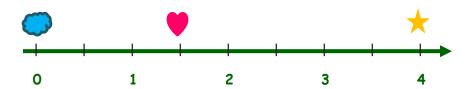
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Coordinate System on a Line

Coordinate systems help us location the position of a point on a given number of dimensions. One of the most common system that we use is the number line.

Example:



The one above is an example of what a number line would look like. This helps know that \heartsuit has a value or coordinate of 1.5 and \bigstar has a value or coordinate of 4.

has a value of 0 and any point located at 0 is called the origin.

Sample Problem 1:

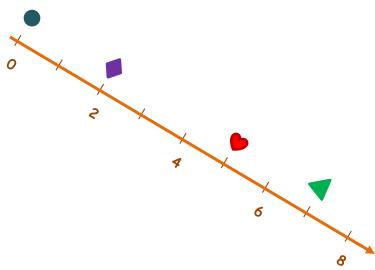
1. Each of the shapes is placed on the number line as shown below. Find the coordinate of these points.









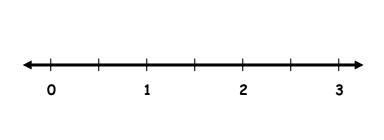


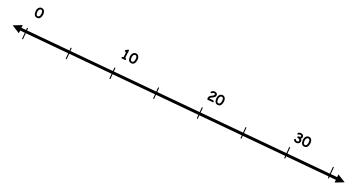
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2. Plot the following points on the number lines.

a. Plot B so that it has a coordinate of 1.5.

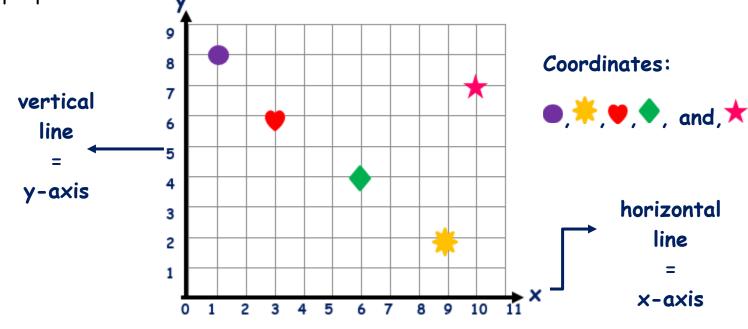
b.Plot M so that it has a distance of25 from the origin.





Coordinate System on a Plane

The coordinate system that we'll be focusing on is actually the coordinate planes. The coordinate plane is made up of two number lines perpendicular to each other as shown below.

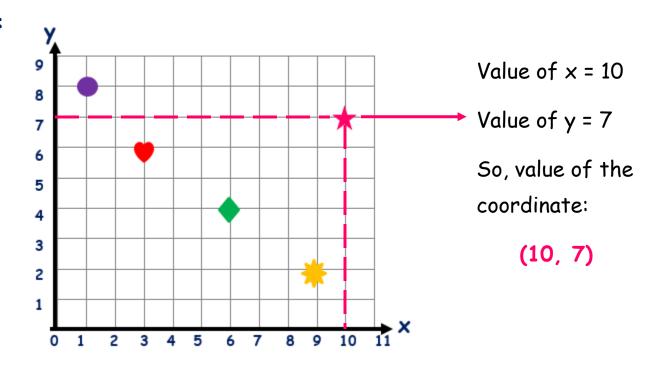


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Since there are two lines or axes now, we also use two values for the coordinates: (x, y).

So when writing or locating the coordinate, we first use the value of the x or the point parallel to x-axis followed by the y value or the point parallel to the y-axis.

Example:



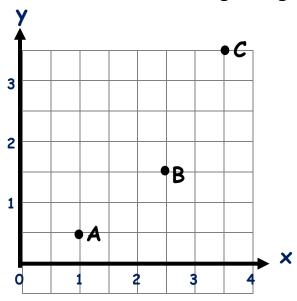
Using the same process, we have these values for the remaining four coordinates:

Coordinates:

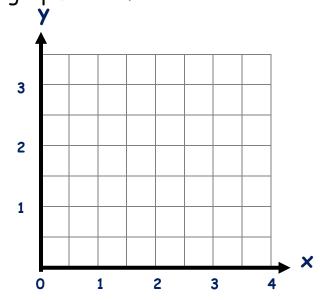
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Sample Problem 2:

1. Find the coordinates of A, B, and C using the graph shown below.



2. Given that L = (3, 1.5), M = (0, 2), and N = (2.5, 3), plot L, M, and N on the graph below.

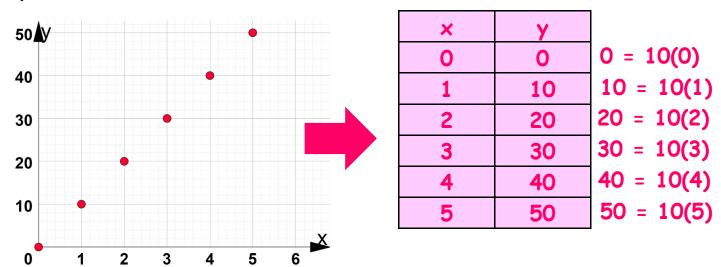


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Number Patterns on Coordinate Planes

We can also observe number patterns for a given set of points on the coordinate plane. What we can do is construct a table showing the values of x and y values.

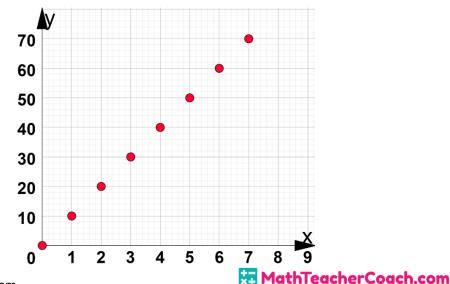
Example:



This means that for every x, y is ten times bigger or y = 10(x).

This also means that (6, 6(10)) = (6, 60) and (7, 7(10)) = (7, 70) follow

the same pattern.



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Sample Problem 3:

Construct tables representing the sets of coordinates represented by

and \bullet as shown in the graph below. Then find the rule for each set of coordinates and determine the respective values at $\times = 10$.

