

Unit 10 Lesson 6: Proving Rhombuses on the Coordinate Plane

You guessed it...Proving RHOMBUSES on the Coordinate Plane!

DO NOW: Please list below the 3 properties that help us to prove that a parallelogram is a rhombus:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Great. Now let's talk about how we can do the above on the **coordinate plane**.

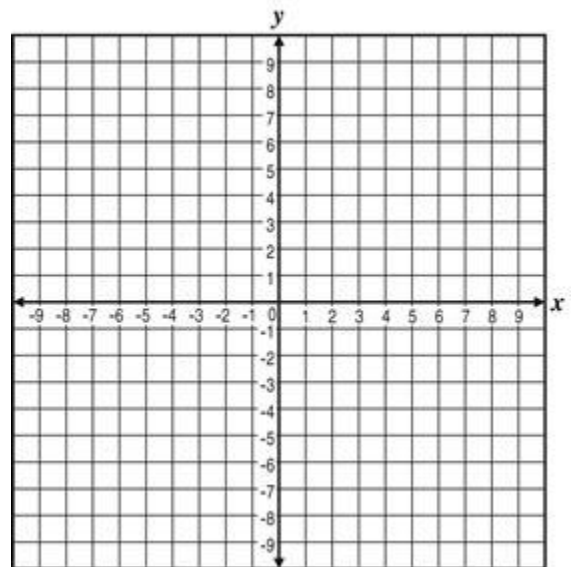
- How can we show the diagonals of a rhombus form a right angle?

- How can we show that adjacent sides of a rhombus are congruent?

Time for some practice.

1. The vertices of quadrilateral JILA are J(2,3), I(7,3), L(4,7), and A(-1,7).

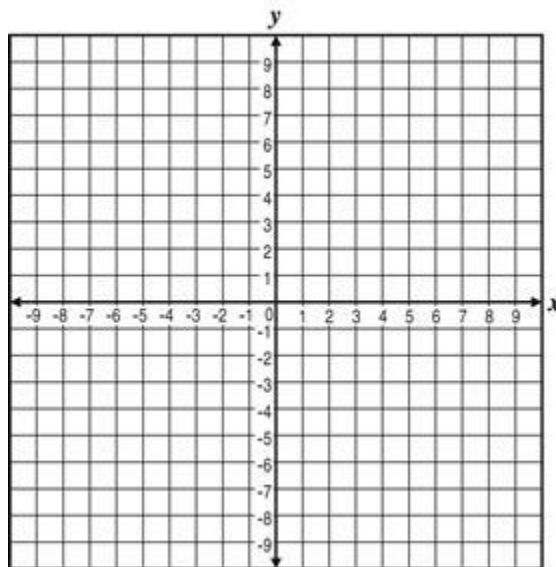
Prove that quadrilateral JILA is a rhombus.



So, as you can see, it is within our best interest to use the _____ formula _____ times in order to prove rhombuses on the coordinate plane.

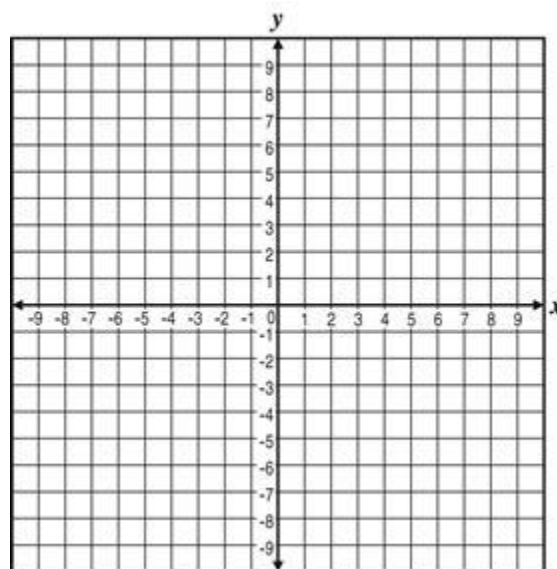
2. The vertices of quadrilateral TASM are $T(-5,2)$, $A(3,4)$, $S(1,-4)$, and $M(-7,-6)$.

Prove that quadrilateral TASM is a rhombus.



3. The vertices of quadrilateral SPOT are $S(1,3)$, $P(3,-4)$, $O(-4,-2)$, and $T(-6,5)$.

Prove that quadrilateral SPOT is a rhombus.



4. The vertices of quadrilateral ISLE are $I(1,2)$, $S(3,-1)$, $L(4,2)$, and $E(2,5)$.

Prove that quadrilateral ISLE is a parallelogram but **not** a rhombus.

