

Mathematics 10  
**Chapter 7 Linear Equations and Graphs**

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 Class Handouts

**Assignment/Homework and Quiz/Test Outline**  
 (May be altered as the class progresses: approx. 12 classes)

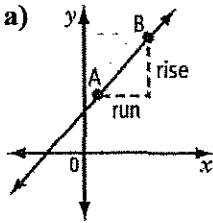
| Section                        | Topic                             | Assignment / Homework   | Date Assigned/Due |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|-------------------|
| 7.0 Activating Prior Knowledge | Review Linear Relations and Slope | APK-handout (in-class)  |                   |
| 7.1                            | Slope-Intercept Form              | p349-355(1, 3ace, 4, 5, 6acef, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15)   |                   |
| 7.2                            | General Form                      | p365-368 [1, 2, 3(omit graphs), 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11, 13ac, 14]   |                   |
| <b>Quiz 1</b>                  | <b>Section 7.1-7.2</b>            |   |                   |
| 7.3                            | Slope-Point Form                  | p377-381 (1, 2, 3, 4a, 5, 6ace, 7, 8, 11, 12, 14, 17)   |                   |
| 7.4                            | Parallel and Perpendicular Lines  | p390-394 (1 to 7, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16)<br><br>In-class: "Mini" IB project (group work)  |                   |
| <b>Quiz 2</b>                  | <b>Section 7.3-7.4</b>            |   |                   |
| Quick Review                   |                                   | Review 7.1-7.4 Handout  |                   |
| Chapter Review                 |                                   | p396-398 (all questions) (Optional)   |                   |
| Practice Test                  |                                   | p309-401 (Optional)   |                   |
| <b>Chapter 7 Test</b>          |                                   | HW, Quick Review and Provincial Exam Question WS will be checked on the unit test day.  |                   |
| <b>IB Project</b>              | <b>What is a line?</b>            | How can straight lines be used to create a design or composition?<br><br>How are different equations involving slope related or connected to one another? | Due: TBA          |

| Slope                                | Slope formula                     | Slope-Intercept | General Form      | Slope-Point Form       | Standard Form |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------------|---------------|
| $m = \frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}}$ | $m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$ | $y = mx + b$    | $Ax + By + C = 0$ | $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$ | $Ax + By = D$ |

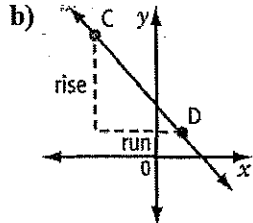
**Review: Linear Relation and Slope**

Slope =  $\frac{\text{vertical change}}{\text{horizontal change}}$  OR  $m = \frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}}$  OR *Slope formula*  $m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$

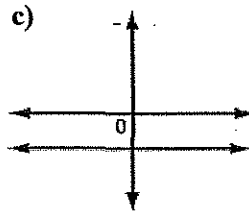
1. Slope of a line. Describe the slope,  $m$ , of each line



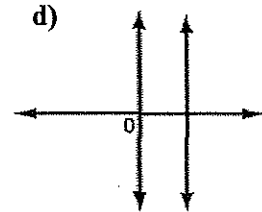
slope is \_\_\_\_\_



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2. For each linear relation, determine the pattern for the x and y variable and slope. Complete each table.

a)

| Time(s) | Distance(m) |
|---------|-------------|
| 1       | 4           |
| 3       | 10          |
| 5       | 16          |
| 7       | 22          |

Pattern \_\_\_\_\_

Slope \_\_\_\_\_

b)

| Time(s) | Distance(m) |
|---------|-------------|
| 0       | -6          |
| 2       | -11         |
| 4       |             |
| 6       | -22         |

Pattern \_\_\_\_\_

Slope \_\_\_\_\_

c)

| Time(s) | Distance(m) |
|---------|-------------|
| 1       |             |
| 3       | 6           |
| 5       | 7           |
| 7       |             |

Pattern \_\_\_\_\_

Slope \_\_\_\_\_

3. Identify the independent and dependent variable for each relation. Write an appropriate equation.

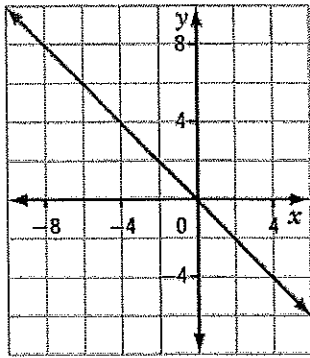
a) The student council rents a portable dunk tank for \$250 for a school fund raising activity. Students pay \$2 per ball,  $b$ , for the chance to hit a target and dunk a teacher into the tank. The total funds raised,  $f$ , will be used to support school activities. The independent variable is \_\_\_\_\_ and the dependent variable is \_\_\_\_\_. An equation for this relation is: \_\_\_\_\_.

b) The cost,  $C$ , to take students to Science World is \$80 to pre-book the field trip, and \$11.25 per student,  $n$ . The independent variable is \_\_\_\_\_ and the dependent variable is \_\_\_\_\_. An equation for this relation is: \_\_\_\_\_.

c) The taxi fee,  $T$ , is \$3.50 to start plus \$1.75 for each kilometre,  $k$ , travelled. The independent variable is \_\_\_\_\_ and the dependent variable is \_\_\_\_\_. An equation for this relation is: \_\_\_\_\_.

d) An oil delivery truck is filling the oil tank at John's house. The truck arrived with 3000 litres of oil. The number of litres of oil,  $l$ , remaining in the truck at  $t$  minutes decrease as at a rate of 80 litres per minute. The independent variable is \_\_\_\_\_ and the dependent variable is \_\_\_\_\_. An equation for this relation is: \_\_\_\_\_.

4. Determine the slope of the line on the graph using both methods.



a)  $slope = \frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}}$

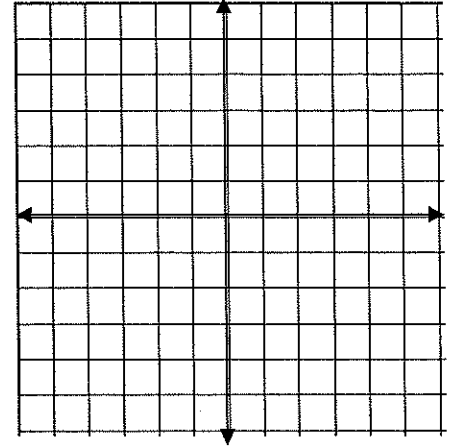
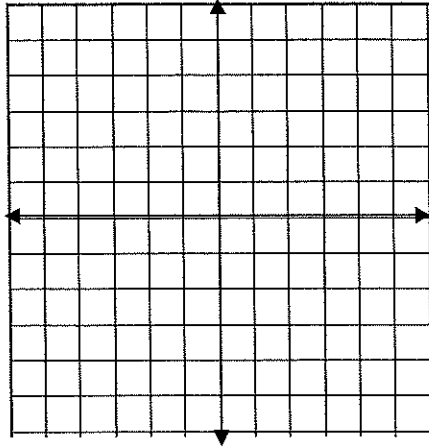
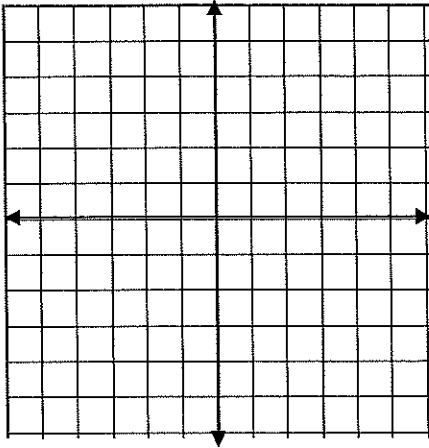
b) slope formula =  $\frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$

5. Graph the line that passes through the given point and slope,  $m$ .

a)  $(2, 2); m = -\frac{3}{4}$

b)  $(-3, -1); m = \frac{3}{2}$

c)  $(6, -4); m = -\frac{3}{5}$



6. Solve for  $k$ , given the following information.

a) A line contains points  $A(-2, 4)$  and  $B(3, k)$   
The slope of the line is  $-\frac{3}{5}$ .

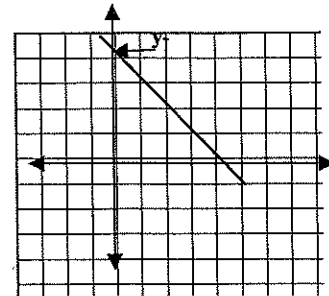
b) A line contains points  $A(1, -11)$  and  $B(k, -3)$   
The slope of the line is  $\frac{1}{4}$ .

**y-intercept:** the y coordinate of the point where a line or curve crosses the y-axis.  
 intercept(0,y)

To determine the y-intercept: If  $x=0$ ,  $y=?$  or the point  $(0, y)$

**Slope-intercept form:** the equation of a line in the form  $y = mx + b$ .

**Parameter:** a variable that has a constant value in a particular equation.



Slope-intercept form

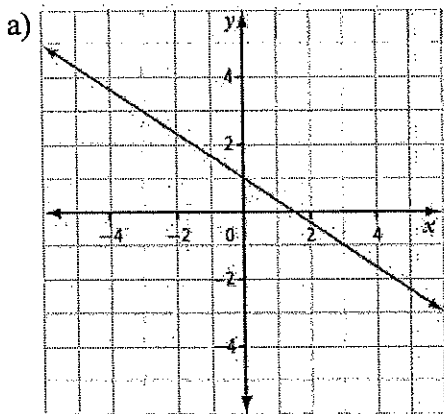
$$y = mx + b$$

↑  
slope

↑  
y-intercept

where  $m$  is the slope of the line and  $b$  is the y-intercept

Ex1. Using the graph, write the **equation** of a line in slope-intercept form,  $y = mx + b$ .

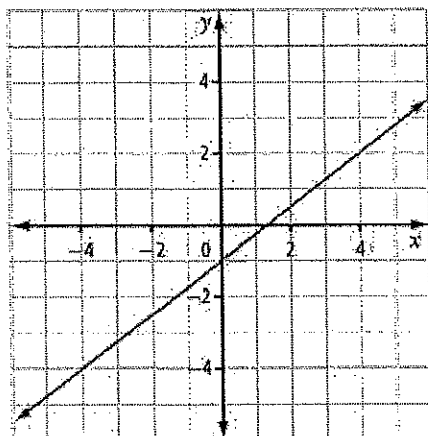


Step 1. Find the slope of the line.

Step 2. Find the y-intercept.  $(0, \underline{\quad})$

Step 3. Write the equation of the line.

b) Using the graph, write the equation in the slope-intercept form,  $y = mx + b$ .



Ex2. Express each equation in slope-intercept form,  $y = mx + b$ .

Determine the slope and y-intercept of each line. (Like solving an equation for y)

a)  $4x + 2y = 12$

b)  $12x - y = 8$

c)  $3x - 2y - 600 = 0$

Ex3. Given slope,  $m$ , and the y-intercept, write the equation in the form  $y = mx + b$ .

a)  $m = -6$ ; y-intercept = 4

b)  $m = 0$ ; y-intercept =  $4/7$

c)  $m = 2$ ; y-intercept =  $-5$

Ex4. Given the equation  $y = 4x + b$ , and a point on the graph of a line, find  $b$ .

a) (2,-4)

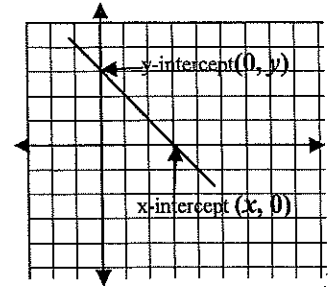
b) (-8, -5)

Ex5. Given the equation  $y = mx - 5$ , and a point on the graph of a line, find  $m$ .

a) (3,-4)

b) (-3, -5)

**x-intercept:** the x-coordinate of the point where a line or curve crosses the x-axis  
 To determine the x-intercept: If  $y=0$ ,  $x=?$  or the "x" value in the point  $(x, 0)$



**General Form:** the equation of a line in the form  $Ax + By + C = 0$

- A, B, and C are real numbers
- A and B are not both zero
- By convention, A is a whole number and A is positive

Ex1. Convert slope-intercept form to the General Form.

a)  $y = \frac{-2}{3}x + 6$

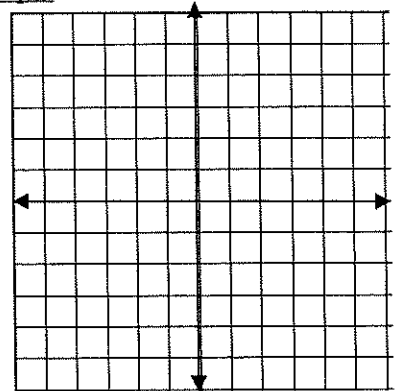
b)  $y = \frac{3}{4}x - 2$

c)  $y = \frac{1}{4}x + \frac{2}{3}$

Ex2. Given the linear equation  $2x - 3y - 6 = 0$ , sketch the graph using intercepts

a) Find the **x-intercept**  $(x, 0)$   
 by substituting  $y = 0$  in the equation.

b) Find the **y-intercept**  $(0, y)$   
 by substituting  $x = 0$  in the equation.



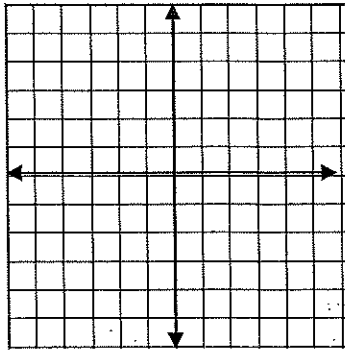
Ex3. Given the following equation, find the x-intercept and y-intercept.

a)  $y = 7x + 9$

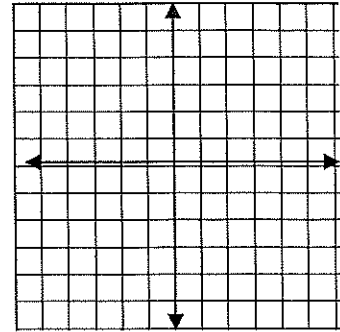
b)  $4x - 6y - 12 = 0$

Ex4. Identify Intercepts of Horizontal or Vertical lines. Then sketch each linear relation.  
 State the domain and range of each line graph.

a)  $y - 3 = 0$



b)  $x + 4.5 = 0$



Ex5. Identify the value of the unknown parameter (variable) in the equation.  
 Substitute the values of x and y from the given point. Then solve for the unknown variable.

a)  $Ax + 10y - 12 = 0$ , passing through  $(-6, 4)$

b)  $8x - 6y + C = 0$ , passing through  $(-4, -6)$

**Problem Solving. Interpreting Intercepts**

Ex5. Brooke wants to save \$336. She has two part-time jobs. On weekends, she works as a snowboard instructor and earns \$12 per hour. On weeknights, she earns \$16 per hour as a tutor.

- a) Write an equation to represent the number of hours worked as a snowboard instructor, S, and as a tutor, T.
- b) Find the S-intercept. What does the S-intercept represent?
- c) Find the T-intercept. What does the T-intercept represent?
- d) Suppose Brooke works 8 hours as a snowboard instructor. How many hours will she need to work as a tutor?

**Slope-Point form:** the equation of a non-vertical line in the form of  $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$   
 where  $m$  is the slope and  $(x_1, y_1)$  are the coordinates of a point on a line.

The slope-point form is developed from slope formula:  $m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$

**Ex1. Use the Slope-Point form to write the equation of a line, given a point on the line and the slope,  $m$ .**

a) Given  $(-2, 5)$  and slope  $= -3$

b) Given  $(3, -4)$  and slope  $= 2$

**Making the Connection: Relating slope-point, slope-intercept and the general form**

**Ex2. Determine the equation of each line using slope-point form, slope-intercept form and the general form.**

a) Given  $(-2, 5)$ ,  $m = 3$

b) Given  $(5, -1)$ ,  $m = 3/2$

c) Given  $(8, -3)$ ,  $m = -1/2$

Slope-point form:  
 $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$

Slope-intercept form:  
 $y = mx + b$

General Form:  
 $Ax + By + C = 0$

Standard Form:  
 $Ax + By = D$

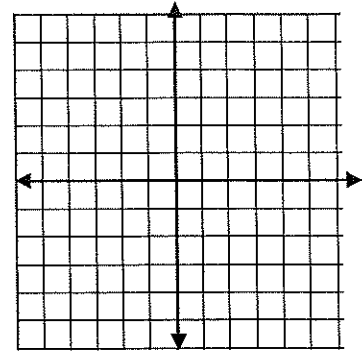


**Ex3.** Determine the equation of a line using two points.

Write an equation of the line through  $(3, -4)$  and  $(5, -1)$ .

Then write the equation in the general form. Graph the equation.

Step 1. Given  $(3, -4)$  and  $(5, -1)$ . Find slope (use slope formula).



Step 2. Since you have the slope and at least one point, use slope-point form,  $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$  to write an equation (Note: You can use either given point). Change slope-point form to the general form:  $Ax + By + C = 0$ .

**Ex4.** Determine if the equations are the same. (Hint: Change to slope-intercept form.)

a)  $y - 5 = 2(x - 4)$

b)  $y - 6 = 2(x - 10)$

c)  $y + 9 = 2(x + 3)$

Try these:

**Ex5.** What is the  $y$ -intercept of a line with a slope of  $\frac{1}{2}$  and an  $x$ -intercept of 4?

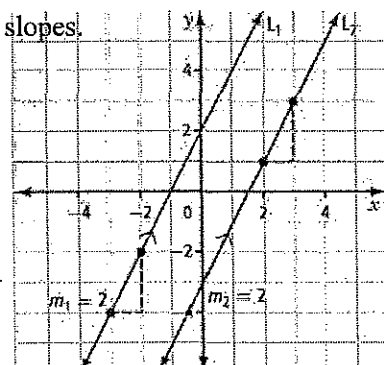
**Ex6.** Determine the  $x$ -intercept of a line through  $(3, 4)$  having a  $y$ -intercept of 2.

7.4 Parallel and Perpendicular Lines

The properties of parallel and perpendicular lines can give information about the slopes. Knowing the slopes can help you develop an equation.

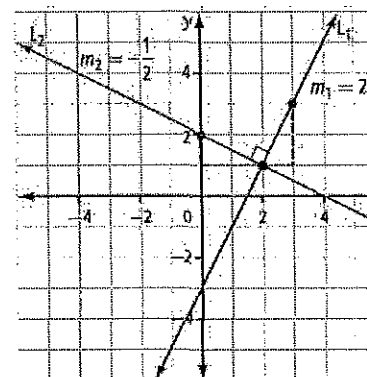
**Parallel lines:**

- Do not intersect
- have the **same slope** but **different intercepts**
- all horizontal lines, slope of zero, are parallel to each other
- all vertical lines, undefined slope, are also parallel to each other



**Perpendicular lines:**

- Two lines that intersect at right angles ( $90^\circ$ )
- The **slopes of two lines that are negative reciprocals** of each other
- The product of negative reciprocals is  $-1$ .
- A vertical line (undefined slope) and horizontal line (0 slope) are perpendicular.



**Ex1. Identify Parallel and Perpendicular Lines**

State whether the lines in each pair are parallel, perpendicular or neither.

a)  $y = 4x + 3$   
 $y = 4x - 5$

b)  $y = 3x - 6$   
 $y = -2/3x + 4$

c)  $y = 2x + 6$   
 $6x + 3y + 3 = 0$

d)  $y = 1/2x - 7$   
 $y = -2x - 7$

e)  $y = 3x - 4$   
 $y = 3x + 1/4$

f)  $y = 2/5x - 6$   
 $5x + 2y = 8$

### Write an Equation Involving a Parallel Line

**Ex2.** Write an equation parallel to:  
 $y = 3x - 4$  and passing through (2, 5)

Step 1. Determine slope,  $m =$  \_\_\_\_\_

Step 2. Given (2, 5) and slope, \_\_\_\_\_  
*Use slope-point form, then change to slope-intercept.*

**Ex3.** Write an equation parallel to:  
 $2x - y + 4 = 0$  and passing through (1, -6)

Step 1. Find slope by changing equation to slope-intercept form  
 $2x - y + 4 = 0$

Step 2. Given (1, -6) and slope, \_\_\_\_\_  
*Use slope-point form, then change to general form*

### Write an Equation Involving a Perpendicular Line

**Ex4.** Write an equation perpendicular to:  
 $y = 3x - 4$  and through (6, 5)

Step 1. Determine slope,  $m =$  \_\_\_\_\_  
The **negative reciprocal of slope** is \_\_\_\_\_.

Step 2. Given (6, 5); negative reciprocal slope \_\_\_\_\_  
*Use slope-point form, then change to slope-intercept.*

**Ex5.** Write an equation perpendicular to:  
 $2x - y + 4 = 0$  and through (1, -6)

Step 1. Find slope by changing equation to slope-intercept form  
Then find negative reciprocal of slope \_\_\_\_\_.

Step 2. Given (1, -6) and negative reciprocal slope, \_\_\_\_\_  
*Use slope-point form, then change to general form.*

*It's your turn.*

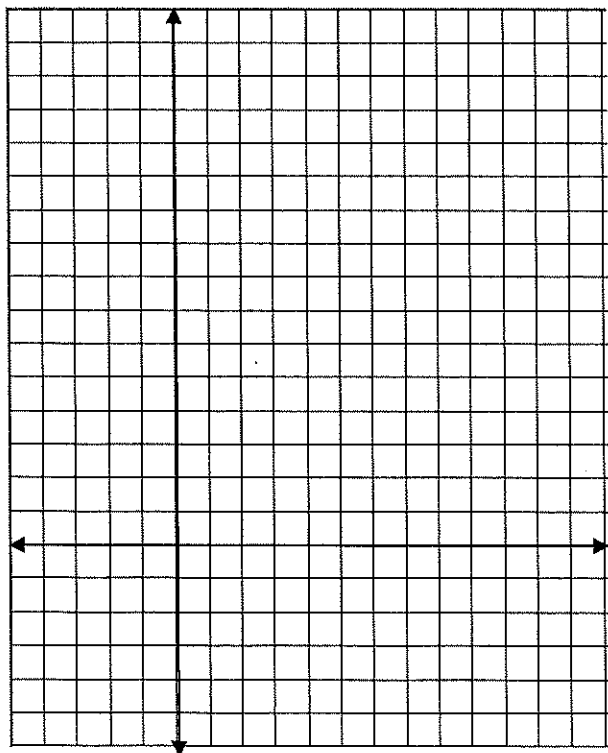
**Ex6.** Write a parallel line equation

A line is parallel to  $4x + y - 12 = 0$   
and passes through  $(8, -6)$

**Ex7.** Write a perpendicular line equation

A line is perpendicular to  $4x + y - 12 = 0$   
and passes through  $(8, -6)$

Graph and label the original line (L1), parallel line (L2), and perpendicular line (L3) for Ex6 and Ex7 above.



**Ex8.** For each pair of lines, determine if the lines are parallel.

- a) Line A contains points  $(-9, 2)$  and  $(-3, 4)$   
Line B contains points  $(-7, -7)$  and  $(1, -3)$

- b) Line C contains points  $(-4, 5)$  and  $(-2, -1)$   
Line D contains points  $(3, 3)$  and  $(6, -3)$

- Ex9.** Two lines are **parallel**. Determine  $k$ .  
Line P contains points  $(-2, -4)$  and  $(-1, -1)$   
Line Q contains points  $(6, -2)$  and  $(3, k)$

- Ex10.** Two lines are **perpendicular**. Determine  $k$ .  
Line P contains points  $(-2, -4)$  and  $(-1, -1)$   
Line Q contains points  $(6, -2)$  and  $(3, k)$

**Ex11.** Find the equation of a line perpendicular to  $2x + 5y + 10 = 0$  with the same  $x$ -intercept as  $3x - 2y = 12$ .