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Standardized Test Prep

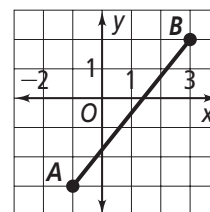
Midpoint and Distance in the Coordinate Plane

Multiple Choice

For Exercises 1-7, choose the correct letter.

- What is the other endpoint of the segment with midpoint -3 and endpoint -7 ?
 (A) -11 (B) -5 (C) 1 (D) 4
- The endpoints of \overline{ST} are $S(2, -2)$ and $T(4, 2)$. What are the coordinates of the midpoint of \overline{ST} ?
 (F) $(3, 0)$ (G) $(0, 3)$ (H) $(3, -2)$ (I) $(3, 2)$
- What is the distance between $A(-8, 4)$ and $B(4, -1)$?
 (A) 7 (B) 10 (C) 13 (D) 17
- The midpoint of \overline{XZ} is Y . Which of the following is true?
 (F) $XZ = XY$ (G) $XZ = \frac{1}{2}XY$ (H) $YZ = \frac{1}{2}XY$ (I) $YZ = \frac{1}{2}XZ$

Use the graph at the right for Exercises 5 and 6.



- According to the graph, what is the midpoint of \overline{AB} ?
 (A) $(1, 0)$ (C) $(1, 0.5)$
 (B) $(1, -0.5)$ (D) $(1.5, -0.5)$
- According to the graph, what is AB to the nearest tenth?
 (F) 2.2 (G) 3 (H) 5 (I) 6.4
- The midpoint of \overline{CD} is $M(-3, -7)$. If the coordinates of C are $(-2, -10)$, what are the coordinates of D ?
 (A) $(-4, -4)$ (B) $(-1, -13)$ (C) $(-2.5, -8.5)$ (D) $(-5, -17)$

Short Response

- The midpoint of \overline{AB} is in Quadrant IV, and \overline{AB} is parallel to the y -axis.
 - What quadrant or quadrants cannot contain either point A or B ? Explain.
 - What else can you determine about points A and B ?