

Find the slope between the following pairs of points:

Bellwork

- $x_1$   $y_1$        $x_2$   $y_2$
1. (3, -4) and (-5, 8)
  2. (-10, 3) and (6, -1)

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

$$m = \frac{8 - (-4)}{-5 - 3} = \frac{12}{-8} = -1.5 \text{ OR } -\frac{3}{2}$$

$$m = \frac{-1 - 3}{6 - (-10)} = \frac{-4}{16} = -\frac{1}{4} \text{ OR } -0.25$$

8/25 How do I write equations of lines?

Point-Slope  
 $(x_1, y_1)$   $m$

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

$y_1, x_1, m$  = will be numbers

Ex. Write the equation of the line in point-slope form that passes through  $(-2, 3)$  & has a  $m = -\frac{4}{5}$ .

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$x_1$   $y_1$

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

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

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

$$\text{Ex. \#2 } (-4, -7) \quad m = -1$$

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point-slope

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

$$\text{Ex. \#3 } (2, -3) \quad m = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$x_1 \quad y_1$

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

$$y = mx + b$$

slope - intercept

→ Distribute  $-\frac{1}{2}$

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

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

Ex. Write in slope-intercept.  
 $m=3$   $(-1, -5)$ .

START w/ point-slope!

$$y + 5 = 3(x + 1)$$

Distribute 3

$$y + 5 = 3x + 3$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -5 \quad -5 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$y = 3x - 2$$

Ex. Write in slope-intercept form:  $m = -\frac{1}{3}$   $(-6, 4)$ .

$$y - 4 = -\frac{1}{3}(x + 6)$$

Distribute  $-\frac{1}{3}$

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

$+4$   $+4$

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

Ex. Write in slope-intercept form:

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

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

Ex. Write in slope-intercept form:

$(3, -3)$   $(-3, -5)$

1<sup>st</sup> Find slope

$$\frac{-5 - -3}{-3 - 3} = \frac{-2}{-6} = \frac{1}{3}$$

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

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

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

8-25: How do I write equations of lines?

$y = mx + b$  slope-intercept form

$x = 1$  is an example of a vertical line

$y = 1$  is an example of a horizontal line

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

Point-Slope Form

$$m \quad (x_1, y_1)$$

Ex. Write in point-slope form:

$$m = -2 \quad \left( \overset{x_1}{-3}, \overset{y_1}{5} \right)$$

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

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

Ex. Write in point-slope form:  $(x_1, y_1) = (4, -3)$   $m = \frac{1}{2}$ .

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

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

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

$$\begin{array}{ccc} -3 & & -3 \end{array}$$

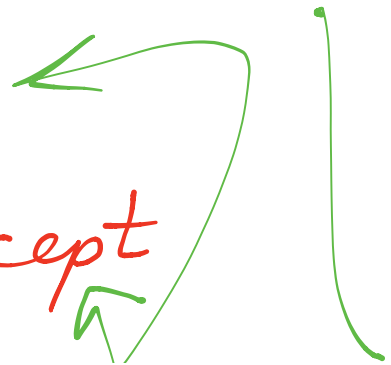
$$y = \frac{1}{2}x - 5$$

slope  
intercept

Ex.  $m = -\frac{2}{3}$   $(-6, -1)$

① point-slope

② slope intercept





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

Distribute  $-\frac{2}{3}$

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

$-1 \qquad -1$

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

You try:

① point slope and slope-int  
 $m = 3 \quad (-2, 5)$

② point slope & slope intercept  
 $(-1, 1) \quad (4, -4)$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad y - 5 = 3(x + 2) \quad \text{Distribute}$$
$$y - 5 = 3x + 6 \quad \text{1st!}$$
$$y = 3x + 11$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad m = \frac{-4 - 1}{4 - -1} = \frac{-5}{5} = -1$$

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

$$y - 1 = -1x - 1$$

$$y = -1x$$