



## REPRESENTATIVE FRACTION

Examples:

(i) scale 1 : 500  
map 8.3cm

(ii) scale 1 : 40  
real 9m

(iii) real 7m  
map 3.5cm

real distance

$$\begin{aligned} & 8.3\text{cm} \times 500 \\ & = 4150\text{ cm} \\ & = 41.5\text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

map distance

$$\begin{aligned} & 9\text{m} \div 40 \\ & = 900\text{ cm} \div 40 \\ & = 22.5\text{ cm} \end{aligned}$$

rep. fraction

$$\begin{aligned} & 3.5\text{cm} : 7\text{m} \\ & = 3.5\text{cm} : 700\text{cm} \\ & = 1 : 200 \end{aligned}$$

by  $700 \div 3.5$



1. Calculate the 'real life' distances in metres,

(a) scale 1 : 500      map distance (i) 6.0 cm (ii) 8.5 cm

(b) scale 1 : 200      map distance (i) 7.0 cm (ii) 9.5 cm

2. Calculate the map distances in centimetres,

(a) scale 1 : 40      real distance (i) 8 m (ii) 6.4 m

(b) scale 1 : 20 000      real distance (i) 6 km (ii) 9 km

3. Write the scale as a representative fraction,

(a) map distance 4 cm      real distance 8 m

(b) map distance 2.5 cm      real distance 1 m

1. (a) (i) 30m      (ii) 42.5m      (b) (i) 14m      (ii) 19m

2. (a) (i) 20cm      (ii) 16cm      (b) (i) 30cm      (ii) 45cm

3. (a) 1 : 200      (b) 1 : 40

1. Calculate the 'real life' distances in metres,

(a) scale 1 : 200      map distance (i) 4.0 cm (ii) 12.4 cm

(b) scale 1 : 40      map distance (i) 6.0 cm (ii) 22.5 cm

2. Calculate the map distances in centimetres,

(a) scale 1 : 200      real distance (i) 24 m (ii) 5.6 m

(b) scale 1 : 4 000      real distance (i) 360m (ii) 60m

3. Write the scale as a representative fraction,

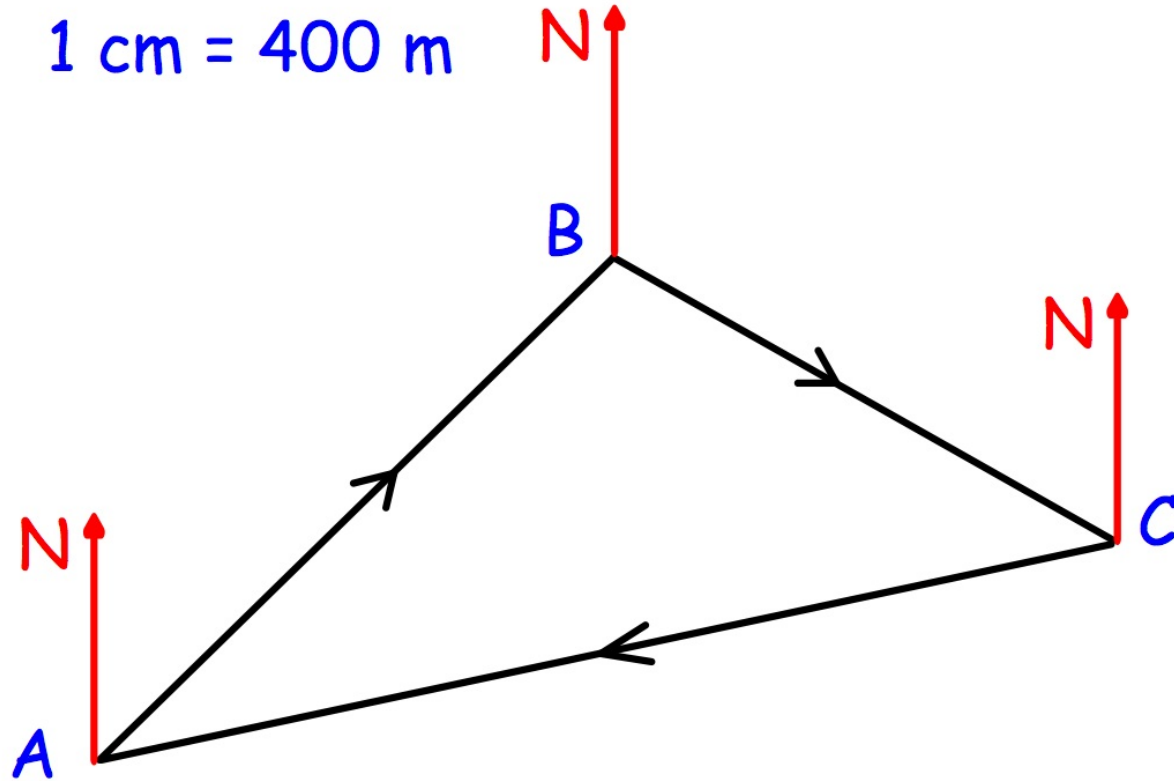
(a) map distance 4 cm      real distance 20 m

(b) map distance 2.4 cm      real distance 6 m



4.

1 cm = 400 m



Find the distance (km) and bearing:

(i) B from A

(ii) C from B

(iii) A from C

and hence calculate the back-bearings:

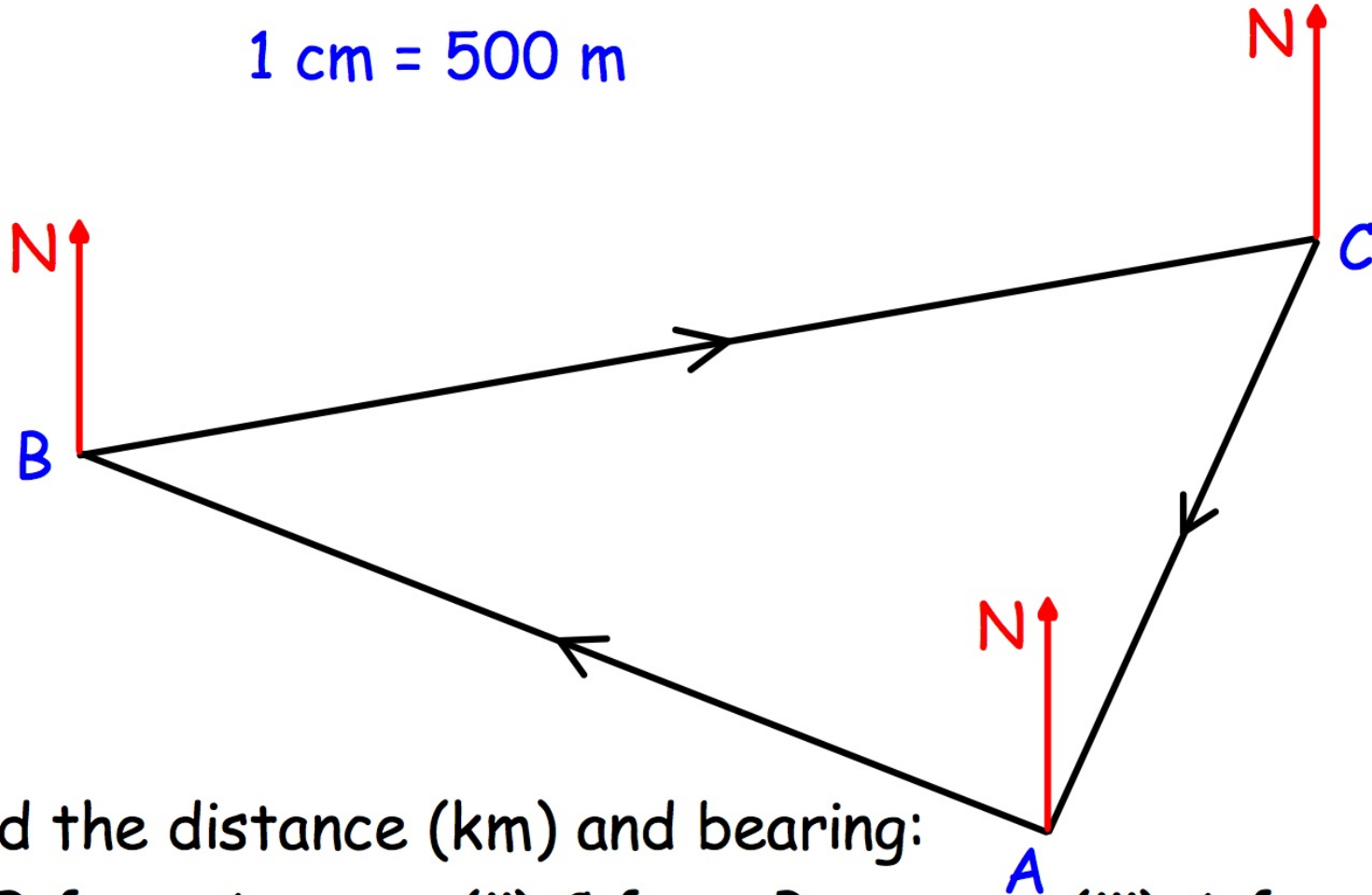
(iv) A from B

(v) B from C

(vi) C from A

5.

1 cm = 500 m



Find the distance (km) and bearing:

(i) B from A

(ii) C from B

(iii) A from C

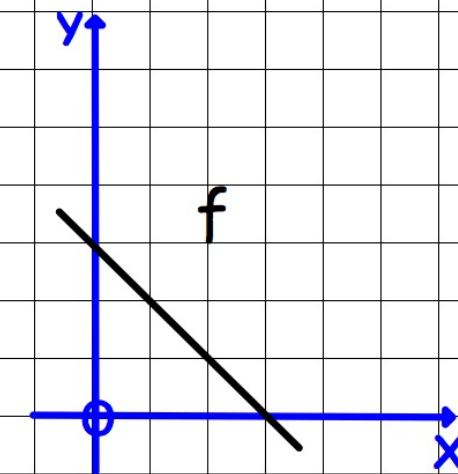
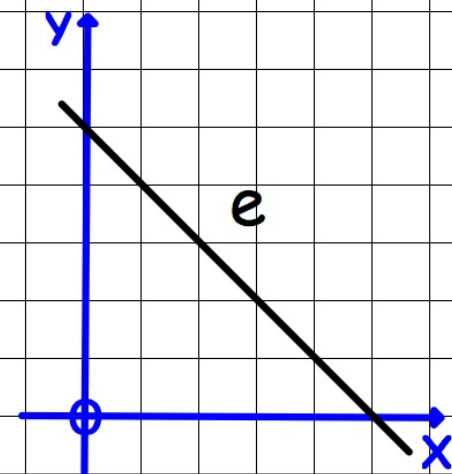
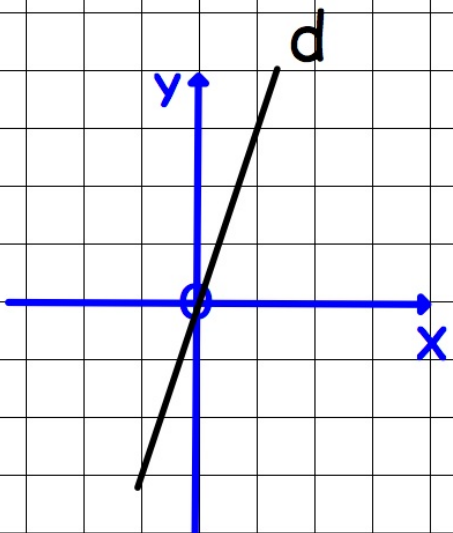
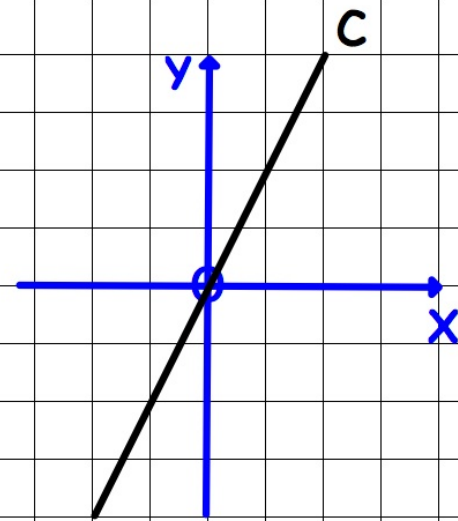
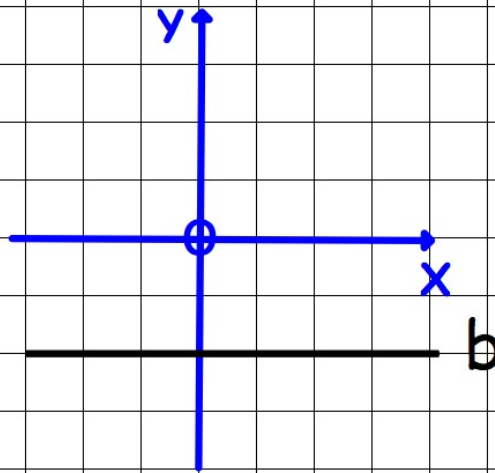
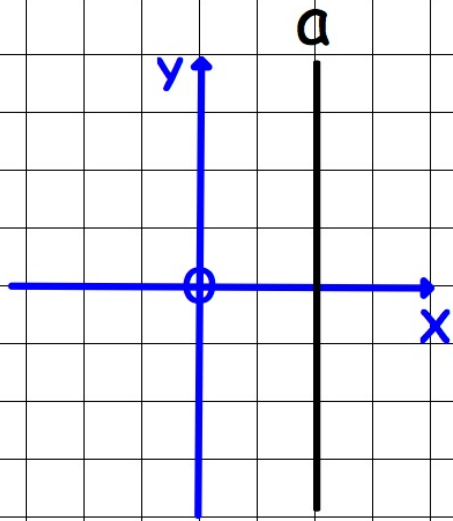
and hence calculate the back-bearings:

(iv) A from B

(v) B from C

(vi) C from A

6. Write (i) the coordinates of 3 points on the line  
(ii) the equation of the line





1. (a) (i) 8m      (ii) 24.8m      (b) (i) 2.4m      (ii) 9m
2. (a) (i) 12cm      (ii) 2.8cm      (b) (i) 9cm      (ii) 1.5cm
3. (a) 1 : 500      (b) 1 : 250
4. (i) km ,  $046^\circ$       (ii) km ,  $120^\circ$       (iii) km ,  $257^\circ$   
 (iv)  $226^\circ$       (v)  $300^\circ$       (vi)  $077^\circ$
5. (i) km ,  $291^\circ$       (ii) km ,  $080^\circ$       (iii) km ,  $205^\circ$   
 (iv)  $111^\circ$       (v)  $260^\circ$       (vi)  $025^\circ$
6. a (i) eg.  $(2,-1)$  ,  $(2,0)$  ,  $(2,3)$       (ii)  $x = 2$   
 b (i) eg.  $(-1,-2)$  ,  $(0,-2)$  ,  $(2,-2)$       (ii)  $y = -2$   
 c (i) eg.  $(-1,-2)$  ,  $(0,0)$  ,  $(1,2)$       (ii)  $y = 2x$   
 d (i) eg.  $(-1,-3)$  ,  $(0,0)$  ,  $(1,3)$       (ii)  $y = 3x$   
 e (i) eg.  $(0,5)$  ,  $(1,4)$  ,  $(2,3)$       (ii)  $x + y = 5$   
 f (i) eg.  $(0,3)$  ,  $(1,2)$  ,  $(2,1)$       (ii)  $x + y = 3$