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# A PROBLEM-BASED LEARNING WORKSHEET: AN EFFORT TO SUPPORT STUDENTS' CRITICAL THINKING SKILLS ON CARTESIAN COORDINATES TOPIC

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## ABSTRACT

Critical thinking is one of the essential skills in this 21st century. Students' critical thinking in mathematics has yet to be optimal. Therefore, this study aims to produce Problem-Based Learning Worksheets, particularly on the Cartesian Diagram topic, that are valid and practical to support students' critical thinking skills. The critical thinking skills indicators are giving simple explanations, building basic skills, concluding, giving advanced reasons, and devising strategies. This research uses a 4-D development model consisting of 4 stages: define, design, development, and disseminate. However, this article will only discuss the first three stages. This study involved two experts in mathematics content, two in mathematics learning media, and 34 eight grade public junior high school students in Kartasura, Central Java, Indonesia. The data collection method applied in this study is questionnaires. Based on the data analysis, the worksheet developed is valid (with the good category), with an average score of 4,1 and 4,0 from the content and learning media experts, respectively. At the same time, students' responses on the practicality of the worksheets were an average of 4,2, which is in the excellent category. In addition, it shows that 64,70 % of students reaching the minimum score requirement (75) for the critical thinking test. Therefore, the Problem-Based Learning worksheets developed reach valid and practical categories to support students' critical thinking skills.

Keywords: Student Worksheets, Problem-Based Learning, Critical Thinking Skills, Cartesian Coordinates

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# PRELIMINARY

One of the lessons that are the basic of other sciences in which there is the ability to count, logic, and think is mathematics (Nasrulloh & Umardiyah, 2020). Regulation of the Minister of National Education of the Republic of Indonesia Number 22 (2006) states that mathematics learning objectives in schools include that students can understand mathematical concepts, explain the relationship between concepts, reason, solve problems, and communicate ideas. Mathematics learning trains students' ability to think critically, systematically, logically, and creatively and work together effectively (Ministry of

Education, 2007). In learning mathematics many students still think that mathematics is a complex subject because it discusses the calculation of symbols, numbers, and abstract concepts that must be understood with more concentration when working (Nurfitriyanti, 2016). Therefore, mathematics learning needs to be developed with teaching methods that are fun, relevant to everyday life, and use a suitable learning model to create a fun learning environment and support critical thinking skills. In addition, learners to understand mathematics learning must be active not just pay attention to the teacher Sari et al. (2016). Meanwhile, teachers must strive so that students can build and improve their critical thinking skills Rokhimah & Rejeki (2018).

The reality in Indonesia shows that the quality of mathematics students in lower secondary schools still needs to improve. Based on an interview and observation, the same case happened in a public school in Kartasura, Central Java, Indonesia. In fact, through learning mathematics, students can master higher-order thinking skills, namely critical thinking skills Rokhimah & Rejeki (2018). According to TIMSS (*Trends in International Mathematics and Science Study*), data in 2015 (Nizam, 2016) showed the 44th rank out of 49 participating countries, while in 2019 Indonesia did not participate. In the mathematics category, the average OECD (*Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development*) score of students in 2018 for mathematics was 379, which is below the average of 79 PISA (*Program* for *International Students Assessment*) participating countries in 2018, with a score of 489 for students' mathematical ability (OECD, 2019). This result shows a decrease in PISA test results from the previous year. In 2015 the average score of Indonesian students was higher at 386 for mathematical ability (OECD, 2016). The low quality of mathematics among students in Indonesia indicates that students' critical thinking ability still needs to improve, so it must be improved.

The ability to think critically is described as one of the solutions for problemsolving in everyday life because it involves logical reasoning, interpretation, analysis, and evaluation of information to enable someone to contain reliable and valid decisions (Widana et al., 2018). The ability to think critically in mathematics learning can help students to reach a deeper understanding (Faiziyah & Priyambodho, 2022). According to Demiral (2018) critical thinking skills can make students open-minded, formulate problems, collect information and assess it relevantly, conclude with solutions based on ideas, and communicate effectively in solving complex problems with others.

Given the low ability to think critically in learning, solutions are needed to improve student's critical thinking skills through literature reviews that affect it. In addition, in learning, it is essential for teachers to choose learning models/strategies and teaching materials that support students' critical thinking skills (Sholihah & Rejeki, 2020). The ability to think critically is influenced by two factors, namely internal and external factors. However, the factors that most influence critical thinking skills are external factors, including learning methods and strategies (Trivette et al., 2009). One of the learning methods recommended in the 2013 Curriculum is *Problem-Based Learning* (PBL) (Ministry of Education and Culture, 2014). According to Hosnan (2014) the PBL method has the primary purpose of not only conveying knowledge to students but also developing critical thinking skills and problem-solving skills as well as the ability of students to acquire their knowledge actively.

The PBL method begins with orienting students to problems, organizing students to learn, guiding individual and group investigations, developing and presenting work results, and analyzing and evaluating the problem-solving process (Arends, 2012). The PBL method prepares students to think critically and analytically and to find and use the right learning resources (Yulianti & Gunawan, 2019). One of the learning resources to support learning is teaching materials that stimulate student interest (Septian et al., 2019). However, in using ready-to-use teaching materials, Prastowo (2013) stated that there are risks, including teaching materials that are not contextual, boring, monotonous, and unsuitable for students. Teaching materials (Prastowo, 2013).

Based on observations at a public junior high school in Kartasura, Central Java, Indonesia, it was found that students in learning activities felt bored with teaching materials, textbooks, and worksheets because they needed to be more exciting and varied. This finding indicates that selecting learning resources must be engaging and fun and increase creativity. Teachers must choose teaching materials that support the learning process. The Student Worksheet is one form of printed teaching material that creatively, innovatively, and interestingly supports the learning process. The worksheets students use can help improve student learning activities, create effective interactions between teachers and students to encourage students to work independently, and direct students to develop concepts (Relia, 2016).

Mathematics learning at this time still tends to be teacher-centered, so learners are passive in their learning activities, only focusing on listening, taking notes, and obeying teacher orders (Niken et al., 2012). Therefore, teachers must plan enjoyable learning and actively involve students to increase student enthusiasm. Teachers can use teaching

materials to assist activities in learning mathematics. In learning activities, students are less interested in reading package books because the colors are less attractive and the books are thick. The solution to this problem is that teachers can make teaching materials simpler and more attractive by using Student Worksheets.

The selection of printed teaching materials, namely the PBL Worksheet, is one of the selected learning resources and is designed to attract students' learning interests. In addition, it supports students' critical thinking skills in learning, which later students with different levels of intelligence can follow, understand and find solutions to the problems given and make new understandings (Sanjaya et al., 2017).

Based on several previous studies have been carried out, such as Sanjaya et al., (2017) producing mathematical worksheets to support valid, practical, and effective PBL models in terms of students' mathematical critical thinking skills on the Pythagoras topic. Another research from (Zulfah et al., 2018) states that worksheet based on PBL strategies has been proven to improve problem-solving skills and help students develop solving skills in Cartesian Coordinates topic. Abdillah and Astuti (2020) stated that a PBL-based worksheet is expected to help students to be actively involved in learning angles, more motivated in reading books, and understand learning materials more efficiently.

Based on the description above, there still needs to be more study on developing student worksheet which integrates the PBL model to support students' critical thinking skills. The integration can be seen in the activities provided, which are in line with and supported by the PBL steps. Therefore, this study aims to develop valid, practical, and effective PBL-based worksheets to support students' critical thinking skills.

## **METHODS**

The research applied *Research & Development* (R&D) method. The *Research and Development* (R&D) method is a development research method that aims to find new products/find something *new*, or improve products that have been produced (Saputro, 2021). The R&D method was adapted from the research and development stage of the 4D model (*four-D model*) according to Thiagarajan et al., (1974), consisting of defining (*define*), design stage (*design*), development stage (*develop*), and *dissemination* (*disseminate*). Due to time limitations in research, this paper only focuses on describing the first three stages.

In this study, the *define* stage aims to determine and define learning requirements. This stage consists of five steps, namely: (1) Front-end, (2) Learner analysis, (3) Concept analysis, (4) Task analysis, and (5) Learning objectives specifications (Thiagarajan et al., 1974). The *design* stage is used to carry out the development and design stages based on the PBL learning model. In addition, improvements were made to the weaknesses and shortcomings of the PBL-based Worksheet. The *development* stage is the validation of the worksheet by experts, and the practicality test of the worksheet by students. The assessment of the expert validator and student responses is then measured by eligibility with criteria according to (Widoyoko, 2017) as described in Table 1.

No	Average interval of scores	Category
1	$\bar{x} > 4,2$	Excellent
2	$3,4 < \bar{x} > 4,2$	Good
3	$2,6 < \bar{x} > 3,4$	Good enough
4	$1,8 < \bar{x} > 2,6$	Not good
5	$\bar{x} > 1,8$	Very unfavorable

Table 1. The Eligibility Criteria of Expert Validators and Student Responses

Besides using a student response questionnaire, the practicality of the worksheet was assessed by students' critical thinking test provided in the worksheet. After that, categorize the percentage of students who completed with academic proficiency assessment criteria (Widoyoko, 2017) as described in Table 2. Learning media is said to be effective if the percentage of many students reaches the minimum scores (75) of more than 60%. The test is carried out by determining the test results, then calculating the students who are complete and the percentage of students who are completed with the formula:

Percentage of completed students = 
$$\frac{The \ number \ of \ students \ completed}{Many \ students \ in \ the \ class} x \ 100\%$$

This research develops *Problem-Based Learning* (PBL)-based Student Worksheets that are valid and practical in learning mathematics cartesian coordinate material that supports students' critical thinking skills. The subjects in this study were 34 students in grade eight at a public junior high school in Kartasura, Central Java, Indonesia. The stage is carried out in the odd semester of the 2022/2023 academic year in August 2022. Research instruments in this study include questionnaires of validation of material and media experts, student response questionnaires, and student answer result sheets.

## **RESULT AND DISCUSSION**

This study used 4D (four-D) stage that-stage. The stages of 4D model development that have been carried out in this development research are as follows:

1. Defining Stage

Identification was carried out in learning cartesian coordinates at the school. The identifier consists of the learning process and medium used. The identification process is carried out through observation, interviews, and analyzing the results of previous research.

a. End-to-End Analysis

In this analysis, researchers identified the fundamental problems faced in learning cartesian coordinates by asking the school's mathematics teacher through direct interviews. The identification of the problem gets information about several descriptions of the facts of the problem, obstacles faced by teachers, and suggestions for better learning to facilitate the development of student worksheets. This stage analyzes the curriculum used by the school, the 2013 curriculum. The analysis produces information about the parts that still need to be developed, namely Core Competence and Basic Competence, broken down into indicators and learning objectives.

b. Student Analysis

In this study, students' characteristics were analyzed by looking for information from mathematics teachers in grade eight. In addition, researchers observe students in learning cartesian coordinates and the conditions of the learning process desired by students. In this case, the results of the analysis of the characteristics of students who need more mathematical foundations, cannot understand the material, take a long time to understand the material, are lazy, not thorough, and not interested and new material. Students expect the learning process to use engaging learning media, examples of questions related to everyday life, and simple and easy-to-understand formulas.

c. Concept Analysis

In this analysis, the identification of teaching materials will be compiled systematically and taught by students based on *problem-based learning* and supporting critical thinking skills. This analysis is the basis for structuring learning objectives. The material analysis carried out by researchers on cartesian coordinate material is to identify and analyze the position of a point, analyze contextual

problems related to the position of a point, solve problems related to the position of points and lines.

d. Task Analysis

Task analysis on the cartesian coordinate material in semester 1 is to understand cartesian coordinates and be able to explain and solve the position of points associated with contextual problems in everyday life. The success criteria for learning mathematics on cartesian coordinate material can be seen from the ability of students to solve point and line position problems and explain the position of points connected to contextual problems.

e. Learning objective specifications

At this stage, according to the analysis of the tasks that have been done, the specification of objectives that are indicators of students achieving the learning process is the increase in students' critical thinking skills in solving problems related to cartesian coordinates.

2. Designing Stage

At the design stage, make an initial design of the PBL Worksheet following the define stage. At this design stage, it produces an initial draft of PBL-based Worksheet on cartesian coordinate material to support critical thinking skills.



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# English Version:



Figure 1. Initial Draft of The PBL Worksheet

# 3. Development Stage

At the development stage, namely validation and revision activities. The activities include validating the worksheet and testing its practicality. In addition, for research instruments, namely student response questionnaires. The Worksheets and instruments were given to validators, namely two mathematics education lecturers and mathematics teachers in junior high school. The assessment instrument is filled with validators to assess the validity of the PBL Worksheet. At the same time, the student response questionnaire is filled out by students. From the data, the validation results are described in Table 2 and Table 3.

Table 2. The Content Validation Results	
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No	Indicator Achievement	Aspects	Number of Assessment Items	Aver valida sco	ation	Average Score	Category
			-	V1	$\mathbf{V}_2$	_	
1	Student	Contents	8	4	4,1	4,1	Good
	Worksheets	presented					
		Language	7	4	4,1	4,1	Good
		Graphics	3	4	4	4	Good

No	Indicator Achievement	Aspects	Number of Assessment Items	valid	rage ation ore	Average Score	Category
			-	$V_1$	$\mathbf{V}_2$	_	
2	Problem-	Problem-	2	4	3,5	3,75	Good
	Based	Based					
	Learning	Learning					
		Model					
	Total		20	16	15,7	4,1	Good

The aspects assessed by the content experts are Content presented, Language, and Graphics. In these three aspects, an average score of 4,1 was obtained with a good category, so it was concluded that the PBL-Worksheet were declared valid based on the content validity assessment.

No	Assessment	Number of	Scores	Average	Category
	Aspect	Questions		Score	
1	Worksheet Size	2	8	4	Good
2	Cover Design	8	32	4	Good
3	Worksheet Design	19	76	4	Good
	Total	29	116	4	Good

 Table 3. The Media Validation Results

The media experts assess Worksheet size, Worksheet Cover Design, and Worksheet Design. In these three aspects, an average score of 4 was obtained with an good category, so it was concluded that that the PBL-Worksheet were declared valid based on the learning media validity assessment. However, there are some comments and suggessions for revisions from the experts, which can be seen in Table 4 and Table 5.

**Table 4. Content Revision** 

No	Content Revision
1	Subheadings recognizing the characters and their sources can be added.
2	The arrangement of worksheet instructions should be student-centered.
3	Adjust the worksheet order with PBL syntax (The syntax/steps of the PBL
	learning model are: 1) orientation of students to problems, 2) organizing
	students to learn, 3) guiding individual and group investigations, 4)

No		Content Revision							
	developing	and	presenting	problem	solving	results,	5)	analyzing	and
	evaluating t	he pr	oblem-solvi	ng process	s).				

- 4 Use images that do not have watermarks.
- 5 The worksheet should start with contextual problems that students will solve.

Table 5 shows experts' comments regarding the content of the worksheet. Afterwards, Table 5 shows the revision based on the media experts' comments.

No	Media Revision				
1	Bef	fore Revision	Afte	er Revision	
	8	Rene Descartes	<b>K</b>	MENGENAL TOKOH Rene Descartes	

 Table 5. Media Revision

In the Character Biography section, as shown in the image before revision, there is no title. It should be titled "Knowing Figures or *Mengenal Tokoh*" as in the image after revision.

# 2

## **Before Revision**

1. Orientasi peserta didik terhadap masalah. Guru menjelaskan tujuan dari pembelajaran, menjelaskan ilustasi sebuah daerah, mengajukan fakta dilapangan sehingga nantinya akan muncul permasalahan yang harus diamati dan diselesaikan, memotivasi peserta didik serta terlibat dalam aktivitas pemecahan masalah.

 Mengorganisasi peserta didik. Guru membagi peserta didik kedalam kelompok, membantu peserta didik mendefinisikan dan mengorganisasikan tugas belajar yang berhubungan dengan masalah.

- 3. Membimbing penyelidikan individual dan kelompok. Guru mendorong peserta didik untuk mengumpulkan informasi yang dibutuhkan, melaksanakan eksperimen dan penyelidikan untuk mendapatkan penjelasan dan pemecahan masalah.
- 4. Mengembangkan dan menyajikan hasil penyelesaian masalah. Guru membantu peserta didik dalam merencanakan dan menyiapkan hasil penyelesaian masalah yang sesuai laporan, dokumentasi atau model dan membantu mereka berbagi tugas dengan sesama temannya.
- Menganalisis dan mengevaluasi proses pemecahan masalah. Guru membantu peserta didik untuk melakukan analisis dan mengevaluasi proses penyelesaian masalah.

# After Revision

## 1. Orientasi peserta didik terhadap masalah.

Peserta didik membaca dan mengidentifikasi permasalahan yang terdapat pada setiap kegiatan dalam LKPD secara berkelompok. Peserta didik setiap kelompok mengamati dan memahami permasalahan yang terdapat di setiap kegiatan dalam LKPD.

- Mengorganisasi peserta didik.
   Peserta didik berdiskusi dan membagi tugas untuk mencari penyelesaian dari permasalahan yang terdapat di setiap kegiatan dalam LKPD.
- Membimbing penyelidikan individual dan kelompok.
   Peserta didik melakukan penyelidikan penyelesaian masalah yang terdapat di setiap kegiatan dalam LKPD.
- 4. Mengembangkan dan menyajikan hasil penyelesaian masalah. Peserta didik di dalam setiap kelompok melakukan diskusi untuk menghasilkan penyelesaian masalah yang terdapat di setiap kegiatan dalam LKPD.
- 5. Menganalisis dan mengevaluasi proses pemecahan masalah.
- Setiap kelompok mempresentasikan hasil penyelesaian masalah dan kelompok lain memberikan apresiasi dan masukan terhadap penyelesaian masalah yang terdapat di setiap kegiatan dalam LKPD. Peserta didik bersama guru menarik kesimpulan berdasarkan hasil presentasi setiap kelompok terhadap penyelesaian masalah dalam LKPD.

### **Media Revision**

English Version:	<ol> <li>Orientation of learners to problems. Students read and identify problems contained in each activity in LKPI</li> </ol>
1. Orientation of learners to problems.	in groups. Students in each group observe and understand the problem
The teacher explains the objectives of learning, explains the illustration	contained in each activity in LKPD.
of an area, submits facts in the field so that later problems will arise that	2. Organize learners.
must be observed and solved, motivate students and engage in problem-	Students discuss and divide tasks to find solutions to problems contained
solving activities.	in each activity in LKPD.
2. Organize learners.	3. Guide individual and group investigations.
The teacher divides students into groups, helping students define and	Students conduct investigations to solve problems contained in each
organize problem-related learning tasks.	activity in LKPD.
3. Guide individual and group investigations.	4. Develop and present problem-solving results.
Teachers encourage learners to gather needed information, carry out	Students in each group conduct discussions to produce solutions t
experiments and investigations to obtain explanations and solve	problems contained in each activity in LKPD.
problems.	5. Analyze and evaluate the problem-solving process.
4. Develop and present problem-solving results.	Each group presented the results of problem solving and the other grou
Teachers assist learners in planning and preparing problem-solving	gave appreciation and input to solving problems contained in eac
outcomes according to reports, documentation or models and help them	activity in LKPD. Students together with teachers draw conclusion
share tasks with their peers.	based on the results of each group's presentation on problem solving i
5. Analyze and evaluate the problem-solving process.	LKPD.
Teachers help learners to analyze and evaluate the problem-solving	

In the Worksheet Instructions section, there is a PBL stage and an explanation in which the diction focuses on the teacher. In this explanation, the focus of the selected diction should be shown to students, not teachers.

3	Before Revision	After Revision
	5. Kerjakan LKPD sesuai dengan langkah no 1 sampai no 5.	5. Diskusikanlah dengan kelompok untuk memahami konsep.

#### English Version:

process.

5. Work on LKPD according to steps no. 1 to no. 5.

5. Discuss with the group to understand the concept.

After Revision

SINTAKS PROBLEM BASED LEARNING

In the Worksheet Working Instructions section in step no 5, it should be clarified what kind of step is meant.

## 4

# **Before Revision** URUTAN PENGERJAAN LKPD

- 1. Orientasi peserta didik terhadap masalah.
- 2. Mengorganisasi peserta didik.
- 3. Membimbing penyelidikan individual dan kelompok.
- 4. Mengembangkan dan menyajikan hasil penyelesaian masalah.

5. Menganalisis dan mengevaluasi proses pemecahan masalah.

#### English Version:

#### SEQUENCE OF WORK

- 1. Learners' orientation towards problems.
- 2. Organize students.
- 3. Guide individual and group investigations.
- 4. Develop and present problem-solving results.
- 5. Analyze and evaluate the problem-solving process. 5. Let's analyze and evaluate.

In the Order of Work, the syntax should follow the design of the worksheet.

#### PROBLEM BASED LEARNING SYNTAX

1. Let's ask it. 2. Let's plan.

1. Mari menanya.

2. Mari merencanakan.

4. Mari menvimpulkan.

3. Mari melaksanakan rencana.

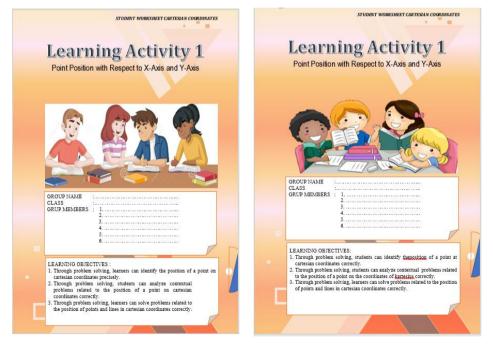
5. Mari menganalisis dan mengevaluasi.

- 3. Let's carry out the plan.
- Let's concluded.

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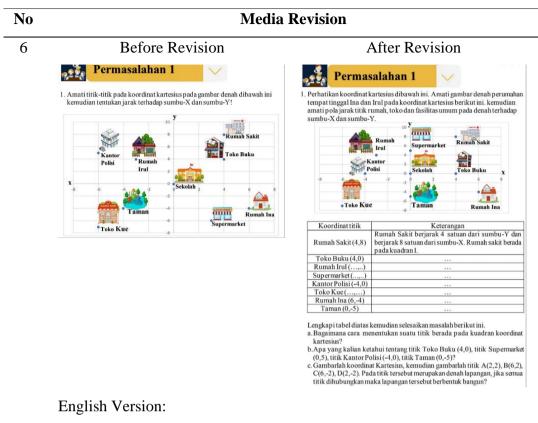


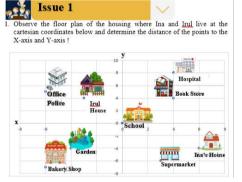
## English Version:



On the Learning Activities Cover, the image used on the cover should be replaced with an image without the watermark.

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# Issue 1

1. Consider the cartesian coordinates below. Observe the image Floor plan of bousing where Ina and Init live in the following cartesian coordinates, then Observe patterns distance point houses, shops and public facilities on the floor plan against the X-axis and Y-axis.



Point coordinates	Information
Hospital (4,8)	The Hospital is 4 units away from the Y-axis and 8 units away from the X-axis. The hospital is in quadrant I.
Bookstore (4,0)	
Irul House (,)	
Supermarket (,)	
Police station (-4,0)	
Cake Shop (,)	
Ina's House (6,-4)	
Garden (0,-5)	

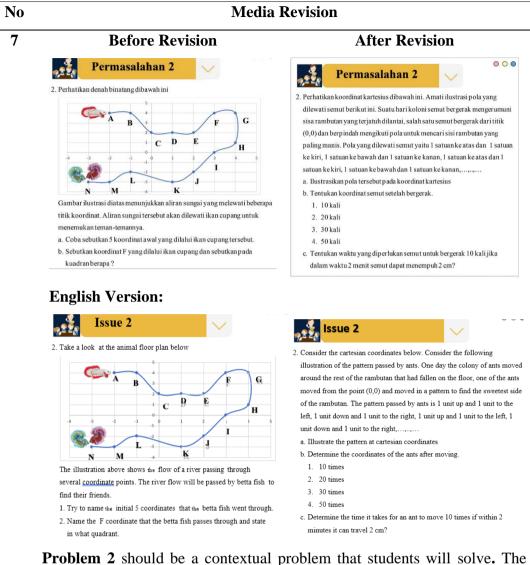
Complete the table above and then resolve the following issues.

Complete the table above and then resolve the following issues. 1.How do you determine a point is on the cartesian coordinate quadrant? 2.What do you know about Bookstore point (4.0), Supermarket point (0.5), Police Station point (-4.0), Park point (0,-5)? 3.Draw Cartesian coordinates, then draw points A(2,2), B(6,2), C(6,-2), D(2,-2). At that point is a field plan, if all points are connected then the field is in the form of a building?

Problem 1 should be a contextual problem that students will solve.

<b>Before Revision</b>	After Revision
Mari Merencanakan 🗸	Mari Merencanakan 🗸 🗸
Dengan adanya informasi, buatlah sebuah rencana model pemecahan masalah!	Berdasarkan informasi yang telah diperoleh, selidiki dan lengkapilah informasi yang diketahui!
Mari Melaksanakan Rencana Gunakan langkah yang telah anda siapkan untuk memecahkan masalah!	Gunakan hasil yang diperoleh dari penyelelidikan untuk menemukan penyelesaian masalah!
English Version:	
Let's Plan           With the information in place, create a problem-solving model plan!	Eased on the information that has been obtained, investigate and complete the known information!

In the PBL syntax, the Let's Plan and Let's Implement the Plan section should be adjusted to explain the PBL stage in the worksheet instructions.



question section should only be used as a collection phase, not a problem orientation phase.

<b>Before Revision</b>	After Revision
Mari Menanya 🗸 🗸	Mari Menanya 🗸 🗸
Dari permasalahan di atas, informasi apa saja yang kalian ketahui?	Amati permasalahan di atas, informasi apa saja yang kalian ketahui?
Apa saja yang ditanyakan pada soal di atas?	Apa saja yang ditanyakan pada soal di atas?
English Version:	
🔮 Let's Ask It 🗸 🗸	Let's Ask It
Observe the problem above, what information do you know?	From the problems above, what information do you know?
What are the questions asked in the question above?	What are the questions asked in the question above?

No					Μ	ledia	Rev	vision			
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In the **PBL syntax**, the Let's Ask It section should be adjusted to the explanation of the PBL stage in the Worksheet instructions.

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kartesius

antar titik koordinat?

jelaskan jawabanmu?

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# **Before Revision**

## After Revision

3. Dalam suatu denah yang dipetakan dalam sistem koordinat kartesius. Dalam

kegiatan libur semester, ekstrakulikuler astronomi mengadakan outbond di

Bumi perkemahan ,Febrin dan Altaf mengeluarkan uang sebesar

Rp120.000,00. Terdapat beberapa kegiatan outbond yang akan mereka ikuti

diantaranya arung jeram, rubah terbang, susur sungai, jembatan goyang dan lomba bakiak yang akan membutuhkan waktu 35 menit. Adapun kegiatan outbond dimulai dari Arung Jeram (Rafting) dengan koordinat (-5,3), Rubah

Terbang (Flying fox) dengan koordinat (-1,2), Susur Sungai dengan koordinat (-4,-3), setelah kegiatan tersebut mereka istirahat 5 menit setelah

itu kemudian melanjutkan kegiatan outbond Jembatan Goyang dengar

koordinat (-2,-3) dan diakhiri dengan Lomba Bakiak dengan koordinat (3,4)

c. Tentukan koordinat Rubah Terbang terhadap acuan (2,-3) jika Rubah Terbang memiliki koordinat (-1,2), kemudian hitunglah iarak langkah

d. Tentukan waktu yang dibutuhkan setiap kegiatan outbond tersebut,

a. Buatlah koordinat kartesius dari bumi perkemahan tersebut
b. Jelaskan posisi setiap permainan outbond dalam bidang koordinat

Permasalahan 3

...... Permasalahan 3 3. Dalam suatu denah yang dipetakan dalam sistem koordinat kartesius Perhatikan denah dibawah ini. Rumah Sekolah Altaf Rumah Pukesmas Febrin Masjid Stasiun Perumahan Pemadam Kebakaran Kantor Desa

a) Posisi Stasiun Pemadam Kebakaran terhadap Masjid,

b) Posisi Rumah Febrin terhadap Masjid,

c) Posisi Rumah Altaf terhadap Pukesmas

d) Posisi Sekolah terhadap Perumahan.

e) Sebutkan titik-titik koordinat tempat di desa "PERMAI" yang berada pada kuadran I, kuadran II, kuadran III, kuadran IV.

# **English Version:**



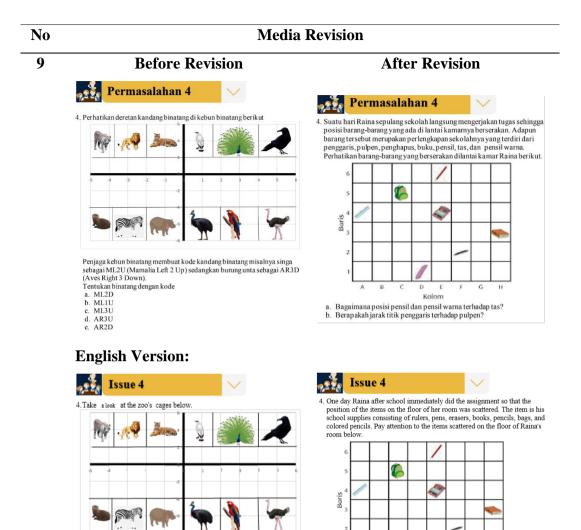
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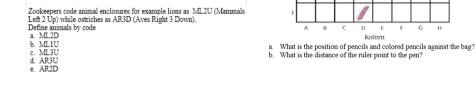
a) The position of the Fire Station against the Mosque, b) The position of the <u>Febru</u> House towards the Mosque, c) The position of Altaf House towards <u>Pukesmas</u>, d) The School's Position on Housing.

e)Name the coordinates of the place in the village "PERMAI" which is in quadrant I, quadrant II, quadrant III, quadrant IV. Issue 3

- 3. In a floor plan mapped in a cartesian coordinate system. In semester break activities, extracurricular astronomy held outbound at the campground, Ecbrin and Altaf spent Rp. 120,000.00. There are several outbound activities that they will participate in including rafting, flying foxes, river crossing, rocking bridges and clog competitions that will take 35 minutes. The outbound activities start from Rafting with coordinates (-5.3), Flying fox with coordinates (-1.2), River Rafting with coordinates (-4, -3), after the activity they rest 5 minutes after that then continue outbound activities Govang Bridge with coordinates (-2, -3) and end with Clog Race with coordinates (3.4)
- a. Make cartesian coordinates of the campsite
- b. Describe the position of each outbound game in the cartesian coordinate plane
- c. Determine the coordinates of the Flying Fox against the reference (2,-3) if the Flying Fox has coordinates (-1,2), then calculate the distance of steps between the coordinate points?
- d. Determine the time needed for each outbound activity, explain your answer?

In **problem 3**, it should be a contextual problem that students will solve during the learning process, and questions a to e should be replaced as problems.



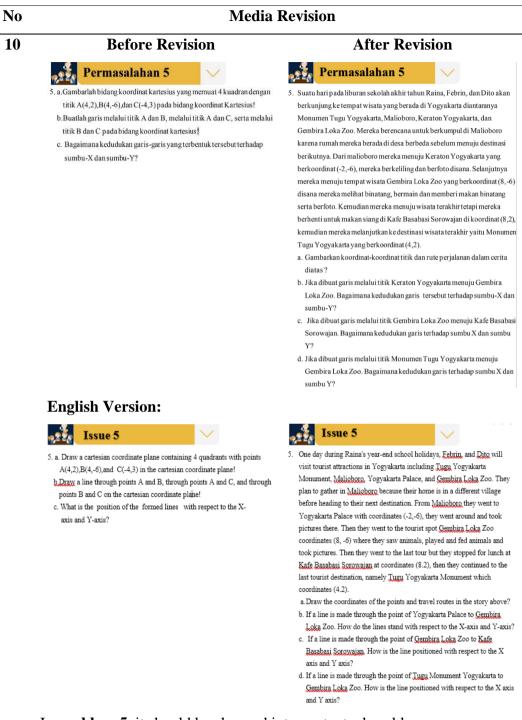


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In **problem 4**, it should be modified to be more contextual.

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In **problem 5**, it should be changed into contextual problem.

After revision, the PBL worksheet was tested on 34 students to asses its practicality. A learning process was conducted using the worksheet and ended with a critical thinking test provided in the worksheet. The practicality of the worksheet was assessed by a questionnaire of students' responses and critical thinking test results.

No	Assessment Aspect	Number of	Scores	Average	Category	
		Questions		Score		
1	Giving a simple explanation	3	15	5	Excellent	
2	Building basic skills	4	16	4	Good	
3	Concluding	1	4	4	Good	
4	Giving an advance explanation	1	4	4	Good	
5	Devising strategy	1	4	4	Good	
	Total	10	43	4,2	Good	

**Table 6. Results of Student Response Questionnaire** 

Based on Table 6, it is known that the average results of the student response questionnaire to the worksheet are 4,2. Hence, it is concluded that the worksheet has met the practicality aspect with a good category.

No	Completeness	Number of	Percentage		
		Students			
1	Completed	22	64,70 %		
	students				
2	Incomplete	12	35,29 %		
	students				
	Total	34	100 %		

Table 7. Achievement Results of Critical Thinking Ability

Based on Table 6, it is concluded that the highest score of students' critical thinking skills is on giving a simple explanation of 5, which is included in the excellent category, while the others are in a good category. Moreover, Table 7 shows that more than 60% of students scored above the minimum score requirement (75). Therefore, the PBL Worksheet met the practicality.

This development research produces worksheets based on problem-based learning on the material Cartesian coordinates to support the critical thinking skills of grade eight junior high school students. The stages of problem-based learning are applied to activities in a worksheet. Problem-based learning worksheet developed meets the criteria of validity based on material expert assessment and media expert assessment. Moreover, based on students' responses, the worksheets meet the feasibility criteria. Learning media or teaching materials in the form of problem-based learning worksheets are of decent quality and can

be used as a source of learning cartesian coordinate material. Judging from the color of the worksheet, students feel enthusiastic about learning using this *problem-based* learning worksheet learning media. This finding is like previous research with an attractive display of teaching materials that can make it easier for students to learn learning materials (Rahimah et al., 2020).

Previous studies that align with this research are researches on developing worksheets based on *problem-based* learning on an angle topic for junior high school students, showing that the learning media developed is in the excellent category, based on material expert assessments (Abdillah & Astuti, 2020). The practicality of learning media is reviewed from teacher assessments and the results of student responses that show that learning media are practical. Previous development research that shows valid and practical worksheet results is *problem-based learning* worksheet development research on social arithmetic material for grade seven junior high school students (Ridwan et al., 2016).

The results showed that the average results of the analysis of students' critical thinking problems amounted to 3,97 which was in the high category. This finding indicates that the evidence used meets the indicators of critical thinking skills because worksheet is designed according to *the problem-based learning* model to support critical thinking skills. Teachers should get used to giving hots questions to foster students' critical thinking skills (Saraswati & Agustika, 2020). This finding is like research Yuliantaningrum and Sunarti (2020) which states that learning to apply hots questions can stimulate students' critical thinking skills. In addition, research Sanjaya et al. (2017) states that the development of problem-based learning worksheet impacts students' cognitive outcomes and supports students' critical thinking skills. In line with research Mahmudah and Bahtiar (2022) that results in the development of hots-based worksheet can improve critical thinking skills.

Thus, problem-based learning worksheets developed by researchers can support students' critical thinking skills. The learning process using problem-based worksheets significantly improves students' critical thinking skills more than conventional models (Al-Fikry et al., 2018). Research Astuti et al. (2018) shows that the results of worksheet development impact students' critical thinking skills.

The worksheet resulting from this development research gets a positive response from students who are shown by students who are more enthusiastic and motivated in learning activities using engaging learning media, seen from the content and appearance. The worksheet learning media that looks attractive is essential to encourage students' curiosity. This finding is in line with research by Fitri et al. (2017) shows that the attractive display of student worksheets, pictures, and illustrations makes students happier to learn them.

In addition, the worksheet is presented with stages according to the problem-based learning model, namely orientation of students to problems, organizing students, guiding investigations, developing works, and analyzing and evaluating problem-solving processes that help students to find their knowledge with meaningful activities. With the given stages, learners are guided to see concepts in cartesian coordinates. In line research by P. H. M. Astuti et al, (2021) shows that the application of problem-based learning in mathematics learning can relate problems given to real life, learning activities carried out are more meaningful and student-centered, can improve memory through direct problem-solving activities, and can collaborate in the problem-solving process.

## CONCLUSION

Based on the description of the results and discussion above, the research results on developing student worksheets based on Problem-Based Learning (PBL) are learning media in the form of PBL-Worksheet, developed based on problem-based learning on feasible cartesian coordinate material. The feasibility of LKPD from the material validation results is 4.1, with the category of material validation results being good. The results of media validation are 4 with good categories. The practicality of LKPD developed received results from student questionnaires, namely 4,2 with good categories. The developed worksheet received the results of achieving students' critical thinking skills, with 64,70 % of students reaching the minimum score requirement (75) for the critical thinking test. It indicated that PBL-based LKPD is declared feasible to support students' critical thinking skills.

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