

LESSON DIGITS 5-4/5-5

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Goal: I will be able to determine the y-intercept and use the equation $y=mx+b$

Review

Slope = $\frac{\uparrow}{\rightarrow}$ direction of a line
 $= \frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$

slope = $\frac{2-0}{2-0} = \frac{2}{2} = 1$
 slope = $\frac{5-2}{2-0} = \frac{3}{2} = 1\frac{1}{2}$

undefined

Slope Face

Example

$y = 2x$

a) table

x	y
0	0
1	2
2	4
3	6

b) graph

c) slope

positive \downarrow
 slope = $\frac{2}{1} = 2$

Same

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

a) table

x	y
0	0
1	2/3
2	4/3
3	2
4	8/3
5	10/3

b) graph

c) slope

positive \downarrow
 slope = $\frac{4}{6} = \frac{2}{3}$

Slope

use the variable m

$y = mx$

slope

a) $y = \frac{5}{12}x$ slope: $m = \frac{5}{12}$
 b) $y = -\frac{4}{7}x$ slope: $m = -\frac{4}{7}$

$y = -4x$

slope = $\frac{-8-(-4)}{2-1} = \frac{-4}{1} = -4$
 negative

Same

Example

a) $y = 2x + 1$

a) table

x	y
0	1
1	3
2	5

b) graph

c) slope

$m = \frac{3-1}{1-0} = \frac{2}{1} = 2$

$y = 2(0) + 1 = 1$
 $y = 2(1) + 1 = 3$
 $y = 2(2) + 1 = 5$

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

a) table

x	y
0	-2
4	-1
8	0
12	1

b) graph

c) slope

$m = \frac{4-1}{8-4} = \frac{3}{4}$

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

y intercept

it is where the line crosses the y axis

Use the variable b

Equation of a Line

$y = mx + b$

$m = \text{slope}$ $b = \text{y intercept}$

Example

a) $y = -\frac{3}{4}x + 7$ slope: $m = -\frac{3}{4}$ y -int: $b = 7$
 b) $y = 5x - 2$ slope: $m = 5$ y -int: $b = -2$