Grade 9 Math Formulas

Coordinate Geometry Formulas

Based on Maharashtra Board Syllabus (NEP 2025-26)

Note:

This document contains key concepts and formulas related to Coordinate Geometry for Grade 9.

The Coordinate Plane

- The Cartesian plane is formed by two perpendicular number lines, the x-axis (horizontal) and the y-axis (vertical), intersecting at the origin (0, 0).
- The axes divide the plane into four quadrants:
 - Quadrant I: x > 0, y > 0 (+, +)
 - Quadrant II: x < 0, y > 0 (-, +)
 - Quadrant III: x < 0, y < 0 (-, -)
 - Quadrant IV: x > 0, y < 0 (+, -)
- The coordinates of a point are written as an ordered pair (x, y), where x is the x-coordinate (abscissa) and y is the y-coordinate (ordinate).
- Points on the x-axis have coordinates (x, 0).
- Points on the y-axis have coordinates (0, y).
- The origin has coordinates (0, 0).

Distance Formula

- The distance between two points P(x1, y1) and Q(x2, y2) is given by:
 - Distance PQ = square root of [(x2 x1) squared + (y2 y1) squared]

Distance PQ =
$$\sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2}$$

• The distance of a point P(x, y) from the origin O(0, 0) is:

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Distance OP = square root of (x squared + y squared)
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Distance OP = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}
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Section Formula (Internal Division)

• The coordinates of the point P(x, y) that divides the line segment joining points A(x1, y1) and B(x2, y2) internally in the ratio m : n are given by:

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x = (m*x2 + n*x1) / (m + n)
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$$y = (m*y2 + n*y1) / (m + n)$$

$$x = \frac{m x_1}{m + n}$$

$$y = \frac{m y_2 + n y_1}{m + n}$$

Midpoint Formula

• The coordinates of the midpoint of the line segment joining points A(x1, y1) and B(x2, y2) are given by:

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Midpoint coordinates = ((x1 + x2) / 2, (y1 + y2) / 2)
Midpoint coordinates = (x1 + x2) / 2, (y1 + y2) / 2
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• This is a special case of the Section Formula where the ratio m: n is 1:1.

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