 

$$x + y - 4 = 0$$
,  $2x - y + 3 = 0$  and  $x - 3y + 2 = 0$ 

Let us find the point of intersection of pair of lines.

$$x + y - 4 = 0 \dots (1)$$

$$2x - y + 3 = 0 \dots (2)$$

$$x - 3y + 2 = 0 \dots (3)$$

By solving (1) and (2) using cross - multiplication method, we get

$$\frac{x}{3-4} = \frac{y}{-8-3} = \frac{1}{-1-2}$$

$$x = 1/3, y = 11/3$$

Solving (1) and (3) using cross - multiplication method, we get

$$\frac{x}{2-12} = \frac{y}{-4-2} = \frac{1}{-3-1}$$

$$x = 5/2, y = 3/2$$

Similarly, solving (2) and (3) using cross - multiplication method, we get

$$\frac{x}{-2+9} = \frac{y}{3-4} = \frac{1}{-6+1}$$

$$x = -7/5, y = 1/5$$

 $\therefore$  The coordinates of the vertices of the triangle are (1/3, 11/3), (5/2, 3/2) and (-7/5, 1/5)

(ii) 
$$y(t_1 + t_2) = 2x + 2at_1t_2$$
,  $y(t_2 + t_3) = 2x + 2at_2t_3$  and,  $y(t_3 + t_1) = 2x + 2at_1t_3$ . Given:

$$y(t_1 + t_2) = 2x + 2a t_1t_2$$
,  $y(t_2 + t_3) = 2x + 2a t_2t_3$  and  $y(t_3 + t_1) = 2x + 2a t_1t_3$ 

Let us find the point of intersection of pair of lines.

$$2x - y(t_1 + t_2) + 2a t_1 t_2 = 0 \dots (1)$$

$$2x - y(t_2 + t_3) + 2a t_2 t_3 = 0 \dots (2)$$

$$2x - y(t_3 + t_1) + 2a t_1t_3 = 0 \dots (3)$$

By solving (1) and (2) using cross - multiplication method, we get



$$\frac{x}{-(t_1 + t_2) \times 2at_2t_3 + (t_2 + t_3)2at_1t_2} = \frac{-y}{4at_2t_3 - 4at_1t_2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{-2(t_2 + t_3) + 2(t_1 + t_2)}$$

$$x = \frac{-(t_1 + t_2) \times 2at_2t_3 + (t_2 + t_3)2at_1t_2}{-2(t_2 + t_3) + 2(t_1 + t_2)} = at_2^2$$

$$y = -\frac{4at_2t_3 - 4at_1t_2}{-2(t_2 + t_3) + 2(t_1 + t_2)} = 2at_2$$

Solving (1) and (3) using cross - multiplication method, we get

$$\frac{x}{-(t_1 + t_2) \times 2at_1t_3 + (t_3 + t_1)2at_1t_2} = \frac{-y}{4at_1t_3 - 4at_1t_2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{-2(t_3 + t_1) + 2(t_1 + t_2)}$$

$$x = \frac{-(t_1 + t_2) \times 2at_1t_3 + (t_3 + t_1)2at_1t_2}{-2(t_3 + t_1) + 2(t_1 + t_2)} = at_1^2$$

$$y = -\frac{4at_1t_3 - 4at_1t_2}{-2(t_3 + t_1) + 2(t_1 + t_2)} = 2at_1$$

Solving (2) and (3) using cross - multiplication method, we get

$$\frac{x}{-(t_2 + t_3) \times 2at_1t_3 + (t_3 + t_1)2at_2t_3} = \frac{-y}{4at_1t_3 - 4at_2t_3}$$

$$= \frac{1}{-2(t_3 + t_1) + 2(t_2 + t_3)}$$

$$x = \frac{-(t_2 + t_3) \times 2at_1t_3 + (t_3 + t_1)2at_2t_3}{-2(t_3 + t_1) + 2(t_2 + t_3)} = at_3^2$$

$$y = -\frac{4at_1t_3 - 4at_2t_3}{-2(t_3 + t_1) + 2(t_2 + t_3)} = 2at_3$$

 $\therefore$  The coordinates of the vertices of the triangle are (at<sup>2</sup><sub>1</sub>, 2at<sub>1</sub>), (at<sup>2</sup><sub>2</sub>, 2at<sub>2</sub>) and (at<sup>2</sup><sub>3</sub>, 2at<sub>3</sub>).

## 3. Find the area of the triangle formed by the lines

$$y = m_1x + c_1$$
,  $y = m_2x + c_2$  and  $x = 0$ 

### **Solution:**

Given:

$$y = m_1 x + c_1 \dots (1)$$

$$y = m_2 x + c_2 \dots (2)$$



$$x = 0 ... (3)$$

In triangle ABC, let equations (1), (2) and (3) represent the sides AB, BC and CA, respectively.

Solving (1) and (2), we get

$$x = \frac{c_2 - c_1}{m_1 - m_2}, y = \frac{m_1 c_2 - m_2 c_1}{m_1 - m_2}$$

Thus, AB and BC intersect at B  $\left(\frac{c_2-c_1}{m_1-m_2}, \frac{m_1\,c_2-m_2\,c_1}{m_1-m_2}\right)$ 

Solving (1) and (3):

$$x = 0, y = c_1$$

Thus, AB and CA intersect at A 0,c<sub>1</sub>.

Similarly, solving (2) and (3):

$$x = 0, y = c_2$$

Thus, BC and CA intersect at C 0,c<sub>2</sub>.

∴ Area of triangle ABC = 
$$\frac{1}{2}\begin{vmatrix} 0 & c_1 & 1\\ 0 & c_2 & 1\\ \frac{c_2-c_1}{m_1-m_2} & \frac{m_1c_2-m_2c_1}{m_1-m_2} & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$
  
=  $\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{c_2-c_1}{m_1-m_2}\right)(c_1-c_2)$   
=  $\frac{\frac{1}{2}(c_1-c_2)^2}{m_2-m_1}$ 

# 4. Find the equations of the medians of a triangle, the equations of whose sides are: 3x + 2y + 6 = 0, 2x - 5y + 4 = 0 and x - 3y - 6 = 0 Solution:

Given:

$$3x + 2y + 6 = 0 \dots (1)$$

$$2x - 5y + 4 = 0 \dots (2)$$

$$x - 3y - 6 = 0 \dots (3)$$

Let us assume, in triangle ABC, let equations (1), (2) and (3) represent the sides AB, BC and CA, respectively.

Solving equations (1) and (2), we get

$$x = -2, y = 0$$

Thus, AB and BC intersect at B (-2, 0).



Now, solving (1) and (3), we get

$$x = -6/11$$
,  $y = -24/11$ 

Thus, AB and CA intersect at A (-6/11, -24/11)

Similarly, solving (2) and (3), we get

$$x = -42$$
,  $y = -16$ 

Thus, BC and CA intersect at C (-42, -16).

Now, let D, E and F be the midpoints the sides BC, CA and AB, respectively. Then, we have:

$$D = \left(\frac{-2 - 42}{2}, \frac{0 - 16}{2}\right) = (-22, -8)$$

$$E = \left(\frac{-\frac{6}{11} - 42}{2}, \frac{-\frac{24}{11} - 16}{2}\right) = \left(-\frac{234}{11}, -\frac{100}{11}\right)$$

$$F = \left(\frac{-\frac{6}{11} - 2}{2}, \frac{-\frac{24}{11} + 0}{2}\right) = \left(-\frac{14}{11}, -\frac{12}{11}\right)$$

Now, the equation of the median AD is

$$y + \frac{24}{11} = \frac{-8 + \frac{24}{11}}{-22 + \frac{6}{11}} \left(x + \frac{6}{11}\right)$$

$$16x - 59y - 120 = 0$$

The equation of median CF is

$$y + 16 = \frac{-\frac{12}{11} + 16}{-\frac{14}{11} + 42}(x + 42)$$

$$41 x - 112 y - 70 = 0$$

And, the equation of the median BE is

$$y - 0 = \frac{-\frac{100}{11} - 0}{-\frac{234}{11} + 2}(x + 2)$$

$$25x - 53y + 50 = 0$$

: The equations of the medians of a triangle are: 41x - 112y - 70 = 0,



$$16x - 59y - 120 = 0$$
,  $25x - 53y + 50 = 0$ 

# 5. Prove that the lines $y = \sqrt{3}x + 1$ , y = 4 and $y = -\sqrt{3}x + 2$ form an equilateral triangle.

#### **Solution:**

Given:

$$y = \sqrt{3}x + 1....(1)$$

$$y = 4 \dots (2)$$

$$y = -\sqrt{3}x + 2.....(3)$$

Let us assume in triangle ABC, let equations (1), (2) and (3) represent the sides AB, BC and CA, respectively.

By solving equations (1) and (2), we get

$$x = \sqrt{3}, y = 4$$

Thus, AB and BC intersect at B( $\sqrt{3}$ ,4)

Now, solving equations (1) and (3), we get

$$x = 1/2\sqrt{3}, y = 3/2$$

Thus, AB and CA intersect at A  $(1/2\sqrt{3}, 3/2)$ 

Similarly, solving equations (2) and (3), we get

$$x = -2/\sqrt{3}, y = 4$$

Thus, BC and AC intersect at C  $(-2/\sqrt{3},4)$ 

Now, we have:

AB = 
$$\sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} - \sqrt{3}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{3}{2} - 4\right)^2} = \frac{5}{\sqrt{3}}$$

BC = 
$$\sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{3}{2} - 4\right)^2} = \frac{5}{\sqrt{3}}$$

AC = 
$$\sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{3}{2} - 4\right)^2} = \frac{5}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Hence proved, the given lines form an equilateral triangle.



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### 1. Prove that the following sets of three lines are concurrent:

(i) 
$$15x - 18y + 1 = 0$$
,  $12x + 10y - 3 = 0$  and  $6x + 66y - 11 = 0$ 

(ii) 
$$3x - 5y - 11 = 0$$
,  $5x + 3y - 7 = 0$  and  $x + 2y = 0$ 

### **Solution:**

(i) 
$$15x - 18y + 1 = 0$$
,  $12x + 10y - 3 = 0$  and  $6x + 66y - 11 = 0$ 

Given:

$$15x - 18y + 1 = 0 \dots (i)$$

$$12x + 10y - 3 = 0$$
 ..... (ii)

$$6x + 66y - 11 = 0 \dots (iii)$$

Now, consider the following determinant:

$$\begin{vmatrix} 15 & -18 & 1 \\ 12 & 19 & -3 \\ 6 & 66 & -11 \end{vmatrix} = 15(-110 + 198) + 18(-132 + 18) + 1(792 - 60)$$

$$=> 1320 - 2052 + 732 = 0$$

Hence proved, the given lines are concurrent.

(ii) 
$$3x - 5y - 11 = 0$$
,  $5x + 3y - 7 = 0$  and  $x + 2y = 0$ 

Given:

$$3x - 5y - 11 = 0 \dots (i)$$

$$5x + 3y - 7 = 0$$
 ..... (ii)

$$x + 2y = 0$$
 ..... (iii)

Now, consider the following determinant:

$$\begin{vmatrix} 3 & -5 & -11 \\ 5 & 3 & -7 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 3 \times 14 + 5 \times 7 - 11 \times 7 = 0$$

Hence, the given lines are concurrent.

## 2. For what value of $\lambda$ are the three lines 2x-5y+3=0, $5x-9y+\lambda=0$ and x-2y+1=0 concurrent?

#### **Solution:**

Given:

$$2x - 5y + 3 = 0 \dots (1)$$

$$5x - 9y + \lambda = 0 \dots (2)$$

$$x - 2y + 1 = 0 \dots (3)$$

It is given that the three lines are concurrent.

Now, consider the following determinant:



$$\begin{vmatrix} 2 & -5 & 3 \\ 5 & -9 & \lambda \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$2(-9 + 2\lambda) + 5(5 - \lambda) + 3(-10 + 9) = 0$$

$$-18 + 4\lambda + 25 - 5\lambda - 3 = 0$$

$$\lambda = 4$$

 $\therefore$  The value of  $\lambda$  is 4.

# 3. Find the conditions that the straight lines $y=m_1x+c_1$ , $y=m_2x+c_2$ and $y=m_3x+c_3$ may meet in a point.

#### **Solution:**

Given:

$$m_1x - y + c_1 = 0 \dots (1)$$
  
 $m_2x - y + c_2 = 0 \dots (2)$   
 $m_3x - y + c_3 = 0 \dots (3)$ 

It is given that the three lines are concurrent.

Now, consider the following determinant:

$$\begin{vmatrix} m_1 & -1 & c_1 \\ m_2 & -1 & c_2 \\ m_3 & -1 & c_3 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\begin{split} &m_1(\text{-}c_3+c_2)+1(m_2c_3\text{-}m_3c_2)+c_1(\text{-}m_2+m_3)=0\\ &m_1(c_2\text{-}c_3)+m_2(c_3\text{-}c_1)+m_3(c_1\text{-}c_2)=0 \end{split}$$

: The required condition is  $m_1(c_2-c_3) + m_2(c_3-c_1) + m_3(c_1-c_2) = 0$ 

# 4. If the lines $p_1x + q_1y = 1$ , $p_2x + q_2y = 1$ and $p_3x + q_3y = 1$ be concurrent, show that the points $(p_1, q_1)$ , $(p_2, q_2)$ and $(p_3, q_3)$ are collinear. Solution:

Given:

$$\begin{aligned} p_1 x + q_1 y &= 1 \\ p_2 x + q_2 y &= 1 \\ p_3 x + q_3 y &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

The given lines can be written as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} p_1 & x + q_1 & y - 1 = 0 & \dots & (1) \\ p_2 & x + q_2 & y - 1 = 0 & \dots & (2) \\ p_3 & x + q_3 & y - 1 = 0 & \dots & (3) \end{aligned}$$

It is given that the three lines are concurrent.

Now, consider the following determinant:



$$\begin{vmatrix} p_1 & q_1 & -1 \\ p_2 & q_2 & -1 \\ p_3 & q_3 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$-\begin{vmatrix} p_1 & q_1 & 1 \\ p_2 & q_2 & 1 \\ p_3 & q_3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} p_1 & q_1 & 1 \\ p_2 & q_2 & 1 \\ p_3 & q_3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

Hence proved, the given three points,  $(p_1, q_1)$ ,  $(p_2, q_2)$  and  $(p_3, q_3)$  are collinear.

5. Show that the straight lines  $L_1=(b+c)x+ay+1=0$ ,  $L_2=(c+a)x+by+1=0$  and  $L_3=(a+b)x+cy+1=0$  are concurrent. Solution:

Given:

$$L_1 = (b + c)x + ay + 1 = 0$$

$$L_2 = (c + a)x + by + 1 = 0$$

$$L_3 = (a + b)x + cy + 1 = 0$$

The given lines can be written as follows:

$$(b+c) x + ay + 1 = 0 ... (1)$$

$$(c + a) x + by + 1 = 0 \dots (2)$$

$$(a + b) x + cy + 1 = 0 \dots (3)$$

Consider the following determinant.

Let us apply the transformation  $C_1 \rightarrow C_1 + C_2$ , we get

$$\begin{vmatrix} b + c & a & 1 \\ c + a & b & 1 \\ a + b & c & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} a + b + c & a & 1 \\ c + a + b & b & 1 \\ a + b + c & c & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} b + c & a & 1 \\ c + a & b & 1 \\ a + b & c & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (a + b + c) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a & 1 \\ 1 & b & 1 \\ 1 & c & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} b + c & a & 1 \\ c + a & b & 1 \\ a + b & c & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

Hence proved, the given lines are concurrent.



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## 1. Find the equation of a line passing through the point (2, 3) and parallel to the line 3x-4y+5=0.

#### **Solution:**

Given:

The equation is parallel to 3x - 4y + 5 = 0 and pass through (2, 3)

The equation of the line parallel to 3x - 4y + 5 = 0 is

$$3x - 4y + \lambda = 0,$$

Where,  $\lambda$  is a constant.

It passes through (2, 3).

Substitute the values in above equation, we get

$$3(2) - 4(3) + \lambda = 0$$

$$6 - 12 + \lambda = 0$$

$$\lambda = 6$$

Now, substitute the value of  $\lambda = 6$  in  $3x - 4y + \lambda = 0$ , we get

$$3x - 4y + 6$$

 $\therefore$  The required line is 3x - 4y + 6 = 0.

## 2. Find the equation of a line passing through (3, -2) and perpendicular to the line x - 3y + 5 = 0.

### **Solution:**

Given:

The equation is perpendicular to x - 3y + 5 = 0 and passes through (3,-2)

The equation of the line perpendicular to x - 3y + 5 = 0 is

$$3x + y + \lambda = 0,$$

Where,  $\lambda$  is a constant.

It passes through (3, -2).

Substitute the values in above equation, we get

$$3(3) + (-2) + \lambda = 0$$

$$9-2+\lambda=0$$

$$\lambda = -7$$

Now, substitute the value of  $\lambda = -7$  in  $3x + y + \lambda = 0$ , we get

$$3x + y - 7 = 0$$

 $\therefore$  The required line is 3x + y - 7 = 0.

# 3. Find the equation of the perpendicular bisector of the line joining the points (1, 3) and (3, 1).

**Solution:** 



Given:

A (1, 3) and B (3, 1) be the points joining the perpendicular bisector Let C be the midpoint of AB.

So, coordinates of 
$$C = [(1+3)/2, (3+1)/2]$$

$$=(2, 2)$$

Slope of AB = 
$$[(1-3)/(3-1)]$$

Slope of the perpendicular bisector of AB = 1

Thus, the equation of the perpendicular bisector of AB is given as,

$$y - 2 = 1(x - 2)$$

$$y = x$$

$$x - y = 0$$

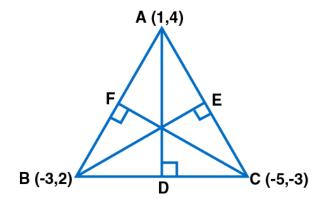
 $\therefore$  The required equation is y = x.

# 4. Find the equations of the altitudes of a $\Delta ABC$ whose vertices are A (1, 4), B (-3, 2) and C (-5, -3).

### **Solution:**

Given:

The vertices of  $\triangle$ ABC are A (1, 4), B (-3, 2) and C (-5, -3). Now let us find the slopes of  $\triangle$ ABC.



Slope of AB = 
$$[(2 - 4) / (-3-1)]$$
  
=  $\frac{1}{2}$ 

Slope of BC = 
$$[(-3 - 2) / (-5+3)]$$
  
=  $5/2$ 

Slope of CA = 
$$[(4 + 3) / (1 + 5)]$$
  
=  $7/6$ 

Thus, we have:



Slope of CF = -2

Slope of AD = -2/5

Slope of BE = -6/7

Hence,

Equation of CF is:

$$y + 3 = -2(x + 5)$$

$$y + 3 = -2x - 10$$

$$2x + y + 13 = 0$$

Equation of AD is:

$$y - 4 = (-2/5)(x - 1)$$

$$5y - 20 = -2x + 2$$

$$2x + 5y - 22 = 0$$

Equation of BE is:

$$y - 2 = (-6/7)(x + 3)$$

$$7y - 14 = -6x - 18$$

$$6x + 7y + 4 = 0$$

: The required equations are 2x + y + 13 = 0, 2x + 5y - 22 = 0, 6x + 7y + 4 = 0.

# 5. Find the equation of a line which is perpendicular to the line $\sqrt{3}x - y + 5 = 0$ and which cuts off an intercept of 4 units with the negative direction of y-axis. Solution:

Given:

The equation is perpendicular to  $\sqrt{3}x - y + 5 = 0$  equation and cuts off an intercept of 4 units with the negative direction of y-axis.

The line perpendicular to  $\sqrt{3}x - y + 5 = 0$  is  $x + \sqrt{3}y + \lambda = 0$ 

It is given that the line  $x + \sqrt{3}y + \lambda = 0$  cuts off an intercept of 4 units with the negative direction of the y-axis.

This means that the line passes through (0,-4).

So.

Let us substitute the values in the equation  $x + \sqrt{3}y + \lambda = 0$ , we get

$$0 - \sqrt{3}(4) + \lambda = 0$$

$$\lambda = 4\sqrt{3}$$

Now, substitute the value of  $\lambda$  back, we get

$$x + \sqrt{3}y + 4\sqrt{3} = 0$$

∴ The required equation of line is  $x + \sqrt{3}y + 4\sqrt{3} = 0$ .



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### 1. Find the angles between each of the following pairs of straight lines:

(i) 
$$3x + y + 12 = 0$$
 and  $x + 2y - 1 = 0$ 

(ii) 
$$3x - y + 5 = 0$$
 and  $x - 3y + 1 = 0$ 

### **Solution:**

(i) 
$$3x + y + 12 = 0$$
 and  $x + 2y - 1 = 0$ 

Given:

The equations of the lines are

$$3x + y + 12 = 0 \dots (1)$$

$$x + 2y - 1 = 0 \dots (2)$$

Let  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  be the slopes of these lines.

$$m_1 = -3$$
,  $m_2 = -1/2$ 

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between the lines.

Then, by using the formula

$$\tan \theta = \left[ \left( m_1 - m_2 \right) / \left( 1 + m_1 m_2 \right) \right]$$
  
= \left[ (-3 + 1/2) / \left( 1 + 3/2 \right) \right]  
= 1

So,

$$\theta = \pi/4 \text{ or } 45^{\circ}$$

 $\therefore$  The acute angle between the lines is  $45^{\circ}$ 

(ii) 
$$3x - y + 5 = 0$$
 and  $x - 3y + 1 = 0$ 

Given:

The equations of the lines are

$$3x - y + 5 = 0 \dots (1)$$

$$x - 3y + 1 = 0 \dots (2)$$

Let  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  be the slopes of these lines.

$$m_1 = 3$$
,  $m_2 = 1/3$ 

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between the lines.

Then, by using the formula

$$\tan \theta = \left[ \left( m_1 - m_2 \right) / \left( 1 + m_1 m_2 \right) \right]$$
  
=  $\left[ \left( 3 + 1/3 \right) / \left( 1 + 1 \right) \right]$   
=  $4/3$ 

So.

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} (4/3)$$

 $\therefore$  The acute angle between the lines is  $\tan^{-1}(4/3)$ .



## 2. Find the acute angle between the lines 2x - y + 3 = 0 and x + y + 2 = 0. Solution:

Given:

The equations of the lines are

$$2x - y + 3 = 0 \dots (1)$$

$$x + y + 2 = 0 \dots (2)$$

Let  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  be the slopes of these lines.

$$m_1 = 2$$
,  $m_2 = -1$ 

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between the lines.

Then, by using the formula

$$\tan \theta = \left[ (m_1 - m_2) / (1 + m_1 m_2) \right]$$
  
=  $\left[ (2 + 1) / (1 + 2) \right]$   
= 3

So,

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}(3)$$

 $\therefore$  The acute angle between the lines is  $\tan^{-1}(3)$ .

# 3. Prove that the points (2, -1), (0, 2), (2, 3) and (4, 0) are the coordinates of the vertices of a parallelogram and find the angle between its diagonals. Solution:

To prove:

The points (2, -1), (0, 2), (2, 3) and (4, 0) are the coordinates of the vertices of a parallelogram

Let us assume the points, A (2, -1), B (0, 2), C (2, 3) and D (4, 0) be the vertices. Now, let us find the slopes

Slope of AB = 
$$[(2+1) / (0-2)]$$
  
=  $-3/2$ 

Slope of BC = 
$$[(3-2) / (2-0)]$$
  
=  $\frac{1}{2}$ 

Slope of CD = 
$$[(0-3) / (4-2)]$$
  
= -3/2

Slope of DA = 
$$[(-1-0) / (2-4)]$$
  
=  $\frac{1}{2}$ 

Thus, AB is parallel to CD and BC is parallel to DA.

Hence proved, the given points are the vertices of a parallelogram.



Now, let us find the angle between the diagonals AC and BD.

Let  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  be the slopes of AC and BD, respectively.

$$m_1 = [(3+1) / (2-2)]$$
  
=  $\infty$ 

$$m_2 = [(0-2) / (4-0)]$$
  
= -1/2

Thus, the diagonal AC is parallel to the y-axis.

$$\angle ODB = \tan^{-1}(1/2)$$

In triangle MND,

$$\angle DMN = \pi/2 - \tan^{-1}(1/2)$$

- : The angle between the diagonals is  $\pi/2$   $\tan^{-1}(1/2)$ .
- 4. Find the angle between the line joining the points (2, 0), (0, 3) and the line x + y = 1.

#### **Solution:**

Given:

Points (2, 0), (0, 3) and the line x + y = 1.

Let us assume A (2, 0), B (0, 3) be the given points.

Now, let us find the slopes

Slope of AB = 
$$m_1$$
  
=  $[(3-0) / (0-2)]$   
=  $-3/2$ 

Slope of the line x + y = 1 is -1

$$\therefore$$
 m<sub>2</sub> = -1

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between the line joining the points (2, 0), (0, 3) and the line x + y =

$$tan \theta = |[(m_1 - m_2) / (1 + m_1 m_2)]|$$
  
= [(-3/2 + 1) / (1 + 3/2)]  
= 1/5

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} (1/5)$$

: The acute angle between the line joining the points (2, 0), (0, 3) and the line x + y = 1 is  $tan^{-1}(1/5)$ .



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### 1. Find the angles between each of the following pairs of straight lines:

(i) 
$$3x + y + 12 = 0$$
 and  $x + 2y - 1 = 0$ 

(ii) 
$$3x - y + 5 = 0$$
 and  $x - 3y + 1 = 0$ 

### **Solution:**

(i) 
$$3x + y + 12 = 0$$
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= \left[ (-3 + 1/2) / \left( 1 + 3/2 \right) \right]  
= 1

So,

$$\theta = \pi/4 \text{ or } 45^{\circ}$$

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The equations of the lines are

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$$m_1 = 3$$
,  $m_2 = 1/3$ 

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between the lines.

Then, by using the formula

$$\tan \theta = \left[ \left( m_1 - m_2 \right) / \left( 1 + m_1 m_2 \right) \right]$$
  
=  $\left[ \left( 3 + 1/3 \right) / \left( 1 + 1 \right) \right]$   
=  $4/3$ 

So.

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} (4/3)$$

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## 2. Find the acute angle between the lines 2x - y + 3 = 0 and x + y + 2 = 0. Solution:

Given:

The equations of the lines are

$$2x - y + 3 = 0 \dots (1)$$

$$x + y + 2 = 0 \dots (2)$$

Let  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  be the slopes of these lines.

$$m_1 = 2$$
,  $m_2 = -1$ 

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between the lines.

Then, by using the formula

$$\tan \theta = \left[ (m_1 - m_2) / (1 + m_1 m_2) \right]$$
  
=  $\left[ (2 + 1) / (1 + 2) \right]$   
= 3

So,

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Slope of CD = 
$$[(0-3) / (4-2)]$$
  
= -3/2

Slope of DA = 
$$[(-1-0) / (2-4)]$$
  
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Hence proved, the given points are the vertices of a parallelogram.



Now, let us find the angle between the diagonals AC and BD.

Let  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  be the slopes of AC and BD, respectively.

$$m_1 = [(3+1) / (2-2)]$$
  
=  $\infty$ 

$$m_2 = [(0-2) / (4-0)]$$
  
= -1/2

Thus, the diagonal AC is parallel to the y-axis.

$$\angle ODB = \tan^{-1}(1/2)$$

In triangle MND,

$$\angle DMN = \pi/2 - \tan^{-1}(1/2)$$

- : The angle between the diagonals is  $\pi/2$   $\tan^{-1}(1/2)$ .
- 4. Find the angle between the line joining the points (2, 0), (0, 3) and the line x + y = 1.

#### **Solution:**

Given:

Points (2, 0), (0, 3) and the line x + y = 1.

Let us assume A (2, 0), B (0, 3) be the given points.

Now, let us find the slopes

Slope of AB = 
$$m_1$$
  
=  $[(3-0) / (0-2)]$   
=  $-3/2$ 

Slope of the line x + y = 1 is -1

$$\therefore$$
 m<sub>2</sub> = -1

Let  $\theta$  be the angle between the line joining the points (2, 0), (0, 3) and the line x + y =

$$tan \theta = |[(m_1 - m_2) / (1 + m_1 m_2)]|$$
  
= [(-3/2 + 1) / (1 + 3/2)]  
= 1/5

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} (1/5)$$

: The acute angle between the line joining the points (2, 0), (0, 3) and the line x + y = 1 is  $tan^{-1}(1/5)$ .

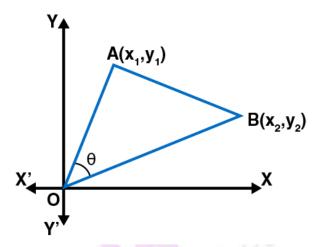


### 5. If $\theta$ is the angle which the straight line joining the points $(x_1, y_1)$ and $(x_2, y_2)$

#### **Solution:**

We need to prove:

$$\tan\theta \ = \ \frac{x_2y_1-x_1y_2}{x_1x_2+y_1y_2} \ \text{and} \ \text{cos} \, \theta \ = \ \frac{x_1x_2+y_1y_2}{\sqrt{x_1^2+y_1^2}\sqrt{x_2^2+y_2^2}}.$$



Let us assume A  $(x_1, y_1)$  and B  $(x_2, y_2)$  be the given points and O be the origin.

Slope of  $OA = m_1 = y_{1x1}$ 

Slope of OB =  $m_2 = y_{2x2}$ 

It is given that  $\theta$  is the angle between lines OA and OB.



$$tan\theta = \left| \frac{m_1 - m_2}{1 + m_1 m_2} \right|$$

Now, substitute the values, we get

$$= \frac{\frac{y_1}{x_1} - \frac{y_2}{x_2}}{1 + \frac{y_1}{x_1} \times \frac{y_2}{x_2}}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{\frac{x_2y_1 - x_1y_2}{x_1x_2 + y_1y_2}}{\frac{x_2y_1 - x_1y_2}{x_1}}$$

Now, As we know that 
$$\cos \theta = \sqrt{\frac{1}{1 + \tan^2 \theta}}$$
 Now, substitute the values, we get

$$\cos\theta = \frac{x_1 x_2 + y_1 y_2}{\sqrt{(x_2 y_1 - x_1 y_2)^2 + (x_1 x_2 + y_1 y_2)^2}}$$

$$\cos\theta \; = \; \frac{x_1 x_2 + y_1 y_2}{\sqrt{x_1^2 y_1^2 + x_1^2 y_2^2 + x_1^2 x_2^2 + y_1^2 y_2^2}}$$

$$\cos\theta \; = \; \frac{x_1 x_2 + y_1 y_2}{\sqrt{x_1^2 + y_1^2} \sqrt{x_2^2 + y_2^2}}.$$

Hence proved.



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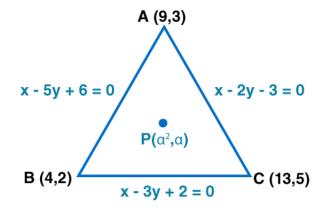
1. Find the values of  $\alpha$  so that the point  $P(\alpha^2, \alpha)$  lies inside or on the triangle formed by the lines x - 5y + 6 = 0, x - 3y + 2 = 0 and x - 2y - 3 = 0. Solution:

Given:

x - 5y + 6 = 0, x - 3y + 2 = 0 and x - 2y - 3 = 0 forming a triangle and point  $P(\alpha^2, \alpha)$  lies inside or on the triangle

Let ABC be the triangle of sides AB, BC and CA whose equations are x - 5y + 6 = 0, x - 3y + 2 = 0 and x - 2y - 3 = 0, respectively.

On solving the equations, we get A (9, 3), B (4, 2) and C (13, 5) as the coordinates of the vertices.



It is given that point P  $(\alpha^2, \alpha)$  lies either inside or on the triangle. The three conditions are given below.

- (i) A and P must lie on the same side of BC.
- (ii) B and P must lie on the same side of AC.
- (iii) C and P must lie on the same side of AB.

If A and P lie on the same side of BC, then

$$(9-9+2)(\alpha^2-3\alpha+2) \ge 0$$

$$(\alpha-2)(\alpha-1)\geq 0$$

$$\alpha \in (-\infty, 1] \cup [2, \infty) \dots (1)$$

If B and P lie on the same side of AC, then

$$(4-4-3)(\alpha^2-2\alpha-3) \ge 0$$

$$(\alpha - 3)(\alpha + 1) \le 0$$

$$\alpha \in [-1, 3] \dots (2)$$



If C and P lie on the same side of AB, then

$$(13-25+6)(\alpha^2-5\alpha+6) \ge 0$$

$$(\alpha - 3)(\alpha - 2) \le 0$$

$$\alpha \in [2, 3] \dots (3)$$

From equations (1), (2) and (3), we get  $\alpha \in [2, 3]$ 

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# 2. Find the values of the parameter a so that the point (a, 2) is an interior point of the triangle formed by the lines x + y - 4 = 0, 3x - 7y - 8 = 0 and 4x - y - 31 = 0. Solutions:

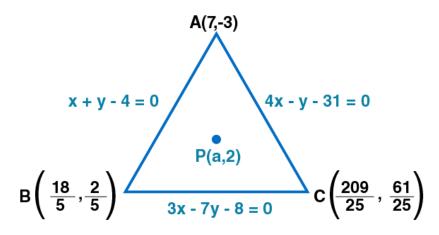
### Given:

x + y - 4 = 0, 3x - 7y - 8 = 0 and 4x - y - 31 = 0 forming a triangle and point (a, 2) is an interior point of the triangle

Let ABC be the triangle of sides AB, BC and CA whose equations are x + y - 4 = 0, 3x - 7y - 8 = 0 and 4x - y - 31 = 0, respectively.

On solving them, we get A (7, -3), B (18/5, 2/5) and C (209/25, 61/25) as the coordinates of the vertices.

Let P (a, 2) be the given point.



It is given that point P (a, 2) lies inside the triangle. So, we have the following:

- (i) A and P must lie on the same side of BC.
- (ii) B and P must lie on the same side of AC.
- (iii) C and P must lie on the same side of AB.

Thus, if A and P lie on the same side of BC, then

$$21 + 21 - 8 - 3a - 14 - 8 > 0$$



$$a > 22/3 \dots (1)$$

If B and P lie on the same side of AC, then

$$4 \times \frac{18}{5} - \frac{2}{5} - 31 - 4a - 2 - 31 > 0$$
  
  $a < 33/4 \dots (2)$ 

If C and P lie on the same side of AB, then

$$\frac{209}{25} + \frac{61}{25} - 4 - a + 2 - 4 > 0$$

$$\frac{34}{5} - 4 - a + 2 - 4 > 0$$

$$a > 2 \dots (3)$$

From (1), (2) and (3), we get:

 $A \in (22/3, 33/4)$ 

 $\therefore A \in (22/3, 33/4)$ 

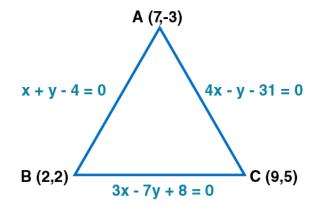
# 3. Determine whether the point (-3, 2) lies inside or outside the triangle whose sides are given by the equations x + y - 4 = 0, 3x - 7y + 8 = 0, 4x - y - 31 = 0. Solution:

Given:

x + y - 4 = 0, 3x - 7y + 8 = 0, 4x - y - 31 = 0 forming a triangle and point (-3, 2)

Let ABC be the triangle of sides AB, BC and CA, whose equations x + y - 4 = 0, 3x - 7y + 8 = 0 and 4x - y - 31 = 0, respectively.

On solving them, we get A (7, -3), B (2, 2) and C (9, 5) as the coordinates of the vertices. Let P (-3, 2) be the given point.



The given point P(-3, 2) will lie inside the triangle ABC, if (i) A and P lies on the same side of BC



(ii) B and P lies on the same side of AC

(iii) C and P lies on the same side of AB

Thus, if A and P lie on the same side of BC, then

$$21 + 21 + 8 - 9 - 14 + 8 > 0$$

$$50 \times -15 > 0$$

$$-750 > 0$$
,

This is false

 $\therefore$  The point (-3, 2) lies outside triangle ABC.





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## 1. Find the distance of the point (4, 5) from the straight line 3x - 5y + 7 = 0. Solution:

Given:

The line: 3x - 5y + 7 = 0

Comparing ax + by + c = 0 and 3x - 5y + 7 = 0, we get:

$$a = 3$$
,  $b = -5$  and  $c = 7$ 

So, the distance of the point (4, 5) from the straight line 3x - 5y + 7 = 0 is

$$d = \left| \frac{ax_1 + by_1 + c}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} \right|$$

$$= \left| \frac{3 \times 4 - 5 \times 5 + 7}{\sqrt{3^2 + (-5^2)}} \right|$$

$$= \frac{6}{\sqrt{34}}$$

 $\therefore$  The required distance is  $6/\sqrt{34}$ 

# 2. Find the perpendicular distance of the line joining the points (cos $\theta$ , sin $\theta$ ) and (cos $\phi$ , sin $\phi$ ) from the origin.

### **Solution:**

Given:

The points  $(\cos \theta, \sin \theta)$  and  $(\cos \phi, \sin \phi)$  from the origin.

The equation of the line joining the points  $(\cos \theta, \sin \theta)$  and  $(\cos \phi, \sin \phi)$  is given below:

$$y - \sin\theta = \frac{\sin\phi - \sin\theta}{\cos\phi - \cos\theta}(x - \cos\theta)$$

$$(\cos \phi - \cos \theta)y - \sin \theta(\cos \phi - \cos \theta) = (\sin \phi - \sin \theta)x - (\sin \phi - \sin \theta)\cos \theta$$

$$(\sin\phi - \sin\theta)x - (\cos\phi - \cos\theta)y + \sin\theta\cos\phi - \sin\phi\cos\theta = 0$$

Let d be the perpendicular distance from the origin to the line

$$(\sin\phi - \sin\theta)x - (\cos\phi - \cos\theta)y + \sin\theta\cos\phi - \sin\phi\cos\theta = 0$$

$$d \; = \; \left| \frac{\sin \theta - \varphi}{\sqrt{(\sin \varphi - \sin \theta)^2 + (\cos \varphi - \cos \theta)^2}} \right|$$

$$= \left| \frac{\sin \theta - \varphi}{\sqrt{\sin^2 \varphi + \sin^2 \theta - 2 \sin \varphi \sin \theta + \cos^2 \varphi + \cos^2 \theta - 2 \cos \varphi \cos \theta}} \right|$$



$$= \left| \frac{\sin\theta - \varphi}{\sqrt{\sin^2 \varphi + \cos^2 \varphi + \sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \varphi + \cos^2 \theta - 2\cos(\theta - \varphi)}} \right|$$

$$= \left| \frac{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\sin(\theta - \varphi))}{\sqrt{1 - \cos(\theta - \varphi)}} \right|$$

$$= \left. \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left| \frac{\sin(\theta - \varphi)}{\sqrt{2 \sin^2\!\left(\frac{\theta - \varphi}{2}\right)}} \right|$$

$$=\,\frac{1}{2}\,\big|\,\frac{2\, \text{sin}\big(\frac{\theta-\varphi}{2}\big)\, \text{cos}\big(\frac{\theta-\varphi}{2}\big)}{\text{sin}\big(\frac{\theta-\varphi}{2}\big)}\big|\,$$

$$= \cos\left(\frac{\theta - \varphi}{2}\right)$$

 $\therefore$  The required distance is  $\cos\left(\frac{\theta-\phi}{2}\right)$ 

# 3. Find the length of the perpendicular from the origin to the straight line joining the two points whose coordinates are $(a \cos \alpha, a \sin \alpha)$ and $(a \cos \beta, a \sin \beta)$ . Solution:

Given:

Coordinates are  $(a \cos \alpha, a \sin \alpha)$  and  $(a \cos \beta, a \sin \beta)$ .

Equation of the line passing through (a  $\cos \alpha$ , a  $\sin \alpha$ ) and (a  $\cos \beta$ , a  $\sin \beta$ ) is

$$y - a\sin\alpha = \frac{a\sin\beta - a\sin\alpha}{a\cos\beta - a\cos\alpha}(x - a\cos\alpha)$$

$$y - a\sin\alpha = \frac{\sin\beta - \sin\alpha}{\cos\beta - \cos\alpha}(x - a\cos\alpha)$$

$$y - a\sin\alpha = \frac{2\cos\left(\frac{\beta + \alpha}{2}\right)\sin\left(\frac{\beta - \alpha}{2}\right)}{2\sin\left(\frac{\beta + \alpha}{2}\right)\sin\left(\frac{\alpha - \beta}{2}\right)}(x - a\cos\alpha)$$

$$y - a\sin\alpha = -\cot\left(\frac{\beta + \alpha}{2}\right)(x - a\cos\alpha)$$

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$$x\cot\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right) + y - a\sin\alpha - a\cos\alpha\cot\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right) = 0$$

The distance of the line from the origin is

$$d = \left| \frac{- a sin \alpha - a cos \alpha cot \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \right)}{\sqrt{cot^2 \left( \frac{(\alpha + \beta)}{2} \right) + 1}} \right|$$

$$d = \left| \frac{- a sin \alpha - a cos \alpha cot \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \right)}{\sqrt{cosec^2 \left( \frac{(\alpha + \beta)}{2} \right)}} \right| \because cosec^2 \theta = 1 + cot^2 \theta$$

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$$= a \left| \sin\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right) \sin\alpha + \cos\alpha \cos\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right) \right|$$

$$= a \left| \sin\alpha \sin\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right) + \cos\alpha \cos\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}\right) \right|$$

$$= a \left| \cos\left(\frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} - \alpha\right) \right| = a \cos\left(\frac{\beta - \alpha}{2}\right)$$

$$\therefore$$
 The required distance is  $a \cos\left(\frac{\beta - \alpha}{2}\right)$ 

## 4. Show that the perpendicular let fall from any point on the straight line 2x + 11y -5 = 0 upon the two straight lines 24x + 7y = 20 and 4x - 3y - 2 = 0 are equal to each other.

## **Solution:**

Given:

The lines 24x + 7y = 20 and 4x - 3y - 2 = 0

Let us assume, P(a, b) be any point on 2x + 11y - 5 = 0

So,

$$2a + 11b - 5 = 0$$

$$b = \frac{5-2a}{11}$$
....(1)

Let  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  be the perpendicular distances from point P on the lines 24x + 7y = 20 and 4x - 3y - 2 = 0, respectively.

$$d_1 = \left| \frac{24a + 7b - 20}{\sqrt{24^2 + 7^2}} \right| = \left| \frac{24a + 7b - 20}{25} \right|$$

$$= \left| \frac{24a + 7 \times \frac{5 - 2a}{11} - 20}{25} \right|$$

From(1)



$$d_1 = \left| \frac{50a - 37}{55} \right|$$
Similarly,

$$d_2 = \left| \frac{4a - 3b - 2}{\sqrt{3^2 + (-4)^2}} \right| = \left| \frac{4a - 3 \times \frac{5 - 2a}{11} - 2}{5} \right|$$
$$= \left| \frac{44a - 15 + 6a - 22}{11 \times 5} \right|$$

From (1)

$$d_2 = \left| \frac{50a - 37}{55} \right|$$

$$d_1 = d_2$$

Hence proved.

# 5. Find the distance of the point of intersection of the lines 2x + 3y = 21 and 3x - 4y + 11 = 0 from the line 8x + 6y + 5 = 0.

#### **Solution:**

Given:

The lines 2x + 3y = 21 and 3x - 4y + 11 = 0

Solving the lines 2x + 3y = 21 and 3x - 4y + 11 = 0 we get:

$$\frac{x}{33 - 84} = \frac{y}{-63 - 22} = \frac{1}{-8 - 9}$$

$$x = 3, y = 5$$

So, the point of intersection of 2x + 3y = 21 and 3x - 4y + 11 = 0 is (3, 5).

Now, the perpendicular distance d of the line 8x + 6y + 5 = 0 from the point (3, 5) is

$$d = \left| \frac{24 + 30 + 5}{\sqrt{8^2 + 6^2}} \right| = \frac{59}{10}$$

 $\therefore$  The distance is 59/10.



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## 1. Determine the distance between the following pair of parallel lines:

(i) 
$$4x - 3y - 9 = 0$$
 and  $4x - 3y - 24 = 0$ 

(ii) 
$$8x + 15y - 34 = 0$$
 and  $8x + 15y + 31 = 0$ 

#### **Solution:**

(i) 
$$4x - 3y - 9 = 0$$
 and  $4x - 3y - 24 = 0$ 

Given:

The parallel lines are

$$4x - 3y - 9 = 0 \dots (1)$$

$$4x - 3y - 24 = 0 \dots (2)$$

Let d be the distance between the given lines.

So,

$$d = \left| \frac{-9 + 24}{\sqrt{4^2 + (-3)^2}} \right| = \frac{15}{5} = 3 \text{ units}$$

: The distance between givens parallel line is 3units.

(ii) 
$$8x + 15y - 34 = 0$$
 and  $8x + 15y + 31 = 0$ 

Given:

The parallel lines are

$$8x + 15y - 34 = 0 \dots (1)$$

$$8x + 15y + 31 = 0 \dots (2)$$

Let d be the distance between the given lines.

So,

$$d = \left| \frac{-34 - 31}{\sqrt{8^2 + 15^2}} \right| = \frac{65}{17} units$$

∴ The distance between givens parallel line is 65/17 units.

# 2. The equations of two sides of a square are 5x - 12y - 65 = 0 and 5x - 12y + 26 = 0. Find the area of the square.

### **Solution:**

Given:

Two side of square are 
$$5x - 12y - 65 = 0$$
 and  $5x - 12y + 26 = 0$ 

The sides of a square are

$$5x - 12y - 65 = 0 \dots (1)$$

$$5x - 12y + 26 = 0 \dots (2)$$

We observe that lines (1) and (2) are parallel.

So, the distance between them will give the length of the side of the square.



Let d be the distance between the given lines.

$$d = \left| \frac{-65 - 26}{\sqrt{5^2 + (-12)^2}} \right| = \frac{91}{13} = 7$$

 $\therefore$  Area of the square =  $7^2 = 49$  square units

# 3. Find the equation of two straight lines which are parallel to x + 7y + 2 = 0 and at unit distance from the point (1, -1).

### **Solution:**

Given:

The equation is parallel to x + 7y + 2 = 0 and at unit distance from the point (1, -1)

The equation of given line is

$$x + 7y + 2 = 0 \dots (1)$$

The equation of a line parallel to line x + 7y + 2 = 0 is given below:

$$x + 7y + \lambda = 0 \dots (2)$$

The line  $x + 7y + \lambda = 0$  is at a unit distance from the point (1, -1).

So,

$$1 = 1 - 7 + \lambda 1 + 49$$

$$\lambda - 6 = \pm 5\sqrt{2}$$

$$\lambda = 6 + 5\sqrt{2}, 6 - 5\sqrt{2}$$

now, substitute the value of  $\lambda$  back in equation  $x + 7y + \lambda = 0$ , we get

$$x + 7y + 6 + 5\sqrt{2} = 0$$
 and  $x + 7y + 6 - 5\sqrt{2}$ 

: The required lines:

$$x + 7y + 6 + 5\sqrt{2} = 0$$
 and  $x + 7y + 6 - 5\sqrt{2}$ 

# 4. Prove that the lines 2x + 3y = 19 and 2x + 3y + 7 = 0 are equidistant from the line 2x + 3y = 6.

## **Solution:**

Given:

The lines A, 2x + 3y = 19 and B, 2x + 3y + 7 = 0 also a line C, 2x + 3y = 6.

Let  $d_1$  be the distance between lines 2x + 3y = 19 and 2x + 3y = 6,

While  $d_2$  is the distance between lines 2x + 3y + 7 = 0 and 2x + 3y = 6

$$d_1 = \left| \frac{-19 - (-6)}{\sqrt{2^2 + 3^2}} \right| \text{ and } d_2 = \left| \frac{7 - (-6)}{\sqrt{2^2 + 3^2}} \right|$$

$$d_1 = \left| -\frac{13}{\sqrt{13}} \right| = \sqrt{13} \text{ and } d_2 = \left| \frac{13}{\sqrt{13}} \right| = \sqrt{13}$$

Hence proved, the lines 2x + 3y = 19 and 2x + 3y + 7 = 0 are equidistant from the line 2x + 3y = 6



## 5. Find the equation of the line mid-way between the parallel lines 9x + 6y - 7 = 0 and 3x + 2y + 6 = 0.

#### **Solution:**

Given:

$$9x + 6y - 7 = 0$$
 and  $3x + 2y + 6 = 0$  are parallel lines

The given equations of the lines can be written as:

$$3x + 2y - 7/3 = 0 \dots (1)$$

$$3x + 2y + 6 = 0 \dots (2)$$

Let the equation of the line midway between the parallel lines (1) and (2) be

$$3x + 2y + \lambda = 0 \dots (3)$$

The distance between (1) and (3) and the distance between (2) and (3) are equal.

$$\left| \frac{-\frac{7}{3} - \lambda}{\sqrt{3^2 + 2^2}} \right| = \left| \frac{6 - \lambda}{\sqrt{3^2 + 2^2}} \right|$$

$$\left|-\lambda + \frac{7}{3}\right| = |6 - \lambda|$$

$$6 - \lambda = \lambda + \frac{7}{3}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{11}{6}$$

Now substitute the value of  $\lambda$  back in equation  $3x + 2y + \lambda = 0$ , we get

$$3x + 2y + 11/6 = 0$$

By taking LCM

$$18x + 12y + 11 = 0$$

 $\therefore$  The required equation of line is 18x + 12y + 11 = 0



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1. Prove that the area of the parallelogram formed by the lines

$$a_1x + b_1y + c_1 = 0$$
,  $a_1x + b_1y + d_1 = 0$ ,  $a_2x + b_2y + c_2 = 0$ ,  $a_2x + b_2y + d_2 = 0$ 

$$\frac{\left|\frac{(d_1-c_1)(d_2-c_2)}{a_1b_2-a_2b_1}\right|}{a_1b_2-a_2b_1}$$

 $\mathbf{s} \mid a_1 b_2 - a_2 b_1 \mid \mathbf{sq. units.}$ 

Deduce the condition for these lines to form a rhombus.

### **Solution:**

Given:

The given lines are

$$a_1x + b_1y + c_1 = 0 \dots (1)$$

$$a_1x + b_1y + d_1 = 0 \dots (2)$$

$$a_2x + b_2y + c_2 = 0 \dots (3)$$

$$a_2x + b_2y + d_2 = 0 \dots (4)$$

Let us prove, the area of the parallelogram formed by the lines  $a_1x + b_1y + c_1 = 0$ ,  $a_1x + b_2y + c_3 = 0$ 

$$b_1y+d_1=0,\ a_2x+b_2y+c_2=0,\ a_2x+b_2y+d_2=0\ is\ \left|\frac{(\mathbf{d_1}-\mathbf{c_1})(\mathbf{d_2}-\mathbf{c_2})}{(\mathbf{a_1}b_2-\mathbf{a_2}b_1)}\right|\ sq.\ units.$$

The area of the parallelogram formed by the lines  $a_1x + b_1y + c_1 = 0$ ,  $a_1x + b_1y + d_1 = 0$ ,  $a_2x + b_2y + c_2 = 0$  and  $a_2x + b_2y + d_2 = 0$  is given below:

Area = 
$$\begin{vmatrix} \frac{(c_1 - d_1)(c_2 - d_2)}{\begin{vmatrix} a_1 & a_2 \\ b_1 & b_2 \end{vmatrix}} \end{vmatrix}$$

Since, 
$$\begin{vmatrix} a_1 & a_2 \\ b_1 & b_2 \end{vmatrix} = a_1b_2 - a_2b_1$$

$$\therefore \text{Area} = \left| \frac{(c_1 - d_1)(c_2 - d_2)}{(a_1 b_2 - a_2 b_1)} \right| = \left| \frac{(d_1 - c_1)(d_2 - c_2)}{(a_1 b_2 - a_2 b_1)} \right|$$

If the given parallelogram is a rhombus, then the distance between the pair of parallel lines is equal.

$$\frac{1}{1} \frac{c_1 - d_1}{\sqrt{a_1^2 + b_1^2}} = \frac{c_2 - d_2}{\sqrt{a_2^2 + b_2^2}}$$

Hence proved.



2. Prove that the area of the parallelogram formed by the lines 3x - 4y + a = 0, 3x - 4y + 3a = 0, 4x - 3y - a = 0 and 4x - 3y - 2a = 0 is  $2a^2/7$  sq. units.

### **Solution:**

Given:

The given lines are

$$3x - 4y + a = 0 \dots (1)$$

$$3x - 4y + 3a = 0 \dots (2)$$

$$4x - 3y - a = 0 \dots (3)$$

$$4x - 3y - 2a = 0 \dots (4)$$

Let us prove, the area of the parallelogram formed by the lines 3x - 4y + a = 0, 3x - 4y + 3a = 0, 4x - 3y - a = 0 and 4x - 3y - 2a = 0 is  $2a^2/7$  sq. units.

From above solution, we know that

Area of the parallelogram = 
$$\left| \frac{(c_1 - d_1)(c_2 - d_2)}{(a_1b_2 - a_2b_1)} \right|$$

Area of the parallelogram = 
$$\left| \frac{(a-3a)(2a-a)}{(-9+16)} \right| = \frac{2a^2}{7}$$
 square units

Hence proved.

3. Show that the diagonals of the parallelogram whose sides are lx + my + n = 0, lx + my + n' = 0, mx + ly + n = 0 and mx + ly + n' = 0 include an angle  $\pi/2$ . Solution:

Given:

The given lines are

$$1x + my + n = 0 \dots (1)$$

$$mx + ly + n' = 0 ... (2)$$

$$1x + my + n' = 0 ... (3)$$

$$mx + 1y + n = 0 ... (4)$$

Let us prove, the diagonals of the parallelogram whose sides are lx + my + n = 0, lx + my + n' = 0, mx + ly + n = 0 and mx + ly + n' = 0 include an angle  $\pi/2$ .

By solving (1) and (2), we get

$$B = \, \left( \frac{mn' - ln}{l^2 - m^2}, \frac{mn - ln'}{l^2 - m^2} \right)$$

Solving (2) and (3), we get,

$$C = \left(-\frac{n'}{m+1}, -\frac{n'}{m+1}\right)$$

Solving (3) and (4), we get,



$$D \ = \ \left(\frac{mn-ln'}{l^2-m^2}, \frac{mn'-ln}{l^2-m^2}\right)$$

Solving (1) and (4), we get,

$$A = \left(\frac{-n}{m+1}, \frac{-n}{m+1}\right)$$

Let  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  be the slope of AC and BD. Now,

$$m_1 \, = \, \frac{\frac{-\, n'}{m\, +\, l}\, +\, \frac{n}{m\, +\, l}}{\frac{-\, n'}{m\, +\, l}\, +\, \frac{n}{m\, +\, l}}\, =\, 1$$

$$m_2 \, = \, \frac{\frac{mn'\,-\,ln}{l^2\,-\,m^2}\,-\,\frac{mn\,-\,ln'}{l^2\,-\,m^2}}{\frac{mn\,-\,ln'}{l^2\,-\,m^2}\,-\,\frac{mn'\,-\,ln}{l^2\,-\,m^2}} \, = \, -\, 1$$

$$: m_1 m_2 = -1$$

Hence proved.



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# 1. Find the equation of the straight lines passing through the origin and making an angle of $45^{\circ}$ with the straight line $\sqrt{3}x + y = 11$ . Solution:

Given:

Equation passes through (0, 0) and make an angle of  $45^{\circ}$  with the line  $\sqrt{3}x + y = 11$ . We know that, the equations of two lines passing through a point x1,y1 and making an angle  $\alpha$  with the given line y = mx + c are

angle 
$$\alpha$$
 with the given line  $y = mx + c$  are  $y - y_1 = \frac{m \pm \tan \alpha}{1 \mp m \tan \alpha} (x - x_1)$ 

Here,

$$x_1 = 0$$
,  $y_1 = 0$ ,  $\alpha = 45^{\circ}$  and  $m = -\sqrt{3}$ 

So, the equations of the required lines are

$$y - 0 = \frac{-\sqrt{3} + \tan 45^{\circ}}{1 + \sqrt{3}\tan 45^{\circ}} (x - 0) \text{ and } y - 0$$

$$= \frac{-\sqrt{3} - \tan 45^{\circ}}{1 - \sqrt{3}\tan 45^{\circ}} (x - 0)$$

$$= \frac{-\sqrt{3} + 1}{1 + \sqrt{3}} x \text{ and } y = \frac{\sqrt{3} + 1}{\sqrt{3} - 1} x$$

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

$$= (\sqrt{3} - 2)x \text{ and } y = (\sqrt{3} + 2)x$$

: The equation of given line is  $y = (\sqrt{3} - 2)x$  and  $y = (\sqrt{3} + 2)x$ 

# 2. Find the equations to the straight lines which pass through the origin and are inclined at an angle of $75^{\circ}$ to the straight line $x + y + \sqrt{3}(y - x) = a$ . Solution:

Given:

The equation passes through (0,0) and make an angle of 75° with the line  $x + y + \sqrt{3}(y - x) = a$ .

We know that the equations of two lines passing through a point x1,y1 and making an angle  $\alpha$  with the given line y = mx + c are

$$y - y_1 = \frac{m \pm \tan \alpha}{1 \mp m \tan \alpha} (x - x_1)$$



Here, equation of the given line is,

$$x + y + \sqrt{3}(y - x) = a$$

$$(\sqrt{3} + 1)y = (\sqrt{3} - 1)x + a$$
  
 $y = \frac{\sqrt{3} - 1}{\sqrt{3} + 1}x + \frac{a}{\sqrt{3} + 1}$ 

Comparing this equation with y = mx + cWe get,

$$m = \frac{\sqrt{3} - 1}{\sqrt{3} + 1}$$

$$x_1 = 0, y_1 = 0, \alpha = 75^{\circ}$$

$$m = \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{\sqrt{3}+1} = 2 - \sqrt{3} \text{ and } tan 75^{\circ} = 2 + \sqrt{3}$$

So, the equations of the required lines are

$$y - 0 = \frac{2 - \sqrt{3} + \tan 75^{\circ}}{1 - (2 - \sqrt{3})\tan 75^{\circ}} (x - 0) \text{ and } y - 0$$
$$= \frac{2 - \sqrt{3} - \tan 75^{\circ}}{1 + (2 - \sqrt{3})\tan 75^{\circ}} (x - 0)$$

$$y = \frac{2 - \sqrt{3} + 2 + \sqrt{3}}{1 - (2 - \sqrt{3})(2 + \sqrt{3})} x \text{ and } y = \frac{2 - \sqrt{3} - 2 - \sqrt{3}}{1 + (2 - \sqrt{3})(2 + \sqrt{3})} x$$
$$y = \frac{4}{1 - 1} x \text{ and } y = -\sqrt{3}x$$

$$x = 0$$
 and  $\sqrt{3}x + y = 0$ 

: The equation of given line is x = 0 and  $\sqrt{3}x + y = 0$ 

# 3. Find the equations of straight lines passing through (2, -1) and making an angle of $45^{\circ}$ with the line 6x + 5y - 8 = 0.

### **Solution:**

Given:

The equation passes through (2,-1) and make an angle of  $45^{\circ}$  with the line 6x + 5y - 8 = 0 We know that the equations of two lines passing through a point  $x_1$ ,  $y_1$  and making an angle  $\alpha$  with the given line y = mx + c are



$$y - y_1 = \frac{m \pm \tan \alpha}{1 \mp m \tan \alpha} (x - x_1)$$

Here, equation of the given line is,

$$6x + 5y - 8 = 0$$

$$5y = -6x + 8$$

$$y = -6x/5 + 8/5$$

Comparing this equation with y = mx + c

We get, m = -6/5

Where, 
$$x_1 = 2$$
,  $y_1 = -1$ ,  $\alpha = 45^{\circ}$ ,  $m = -6/5$ 

So, the equations of the required lines are

$$y + 1 = \frac{\left(-\frac{6}{5} + \tan 45^{\circ}\right)}{\left(1 + \frac{6}{5} \tan 45^{\circ}\right)} (x - 2) \text{ and } y + 1 = \frac{\left(-\frac{6}{5} - \tan 45^{\circ}\right)}{\left(1 - \frac{6}{5} \tan 45^{\circ}\right)} (x - 2)$$

$$y + 1 = \frac{\left(-\frac{6}{5} + 1\right)}{\left(1 + \frac{6}{5}\right)}(x - 2) \text{ and } y + 1 = \frac{\left(-\frac{6}{5} - 1\right)}{\left(1 - \frac{6}{5}\right)}(x - 2)$$

$$y + 1 = -\frac{1}{11}(x - 2)$$
 and  $y + 1 = -\frac{11}{-1}(x - 2)$ 

$$x + 11y + 9 = 0$$
 and  $11x - y - 23 = 0$ 

 $\therefore$  The equation of given line is x + 11y + 9 = 0 and 11x - y - 23 = 0

# 4. Find the equations to the straight lines which pass through the point (h, k) and are inclined at angle $tan^{-1}$ m to the straight line y = mx + c. Solution:

Given:

The equation passes through (h, k) and make an angle of  $tan^{-1}$  m with the line y = mx + c We know that the equations of two lines passing through a point  $x_1$ ,  $y_1$  and making an angle  $\alpha$  with the given line y = mx + c are

$$m' = m$$

So,

$$y - y_1 = \frac{m \pm \tan \alpha}{1 \mp m \tan \alpha} (x - x_1)$$

Here

$$x_1 = h$$
,  $y_1 = k$ ,  $\alpha = \tan^{-1} m$ ,  $m' = m$ .

So, the equations of the required lines are



$$y - k = \frac{m + m}{1 - m^2}(x - h) \text{ and } y - k = \frac{m - m}{1 + m^2}(x - h)$$

$$y - k = \frac{2m}{1 - m^2}(x - h) \text{ and } y - k = 0$$

$$(y - k)(1 - m^2) = 2m(x - h)\text{ and } y = k$$

: The equation of given line is  $(y - k)(1 - m^2) = 2m(x - h)$  and y = k.

# 5. Find the equations to the straight lines passing through the point (2, 3) and inclined at an angle of $45^0$ to the lines 3x + y - 5 = 0. Solution:

Given:

The equation passes through (2, 3) and make an angle of  $45^0$ with the line 3x + y - 5 = 0. We know that the equations of two lines passing through a point x1,y1 and making an angle  $\alpha$  with the given line y = mx + c are

$$y - y_1 = \frac{m \pm \tan \alpha}{1 \mp m \tan \alpha} (x - x_1)$$

Here,

Equation of the given line is,

$$3x + y - 5 = 0$$

$$y = -3x + 5$$

Comparing this equation with y = mx + c we get, m = -3

$$x_1 = 2$$
,  $y_1 = 3$ ,  $\alpha = 45$ °,  $m = -3$ .

So, the equations of the required lines are

$$y - 3 = {-3 + \tan 45^{\circ} \over 1 + 3\tan 45^{\circ}} (x - 2)$$
 and  $y - 3 = {-3 - \tan 45^{\circ} \over 1 - 3\tan 45^{\circ}} (x - 2)$ 

$$y - 3 = \frac{-3 + 1}{1 + 3}(x - 2)$$
 and  $y - 3 = \frac{-3 - 1}{1 - 3}(x - 2)$ 

$$y - 3 = \frac{-1}{2}(x - 2)$$
 and  $y - 3 = 2(x - 2)$ 

$$x + 2y - 8 = 0$$
 and  $2x - y - 1 = 0$ 

 $\therefore$  The equation of given line is x + 2y - 8 = 0 and 2x - y - 1 = 0



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1. Find the equation of a straight line through the point of intersection of the lines 4x - 3y = 0 and 2x - 5y + 3 = 0 and parallel to 4x + 5y + 6 = 0.

**Solution:** Given:

Lines 4x - 3y = 0 and 2x - 5y + 3 = 0 and parallel to 4x + 5y + 6 = 0

The equation of the straight line passing through the points of intersection of 4x - 3y = 0 and 2x - 5y + 3 = 0 is given below:

$$4x - 3y + \lambda (2x - 5y + 3) = 0$$

$$(4 + 2\lambda)x + (-3 - 5\lambda)y + 3\lambda = 0$$

$$y = \left(\frac{4 + 2\lambda}{3 + 5\lambda}\right)x + \frac{3\lambda}{(3 + 5\lambda)}$$

The required line is parallel to 4x + 5y + 6 = 0 or, y = -4x/5 - 6/5  $\frac{4+2\lambda}{3+5\lambda} = -\frac{4}{5}$ 

$$\frac{4+2\lambda}{3+5\lambda} = -\frac{4}{5}$$

$$\lambda = -16/15$$

∴ The required equation is

$$\left(4 - \frac{32}{15}\right)x - \left(3 - \frac{80}{15}\right)y - \frac{48}{15} = 0$$
$$28x + 35y - 48 = 0$$

2. Find the equation of a straight line passing through the point of intersection of x + 2y + 3 = 0 and 3x + 4y + 7 = 0 and perpendicular to the straight line x - y + 9 = 0. Solution:

Given:

$$x + 2y + 3 = 0$$
 and  $3x + 4y + 7 = 0$ 

The equation of the straight line passing through the points of intersection of x + 2y + 3 = 0 and 3x + 4y + 7 = 0 is

$$x + 2y + 3 + \lambda(3x + 4y + 7) = 0$$
  

$$(1 + 3\lambda)x + (2 + 4\lambda)y + 3 + 7\lambda = 0$$
  

$$y = -\left(\frac{1 + 3\lambda}{2 + 4\lambda}\right)x - \left(\frac{3 + 7\lambda}{2 + 4\lambda}\right)$$

The required line is perpendicular to x - y + 9 = 0 or, y = x + 9



# 3. Find the equation of the line passing through the point of intersection of 2x - 7y + 11 = 0 and x + 3y - 8 = 0 and is parallel to (i) x = axis (ii) y-axis.

#### **Solution:**

Given:

The equations, 
$$2x - 7y + 11 = 0$$
 and  $x + 3y - 8 = 0$ 

The equation of the straight line passing through the points of intersection of 2x - 7y + 11 = 0 and x + 3y - 8 = 0 is given below:

$$2x - 7y + 11 + \lambda(x + 3y - 8) = 0$$
$$(2 + \lambda)x + (-7 + 3\lambda)y + 11 - 8\lambda = 0$$

(i) The required line is parallel to the x-axis. So, the coefficient of x should be zero.

$$2 + \lambda = 0$$

$$\lambda = -2$$

Now, substitute the value of  $\lambda$  back in equation, we get

$$0 + (-7 - 6)y + 11 + 16 = 0$$

$$13y - 27 = 0$$

- $\therefore$  The equation of the required line is 13y 27 = 0
- (ii) The required line is parallel to the y-axis. So, the coefficient of y should be zero.

$$-7 + 3\lambda = 0$$

$$\lambda = 7/3$$

Now, substitute the value of  $\lambda$  back in equation, we get

$$(2+7/3)x+0+11-8(7/3)=0$$

$$13x - 23 = 0$$

 $\therefore$  The equation of the required line is 13x - 23 = 0

# 4. Find the equation of the straight line passing through the point of intersection of 2x + 3y + 1 = 0 and 3x - 5y - 5 = 0 and equally inclined to the axes. Solution:

Given:

The equations, 
$$2x + 3y + 1 = 0$$
 and  $3x - 5y - 5 = 0$ 

The equation of the straight line passing through the points of intersection of 2x + 3y + 1 = 0 and 3x - 5y - 5 = 0 is

$$2x + 3y + 1 + \lambda(3x - 5y - 5) = 0$$

$$(2 + 3\lambda)x + (3 - 5\lambda)y + 1 - 5\lambda = 0$$

$$y = -[(2+3\lambda)/(3-5\lambda)] - [(1-5\lambda)/(3-5\lambda)]$$

The required line is equally inclined to the axes. So, the slope of the required line is either 1 or -1.



So.

- 
$$[(2+3\lambda)/(3-5\lambda)] = 1$$
 and -  $[(2+3\lambda)/(3-5\lambda)] = -1$   
-2 -  $3\lambda = 3 - 5\lambda$  and  $2 + 3\lambda = 3 - 5\lambda$   
 $\lambda = 5/2$  and  $1/8$ 

Now, substitute the values of  $\lambda$  in  $(2 + 3\lambda)x + (3 - 5\lambda)y + 1 - 5\lambda = 0$ , we get the equations of the required lines as:

$$(2+15/2)x + (3-25/2)y + 1 - 25/2 = 0$$
 and  $(2+3/8)x + (3-5/8)y + 1 - 5/8 = 0$   
  $19x - 19y - 23 = 0$  and  $19x + 19y + 3 = 0$ 

 $\therefore$  The required equation is 19x - 19y - 23 = 0 and 19x + 19y + 3 = 0

# 5. Find the equation of the straight line drawn through the point of intersection of the lines x + y = 4 and 2x - 3y = 1 and perpendicular to the line cutting off intercepts 5, 6 on the axes.

#### **Solution:**

Given:

The lines 
$$x + y = 4$$
 and  $2x - 3y = 1$ 

The equation of the straight line passing through the point of intersection of x + y = 4 and 2x - 3y = 1 is

$$x + y - 4 + \lambda(2x - 3y - 1) = 0$$
  
(1 + 2\lambda)x + (1 - 3\lambda)y - 4 - \lambda = 0 \ldots (1)

$$y = -[(1 + 2\lambda)/(1 - 3\lambda)]x + [(4 + \lambda)/(1 - 3\lambda)]$$

The equation of the line with intercepts 5 and 6 on the axis is

$$x/5 + y/6 = 1 \dots (2)$$

So, the slope of this line is -6/5

The lines (1) and (2) are perpendicular.

$$\therefore -6/5 \times [(-1+2\lambda)/(1-3\lambda)] = -1$$

$$\lambda = 11/3$$

Now, substitute the values of  $\lambda$  in (1), we get the equation of the required line.

$$(1 + 2(11/3))x + (1 - 3(11/3))y - 4 - 11/3 = 0$$

$$(1 + 22/3)x + (1 - 11)y - 4 - 11/3 = 0$$

$$25x - 30y - 23 = 0$$

 $\therefore$  The required equation is 25x - 30y - 23 = 0