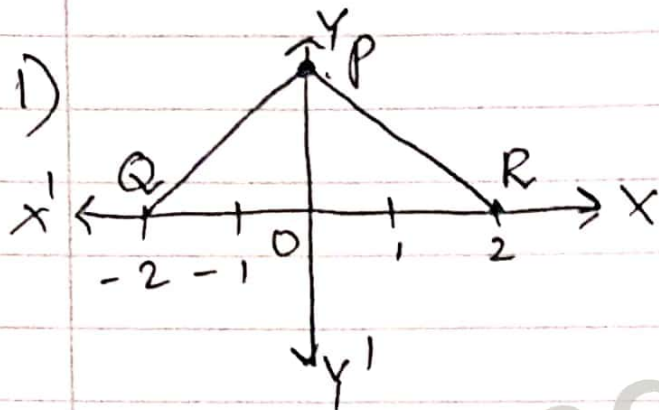


## IX Test-7



PQR is an equilateral  $\Delta$  with coordinates of Q and R as  $(-2, 0)$  and  $(2, 0)$  respectively. Find the coordinates of the vertex P.

2) A point both of whose coordinates are negative lie in \_\_\_\_\_ quadrant.

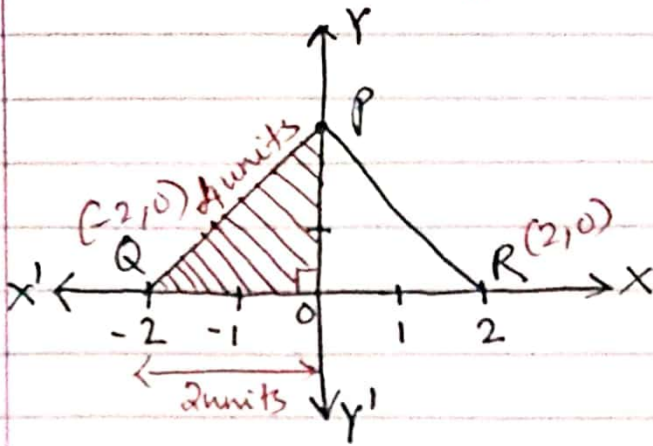
3) Find the value of  $p^3 - q^3$ , if  $p - q = \frac{10}{9}$  and  $pq = \frac{5}{3}$

4) If  $x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} = 7$ , find the value of  $x^3 + \frac{1}{x^3}$

5) If  $a, b, c$  are all non-zero and  $a + b + c = 0$ , P.T  $\frac{a^2}{bc} + \frac{b^2}{ca} + \frac{c^2}{ab} = 3$

# IX Test-7 (Answers)

1)



Using Pythagoras Theorem  
in  $\Delta POQ$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} OP^2 &= PQ^2 - OQ^2 \\ &= 4^2 - 2^2 \\ &= 16 - 4 \\ &= 12 \end{aligned}$$

$$OP = \sqrt{12} = 2\sqrt{3} \text{ units}$$

$\therefore$  Coordinates of the vertex P is  $(0, 2\sqrt{3})$

2) III quadrant

3)  $p^3 - q^3 = (p - q)^3 + 3pq(p - q)$

$$= \left(\frac{10}{9}\right)^3 + 3 \times \frac{5}{3} \times \frac{10}{9} = \frac{1000}{729} + \frac{50 \times 81}{9 \times 81}$$

$$= \frac{1000 + 4050}{729} = \underline{\underline{\frac{5050}{729}}}$$

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

$$= 7 + 2 = 9$$

$$x + \frac{1}{x} = \sqrt{9} = 3$$

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

$$= 3^3 - 3 \times 3 = 27 - 9 = \underline{\underline{18}}$$

5) If  $a + b + c = 0$ , then  $a^3 + b^3 + c^3 = 3abc$

$$\text{LHS, } \frac{a^{2 \times a}}{bc \times a} + \frac{b^{2 \times b}}{ca \times b} + \frac{c^{2 \times c}}{ab \times c} = \frac{a^3 + b^3 + c^3}{abc} = \frac{3abc}{abc} = 3, \text{ RHS}$$