

Standard Form of Linear Equations  
Notes

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Write the equation for STANDARD FORM:  $Ax + By = C$

A, B, C must be integers and A must be positive

Write each of the following equations in standard form.

$$1) y = \left(-\frac{1}{4}x + 2\right) \cdot 4$$

$$4y = -x + 8$$

$$x + 4y = 8$$

$$3) y - 4 = -2(x + 5)$$

$$y - 4 = -2x + 10$$

$$y = -2x + 14$$

$$2x + y = 14$$

$$2) y = 5x + 8$$

$$-1(-5x + y) = (8) - 1$$

$$5x + -y = -8$$

$$4) y + 3 = \frac{2}{5}(x + 10)$$

$$y + 3 = \frac{2}{5}x + -4$$

$$y = \frac{2}{5}x + -7$$

$$-5\left(-\frac{2}{5}x + y\right) = (-7) \cdot 5$$

$$2x + -5y = -35$$

$$\frac{2}{5} \cdot \frac{10}{1} = \frac{-4}{1}$$

Graph the equation of the line using the x-intercept and y-intercept.

$$5) -2x + 4y = 16$$

x-intercept:  $(-8, 0)$  (where  $y = 0$ )

y-intercept:  $(0, 4)$  (where  $x = 0$ )

$$-2 \cdot 0 + 4y = 16$$

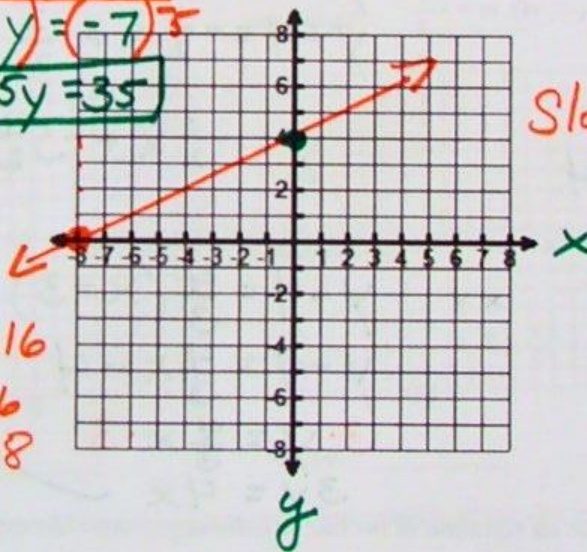
$$4y = 16$$

$$y = 4$$

$$-2x + 4(0) = 16$$

$$-2x = 16$$

$$x = -8$$



Slope:  $\frac{4}{8} = \frac{1}{2}$

What is the formula for calculating slope?

$$\text{slope, } m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

Write the equation for POINT-SLOPE FORM:

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1) \quad m = \text{slope} \quad (x_1, y_1) = \text{a point}$$

Write the equation for SLOPE-INTERCEPT FORM:

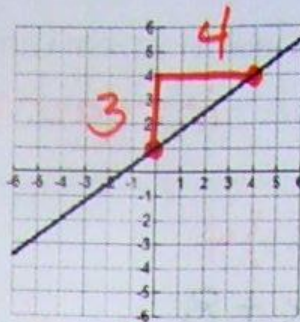
$$y = mx + b \quad m = \text{slope}, \quad b = \text{y-intercept}$$

Write the equation of the line in slope intercept form with the given slope and y-intercept.

6) slope: -2  
y-int: (0,3)

$$m = -2 \quad b = 3 \quad y = -2x + 3$$

7) Write the equation of the line shown in slope-intercept form.



Slope:  $\frac{3}{4}$  y-int: 1 or (0, 1)

7.  $y = \frac{3}{4}x + 1$

Write an equation in point slope and slope intercept form of a line that passes through the given point and has the given slope  $m$ .

8)  $(-3, -4); m = -\frac{1}{2}$

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

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

8 Point-slope form  $y + 4 = -\frac{1}{2}(x + 3)$

Slope-intercept form  $y = -\frac{1}{2}x - 5\frac{1}{2}$

$$\frac{3}{2} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$-1\frac{1}{2} + 4$$

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

Write an equation in standard form of a line that has the given slope and the passes through the given point.

9)  $m = \frac{4}{3}, (3, 4)$

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

$$y - 4 = \frac{4}{3}x - 4$$

$$3 \cdot y = \frac{4}{3}x \cdot 3$$

$$3y = 4x$$

9.  $4x - 3y = 0$

$$-(4x + 3y) = (0) - 1$$

Write an equation of the line in point-slope, slope-intercept and standard form that passes through the given 2 points.

10.) (1, -2) and (-1, 3)

1st Slope:  $\frac{-2 + 3}{1 + 1} = \frac{1}{2}$

2nd Pick a point & write point-slope form

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

$$y = -\frac{5}{2}x + \frac{5}{2} - 2$$

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

10. Point-slope form  $y + 2 = -\frac{5}{2}(x - 1)$

Slope-intercept form  $y = -\frac{5}{2}x + \frac{1}{2}$

Standard form  $5x + 2y = 1$

4th Transform to standard form

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

$$2y = -5x + 1$$

$$+5x \quad +5x$$

$$5x + 2y = 1$$

3rd Transform to  $y = mx + b$

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Homework

Write each of the following equations in standard form.

$Ax + By = C$

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

2)  $y = 2x + 7$

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

4)  $y + 4 = -6(x - 2)$

5)  $y - 4 = -\frac{3}{4}(x - 16)$

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

Graph the standard form of the equation of the line using the x-intercept and y-intercept. Identify the slope from the graph.

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

8)  $x + 4y = -8$

9)  $2x - 6y = -12$

x-intercept:  $(\underline{\quad}, \underline{0})$

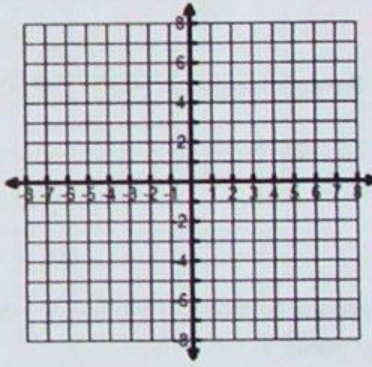
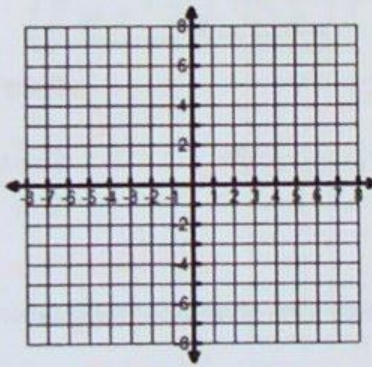
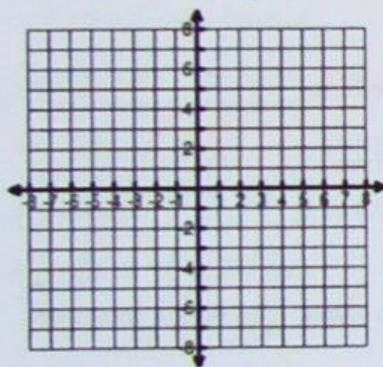
x-intercept: \_\_\_\_\_

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y-intercept:  $(\underline{0}, \underline{\quad})$

y-intercept: \_\_\_\_\_

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Slope: \_\_\_\_\_

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Write the equation of the line in slope intercept form and standard form given information about the graph.

10) slope is 2 and the y-intercept is -4

Slope intercept form \_\_\_\_\_

Standard form \_\_\_\_\_

11) through the points (1, -3) and (4, 3)

Slope intercept form \_\_\_\_\_

Standard form \_\_\_\_\_