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## Mathematics

### SECTION 2.1: REVIEW OF LINES

- Slope of a line between two points,  $m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$   $\frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}}$
- Equations of a Line,
  - Point-Slope Form:  $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$
  - Slope-Intercept Form:  $y = mx + b$
  - Standard Form:  $Ax + By = C$
  - Vertical Line:  $x = a$
  - Horizontal Line:  $y = b$
- Intercepts of a Line
  - $x$ -intercept:  $(x, 0)$
  - $y$ -intercept:  $(0, y)$
- Interpreting Change,  $m = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x}$

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Pr 1. Write the equation of the line given the slope which passes through the given point in the stated form.

(a)  $m = \frac{2}{7}$  and  $(-9, 11)$ , in point-slope form  $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$   $\checkmark$  don't forget the parentheses  $2(1+1) \neq 2 \cdot 1 + 1$   
 $y - 11 = \frac{2}{7}(x - (-9))$   
 $y - 11 = \frac{2}{7}(x + 9)$

(b)  $m = -\frac{5}{2}$  and  $(4, -7)$ , in slope-intercept form  $y = -\frac{5}{2}x + b$ , then solve for  $b$ .

$$y - (-7) = -\frac{5}{2}(x - 4) = -\frac{5}{2}x - \frac{5}{2}(-4) = -\frac{5}{2}x + 5.2$$

(c)  $m = \frac{6}{7}$  and  $(\frac{7}{2}, 0)$ , in standard form  $Ax + By = C$   
 $y - 0 = \frac{6}{7}(x - \frac{7}{2})$   
 $y = -\frac{5}{2}x + 10 - 7$   
 $y = -\frac{5}{2}x + 3$

(d)  $m = 0$  and  $(17, 20)$ , in standard form  $y = a$  constant  
 $y = 20$

$\frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}} \leftarrow \text{no rise}$   
horizontal or vertical

$$y = \frac{6}{7}x - \frac{6 \cdot 7}{7} \quad y = \frac{6}{7}x - 3 \rightarrow -\frac{6}{7}x + y = -3$$
$$-\frac{6}{7}x - \frac{6}{7}x \quad -6x + 7y = -3 \cdot 7$$
$$-6x + 7y = -21$$

e)  $m$  is undefined  $\rightarrow$  vertical line  $x = 17$

Pr 2. Write the equation of the line that passes through the given pair of points, in the stated form. we need  $m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$

(a)  $(2, -5)$  and  $(-9, 11)$  in point-slope form

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$m = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{11 - (-5)}{-9 - 2} = \frac{11 + 5}{-9 - 2} = \frac{16}{-11} = -\frac{16}{11}$$

$$\boxed{y - (-5) = -\frac{16}{11}(x - 2)} \quad \text{or}$$

$$\boxed{y - 11 = -\frac{16}{11}(x - (-9))}$$

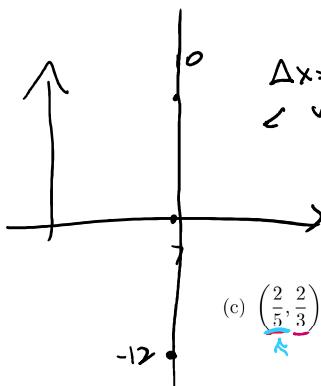
(b)  $(7, 10)$  and  $(7, -12)$  in slope-intercept form

$$m = \frac{-12 - 10}{7 - 7} = \frac{-22}{0} ?$$

There is no slope

$\Delta x = 0$   
vertical

The slope-intercept form  
does not exist



standard form  $\rightarrow x = 7$

(c)  $\left(\frac{2}{5}, \frac{2}{3}\right)$  and  $\left(\frac{2}{5}, -\frac{7}{11}\right)$  in standard form

$m$  is undefined

vertical line

$$\boxed{x = \frac{2}{5}}$$

$$m = \frac{-\frac{7}{11} - \frac{2}{3}}{\frac{2}{5} - \frac{2}{5}} = \frac{-\frac{7}{11} - \frac{2}{3}}{0} = \frac{3 \cdot (-7)}{3 \cdot 11} - \frac{2 \cdot 11}{3 \cdot 11} = \frac{-21 - 22}{33} = \frac{-43}{33} = \text{messy}$$

$$Ax + By = C$$

$$A=1, B=0, C=\frac{2}{5}$$

$$\begin{aligned} I_x &= x & x + 0y &= \frac{2}{5} \\ x + 0 &= \frac{2}{5} & x + 0 &= \frac{2}{5} \\ && \downarrow & \\ && x &= \frac{2}{5} \end{aligned}$$

(d) intersects the  $y$ -axis at  $y = 7$  and the  $x$ -axis at  $x = -6$  in standard form

$y$ -intercept  $(0, 7)$

$x$ -intercept  $(-6, 0)$

$$\underline{Ax + By = C}$$

$$m = \frac{0 - 7}{-6 - 0} = \frac{-7}{-6} = \frac{7}{6}$$

$$y = \frac{7}{6}x + b \rightarrow \text{y-coordinate of } y\text{-intercept}$$

$$\begin{aligned} y &= \frac{7}{6}x + 7 \\ -\frac{7}{6}t &= -\frac{7}{6}x \end{aligned}$$

$$-\frac{7}{6}x + 4 = 7 \quad (\text{multiply through by } 6)$$

$$8 - \frac{7}{6}x + 6y = 6 \cdot 7$$

$$\boxed{-7x + 6y = 42}$$

$$\boxed{7x - 6y = -42}$$

Pr 3. Determine the slope, and the  $x$ - and  $y$ -intercepts without graphing. Write the coordinates of each intercept. Then use the points to graph each line.

line 1  $\rightarrow$  (a)  $5x - 6y = 30$

Standard form

$$m = \frac{5}{6}$$

Approach 1:  $y$ -intercept:  $(0, -5)$

Approach 2: set  $x=0$   
 $5(0) - 6y = 30$

$5x - 6y = 30 \rightarrow$  convert from standard form to slope-intercept

$$\begin{aligned} -5x & \\ -6y & = -5x + 30 \\ -6 & \end{aligned}$$

$$y = \frac{-5}{-6}x + \frac{30}{-6} = \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)x - 5$$

$$x\text{-intercept: Set } y=0 \quad (a, 0) = (6, 0)$$

$$\begin{aligned} 5x - 6(0) &= 30 \\ 5x - 0 &= 30 \\ 5x &= 30 \\ \frac{5}{5}x &= \frac{30}{5} \end{aligned}$$

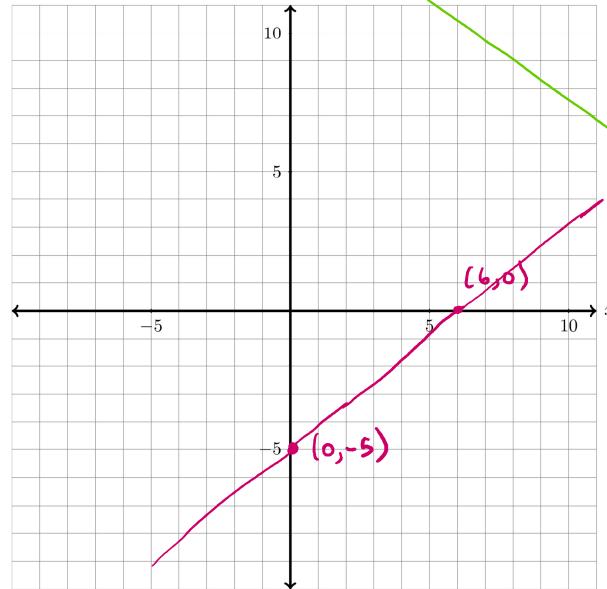
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{5}{6}x &= c \cdot \frac{b}{a} \\ x &= \frac{b}{a} \cdot c \end{aligned}$$

$$y = \frac{-2}{3} \cdot \frac{3}{2}x + \frac{3}{2} \cdot 12$$

$$y = -1x + 18 \rightarrow y\text{-intercept } (0, 18)$$

$$x\text{-intercept: Set } y=0$$

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= -x + 18 \\ +x &+x \\ x &= 18 \leftarrow \text{not } x\text{-intercept} \quad (18, 0) \end{aligned}$$



find slope, x - and y- intercepts

(c)  $x = -4$

$x=c$   
vertical  
 $(c, 0)$

slope is undefined (DNE for "does not exist" in WebAssign)

x-intercept: set  $y=0$   
 $x=-4$  (no  $y$  variable)  
 $(-4, 0)$

y-intercept: set  $x=0 \rightarrow 0=-4$   
No y-intercept

(d)  $y = 7$

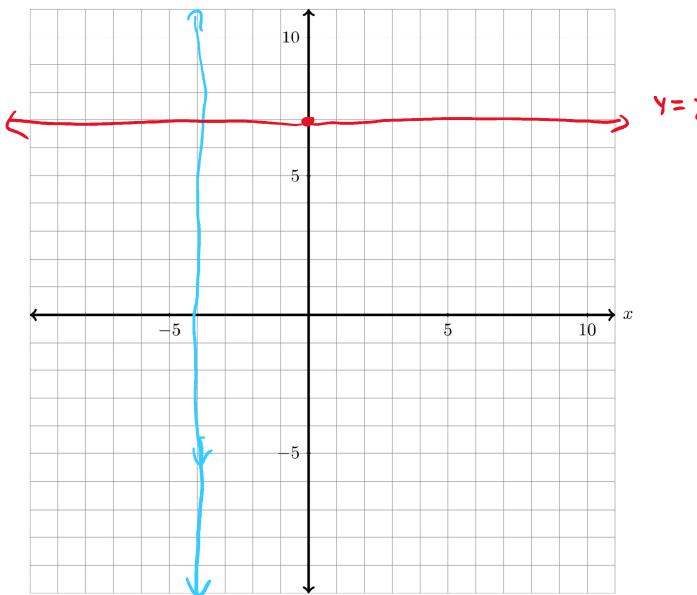
horizontal line  
 $y = 0x + 7$

$y=c$

y-intercept: set  $x=0, y=7$   
 $(0, 7)$   
 $(0, c)$

No x-intercept  $\rightarrow$  set  $y=0, 0=7 ?$

$x=-4$



standard form.

Pr 4. (a) Given the line  $3x - 2y = -8$ , if  $x$  increases by 3 units, what is the corresponding change in  $y$ ?

$$m = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{\Delta y}{3}$$

what is  $m$ ?

$$3x - 2y = -8$$

$$\cancel{-3x} \quad \cancel{-3x}$$

$$\frac{-2y}{-2} = \frac{-3x - 8}{-2}$$

$$y = \frac{-3}{-2}x - \frac{8}{-2} = \frac{3}{2}x + 4$$

(b) Given the line  $y = \frac{1}{2}x + 4$ , if  $x$  decreases by 7 units, what is the corresponding change in  $y$ ?

$$\frac{1}{2} = m = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{\Delta y}{-7}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \cancel{x} \frac{\Delta y}{-7}$$

$$1 \cdot (-7) = 2 \cdot \Delta y$$

$$\frac{-7}{2} = \frac{2 \Delta y}{2}$$

point-slope

$$\Delta y = -7/2$$

$y$  decreases

$\Delta y + 7/2$  units

(c) Given the line  $y = 3(x + 2) - 5$ . If  $y$  decreases by 9 units, what is the corresponding change in  $x$ ?

$$\Delta y = -9$$

solve for  $\Delta x$

$$3 = m = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{-9}{\Delta x}$$

$$\frac{-9}{\Delta x} = \frac{3}{1} \rightarrow -9 \cdot 1 = 3 \cdot \Delta x$$

or

$$4 \cdot \frac{-9}{\Delta x} = 3 \Delta x$$

$$\frac{3 \Delta x}{3} = -9$$

$$\Delta x = -9/3 = -3$$

$x$  decreases by 3 units

$m > 0 \rightarrow \Delta x > 0$  if and only if  $\Delta y > 0$

$m < 0 \rightarrow \Delta x > 0$  if and only if  $\Delta y < 0$

SECTION 2.2: MODELING WITH LINEAR FUNCTIONS

- Linear Depreciation,  $V(t) = mt + b$  → variable is  $t$ , in years after purchase
- Cost, variable cost + fixed costs  $C(x) = mx + F$  →  $m$  = production cost
- Revenue, price per item times quantity sold  $R(x) = px$
- Profit, revenue minus cost  $P(x) = R(x) - C(x)$  → lower case  $p$
- Demand,  $D(x) = p(x) = mx + b$
- Supply,  $S(x) = p(x) = mx + b$

Pr 1. A piece of machinery is purchased. After 15 months, it has a value of \$225,000 and that same machinery has a value of \$165,000 after 5 years.

- (a) Assuming the value of the machinery depreciates at a constant rate each year, determine the rate of depreciation.

$$\text{rate of depreciation} = |m| \quad m < 0$$

$$\frac{15}{12} = \frac{5.3}{4.3} = \frac{5}{4} = 1.25$$

$$\begin{aligned} & X(15, 225000) \\ & (5, 165000) \quad \} \text{ this gives } m > 0 \\ & \rightarrow \left(\frac{15}{12}, 225000\right) = (1.25, 225000) \end{aligned}$$

- (b) Write the linear depreciation model for the value of the machinery,  $V$ , after  $t$  years.

$$V(t) = mt + b$$

$$m = -16000$$

$$m = \frac{165000 - 225000}{5 - 1.25}$$

$$= \frac{-60000}{3.75}$$

$$= -16000 \rightarrow \text{slope}$$

$$-\boxed{16000}$$

$\boxed{16000}$

$$V(t) - 165000 = -16000(t - 5)$$

$$\begin{aligned} V(t) &= -16000(t - 5) + 165000 \\ &= -16000t + 16000 \times 5 + 165000 \end{aligned}$$

$$V(t) = 16000t + 245000$$

- (c) What is the initial value of the machinery?

$$V(0) = m \cdot 0 + b = b$$

$$V(0) = \$245,000$$

$$165000 = V(5) = -16000(5) + b \text{ and solve for } b$$

- (d) If the machinery reaches scrap value in 15 years, what is the scrap value of the machinery?

$V(15)$  is the scrap <sup>"P"</sup> value

$$V(15) = -16000(15) + 245000$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= -240000 + 245000 \\ &= \boxed{\$5,000} \end{aligned}$$

The scrap value is \$5,000

$$V(16) = 5,000$$

### cost / revenue / profit

$$\text{Profit} = \text{Revenue} - \text{Cost}$$

Pr 2. Ted runs a food truck that sells gyros. The cost of maintaining the food truck is \$255 per week. The stand makes a profit of \$145 when 50 gyros are sold in a week. If only 20 gyros are sold, Ted knows the total cost for that week is \$295.

(a) Write the cost function for producing  $x$  gyros at Ted's food truck (per week).

$$C(x) = mx + F \quad F = 255$$

\$255 - fixed cost

cost  
 $(20, 295)$   
↑  
quantity dollars

find  $m$

$$295 = C(20) = m(20) + 255$$

$$295 = 20m + 255$$

$$-255 \quad -255$$

$$\frac{40}{20} = \frac{20m}{20}$$

$$C(x) = 2x + 255$$

$m = \$2$  ← production cost

$(50, 145)$   
↓  
cost to make  
50 years ≠ 145

(b) Write the revenue function for the sale of  $x$  gyros at Ted's food truck.

$$R(x) = mx (+0)$$

given revenue of  $P$  dollars  
for  $x$  items

Profit = Revenue - Cost

Profit + Cost = Revenue

$$C(50) = ?$$

$$C(50) = 2 \cdot (50) + 255$$

$$= 100 + 255$$

$$= 355$$

$$R(x) = 10x$$

$$R(50) = 145 + 355 = 500 \rightarrow \text{not revenue function}$$

$$500 = R(50) = P \cdot 50$$

$$\frac{500}{50} = \frac{50P}{50}$$

(c) Write the profit function for producing and selling  $x$  gyros.

Approach I:

$$P(x) = R(x) - C(x)$$

$$= 10x - (2x + 255)$$

$$= 10x - 2x - 255$$

$$P(x) = 8x - 255$$

$P = 10$ ,  $P = \text{sales}$

$\Rightarrow \text{price}$   
don't forget  
( )

$$C(x) = mx + F$$

$\nearrow$  both positive

$$P(x) = mx + b$$

$\uparrow$  positive      negative

*Supplier*      *Supply / demand*      *y-coordinate is always money*

**Pr 3.** Mintando is a video game company that decides to make a new console, and GameStomp decides to carry it. Mintando will supply 300 thousand consoles to GameStomp if the sales price of the console is \$200. If the sales price increases by \$50, then Mintando will supply 25 thousand more consoles. Consumers will not buy the console at all if the price is \$400, but will buy 600 thousand consoles if the price is \$250.

*Supply side*

*Demand*

(a) Write the demand function for consumers demanding x thousand consoles at a price of p dollars.

$$D(x) = mx + b$$

(600, \$250)

(0, \$400)

*y-intercept*

$$m = \frac{400 - 250}{0 - 600} = \frac{150}{-600}$$

$$= -\frac{150}{600} = -\frac{1}{4}$$

$$D(x) = -\frac{1}{4}x + 400$$

$$D(x) - y_1 = -\frac{1}{4}(x - x_1) \dots$$

$$S(x) = mx + b$$

↑  
positive

$$D(x) = mx + b$$

↑  
negative

*x is thousands of consoles*  
*y is dollars..*

(b) Write the supply function for Mintando to provide x thousand consoles when the sales price of the console is p dollars.

(300, \$200)

(25, \$50) →

*not a point*

*increase supply*    *price by \$50, → Δp*  
*increases by 25 → Δx*

$$m = \frac{\Delta p}{\Delta x} < \text{money } \underline{\text{always}} \text{ on top}$$

$$m = \frac{50}{25} = 2 \quad \checkmark$$

$$S(x) = mx + b$$

$$S(x) - \$200 = 2(x - 300)$$

$$S(x) = 2\overbrace{(x - 300)}^{} + 200$$

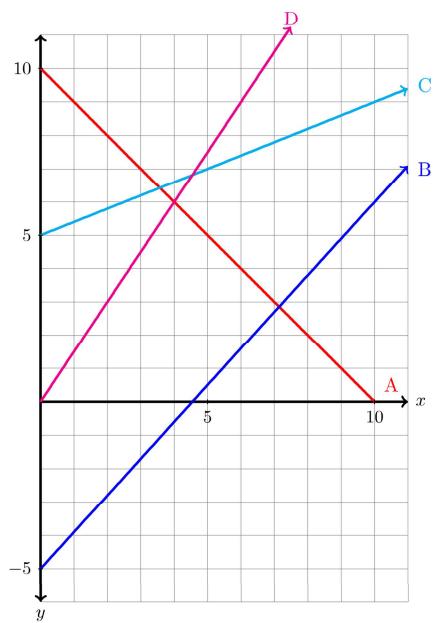
$$= 2x - 2 \cdot 300 + 200$$

$$= 2x - 600 + 200$$

$$= 2x - 400$$

$$\boxed{S(x) = 2x - 400}$$

**Pr 4.** Which of the following lines graphed below could be the graphs of a supply, demand, cost, revenue, or profit function? Explain your answer.



- (a) Lines that could be graphs of Cost functions:
- (b) Lines that could be graphs of Revenue functions:
- (c) Lines that could be graphs of Profit functions:
- (d) Lines that could be graphs of demand functions:
- (e) Lines that could be graphs of supply functions: