

Finding Slope From an Equation

Find the slope of each line.

1) $y = -\frac{5}{2}x - 5$

$-\frac{5}{2}$

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

$-\frac{4}{3}$

3) $y = -x + 3$

-1

4) $y = -4x - 1$

-4

5) $2x - y = 1$

2

6) $x + 2y = -8$

$-\frac{1}{2}$

7) $8x + 3y = -9$

$-\frac{8}{3}$

8) $4x + 5y = -10$

$-\frac{4}{5}$

9) $x - y = -2$

1

10) $4x - 3y = 9$

$\frac{4}{3}$

Finding Slope From Two Points

Find the slope of the line through each pair of points.

1) $(19, -16), (-7, -15)$

$$-\frac{1}{26}$$

2) $(1, -19), (-2, -7)$

$$-4$$

3) $(-4, 7), (-6, -4)$

$$\frac{11}{2}$$

4) $(20, 8), (9, 16)$

$$-\frac{8}{11}$$

5) $(17, -13), (17, 8)$

Undefined

6) $(19, 3), (20, 3)$

0

7) $(3, 0), (-11, -15)$

$$\frac{15}{14}$$

8) $(19, -2), (-11, 10)$

$$-\frac{2}{5}$$

9) $(6, -10), (-15, 15)$

$$-\frac{25}{21}$$

10) $(12, -18), (-15, -18)$

$$0$$

11) $(3, -20), (5, 8)$

$$14$$

12) $(15, 8), (-17, 9)$

$$-\frac{1}{32}$$

13) $(-19, 12), (-9, 1)$

$$-\frac{11}{10}$$

14) $(12, 2), (-7, 5)$

$$-\frac{3}{19}$$

15) $(6, -12), (15, -3)$

$$1$$

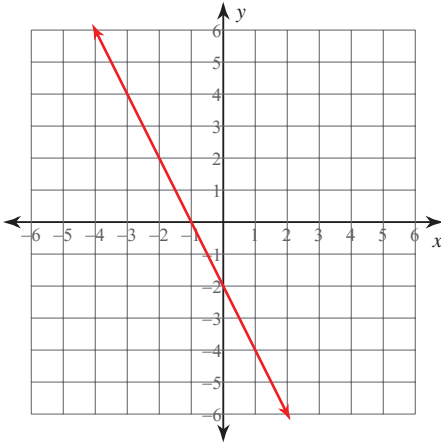
16) $(9, 3), (19, -17)$

$$-2$$

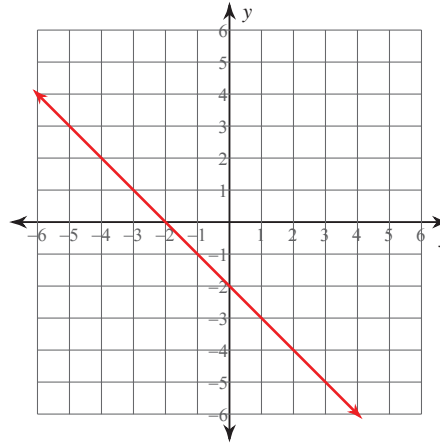
Review of Linear Equations

Sketch the graph of each line.

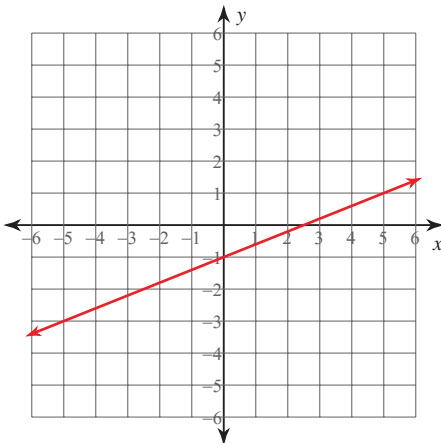
1) $y = -2x - 2$



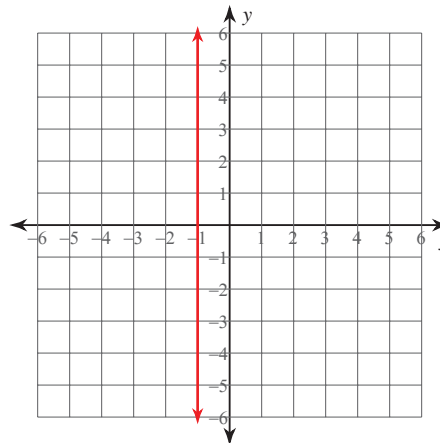
2) $y = -x - 2$



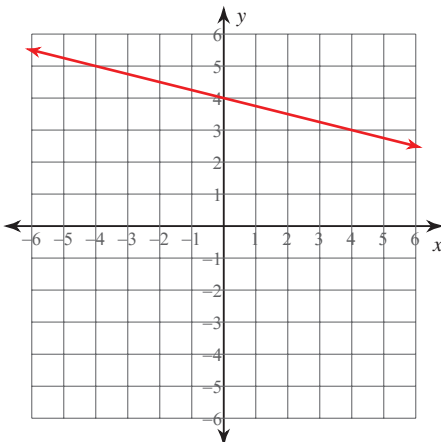
3) $2x - 5y = 5$



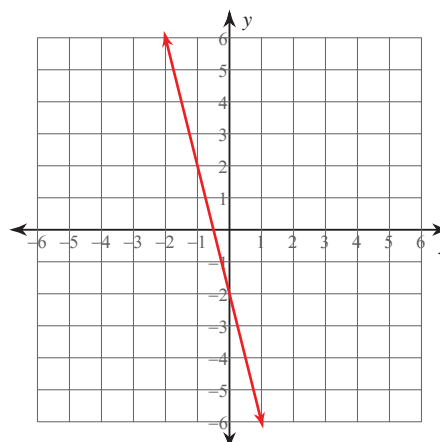
4) $x = -1$



5) $32 - 2x = 8y$



6) $0 = x + \frac{1}{4}y + \frac{1}{2}$



Write the standard form of the equation of each line given the slope and y-intercept.

7) Slope = $-\frac{3}{5}$, y-intercept = 5

$$3x + 5y = 25$$

8) Slope = 9, y-intercept = 4

$$9x - y = -4$$

Write the standard form of the equation of each line.

9) $y = -\frac{7}{5}x + 1$

$$7x + 5y = 5$$

10) $y = \frac{3}{2}x + 5$

$$3x - 2y = -10$$

11) $y + 4 = -7(x - 1)$

$$7x + y = 3$$

12) $y + 1 = -(x + 3)$

$$x + y = -4$$

13) $-10x - y = -5$

$$10x + y = 5$$

14) $-4 - 2y = -x$

$$x - 2y = 4$$

Write the standard form of the equation of the line through the given point with the given slope.

15) through: (4, -2), slope = -1

$$x + y = 2$$

16) through: (-2, 4), slope = $-\frac{1}{7}$

$$x + 7y = 26$$

Write the standard form of the equation of the line through the given points.

17) through: (-3, 2) and (0, -1)

$$x + y = -1$$

18) through: (0, 4) and (-1, -1)

$$5x - y = -4$$

Write the standard form of the equation of the line described.

19) through: (2, 0), parallel to $y = \frac{2}{3}x$

$$2x - 3y = 4$$

20) through: (-2, 4), parallel to $y = -\frac{3}{2}x + 3$

$$3x + 2y = 2$$

21) through: (2, 4), perp. to $y = -\frac{2}{7}x - 5$

$$7x - 2y = 6$$

22) through: (5, 0), perp. to $y = -x + 5$

$$x - y = 5$$

Word Problems

- 1) For babysitting, Nicole charges a flat fee of \$3, plus \$5 per hour. Write an equation for the cost, C , after h hours of babysitting. What do you think the slope and the y-intercept represent? How much money will she make if she baby-sits 5 hours?

$$C = 3 + 5h$$

Slope is the rate charged per hour

y-intercept is the initial fee

$$C = 3 + 5(5)$$

$$= \$28$$

- 2) A plumber charges \$25 for a service call plus \$50 per hour of service. Write an equation in slope-intercept form for the cost, C , after h hours of service. What will be the total cost for 8 hours of work? 10 hours of work?

$$C = 25 + 50h$$

$$\begin{aligned} C &= 25 + 50(8) \\ &= 25 + 400 \\ &= \$425 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} C &= 25 + 50(10) \\ &= 25 + 500 \\ &= \$525 \end{aligned}$$

- 3) A canoe rental service charges a \$20 transportation fee and \$30 dollars an hour to rent a canoe. Write and graph an equation representing the cost, y , of renting a canoe for x hours. What is the cost of renting the canoe for 6 hours?

$$y = 20 + 30x$$

$$y = 20 + 30(6)$$

$$y = 20 + 180$$

$$y = \$200$$

- 4) A caterer charges \$120 to cater a party for 15 people and \$200 for 25 people. Assume that the cost, y , is a linear function of the number of x people. Write an equation in slope-intercept form for this function. What does the slope represent? How much would a party for 40 people cost?

$$y = mx + b$$

$$m = \frac{200 - 120}{25 - 15}$$

$$m = 80/10$$

$$m = 8$$

$$200 = (8)(25) + b$$

$$b = 0$$

$$y = 8x$$

$$y = 8(40)$$

$$y = \$320$$

- 5) An attorney charges a fixed fee of \$250 for an initial meeting and \$150 per hour for all hours worked after that. Write an equation in slope-intercept form. Find the charge for 26 hours of work.

$$y = 150x + 250$$

$$y = 150(26) + 250$$

$$y = \$4150$$