

Reflections of Points and Figures

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Problem 1 – Where Did All the y's Go?

Determine how the y-coordinate of the given point in the screenshot changes with the given reflection.

1. Point is reflected over the *y*-axis.

Original: _____ New: ____

Point is reflected over the *x*-axis.

Original: _____ New: ____

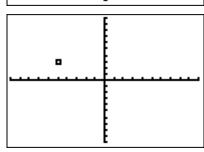


2. Point is reflected over the *y*-axis.

Original: _____ New: ____

Point is reflected over the *x*-axis.

Original: _____ New: ____



3. What happens to the y-coordinate of a point when reflected over the x-axis? y-axis?

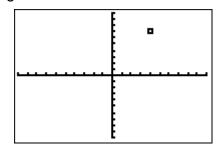
Problem 2 – Explore x-coordinate in Reflections

Determine how the x-coordinate of the given point in the screenshot changes with the given reflection.

Original: _____ New: ____

Point is reflected over the *x*-axis.

Original: _____ New: ____

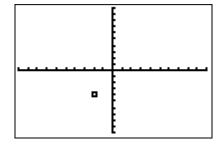


4. Point is reflected over the *y*-axis. **5.** Point is reflected over the *y*-axis.

Original: _____ New: ____

Point is reflected over the *x*-axis.

Original: _____ New: ____



6. What happens to the *x*-coordinate of a point when reflected over the *x*-axis? *y*-axis?

Reflections on the Coordinate Plane

Problem 3 – Reflecting Figures over the x- and y-axes

Answer the following questions based on the image created by the given points. Draw the original figure on the given coordinate grid. Draw both reflected images and label the first R1 and the second R2.

7. $L1 = \{3, 5, 3, 5\}$

L2 =	{2,	2,	7,	7)
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R1: Reflect the image over the *y*-axis.

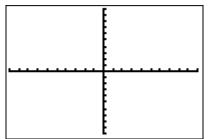
New L1: _____

New L2: _____

R2: Reflect the image over the *x*-axis.

New L1: _____

New L2: _____



9. Graph the scatter plot of the following

lists to create a letter of the alphabet.

 $L1 = \{3, 3, 4, 6, 4, 6\}$

 $L2 = \{8, 2, 8, 2, 4, 4\}$

Find a new L3 and L4 for the image reflected over the x-axis **and** the y-axis.

L3: _____

L4: _____

8. L1 = $\{3, 6, 1, 8, 3, 6\}$

 $L2 = \{2, 2, 4, 4, 6, 6\}$

R1: Reflect the image over the *y*-axis.

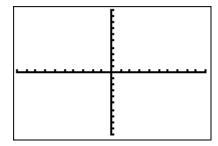
New L1: _____

New L2: _____

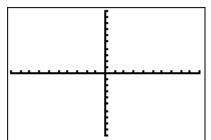
R2: Reflect the image over the *x*-axis.

New L1: _____

New L2: _____



Draw the image of the original figure and reflection.



10. Explain how to create a new list of *x*- and *y*- values to display an image reflected over the *x*- **and** *y*-axes.