

Exercise 12(B)

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1. Attempt this question on graph paper.

(a) Plot A (3, 2) and B (5, 4) on graph paper. Take 2 cm = 1 unit on both the axes.

(b) Reflect A and B in the x-axis to A' and B' respectively. Plot these points also on the same graph paper.

(c) Write down:

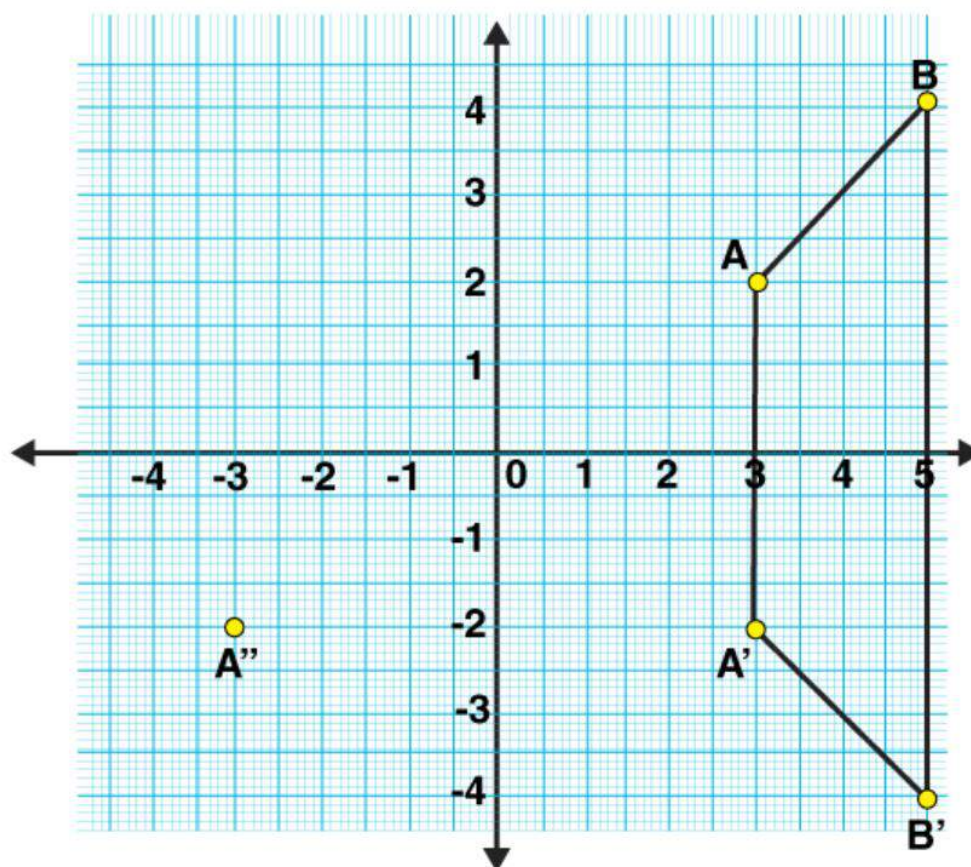
(i) the geometrical name of the figure ABB'A';

(ii) the measure of angle ABB';

(iii) the image of A'' of A, when A is reflected in the origin.

(iv) the single transformation that maps A' to A''.

Solution:



(c)

(i) From the graph, it's clearly seen that ABB'A' is an isosceles trapezium.

(ii) The measure of angle ABB' is 45° .

(iii) $A'' = (-3, -2)$

(iv) Single transformation that maps A' to A'' is the reflection in y-axis.

2. Points (3, 0) and (-1, 0) are invariant points under reflection in the line L_1 ; points (0, -3) and (0, 1) are invariant points on reflection in line L_2 .

(i) Name or write equations for the lines L_1 and L_2 .

(ii) Write down the images of the points P (3, 4) and Q (-5, -2) on reflection in line L_1 . Name the images as P' and Q' respectively.

(iii) Write down the images of P and Q on reflection in L_2 . Name the images as P'' and Q'' respectively.

(iv) State or describe a single transformation that maps P' onto P''.

Solution:

(i) We know that, every point in a line is invariant under the reflection in the same line.

As the points (3, 0) and (-1, 0) lie on the x-axis.

Thus, (3, 0) and (-1, 0) are invariant under reflection in x-axis.

Therefore, the equation of line L_1 is $y = 0$.

Similarly, (0, -3) and (0, 1) are also invariant under reflection in y-axis.

Therefore, the equation of line L_2 is $x = 0$.

(ii) P' = Image of P (3, 4) in $L_1 = (3, -4)$

And, Q' = Image of Q (-5, -2) in $L_1 = (-5, 2)$

(iii) P'' = Image of P (3, 4) in $L_2 = (-3, 4)$

And, Q'' = Image of Q (-5, -2) in $L_2 = (5, -2)$

(iv) Single transformation that maps P' onto P'' is reflection in origin.

3. (i) Point P (a, b) is reflected in the x-axis to P' (5, -2). Write down the values of a and b.

(ii) P'' is the image of P when reflected in the y-axis. Write down the co-ordinates of P''.

(iii) Name a single transformation that maps P' to P''.

Solution:

(i) As, $M_x(x, y) = (x, -y)$

P' (5, -2) = reflection of P (a, b) in x-axis.

Hence, the co-ordinates of P are (5, 2).

Thus, a = 5 and b = 2.

(ii) P'' = image of P (5, 2) reflected in y-axis = (-5, 2)

(iii) Single transformation that maps P' to P'' is the reflection in origin.

4. The point (-2, 0) on reflection in a line is mapped to (2, 0) and the point (5, -6) on reflection in the same line is mapped to (-5, -6).

(i) State the name of the mirror line and write its equation.

(ii) State the co-ordinates of the image of (-8, -5) in the mirror line.

Solution:

(i) We know that, reflection of a point (x, y) in y-axis is (-x, y).

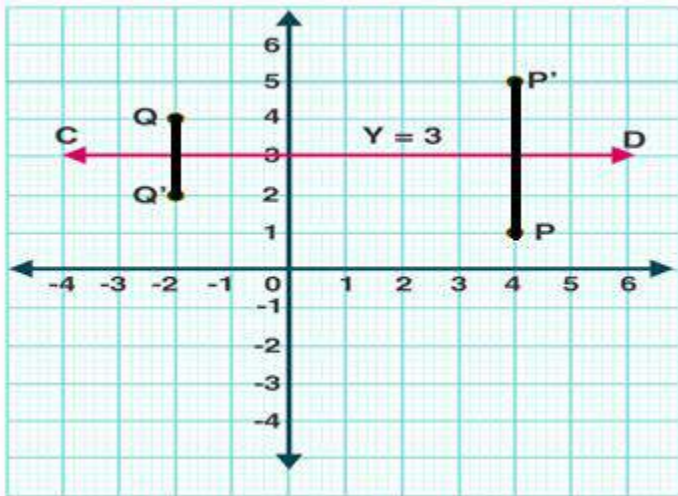
So, the point (-2, 0) when reflected in y-axis is mapped to (2, 0).

Hence, the mirror line is the y-axis and its equation is $x = 0$.

(ii) The co-ordinates of the image of $(-8, -5)$ in the mirror line (i.e., y-axis) are $(8, -5)$.

5. The points $P(4, 1)$ and $Q(-2, 4)$ are reflected in line $y = 3$. Find the co-ordinates of P' , the image of P and Q' , the image of Q .

Solution:



The line $y = 3$ is a line parallel to x-axis and at a distance of 3 units from it.

Let's mark the points $P(4, 1)$ and $Q(-2, 4)$.

Now from P , draw a straight line perpendicular to line CD and produce. Mark a point P' on this line which is at the same distance above CD as P is below it.

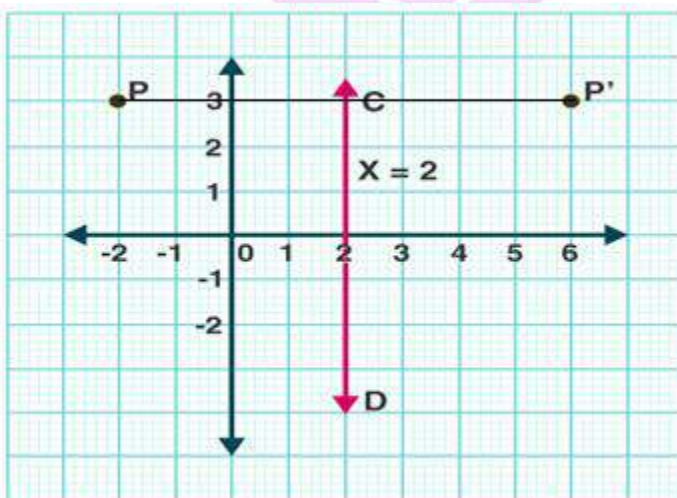
Thus, the co-ordinates of P' are $(4, 5)$.

Similarly, from Q , draw a line perpendicular to CD and mark point Q' which is at the same distance below CD as Q is above it.

Hence, the co-ordinates of Q' are $(-2, 2)$.

6. A point $P(-2, 3)$ is reflected in line $x = 2$ to point P' . Find the coordinates of P' .

Solution:



The line $x = 2$ is a line parallel to y-axis and at a distance of 2 units from it.

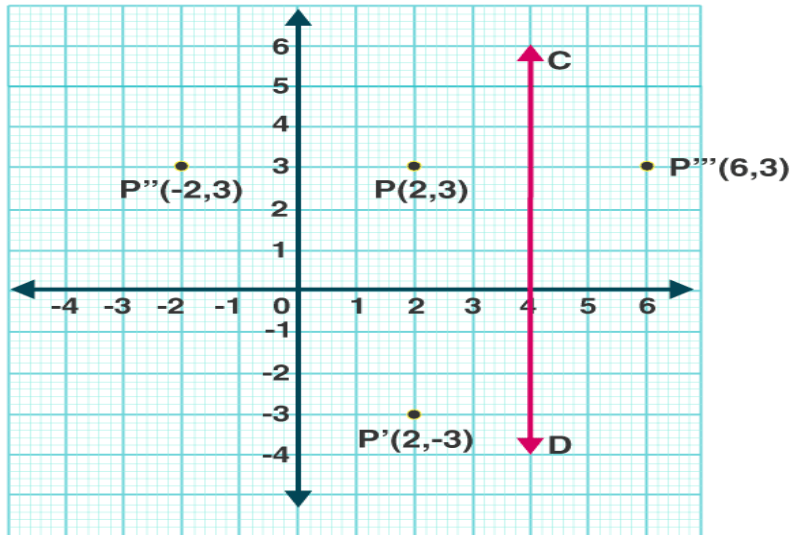
Let's mark the point $P(-2, 3)$.

From P, draw a straight line perpendicular to line CD and produce. Mark a point on this line which is at the same distance to the right of CD as P is to the left of it.

Hence, the co-ordinates of P' are (6, 3).

7. A point P (a, b) is reflected in the x-axis to P' (2, -3). Write down the values of a and b. P'' is the image of P, reflected in the y-axis. Write down the co-ordinates of P''. Find the co-ordinates of P''', when P is reflected in the line, parallel to y-axis, such that x = 4.

Solution:



A point P (a, b) is reflected in the x-axis to P' (2, -3).

We know that, $M_x(x, y) = (x, -y)$

Hence, the co-ordinates of P are (2, 3).

And thus, a = 2 and b = 3.

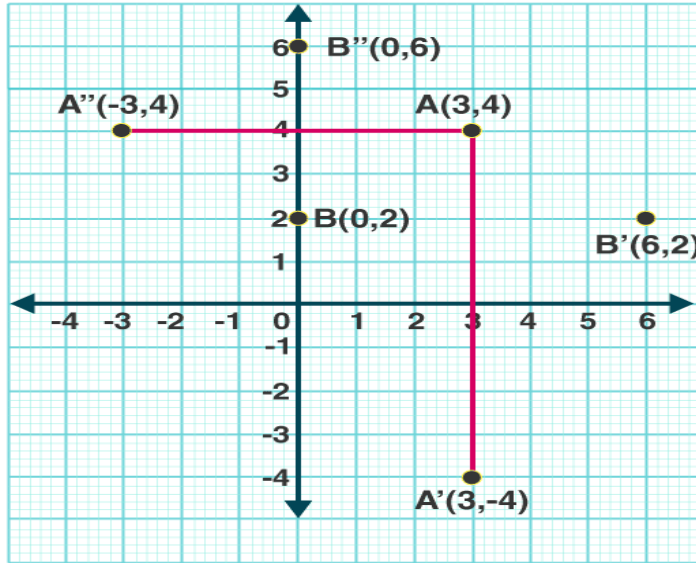
P'' = Image of P reflected in the y-axis = (-2, 3)

P''' = Reflection of P in the line (x = 4, a line parallel to y-axis and at a distance of 4 units from it) = (6, 3)

8. Points A and B have co-ordinates (3, 4) and (0, 2) respectively. Find the image:

- A' of A under reflection in the x-axis.
- B' of B under reflection in the line AA'.
- A'' of A under reflection in the y-axis.
- B'' of B under reflection in the line AA''.

Solution:



- (a) A' = Image of A under reflection in the x -axis = $(3, -4)$
- (b) B' = Image of B under reflection in the line AA' ($x = 3$) = $(6, 2)$
- (c) A'' = Image of A under reflection in the y -axis = $(-3, 4)$
- (d) B'' = Image of B under reflection in the line AA'' ($y = 4$) = $(0, 6)$