## Geometry Notes CG - 8: Dividing a Segment in Proportion

Ex: Find the coordinates of the point $P$ on the directed line segment from $A(-4,10)$ to $B(6,-5)$ that partitions the segment into a ratio of 3:2.


## Geometry HW: CG-8

1. Find the coordinates of the point $P$ on the directed line segment from $A(-8,10)$ to $B(13,-4)$ that partitions the segment into a ratio of 3:4.
2. Find the coordinates of the points $P$ and $Q$ that divide the segment from $J(-3,1)$ to $K(9,7)$ into three congruent parts. (What two ratios are implied here?)
3. Write the equation of the line that is the perpendicular bisector of $\overline{J K}$ with $J(-3,1)$ and $K(9,7)$.
4. a. Write the equation of the circle having center $(-2,4)$ and radius $\sqrt{65}$.
b. Does the point $(-8,9)$ lie on the circle? Justify your answer.
c. Find two points on the line $x=5$ that lie on the circle.
5. Graph $\triangle A B C$ having vertices $A(0,4), B(4,14)$ and $C(8,0)$.
a. Find the midpoints of $\overline{A B}, \overline{B C}$ and $\overline{C A}$. Call them $M, N$ and $P$ respectively.
b. Draw $\overline{A N}, \overline{B P}$ and $\overline{C M}$. These are called medians of the triangle.
c. Find the point where all three medians intersect. Call it $G$. This is called the centroid of the triangle.
d. Show that $G$ divides each median in a 2:1 ratio.
