

Solve linear Equations

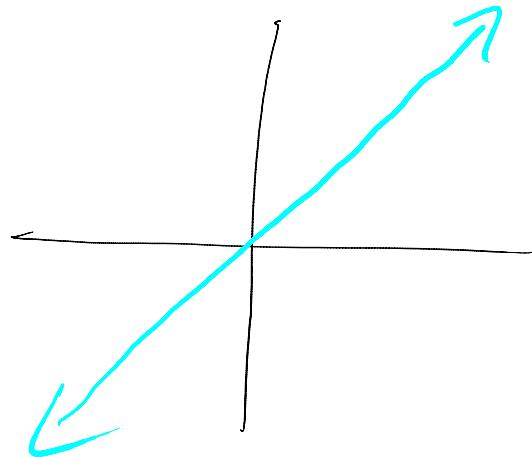
by Graphing

(it's easier to solve algebraically)

Parent Functions

- simplest form of a function
- linear

$$y = x$$



Parent: $f(x) = x$
Shape: line

Domain: $\mathbb{R} (-\infty, \infty)$

Range: $\mathbb{R} (-\infty, \infty)$

Solutions (or roots) of an equation
is any value that makes the equation
true.

- Linear equations can have
AT MOST one root
- Values of x for which
 $f(x) = 0$ are called zeros.

↳ Graphically zeros are
 x -intercepts

Ex: $y = 2x - 8$. Find a zero.

Solve $0 = 2x - 8$

$$x = 4$$

Notations:

4 is the x -intercept of $y = 2x - 8$

4 is the solution of $0 = 2x - 8$

4 is the root of $0 = 2x - 8$

4 is the zero of $f(x) = 2x - 8$

Forms of Linear Equations

① Standard Form: $Ax + By = C$

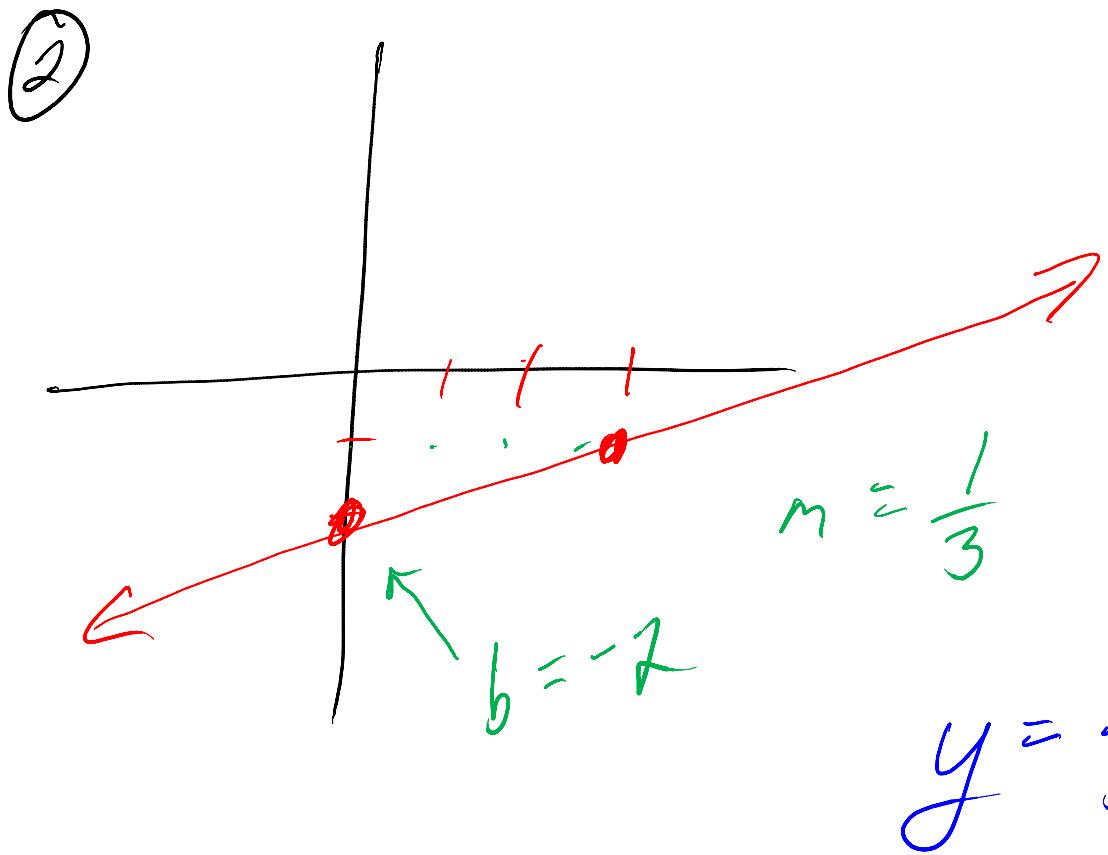
② Point-Slope Form

③ Slope-Intercept Form

* $y = mx + b$

y-coord slope y-coord y-intercept

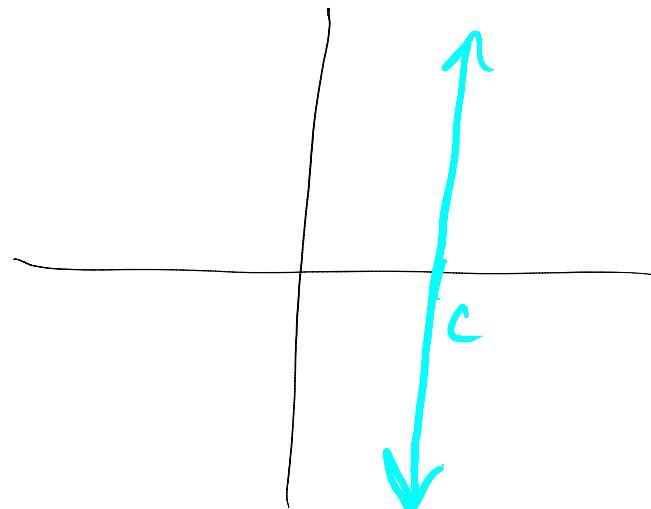
① $m = -\frac{2}{3}$ $(0, 5) \rightarrow y = -\frac{2}{3}x + 5$



Vertical Lines (VUX)

- slope is undefined

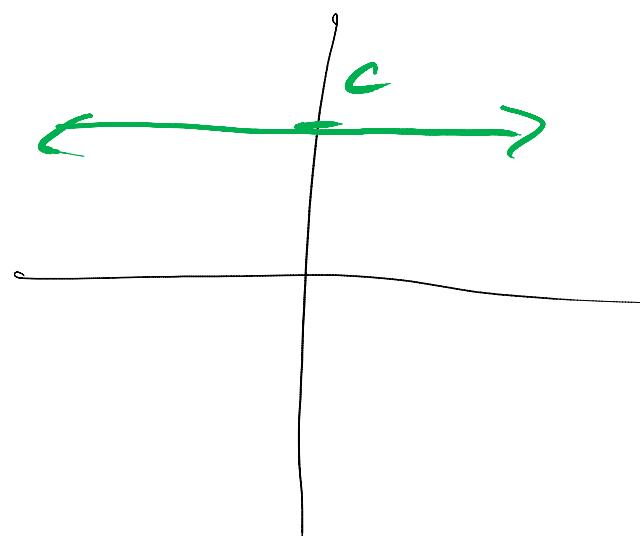
$x = c$



Horizontal Lines HOY

- slope = 0

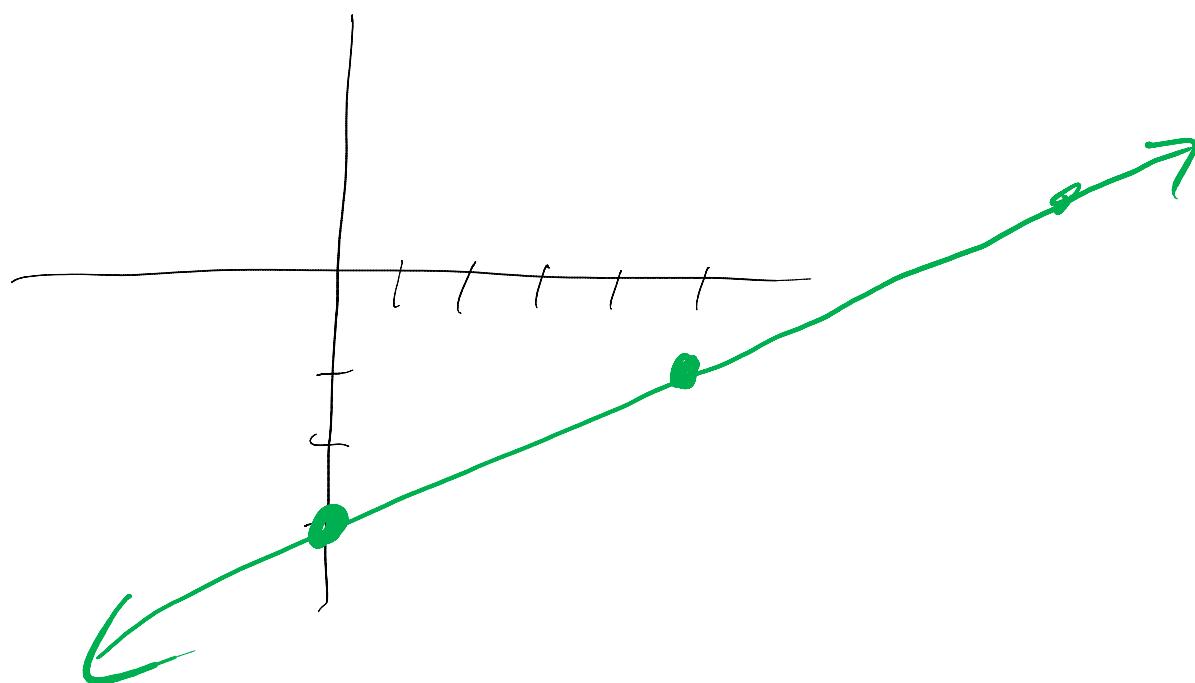
$y = c$



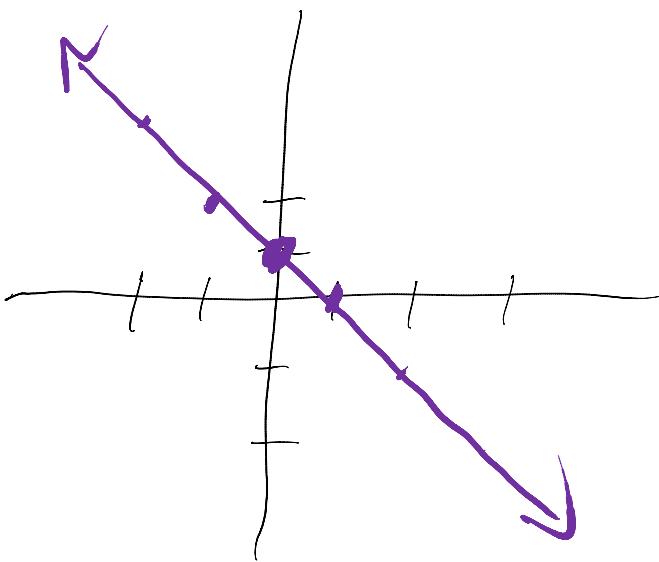
Graphing from Slope-Intercept

- ① Graph y-int ($0, b$)
- ② Use slope to find next point.
- ③ Connect dots

Ex: $y = \frac{2}{5}x - 3$



Ex: $y = -x + 1$



~~Ex: $2x - 3y = 6$~~

~~$-2x$~~ ~~$-2x$~~

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

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

$$m = \frac{2}{3} \quad y\text{-int: } -2$$

Ex: $3x + 5y = 20$

A B C

↑
A
↑
B
↑
C

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

Slope from Standard Form:

$$m = -\frac{A}{B}$$

$$y\text{-int} = \frac{C}{B}$$

② Point-Slope Form

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

where m is the slope

(x_1, y_1) is a point

Ex: slope: $\frac{1}{3}$ point: $(2, 6)$

m $x_1 \quad y_1$

P-S:

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

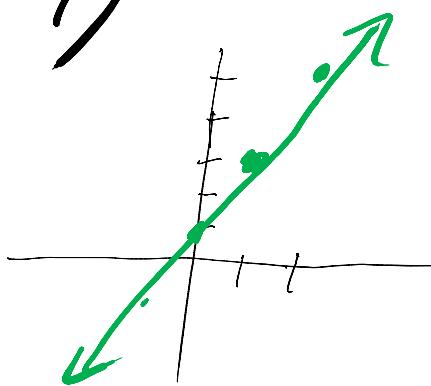
Graph using P-S.

- ① Graph the point
- ② Use slope to find next

Ex: $y - 3 = 2(x - 1)$

point: $(1, 3)$

slope: 2



$$\text{Ex: } y - 5 = -\frac{1}{2}(x + 3)$$

point: (-3, 5)

slope: $-\frac{1}{2}$

Convert P-S to S-I

$$y + 10 = -\frac{1}{4}(x - 8)$$

D Distribute

$$\cancel{y + 10} = -\frac{1}{4}x + 2$$

~~-10~~ ~~-10~~

$$\boxed{y = -\frac{1}{4}x - 8}$$

Write an equation of a line

with $m = 2$ and goes through $(1, -5)$

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

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

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

$$\boxed{y = 2x - 7}$$

$$y = mx + b$$

$$-5 = 2(1) + b$$

$$-5 = 2 + b$$

$$b = -7$$

$$\boxed{y = 2x - 7}$$

Write eq of vertical line

thru $(-3, 8)$

$$\boxed{x = -3}$$

Parallel and Perpendicular

Parallel Lines -

Two lines are parallel if and only if (\iff , \leftrightarrow) they have the same slope and different intercepts

Perpendicular Lines:

... iff their slopes are

opposite-reciprocal

$$(+,-) \quad \left(\frac{a}{b}, \frac{b}{a} \right)$$

$$m_1 \cdot m_2 = -1$$

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