

Distance Formula

1.) What is the distance of \overline{AB} ?

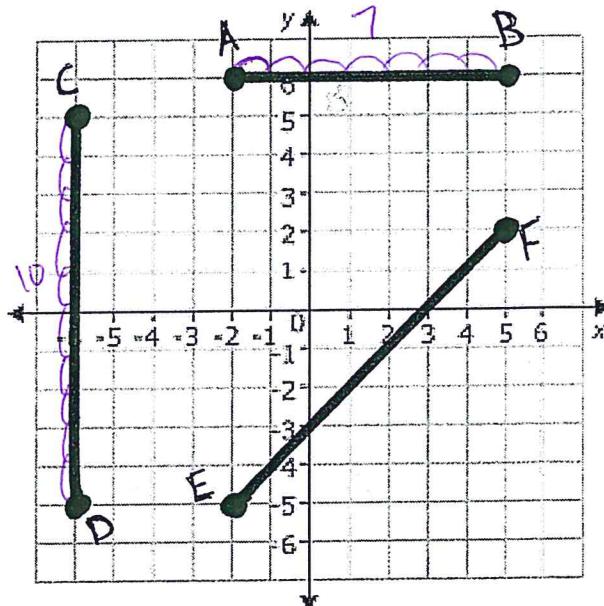
7 units

2.) What is the distance of \overline{CD} ?

10 Units

3.) What is the distance of \overline{EF} ?

~~"7 units"~~ Can not "count" diagonal distances.



Distance Formula :

$$d = \sqrt{(x_1 - x_2)^2 + (y_1 - y_2)^2}$$

x_1 together y_1 together

* Label your points!!

[Points are written $(\underline{x}, \underline{y})$]

$$E: (-2, -5) \quad F: (5, 2)$$

x_1 y_1 x_2 y_2

$$d = \sqrt{(-2 - 5)^2 + (-5 - 2)^2} = \sqrt{(-7)^2 + (-7)^2} = \sqrt{49 + 49} = \sqrt{98}$$

$$d \approx 9.9 \text{ units}$$