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The vertices of a triangle are situated at points (15, 30), (25, 35) and (5, 45). Find the coordinates of the vertices if the triangle is first rotated 100 counter clockwise direction about the origin and then scaled to twice its size.

Solution.

Let A=(15, 30), B(25, 35), and C(5, 45).

If the triangle is first rotated 100 counter clockwise direction about the origin

A→A₁, B→B₁, C→C₁

$$X_{A1} = X_A \cos 100^\circ - Y_A \sin 100^\circ = 15 \cos 100^\circ - 30 \sin 100^\circ = -32$$

$$Y_{A1} = X_A \sin 100^\circ + Y_A \cos 100^\circ = 15 \sin 100^\circ + 30 \cos 100^\circ = 9.6$$

$$X_{B1} = X_B \cos 100^\circ - Y_B \sin 100^\circ = 25 \cos 100^\circ - 35 \sin 100^\circ = -38.8$$

$$Y_{B1} = X_B \sin 100^\circ + Y_B \cos 100^\circ = 25 \sin 100^\circ + 35 \cos 100^\circ = 18.5$$

$$X_{C1} = X_C \cos 100^\circ - Y_C \sin 100^\circ = 5 \cos 100^\circ - 45 \sin 100^\circ = -45.2$$

$$Y_{C1} = X_C \sin 100^\circ + Y_C \cos 100^\circ = 5 \sin 100^\circ + 45 \cos 100^\circ = -2.9$$

A₁(-32;9.6), B₁(-38.8;18.5), C₁(-45.2;-2.9)

If the triangle scaled to twice its size

A₁→A₂, B₁→B₂, C₁→C₂

$$X_{A2} = X_{A1}/2 \quad Y_{A2} = Y_{A1}/2$$

$$X_{B2} = X_{B1}/2 \quad Y_{B2} = Y_{B1}/2$$

$$X_{C2} = X_{C1}/2 \quad Y_{C2} = Y_{C1}/2$$

A₂(-16;4.8), B₂(-19.4;9.25), C₂(-22.6;-1.45)

Answer: (-16; 4.8), (-19.4; 9.25), (-22.6; -1.45)