

### **Dividing Points Practice Problems (with answers)**

■ **A. Given points  $A(-2, 3)$ ,  $B(5, 9)$ , find the following**

[1] The number  $p$  such that point  $P(x, y)$  that divides AB internally in the ratio 3 : 4. ANS:  $P(1, \frac{39}{7})$

[2] The number  $p$  such that point  $P(x, y)$  that divides AB externally in the ratio 3 : 4. ANS:  $P(-23, -15)$

[3] The number  $p$  such that point  $P(x, y)$  that divides AB internally in the ratio 2 : 5. ANS:  $P(0, \frac{33}{7})$

[4] The number  $p$  such that point  $P(x, y)$  that divides AB externally in the ratio 2 : 5. ANS:  $P(\frac{-20}{3}, -1)$