

Find the coordinates of the point P that divides the segment $A(-8, -7), B(8, 5)$ from A to B in the ratio 3 to 1.

- Write a ratio that expresses the distance of point P along the segment from A to B .

Point P is $\frac{\quad}{\quad + \quad} = \frac{\quad}{\quad}$ from the distance from A to B .

- Find the rise over the run of the directed line segment.

$$\text{Run} = (x_2 - x_1) =$$

$$\text{Rise} = (y_2 - y_1) =$$

- Use the ratio to find the distance from point A to B .

of Run = of Rise =

- To find the coordinates of P , add the values in step 3 to the coordinates of point A

x -coordinate of point P =

y -coordinate of point P =

The coordinates of point P are (,).

