

ELEMENTARY ALGEBRA GUIDED NOTEBOOK

*FOR USE WITH ROBERT
BLITZER'S TEXTBOOK
INTRODUCTORY AND
INTERMEDIATE ALGEBRA
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Section 1.1: Introduction to Algebra: Variables and Mathematical Models When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Evaluate algebraic expressions
- π Translate English phrases into algebraic expressions
- π Determine whether a number is a solution of an equation
- π Translate English sentences into algebraic equations
- π Evaluate formulas

WARM-UP:

Perform the indicated operation and simplify.

1. $\frac{-(-5)^3 - 5 + 2}{8(2 - 11)}$

2. $16 \div 5 - 1$

EVALUATING ALGEBRAIC EXPRESSIONS

We can _____ a _____ that appears in an
_____ by a _____. The
_____ is called _____ the _____.

A First Look at Order of Operations

1. Perform all operations _____,
such as _____.
2. Do all _____ in the _____ in which they occur from
_____ to _____.

3. Do all _____ and _____ in the _____
in which they _____ from _____ to _____.

Example 1: Find the mistake!

$$\begin{aligned} 3 + 2 \div 5 \cdot 10 &= 5 \div 5 \cdot 10 \\ &= 1 \cdot 10 \\ &= 10 \end{aligned}$$

Example 2: Evaluate the following algebraic expressions at the given value(s):

1. $\frac{2x+25}{x-1}$, $x = -2$

2. $\frac{6x-9y+1}{y-x}$, $x = 10$, $y = -4$

KEY WORDS FOR ADDITION, SUBTRACTION, MULTIPLICATION, AND DIVISION

ADDIT I ON

SUBTRACT I ON

MULTIPL I CATION

DIVIS I ON

Example 3: Write each English phrase as an algebraic expression.

1. Six more than a number
2. Twelve less a number
3. Two times the sum of a number and five increased by nine

EQUATIONS

An _____ is a _____ that two _____
_____ are _____. What symbol does an equation always
contain?

_____ of an _____ are _____ of the
_____ that make the _____ a _____
statement. To determine whether a number is a _____,
_____ that number for the _____ and
_____ each side of the equation. If the values on _____
sides of the _____ are the _____, the _____
is a _____.

Example 4: Determine whether the given number is a solution of the equation.

1. $x + 17 = 22$; 5
2. $5z = 30$; 8

Example 5: Write each equation as an English sentence.

1. $9 - 3x = 7$

2. $2(x + 5) = x - 4$

Example 6: Write each sentence as an equation.

1. The difference between forty and a number is ten.

2. The product of six and a number increased by three is thirty-three.

FORMULAS AND MATHEMATICAL MODELS

One aim of _____ is to provide a compact, _____ description of the world. These descriptions involve the use of _____. A _____ is an _____ that expresses a _____ between two or more _____. The process of finding formulas to describe _____ phenomena is called _____. Such formulas, together with the _____ assigned to the _____, are called _____.

Example 7:

A bowler's handicap, H , is often found using the following formula:

$H = 0.8(200 - A)$, where A denotes the bowler's average score.

1. If your average bowling score is 145, what is your handicap?

2. What would your final score be if you bowled 120 in a game?

Section 1.2: FRACTIONS IN ALGEBRA

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Convert between mixed numbers and improper fractions
- π Write the prime factorization of a composite number
- π Reduce or simplify fractions
- π Multiply fractions
- π Divide fractions
- π Add and subtract fractions with identical denominators
- π Add and subtract fractions with unlike denominators
- π Solve problems involving fractions in algebra

WARM-UP:

Evaluate the following algebraic expressions at the given value(s):

2. $\frac{3x-8}{5(x-1)}, x=4$

2. $6x-2y+5, x=0, y=-2$

VOCABULARY

Numerator: The _____ or _____ expression that is written
_____ the _____ bar.

Denominator: The _____ or _____ expression that is written
_____ the _____ bar.

Natural Numbers: The _____ that we use for _____.

Mixed Numbers: A _____ number consists of the _____ of a _____ number and a _____, expressed _____ the use of an _____.

Improper Fractions: An _____ is a fraction whose _____ is _____ than its _____.
such as _____.

CONVERTING A MIXED NUMBER TO AN IMPROPER FRACTION

STEPS

1. _____ the _____ of the _____ by the _____ number and _____ the _____ to this _____.
2. Place the _____ from step 1 _____ the _____ of the _____ mixed number.

Example 1: Convert the following mixed numerals to improper fractions

1. $5\frac{7}{8}$

2. $2\frac{5}{11}$

CONVERTING FROM AN IMPROPER FRACTION TO A MIXED NUMBER

STEPS

1. _____ the _____ into the _____. Record the _____ (result of the division) and the _____.
2. Write the _____ number using the following form:

Example 2: Convert the following improper fractions to mixed numerals

1. $\frac{15}{2}$

2. $\frac{24}{7}$

FACTORS AND PRIME FACTORIZATIONS

Fractions can be _____ by first _____ the natural numbers that make up the _____ and _____. To _____ a natural number means to write it as two or more _____ numbers being _____.

VOCABULARY

Prime number: A _____ number is a _____ number greater than 1 that has only _____ and _____ as _____.

Composite numbers: A _____ number is a _____ number greater than 1 that is _____ a _____.

EVERY COMPOSITE NUMBER CAN BE EXPRESSED AS THE _____ OF _____!!!

Expressing a _____ number as the _____ of _____ numbers is called the _____ of that composite number.

Example 3: Find the prime factorization of the following numbers

1. 128

2. 54

REDUCING FRACTIONS

Two fractions are called _____ if they represent the _____. Writing a fraction as an _____ with a _____ is called _____ a _____. A fraction is _____ to its _____ when the _____ and _____ have _____ other than _____.

FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLE OF FRACTIONS

The _____ of a _____ if both the _____ and _____ are _____ (or _____) by the _____ nonzero _____.

$$\frac{\quad}{\quad} = \frac{\quad}{\quad}$$

STEPS

1. Write the _____ of the _____ and the _____.
2. _____ the _____ and the _____ by the _____ (the product of all factors common to both).

Example 4: Reduce each fraction to its lowest terms

1. $\frac{18}{27}$

2. $\frac{100}{45}$

MULTIPLYING FRACTIONS

The _____ of two or more _____ is the _____ of their _____ divided by the _____ of their _____.

$$\text{---} \cdot \text{---} = \text{---}$$

Example 5: Multiply and reduce each product to its lowest terms

1. $\frac{16}{11} \cdot \frac{33}{2}$

2. $\frac{5}{8} \cdot 12$

DIVIDING FRACTIONS

The _____ of two _____ is the _____ fraction _____ by the _____ of the _____ fraction.

$$\text{---} \div \text{---} = \text{---} \cdot \text{---}$$

Example 6: Divide and reduce each quotient to its lowest terms

1. $\frac{25}{32} \div \frac{3}{4}$

2. $\frac{144}{3} \div 12$

ADDING AND SUBTRACTING FRACTIONS WITH IDENTICAL DENOMINATORS

The _____ or _____ of two _____ with _____ is the sum or difference of their _____ over the _____.

$$\frac{\quad}{\quad} + \frac{\quad}{\quad} = \frac{\quad}{\quad} \text{ and } \frac{\quad}{\quad} - \frac{\quad}{\quad} = \frac{\quad}{\quad}$$

Example 7: Perform the indicated operations

1. $\frac{5}{6} + \frac{3}{6}$

2. $\frac{11}{13} - \frac{10}{13}$

ADDING AND SUBTRACTING FRACTIONS WITH UNLIKE DENOMINATORS

The value of a fraction _____ change if the _____ and _____ are _____ by the _____ nonzero _____.

Example 8: Write $\frac{5}{8}$ as an equivalent fraction with a denominator of 32.

The **least common denominator** is the _____ number that the numbers in each denominator _____ into.

STEPS FOR ADDING AND SUBTRACTING FRACTIONS WITH UNLIKE DENOMINATORS

1. _____ the fractions as _____ with the _____.
2. _____ or _____ the _____, putting this result over the _____.

USING PRIME FACTORIZATIONS TO FIND THE LCD

1. Find the _____ of each _____.
2. The _____ is obtained by using the _____ number of times each _____ occurs in _____ factorization.

Example 9: Perform the indicated operations

1. $\frac{23}{7} + \frac{5}{14}$

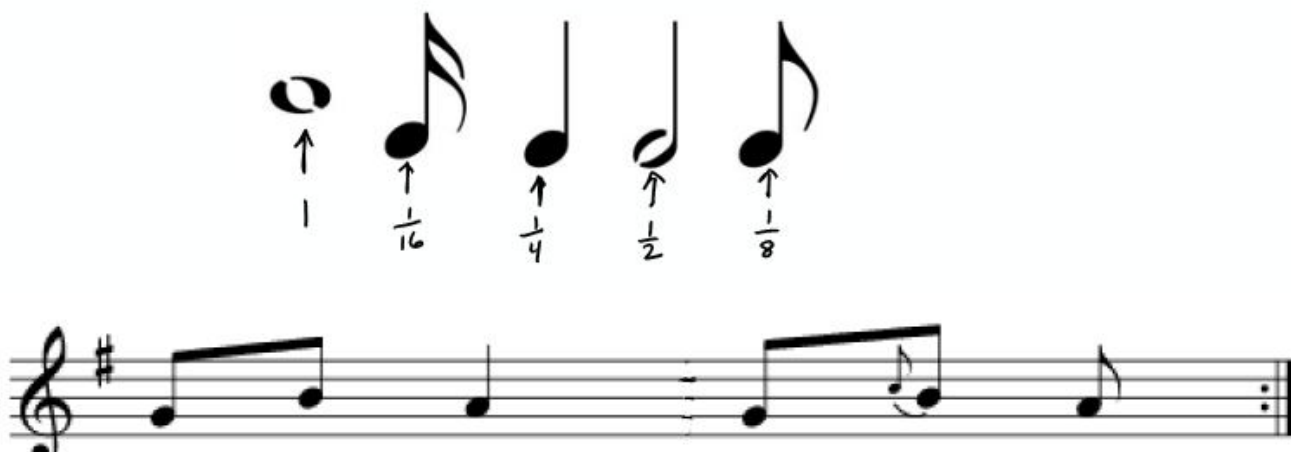
2. $\frac{5}{12} - \frac{2}{15}$

Example 10: Translate from English to an algebraic expression or equation. Let x represent the variable.

1. A number decreased by one third of itself.
2. The sum of one ninth of a number and one tenth of that number gives 15.

APPLICATIONS

Shown below is a line from the sheet music for "An Irish Lullaby". The time is $\frac{2}{4}$, which means that each measure must contain notes that add up to $\frac{2}{4}$. Use vertical lines to divide "An Irish Lullaby".



Section 1.3: THE REAL NUMBERS

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Define the sets that make up the real numbers
- π Graph numbers on a number line
- π Express rational numbers as decimals
- π Classify numbers as belonging to one or more sets of the real numbers
- π Understand and use inequality symbols
- π Find the absolute value of a real number

WARM-UP:

Perform the indicated operation and simplify:

1. $\frac{10}{27} \cdot \frac{3}{2}$

2. $\frac{28}{9} + \frac{2}{3}$

NATURAL NUMBERS AND WHOLE NUMBERS

A _____ is a _____ of objects whose contents can be clearly determined. The objects in a set are called the _____ of the set.

Natural numbers: The _____ of _____ numbers is

Whole numbers: The _____ of _____ numbers is

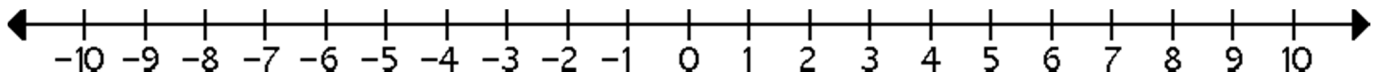
INTEGERS AND THE NUMBER LINE

The _____ consisting of the _____ numbers, _____, and the _____ of the _____ numbers is called the set of _____.

Integers: The _____ of _____ is

Example 1: Consider the following integers: 3, -3, 5, -5, 0

Graph each integer in the list on the same number line.



RATIONAL NUMBERS

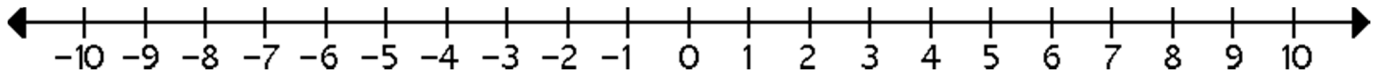
If two _____ are added, subtracted, or multiplied, the result is always another _____. Is this true when one integer is divided by another?

The set of _____ numbers is the set of all numbers that can be expressed in the form _____, where _____ and _____ are _____ and _____ is _____ equal to _____ (_____). The integer _____ is called the _____ and the integer _____ is called the _____.

Are all integers rational numbers?

Example 2: Consider the following rational numbers: $-\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{9}{4}$, -8 , $-6\frac{2}{3}$

Graph each integer in the list on the same number line.



Example 3: Divide

1. $3 \div 8$

2. $3 \div 11$

RATIONAL NUMBERS AND DECIMALS

Any _____ number can be expressed as a _____. The resulting decimal will either _____ (_____), or it will have a digit or block of digits that _____.

IRRATIONAL NUMBERS

Any number that can be represented on the _____ line that is _____ a _____ number is called an _____ number. In other words, the set of irrational numbers is the set of numbers whose _____ representations are neither _____ nor _____.

THE SET OF REAL NUMBERS

All numbers that can be represented by _____ on the number line are called _____ numbers.

THE SETS THAT MAKE UP THE REAL NUMBERS

NAME	DESCRIPTION	EXAMPLES
NATURAL NUMBERS		
WHOLE NUMBERS		
INTEGERS		

RATIONAL NUMBERS		
IRRATIONAL NUMBERS		

Example 4: Consider the following set of numbers: $\left\{-\frac{4}{2}, 8, \frac{1}{3}, \sqrt{100}, 0, \pi, 0.3\right\}$

List the numbers in the set that are

1. Natural numbers
2. Whole numbers
3. Integers

4. Rational numbers

5. Irrational
numbers

6. Real numbers

INEQUALITY SYMBOLS

On the real number line, the _____ numbers _____ from _____ to _____. The _____ or two real numbers is the one farther to the _____ on a number line. The _____ of two real numbers is the one farther to the _____ on a number line.

NOTATION

Example 5: Insert $<$ or $>$ between each pair of integers to make the statement true.

1. 3 _____ 5

2. 3 _____ 0

3. -3 _____ -5

4. -3 _____ 0

5. 0 _____ -3

6. -5 _____ 5

ABSOLUTE VALUE

The _____ of a real number _____, denoted _____, is the _____ from _____ to _____ on a number line. Is the output of an absolute value expression ever negative?

Example 6: Find the absolute value:

1. $|2.5|$

2. $|-8|$

APPLICATIONS

The table below shows the amount spent on iPad apps by Shannon's family during the months of May and July of 2011.

Name	Amount
Shannon	\$48
Morgan	\$67
Rory	\$25
Erin	\$32
Nicole	\$12

1. Graph the five dollar amounts on a number line.
2. Write the names in order from the least spent on apps to the most spent on apps

Section 1.4: BASIC RULES OF ALGEBRA

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Understand and use the vocabulary of algebraic expressions
- π Use commutative properties
- π Use associative properties
- π Use distributive properties
- π Combine like terms
- π Simplify algebraic expressions

WARM-UP:

Perform the indicated operation and simplify:

1. $\frac{57}{4} \div \frac{3}{2}$

2. $\frac{3}{14} - \frac{1}{10}$

VOCABULARY OF ALGEBRAIC EXPRESSIONS

Terms: The _____ of an _____ expression are those parts that are _____ by _____ or _____. A _____ is a _____, a _____, or a _____ by one or more _____.

Coefficient: The _____ part of a _____ is called its _____. What is the coefficient of a term which only has variables?

Constant term: A term that consists of just a _____ is called a _____.

Like terms: Terms that have the _____ the _____
_____ are called _____.

Are constant terms like terms?

Example 1: Consider the following algebraic expression: $-12x + 9 + 7x - 8$

1. How many terms are there in the algebraic expression?
2. What is the coefficient of the first term?
3. List the constant term(s):
4. What are the like terms in the algebraic expression?

EQUIVALENT ALGEBRAIC EXPRESSIONS

Two _____ expressions that have the _____ value for _____ replacements are called _____.

Example 2: Evaluate the following two algebraic expressions at $x = 2$.

1. $-12x + 9 + 7x - 8$
2. $-5x + 1$

Constant term: A term that consists of just a _____ is called a _____.

Like terms: Terms that have the _____ the _____
_____ are called _____.

Are constant terms like terms?

Example 1: Consider the following algebraic expression: $-12x + 9 + 7x - 8$

5. How many terms are there in the algebraic expression?
6. What is the coefficient of the first term?
7. List the constant term(s):
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THE COMMUTATIVE PROPERTIES

Let a and b represent real numbers, variables, or algebraic expressions.

Commutative Property of Addition:

Changing _____ when adding does not affect the _____.

Commutative Property of Multiplication:

Changing _____ when multiplying does not affect the _____.

Example 3: Use the commutative property to write an algebraic expression equivalent to each of the following:

1. $2x + 4$

2. $x \cdot 13$

THE ASSOCIATIVE PROPERTIES

Let a , b , and c represent real numbers, variables, or algebraic expressions.

Associative Property of Addition:

Changing _____ when adding does not affect the _____.

Associative Property of Multiplication:

Changing _____ when multiplying does not affect the _____.

Example 4: Use the associative property to simplify the algebraic expressions:

1. $4x + (7 + x)$

2. $25(4x)$

THE DISTRIBUTIVE PROPERTY

Let a , b , and c represent real numbers, variables, or algebraic expressions.

Multiplication _____ over _____.

Example 5: Multiply:

1. $3(x + 5)$

2. $-(4 + x)$

OTHER FORMS OF THE DISTRIBUTIVE PROPERTY

PROPERTY	MEANING	EXAMPLES
$a(b - c)$ $= ab - ac$		
$a(b + c + d)$ $= ab + ac + ad$		
$(b + c)a$ $= ba + ca$		

COMBINING LIKE TERMS

The _____ property lets us _____ and _____ like terms.

Example 6: Combine like terms:

1. $3(4x) + (-x + 21)$

2. $9x + (x + 5) - 2(-x + 11 + 3y)$

STEPS FOR SIMPLIFYING ALGEBRAIC EXPRESSIONS

1. Use the _____ property to remove _____.
2. Rearrange terms and _____ terms using the _____ and _____ properties. As you hone your skills, you'll be doing this step mentally!

3. Combine _____ terms by combining the _____
of the _____ and keeping the same _____.

APPLICATIONS

The percentage of U.S. women, W , who used the internet n years after 2000 can be modeled by the formula $W = 2(2n + 25) + 0.5(n + 2)$.

1. Simplify the formula.

2. Use the simplified form of the mathematical model to find the percentage of U.S. women who used the internet in 2005.

Section 1.5: ADDITION OF REAL NUMBERS

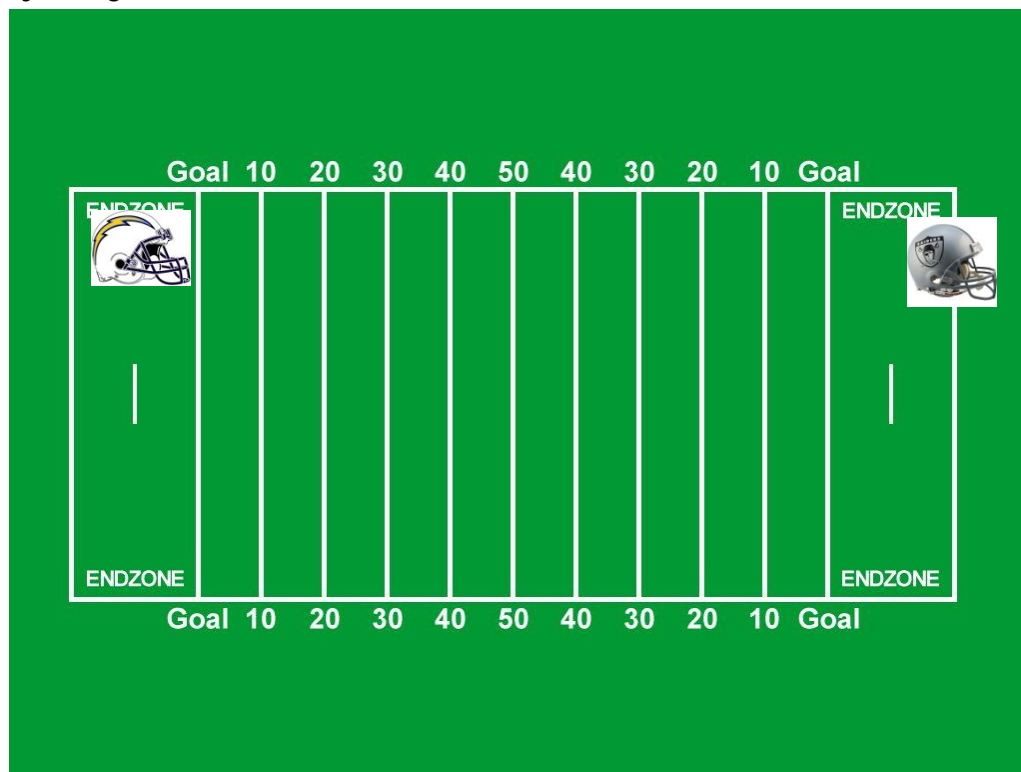
When you are done with your 1.5 homework you should be able to...

- π Add numbers with a number line
- π Find sums using identity and inverse properties
- π Add numbers without a number line
- π Use addition rules to simplify algebraic expressions
- π Solve applied problems using a series of addition

WARM-UP:

It is a Sunday during the fall semester. You are watching the Chargers/Raider game. The Chargers are currently on their own 30 yard line. During the first down that the Chargers complete a pass for a gain of ten yards. On the second down, the Raiders sack the Chargers' quarterback, causing a loss of 10 yards.

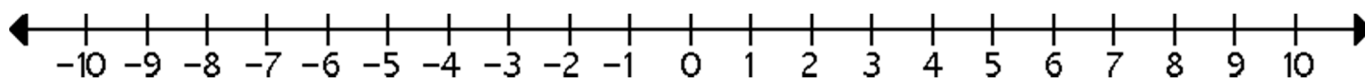
- a. Use the image of the football field shown below to model the gain and loss of yardage.



- b. How would you use signed numbers to represent the ten yard gain?
- c. How would you use signed numbers to represent the ten yard loss?

d. What is the net yardage gained?

e. How can we use the number line below to model $10 + (-10)$?



f. Based on the information above, we can conclude that a number and its

_____ sum to _____.

IDENTITY AND INVERSE PROPERTIES OF ADDITION

PROPERTY	MEANING	EXAMPLES
IDENTITY PROPERTY OF ADDITION		
INVERSE PROPERTY OF ADDITION		

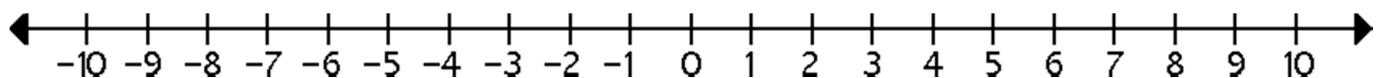
ADDING INTEGERS

NUMBER LINE MODELS

POSITIVE/NEGATIVE CHIP MODEL

Example 1: Illustrate $4 + 2$ using

a. A number line

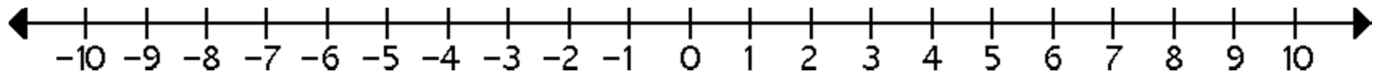


b. The positive/negative chip method

c. So the "rule" for a positive plus a positive is...

Example 2: Illustrate $-2 + (-3)$ using

a. A number line

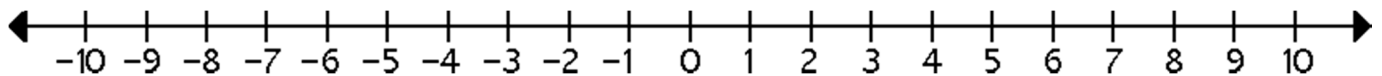


b. The positive/negative chip method

c. So the "rule" for a negative plus a negative is...

Example 3: Illustrate $-10 + 6$ using

a. A number line

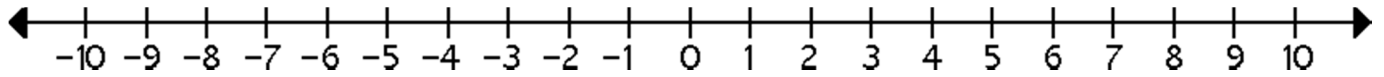


b. The positive/negative chip method

c. So the "rule" for a negative plus a positive is...

Example 4: Illustrate $1 + (-7)$ using

a. A number line



b. The positive/negative chip method

c. So the “rule” for a positive plus a negative is...

SIMPLIFYING ALGEBRAIC EXPRESSIONS

Example 5: Simplify.

a. $-9x + (-4x)$

b. $-6y + 22y - 5$

APPLICATIONS

Example 6:

In a magic square, all the rows, all the columns and the 2 diagonals must add to the same number.

1. Complete the magic square, using only the positive integers 1 to 9:

	1	
4	9	2

2. Complete the magic square, using only the integers:

-10, -8, -6, -4, 0, 2, 4, 6

	-2	

Example 7: In high school, an elementary algebra class meets five hours a week for nine months. At MiraCosta College, an elementary algebra class meets five hours a week for 4 months. The class at MiraCosta College has how many fewer in-class hours?

MIXED PRACTICE

1. Fill in the blank.

- a. 5 is the _____ of -5.
- b. On a number line, the greater number is to the _____ of the lesser number.
- c. A number's distance from zero on a number line is the number's _____
_____.
- d. Numbers less than zero are called _____ numbers.
- e. When using an inequality symbol, the "arrow" points towards the
_____ number.

2. Add.

a. $-18 + (-26) + 100 + 34$

c. $12^2 - 24 \div 6$

b. $-18 + 2(51 - 6) + 100(-15 + 670)$

d. $\frac{30 + (-8)}{2(176 - 175)}$

Section 1.6: SUBTRACTION OF REAL NUMBERS

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Subtract real numbers
- π Simplify a series of additions and subtractions
- π Use the definition of subtraction to identify terms
- π Use the subtraction definition to simplify algebraic expressions
- π Solve problems involving subtraction

WARM-UP:

Simplify:

1. $\frac{1}{2}(2x-7)+3x$

2. $-(-x+5)+3(2)(5x-1)$

DEFINITION OF SUBTRACTION

For all real numbers a and b ,

To subtract _____ from _____, _____ the _____ (or additive inverse) of _____ to _____. The result of subtraction is called the _____.

A PROCEDURE FOR SUBTRACTING REAL NUMBERS

1. Change the subtraction operation to _____.
2. Change the _____ of the number being _____.
3. _____.

Example 1: Subtract.

1. $-16 - (-9)$

3. $-6 - 32$

2. $16 - 20$

4. $10.2 - 0.2 - (-5.1)$

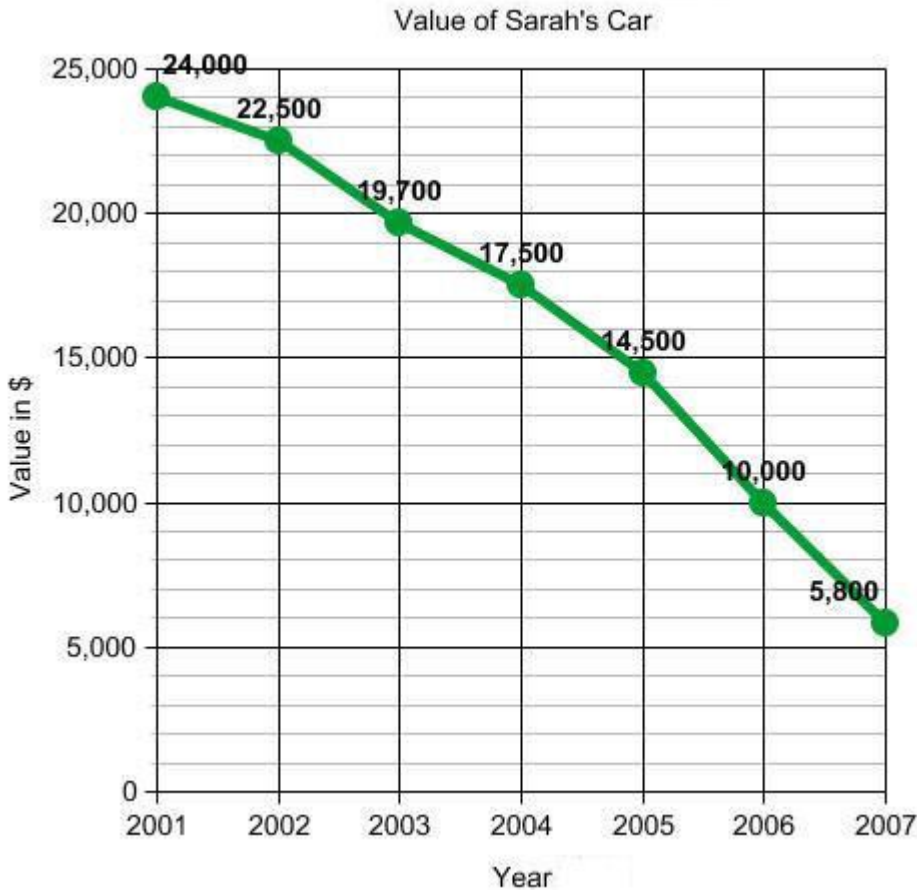
Example 2: Simplify.

1. $3(4x) - (2x - 21)$

2. $9x + (x + 5) - 2(x - 11 + 3y)$

APPLICATIONS

The line graph below illustrates the value of Sarah's car in dollars from the year 2001 to the year 2007.



1. How much was Sarah's car worth in 2005?
2. How much more was Sarah's car worth in 2002?

Section 1.7: MULTIPLICATION AND DIVISION OF REAL NUMBERS

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Multiply real numbers
- π Multiply more than two real numbers
- π Find multiplicative inverses
- π Use the definition of division
- π Divide real numbers
- π Simplify algebraic expressions involving multiplication
- π Determine whether a number is a solution of an equation
- π Use mathematical models involving multiplication and division

WARM-UP:

1. Find the value of each expression:

a. $\frac{9}{10} - \left(\frac{1}{4} - \frac{7}{10} \right)$

b. $-|-8 - (-2)| - (-6)$

2. Write each English phrase as an algebraic expression. Let x represent the number:

a. The difference between 9 times a number and -4 times a number

b. The quotient of -7 and a number subtracted from the quotient of -12 and a number

THE PRODUCT OF TWO REAL NUMBERS

π The _____ of two real numbers with _____ signs is found by _____ their _____ values. The product is _____.

π The _____ of two real numbers with the _____ sign is found by _____ their _____ values. The product is _____.

π The _____ of zero and any real number is _____.

Example 1: Multiply.

1. $-15(5)$

3. $(-11)(-12)$

2. $8.3(-2)$

4. $\frac{4}{3} \cdot 0$

MULTIPLYING MORE THAN TWO NUMBERS

1. Assuming that no factor is zero,

π The _____ of an _____ number of _____ numbers is _____.

π The _____ of an _____ number of _____ numbers is _____.

2. If any _____ is _____, the product is _____.

Example 2: Multiply.

3. $-7(5)(-6) \cdot 2$

4. $(13)(-1)\left(-\frac{5}{2}\right)(-8)$

THE MEANING OF DIVISION

The result of _____ the real number _____ by the nonzero real number _____ is called the _____ of _____ and _____. We can write this _____ as _____ or _____. We can define division in terms of _____ by using _____ inverse or _____.

Example 3: Find the multiplicative inverse of each number.

1. 12

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

3. $-\frac{7}{8}$

DEFINITION OF DIVISION

If a and b are real numbers and b is not equal to zero, then the _____ of _____ and _____ is defined as

The _____ of two real numbers is the _____ of the _____ number and the _____ of the _____ number.

Example 4: Divide using the definition of division.

1. $5 \div \frac{1}{5}$

2. $\frac{-123}{-3}$

THE QUOTIENT OF TWO REAL NUMBERS

π The _____ of two real numbers with _____ signs is found by _____ their _____ values. The quotient is _____.

π The _____ of two real numbers with the _____ sign is found by _____ their _____ values. The quotient is _____.

π Division of any real number by _____ is _____.

π Any nonzero number divided into _____ is _____.

Example 5: Divide.

1. $-\frac{2}{5} \div \frac{1}{10}$

3. $\frac{123}{-3}$

2. $\frac{0}{123}$

4. $-1.8 \div (-0.6)$

ADDITIONAL PROPERTIES OF MULTIPLICATION

PROPERTY	MEANING	EXAMPLES
IDENTITY PROPERTY OF MULTIPLICATION		
INVERSE PROPERTY OF MULTIPLICATION		
MULTIPLICATION PROPERTY OF -1		
DOUBLE NEGATIVE PROPERTY		

NEGATIVE SIGNS AND PARENTHESES

If a _____ sign precedes parentheses, _____ the parentheses and _____ the _____ of _____ within the parentheses.

Example 6: Simplify.

1. $-4(-3x + 2)$

2. $5(3y - 1) - (14y - 2)$

APPLICATIONS

Use the formula $C = \frac{5}{9}(F - 32)$ to express each Fahrenheit temperature, F , as its equivalent Celsius temperature, C .

1. -13°F

2. 5°F

Section 1.8: EXPONENTS AND ORDER OF OPERATIONS

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Evaluate exponential expressions
- π Simplify algebraic expressions with exponents
- π Use the order of operations agreement
- π Evaluate mathematical models

WARM-UP:

1. Determine whether the given number is a solution of the equation.

$$\frac{5m-1}{6} = \frac{3m-2}{4}; \quad -4$$

2. Write a numerical expression for each phrase. Then simplify the numerical expression.
 - a. 14 added to the product of 4 and -10

- b. The quotient of -18 and the sum of -15 and 12

DEFINITION OF A NATURAL NUMBER EXPONENT

If b is a real number and n is a natural number,

_____ is read "the _____ of _____" or "_____ to the _____ power. The expression _____ is called an _____.

Example 1: Evaluate.

1. $(-5)^3$

2. $(-12)^2$

ORDER OF OPERATIONS

1. Perform all _____ within _____ symbols
2. Evaluate all _____ expressions.
3. Do all _____ and _____ in the order in which they occur, working from _____ to _____.
4. Finally, do all _____ and _____ using one of the following procedures:
 π Work from _____ to _____ and do additions and subtractions in the _____ in which they occur.

or
π Rewrite subtractions as _____ of _____.
Combine _____ and _____ numbers
separately, and then _____ these results.

Example 2: Simplify.

1. $40 \div 4 \cdot 2$

3. $(3 \cdot 5)^2 - 3 \cdot 5^2$

2. $\frac{-5(7-2) - 3(4-7)}{-13 - (-5)}$

4. $\left[-\frac{4}{7} - \left(-\frac{2}{5}\right)\right] \left[-\frac{3}{8} + \left(-\frac{1}{9}\right)\right]$

Example 3: Simplify each algebraic expression.

1. $-6x^2 + 18x^2$

2. $4(7x^3 - 5) - [2(8x^3 - 1) + 1]$

3. $6 - 5[8 - (2y - 4)]$

APPLICATIONS

In Palo Alto, CA, a government agency ordered computer-related companies to contribute to a pool of money to clean up underground water supplies. (The companies had stored toxic chemicals in leaking underground containers). The mathematical model $C = \frac{200x}{100 - x}$ describes the cost, C , in tens of thousands of dollars, for removing x percent of the contaminants.

1. Find the cost, in tens of thousands of dollars, for removing 50% of the contaminants.
2. Find the cost, in tens of thousands of dollars, for removing 60% of the contaminants.
3. Describe what is happening to the cost of the cleanup as the percentage of contaminant removed increases.

Section 2.1: THE ADDITION PROPERTY OF EQUALITY

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Identify linear equations in one variable
- π Use the addition property of equality to solve equations
- π Solve applied problems using formulas

WARM-UP:

Simplify:

1. $\frac{1}{2} - \frac{2}{3} \div \frac{5}{9} + \frac{3}{10}$

2. $-40 \div 5 \cdot 2$

LINEAR EQUATIONS IN ONE VARIABLE

In Chapter 1, we learned that an _____ is a statement that two _____ expressions are _____. We determined whether a given number is an equation's _____ by substituting that number for each occurrence of the _____. When the _____ resulted in a true statement, that _____ was a _____. When the substituted number resulted in a _____ statement, that number was _____ a _____.

VOCABULARY

Solving an equation: The _____ of finding the _____ (or _____) that make the equation a _____ statement. These numbers are called the _____ or _____ of the equation, and we say that they _____ the equation.

DEFINITION OF A LINEAR EQUATION IN ONE VARIABLE

A _____ in _____ is an equation that can be written in the form

where _____, _____, and _____ are real numbers, and _____.

Example 1: Give three examples of a linear equation in one variable.

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

Example 2: Give two examples of a nonlinear equation in one variable.

- 1.
- 2.

VOCABULARY

Equivalent equations: Equations that have the _____ solution are _____.

THE ADDITION PROPERTY OF EQUALITY

The _____ real number or _____ expression may be _____ to _____ sides of an _____ without changing the equation's _____. That is,

Example 3: Solve the following equations. Check your solutions.

1. $y - 5 = -18$

4. $-\frac{1}{8} + x = -\frac{1}{4}$

2. $18 + z = 14$

5. $-3x - 5 + 4x = 9$

3. $x + 10.6 = -9$

6. $7x + 3 = 6(x - 1) + 9$

ADDING AND SUBTRACTING VARIABLE TERMS ON BOTH SIDES OF AN EQUATION

Our goal is to _____ all the _____ terms on one side of the equation. We can use the _____ of _____ to do this.

APPLICATIONS

1. The cost, C , of an item (the price paid by a retailer) plus the markup, M , on that item (the retailer's profit) equals the selling price, S , of the item. The formula is $C + M = S$.

The selling price of a television is \$650. If the cost to the retailer for the television is \$520, find the markup.

2. What is the difference between solving an equation such as $5y + 3 - 4y - 8 = 6 + 9$ and simplifying an algebraic expression such as $5y + 3 - 4y - 8$?

Section 2.2: THE MULTIPLICATION PROPERTY OF EQUALITY

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Use the multiplication property of equality to solve equations
- π Solve equations in the form of $-x = c$
- π Use the addition and multiplication properties to solve equations
- π Solve applied problems using formulas

WARM-UP:

Solve:

1. $5z - 12 = z + 8$

2. $x = -7(2 - x) + 18$

THE MULTIPLICATION PROPERTY OF EQUALITY

The _____ real number or _____ expression may _____ sides of an _____ without changing the _____. That is,

Example 1: Solve the following equations. Check your solutions.

1. $-5z = -20$

4. $-\frac{1}{8}x = 6$

2. $-51 = -y$

5. $6z - 3 = z + 2$

3. $8x - 3x = -45$

6. $5y + 6 = 3y - 6$

APPLICATIONS

The formula $M = \frac{n}{5}$ models your distance, M , from a lightning strike in a thunderstorm if it takes n seconds to hear thunder after seeing the lightning.



If you are three miles away from the lightning flash, how long will it take the sound of thunder to reach you?

Section 2.3: SOLVING LINEAR EQUATIONS

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Solve linear equations
- π Solve linear equations containing fractions
- π Identify equations with no solution or infinitely many solutions
- π Solve applied problems using formulas

WARM-UP:

Solve:

1. $-12z = 144$

2. $-x = -7x + 24$

A STEP-BY-STEP PROCEDURE FOR SOLVING LINEAR EQUATIONS

1. _____ the _____ on each side.
2. Collect all the _____ terms on one side and all the _____ terms on the other side.
3. _____ the _____ and _____.
4. _____ the proposed solution in the _____ equation.

Example 1: Solve the following equations. Check your solutions.

1. $-z - 34 + 10z = 2 + 10z - 54$

4. $3(x + 2) = x + 30$

2. $20 = 44 - 8(2 - x)$

5. $2(x - 15) + 3x = (6 + 4x) - (9x - 2)$

3. $5x - 4(x + 9) = 2x + 3$

6. $100 = -(x - 1) + 4(x - 6)$

LINEAR EQUATIONS WITH FRACTIONS

Equations are _____ to solve when they do not contain
 _____. To remove fractions, we can _____
 sides of the equation by the _____
 of any fractions in the equation. Remember...the _____ is the
 _____ number that all _____ will _____
 into. This is often called "_____ an equation of _____".

Example 2: Solve the following equations. Clear the fractions first. Check your solutions.

1. $\frac{x}{2} + 13 = -22$

3. $\frac{3y}{4} - \frac{2}{3} = \frac{7}{12}$

2. $\frac{z}{5} - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{z}{6}$

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

RECOGNIZING INCONSISTENT EQUATIONS AND IDENTITIES

If you attempt to _____ an equation with _____ or one that is _____ for _____ real number, you will _____ the _____.

π An _____ equation with _____ results in a _____ statement, such as _____.

π An _____ that is _____ for _____ real number results in a _____ statement, such as _____.

Example 3: Solve the following equations. Use words or set notation to identify equations that have no solution, or equations that are true for all real numbers. Check your solutions.

1. $2(x-5) = 2x+10$

3. $\frac{x}{2} + \frac{2x}{3} + 3 = x + 3$

2. $5x-5 = 3x-7+2(x+1)$

4. $\frac{x}{4} + 3 = \frac{x}{4}$

APPLICATIONS

The formula $p = 15 + \frac{5d}{11}$ describes the pressure of sea water, p , in pounds per square foot, at a depth of d feet below the surface.



1. The record depth for breath-held diving, by Francisco Ferreras (Cuba) off Grand Bahama Island, on November 14, 1993, involved pressure of 201 pounds per square foot. To what depth did Francisco descend on this venture? (He was underwater for 2 minutes and 9 seconds!)
2. At what depth is the pressure 20 pounds per square foot?

Section 2.4: FORMULAS AND PERCENTS

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Solve a formula for a variable
- π Express a percent as a decimal
- π Express a decimal as a percent
- π Use the percent formula
- π Solve applied problems involving percent change

WARM-UP:

Solve:

1. $4 = 0.25B$

2. $1.3 = P \cdot 26$

SOLVING A FORMULA FOR ONE OF ITS VARIABLES

Solving a formula for a variable means _____ the _____
so that the _____ is _____ on one side of the
equation. To solve a formula for one of its variables, treat that _____
as if it were the only _____ in the _____.

PERIMETER

The _____ of a _____ figure is the
_____ of the _____ of its _____. Perimeter is measured
in _____ units, such as _____, _____, _____,
or _____.

PERIMETER OF A RECTANGLE

The perimeter, _____, of a rectangle with length _____ and width _____ is given by the formula



SQUARE UNITS

A _____ unit is a _____, each of whose sides is _____ unit in length. The _____ of a _____ figure is the number of _____ it takes to fill the interior of the figure.

AREA OF A RECTANGLE

The area, _____, of a rectangle with length _____ and width _____ is given by the formula



Example 1: Solve the following formulas for the specified variable.

1. $d = rt$; t

2. $P = C + MC$; C

Example 2: Consider a rectangle which has an area of 15 square feet and a width of 3 feet.

1. Find the length.
2. Find the perimeter.

BASICS OF PERCENTS

_____ are the result of _____ numbers as _____ of _____. The word _____ means _____.

PERCENT NOTATION

_____ means _____.

STEPS FOR EXPRESSING A PERCENT AS A DECIMAL NUMBER

1. Move the _____ point _____ places to the _____.
2. Remove the _____ sign.

Example 3: Express each percent as a decimal.

1. 9.5%
2. 235%

STEPS FOR EXPRESSING A DECIMAL NUMBER AS A PERCENT

1. Move the _____ point _____ places to the _____.
2. Attach a _____ sign.

Example 4: Express each decimal as a percent.

1. 1.75

2. 0.01

A FORMULA INVOLVING PERCENT

_____ are useful in comparing two _____. To _____ the number _____ to the number _____ using a percent _____, the following formula is used:

Example 5: Solve.

1. What is 12% of 50?

2. 6 is 30% of what?

3. 200 is what percent of 20?

APPLICATIONS

1. The average, or mean, A , of four exam grades, x , y , z , and w , is given by the

formula $A = \frac{x + y + z + w}{4}$.

- a. Solve the formula for w .

- b. Use the formula in part (a) to solve this problem: On your first three exams, your grades are 76%, 78%, and 79%: $x = 76$, $y = 78$, and $z = 79$. What must you get on the fourth exam to have an average of 80%?

2. A charity has raised \$225,000, with a goal of raising \$500,000. What percent of the goal has been raised?

3. Suppose that the local sales tax rate is 7% and you buy a graphing calculator for \$96.
 - a. How much tax is due?

 - b. What is the calculator's total cost?

4. The price of a color printer is reduced by 30% of its original price. When it still does not sell, its price is reduced by 20% of the reduced price. The salesperson informs you that there has been a total reduction of 50%. Is the salesperson using percentages properly? If not, what is the actual percent reduction from the original price?

Section 2.5: AN INTRODUCTION TO PROBLEM SOLVING

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Translate English phrases into algebraic expressions
- π Solve algebraic word problems using linear equations

WARM-UP:

Solve:

A fax machine regularly sells for \$380. The sale price is \$266. Find the percent decrease in the machine's price.

STEPS FOR SOLVING WORD PROBLEMS

1. Analysis: READ the problem. Then, _____ the problem again!!!

Draw a _____ and/or make a _____. I identify and name all known and unknown _____.
2. Translate to Mathese: Write an equation that translates, or _____, the conditions of the problem.
3. Solve: _____ the equation. Then _____ your solution.
4. Conclusion: Write your result, in _____.

Example 1: Solve the following word problems.

1. The sum of a number and 28 is 245. Find the number.
2. Three times the sum of five and a number is 48. Find the number.
3. Eight subtracted from six times a number is 298. Find the number.

4. If the quotient of three times a number and four is decreased by three, the result is nine. Find the number.

5. A car rental agency charges \$180 per week plus \$0.25 per mile to rent a car. How many miles can you travel in one week for \$395?

6. A basketball court is a rectangle with a perimeter of 86 meters. The length is 13 meters more than the width. Find the width and length of the basketball court.

7. This year's salary, \$42,074, is a 9% increase over last year's salary. What was last year's salary?

8. A repair bill on a sailboat came to \$1603, including \$532 for parts and the remainder for labor. If the cost of labor is \$35 per hour, how many hours of labor did it take to repair the sailboat?

Section 2.6: PROBLEM SOLVING IN GEOMETRY

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

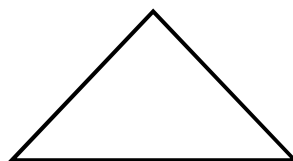
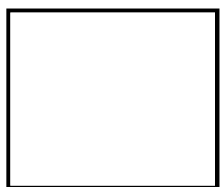
- π Solve problems using formulas for perimeter and area
- π Solve problems using formulas for a circle's area and circumference
- π Solve problems using formulas for volume
- π Solve problems involving the angles of a triangle
- π Solve problems involving complementary and supplementary angles

WARM-UP:

Solve:

After a 30% reduction, you purchase a DVD player for \$98. What was the selling price before the reduction?

COMMON FORMULAS FOR PERIMETER AND AREA

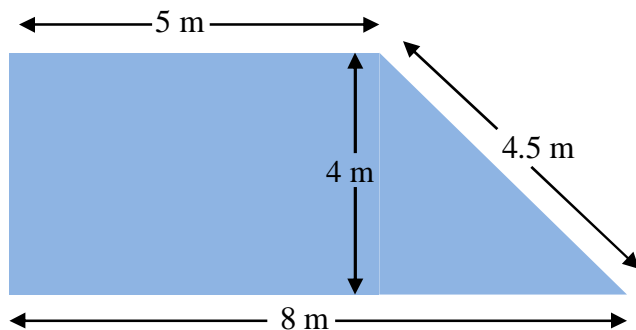


Example 1: Solve.

1. A triangle has a base of 6 feet and an area of 30 square feet. Find the triangle's height.

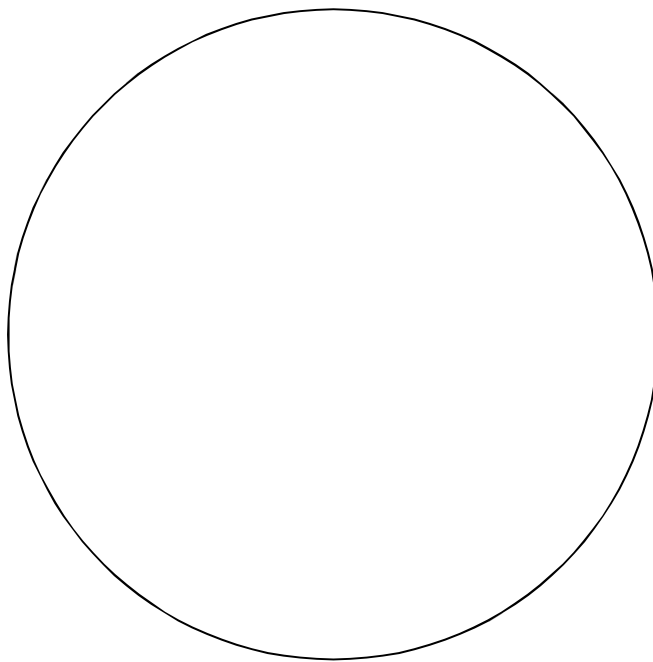
2. A rectangle has a width of 46 cm and a perimeter of 208 cm. What is the rectangle's length?

3. Find the area of the trapezoid.



GEOMETRIC FORMULAS FOR CIRCUMFERENCE AND AREA OF A CIRCLE

A _____ is the set of all _____ in the _____ equally distant from a given point, its _____. A _____ (plural _____), _____, is a line _____ from the _____ to any point on the _____. For a given circle, _____ radii have the same _____. A _____, _____, is a _____ segment through the _____ whose endpoints both lie on the _____. For a given circle, all _____ have the _____ length. In any circle, the length of a _____ is _____ the length of a _____ and the length of a _____ is _____ the length of a _____.



Area

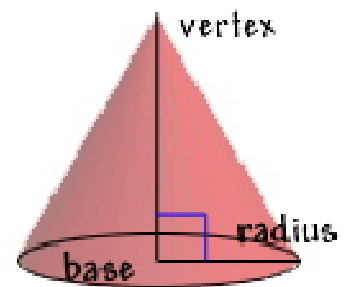
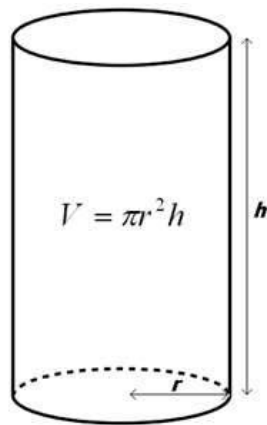
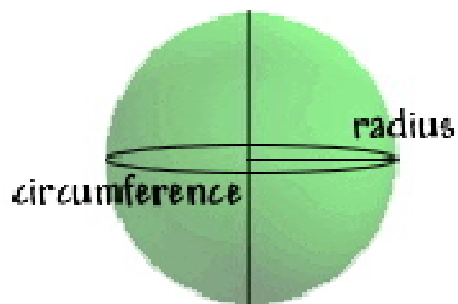
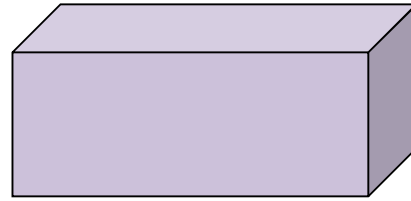
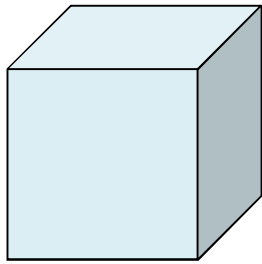
Circumference

Example 2: Solve.

1. Find the area and circumference of a circle which has a diameter of 40 feet.
2. Which one of the following is a better buy: a large pizza with a 16-inch diameter for \$12 or two small pizzas, each with a 10-inch diameter, for \$12?

GEOMETRIC FORMULAS FOR VOLUME

_____ refers to the amount of _____ occupied by a
_____ - _____ figure. To measure this space, we use
_____ units.



Example 3: Solve.

1. Solve the formula for the volume of a cone for h .

2. A cylinder with radius 2 inches and height 3 inches has its radius quadrupled. How many times greater is the volume of the larger cylinder than the smaller cylinder?

3. Find the volume of a shoebox with dimensions 6 in x 12 in x 5 in.

THE ANGLES OF TRIANGLES

An _____, symbolized by _____, is made up of two _____ that have a common _____. The common endpoint is called the _____. The two rays that form the angle are called its _____.

One way to _____ angles is in _____, symbolized by a small, raised _____. There are _____ in a circle. _____ is _____ of a complete rotation.

THE ANGLES OF A TRIANGLE

The _____ of the _____ of the three angles of _____ triangle is _____.

COMPLEMENTARY AND SUPPLEMENTARY ANGLES

Two angles with measures having a _____ of _____ are called _____ angles. Two angles with measures having a _____ of _____ are called _____.

Example 4: Solve.

1. One angle of a triangle is three times as large as another. The measure of the third angle is 40° more than that of the smallest angle. Find the measure of each angle.

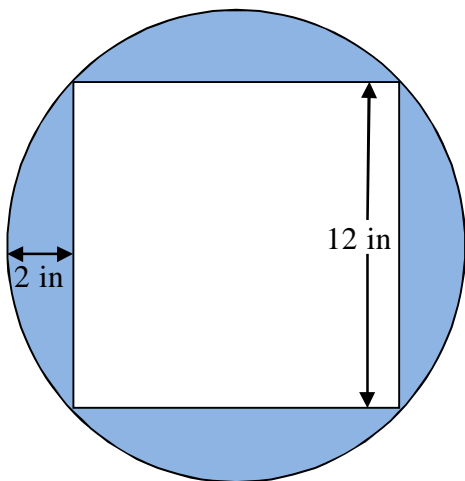
2. Find the measure of the complement of each angle.
 - a. 56°
 - b. 89.5°

3. Find the measure of the supplement of each angle.
 - a. 177°
 - b. 0.2°

4. Find the measure of the angle described.

The measure of the angle's supplement is 52° more than twice that of its complement.

Example 5: Find the area of the shaded region.



Section 2.7: SOLVING LINEAR INEQUALITIES

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Graph the solutions of an inequality on a number line
- π Use interval notation
- π Understand properties used to solve linear inequalities
- π Solve linear inequalities
- π Identify inequalities with no solution or infinitely many solutions
- π Solve problems using linear inequalities

WARM-UP:

Solve:

Find the volume of a sphere with diameter 11 meters.

VOCABULARY

Linear inequality in one variable: An inequality in the form _____,
_____, _____, or _____
is a linear inequality in one variable. _____ means _____,
_____ means _____ or _____, _____ means
_____, and _____ means _____ or _____
_____.

Solving an inequality: The _____ of finding the _____ of _____ that will make the inequality a _____ statement. These numbers are called the **solutions** of the _____, and we say they **satisfy** the _____. The _____ of _____ solutions is called the **solution set** of the inequality.

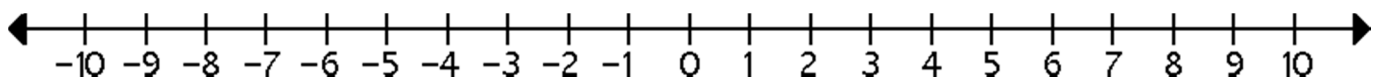
GRAPHS OF INEQUALITIES

There are _____ solutions to the inequality $x > 5$. In other words, the solution set for this inequality is all _____ numbers which are _____. Can we list all these numbers? What does the graph of the solution set look like? Hmmmm...

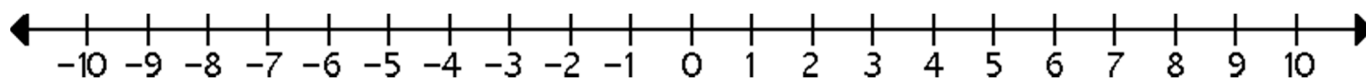
Graphs of _____ to _____ are shown on a _____ by shading _____ representing numbers that are _____. _____, _____, indicate _____ that are _____ and _____, _____, indicate _____ that are _____.

Example 1: Graph the solutions of each inequality.

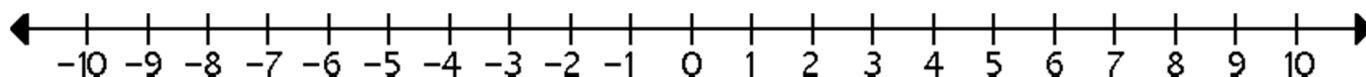
a. $x \leq 6$



b. $x > -\frac{3}{2}$



c. $-\frac{3}{2} < x \leq 6$



SOLUTION SETS OF INEQUALITIES

INEQUALITY	INTERVAL NOTATION	SET-BUILDER NOTATION	GRAPH
$x > a$			
$x \geq a$			
$x < b$			
$x \leq b$			
$a < x < b$			
$a \leq x \leq b$			
$a < x \leq b$			
$a \leq x < b$			

PARENTHESES ARE ALWAYS USED WITH _____ OR _____!!!

PROPERTIES OF INEQUALITIES

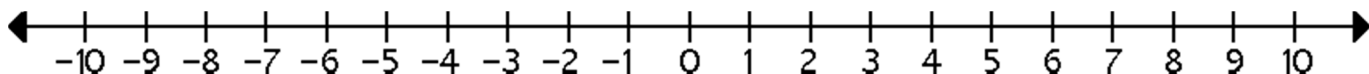
PROPERTY	THE PROPERTY IN WORDS	EXAMPLE
<p>THE ADDITION PROPERTY OF INEQUALITY</p> <p>If _____, then _____.</p> <p>If _____, then _____.</p>		
<p>THE POSITIVE MULTIPLICATION PROPERTY OF INEQUALITY</p> <p>If _____ and _____ is positive, then _____.</p> <p>If _____ and _____ is positive, then _____.</p>		
<p>THE NEGATIVE PROPERTY OF INEQUALITY</p> <p>If _____ and _____ is negative, then _____.</p> <p>If _____ and _____ is negative, then _____.</p>		

STEPS FOR SOLVING A LINEAR INEQUALITY

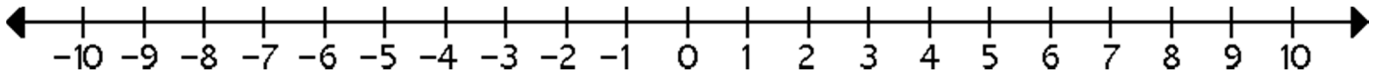
1. Simplify the _____ on each side.
2. Use the _____ property of _____ to collect all the _____ terms on one side and all the _____ terms on the other side.
3. Use the _____ property of _____ to _____ the _____ and _____.
_____ the _____ of the _____ when _____ or _____ both sides by a _____ number.
4. Express the _____ set in _____ or _____ - _____ notation, and _____ the solution set on a _____ line.

Example 2: Solve each inequality and graph the solution.

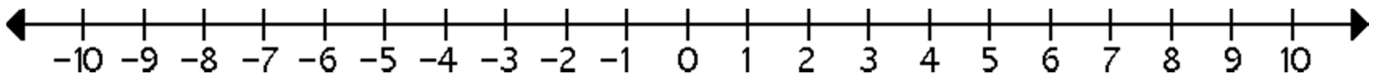
a. $x - 3 \leq 2$



b. $5x + 8 > 2x - 7$



c. $4(x + 1) \geq 3x + 6$



RECOGNIZING INEQUALITIES WITH NO SOLUTION OR INFINITELY MANY SOLUTIONS

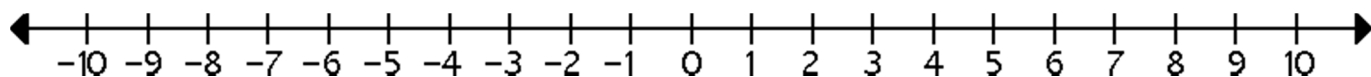
If you attempt to solve an inequality with _____ or one that is _____ for _____ number, you will _____ the _____.

π An inequality with _____ results in a _____ statement, such as _____. The solution set is _____ or _____, the _____ set, and the _____ is an _____ number line.

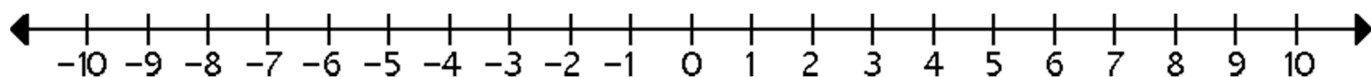
π An inequality that is _____ for _____ number results in a _____ statement, such as _____. The solution set is _____ or _____, and the graph is a _____ line.

Example 3: Solve each inequality and graph the solution.

a. $2(x+1)-1 < 2x+1$



b. $5x > 2(x-7)+3x$



APPLICATION

On three examinations, you have grades of 88, 78, and 86. There is still a final examination, which counts as one grade.

1. In order to get an A, your average must be at least 90. If you get 100 on the final, compute your average and determine if an A in the course is possible.
2. To earn a B in the course, you must have a final average of at least 80. What must you get on the final to earn a B in the course?

Section 3.1: GRAPHING LINEAR EQUATIONS IN TWO VARIABLES

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

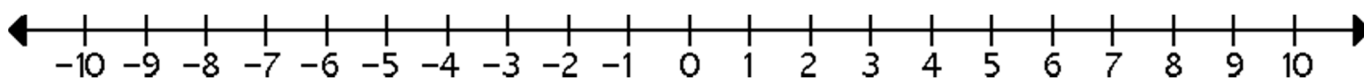
- π Plot ordered pairs in the rectangular coordinate system
- π Find coordinates of points in the rectangular coordinate system
- π Determine whether an ordered pair is a solution of an equation
- π Find solutions of an equation in two variables
- π Use point plotting to graph linear equations
- π Use graphs of linear equations to solve problems

WARM-UP:

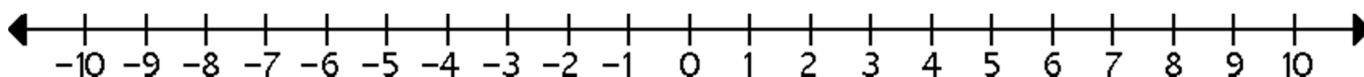
1. Find the volume of a box with dimensions $\frac{1}{2}$ ft by 3 ft by 8 ft.

2. Solve the following inequalities and graph the solution sets.

a. $x \leq 6(3x - 5)$

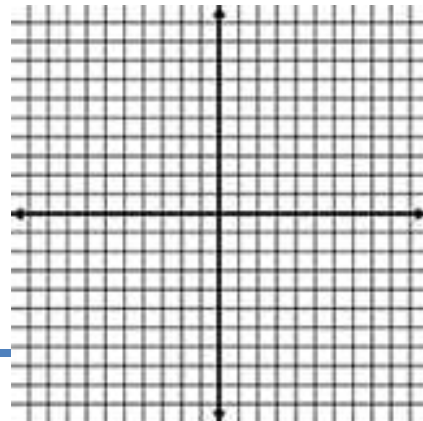


b. $2x - 1 \leq 2x$



POINTS AND ORDERED PAIRS

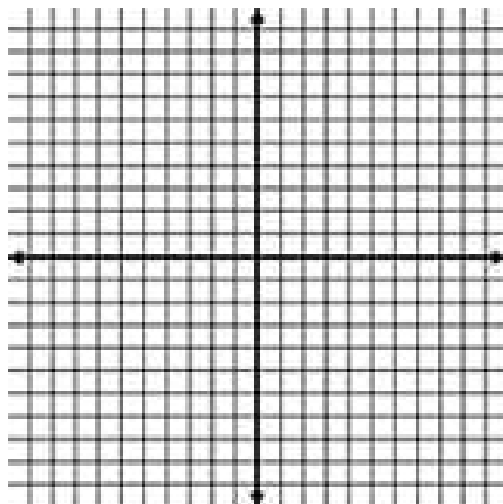
The idea of visualizing equations as geometric figures was developed by the French philosopher and mathematician _____. This idea is the _____ system or the _____ coordinate system. The rectangular coordinate system consists of _____ lines that _____ at right _____ at their _____ points. The horizontal number line is the _____ and the vertical number line is the _____. The point of intersection is a _____ called the _____. Positive numbers are to the _____ and _____ the origin. Negative numbers are to the _____ and _____ the origin. The _____ divide the _____ into _____ regions, called _____. The points located on the _____ are _____ in any quadrant. Each _____ in the rectangular coordinate system _____ to an _____ of real numbers, _____. The _____ number in each pair, called the _____, denotes the _____ and _____ from the _____ along the _____. The second number, called the _____, denotes the _____ distance along a _____ to the _____ or along the _____ itself.



Example 1: Plot the following ordered pairs.

$(2,5)$, $(-3,7)$, $(-2,-4)$

$(2,5)$	
$(-3,7)$	
$(-2,-4)$	



SOLUTIONS OF EQUATIONS IN TWO VARIABLES

A _____ of an _____ in _____ variables, _____ and _____, is an _____ of real numbers with the following property: When the _____ is substituted for _____ and the _____ is substituted for _____ in the equation, we obtain a _____ statement.

Example 2: Determine whether each of the given points is a solution of the equation $8x + y = 1$.

a. $(0,1)$

b. $(-1,3)$

c. $(2,-15)$

Example 3: Find three solutions of $2y = -x - 1$.

GRAPHING LINEAR EQUATIONS IN THE FORM $y = mx + b$

The _____ of the _____ is the _____ of all _____ whose _____ satisfy the equation.

STEPS FOR USING THE POINT-PLOTTING METHOD FOR GRAPHING AN EQUATION IN TWO VARIABLES

1. Find several _____ that are _____ of the equation.

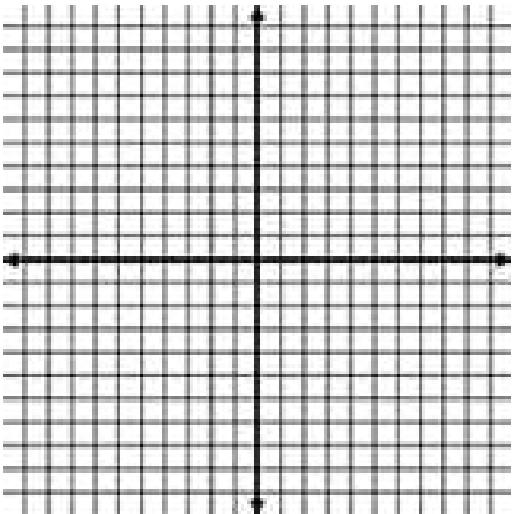
2. Plot these ordered pairs as _____ in the _____ coordinate system.

3. _____ the points with a _____ curve or _____, depending on the type of equation.

Example 3: Graph the following equations by plotting points.

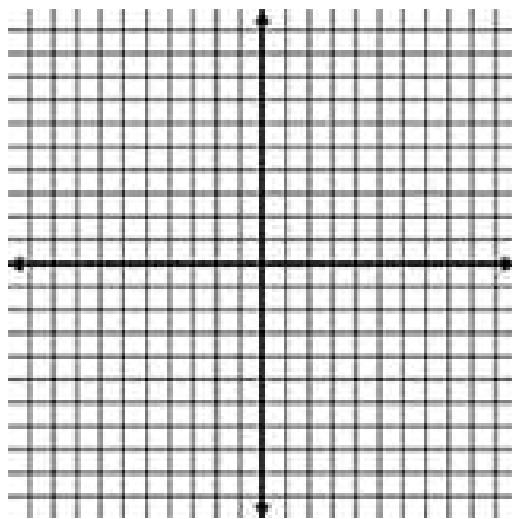
a. $y = 2x$

x	$y = 2x$	(x, y)



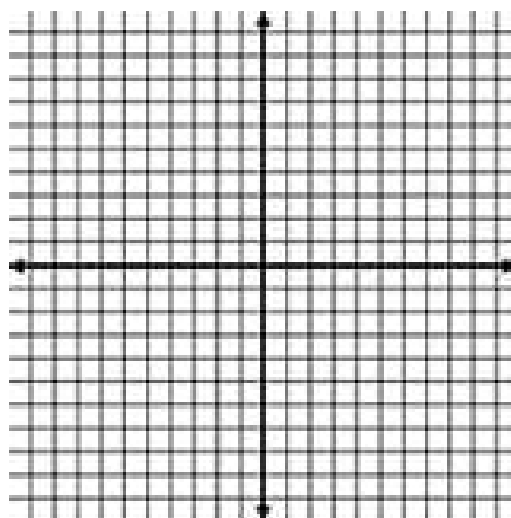
b. $y = -3x + 9$

x	$y = -3x + 9$	(x, y)



c. $y = \frac{2}{5}x + 3$

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



COMPARING GRAPHS OF LINEAR EQUATIONS

If the value of _____ does not change,

π The graph of _____ is the graph of _____ shifted _____ units _____ when _____ is a positive number.

π The graph of _____ is the graph of _____ shifted _____ units _____ when _____ is a positive number.

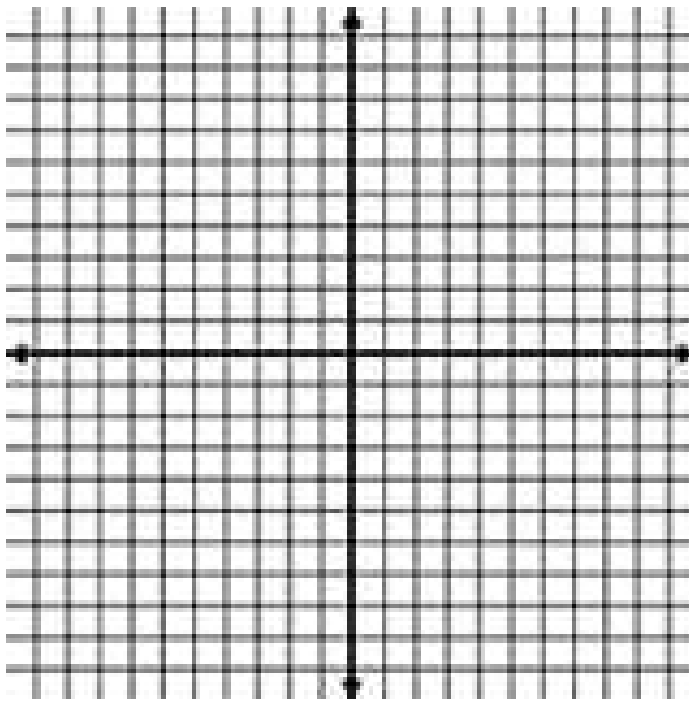
APPLICATION

In 1960, per capita fish consumption was 10 pounds. This increased by approximately 0.15 pound per year from 1960 through 2005. These conditions can be described by the mathematical model $F = 0.15n + 10$, where F is per capita fish consumption n years after 1960.

- a. Let $n = 0, 10, 20, 30,$ and 40 . Make a table of values showing five solutions of the equation.

n	$F = 0.15n + 10$	(n, F)

b. Graph the formula in a rectangular coordinate system.



c. Use the graph to estimate per capita fish consumption in 2020.

d. Use the formula to project per capita fish consumption in 2020.

Section 3.2: GRAPHING LINEAR EQUATIONS USING INTERCEPTS

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

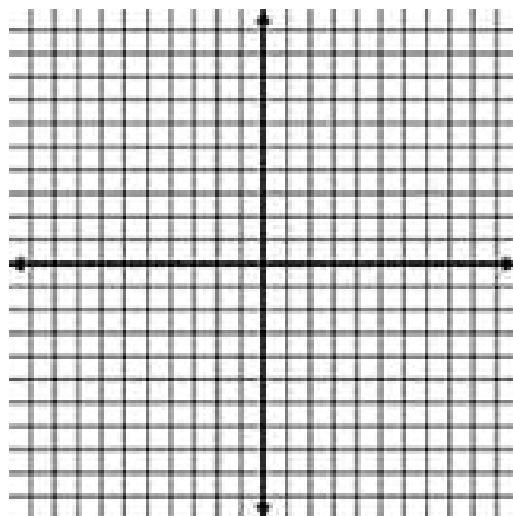
- π Use a graph to identify intercepts
- π Graph a linear equation in two variables using intercepts
- π Graph horizontal or vertical lines

WARM-UP:

Graph the following equations by plotting points.

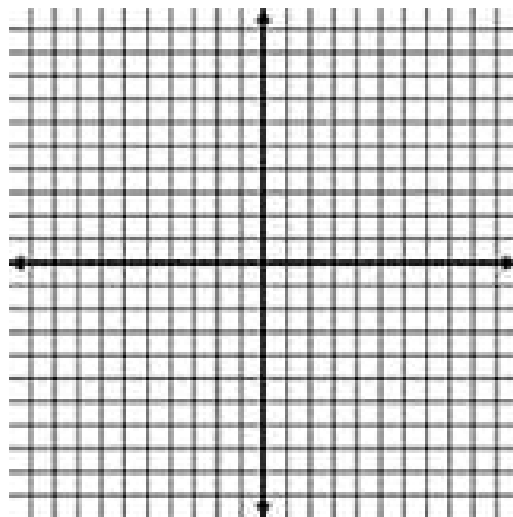
a. $y = -x$

x	$y = -x$	(x, y)



b. $y = \frac{2}{3}x - 7$

x	$y = \frac{2}{3}x - 7$	(x, y)



INTERCEPTS

An _____ of a graph is the _____ of a point where the graph _____ the _____. The _____

corresponding to an _____ is always _____!!!

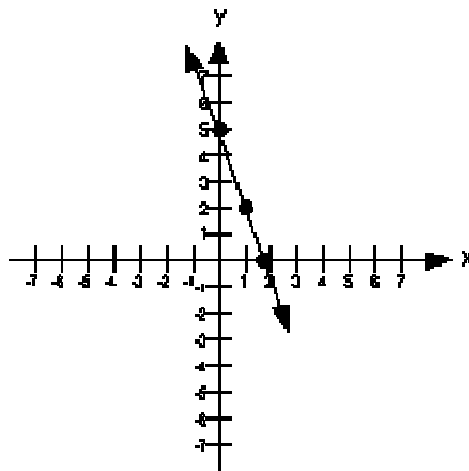
A _____ of a graph is the _____ of a point where the graph _____ the _____. The _____

corresponding to a _____ is always _____!!!

Example 1: Use the graph to identify the

a. x-intercept

b. y-intercept



GRAPHING USING INTERCEPTS

An equation of the form _____, where _____, _____, and _____ are integers, is called the _____ form of a line.

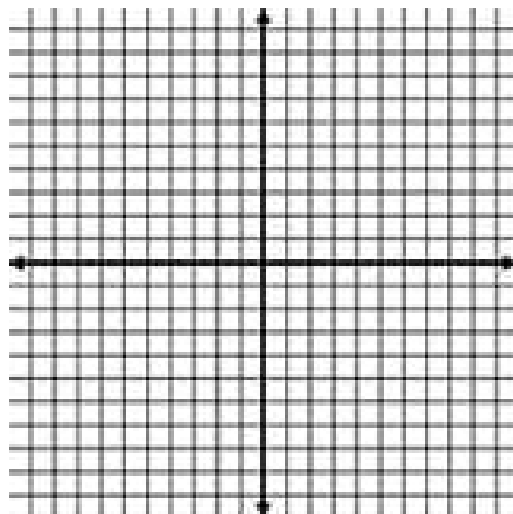
STEPS FOR USING INTERCEPTS TO GRAPH $Ax + By = C$

1. Find the _____. Let _____ and solve for _____.
2. Find the _____. Let _____ and solve for _____.
3. Find a checkpoint, a _____ ordered-pair _____.
4. Graph the equation by drawing a _____ through the _____ points.

Example 2: Graph using intercepts and a checkpoint.

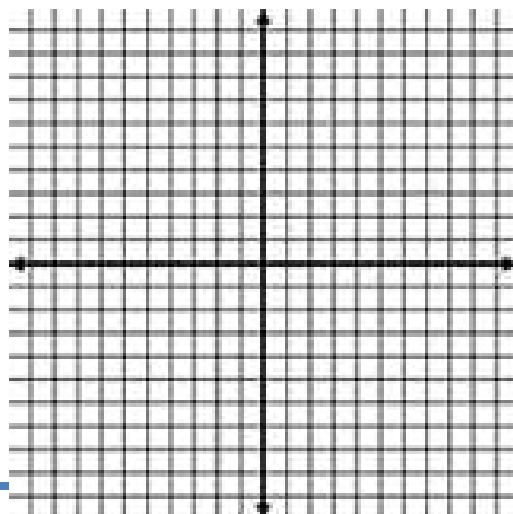
a. $x + y = 6$

x	$x + y = 6$	(x, y)



b. $3x - 2y = -7$

x	$3x - 2y = -7$	(x, y)



EQUATIONS OF HORIZONTAL AND VERTICAL LINES

We know that the graph of any equation of the form _____ is a _____ as long as _____ and _____ are not both _____. What happens if _____ or _____, but not both, is zero?

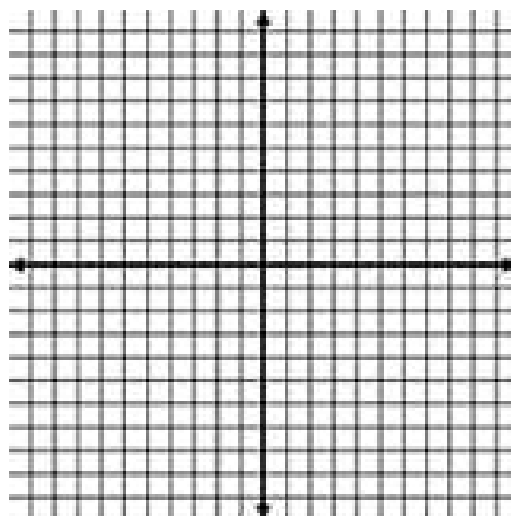
HORIZONTAL AND VERTICAL LINES

The graph of _____ is a _____ line. The _____ is _____.

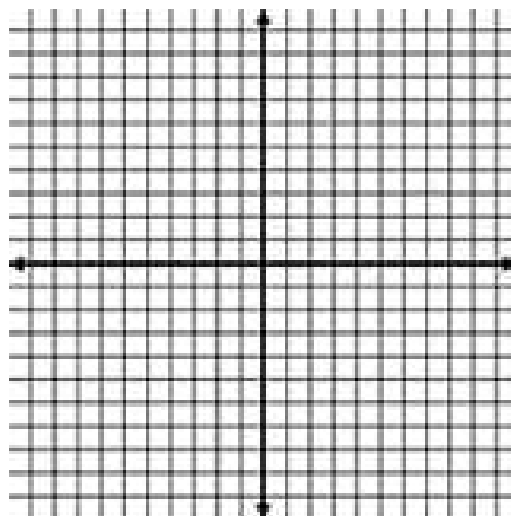
The graph of _____ is a _____ line. The _____ is _____.

Example 3: Graph.

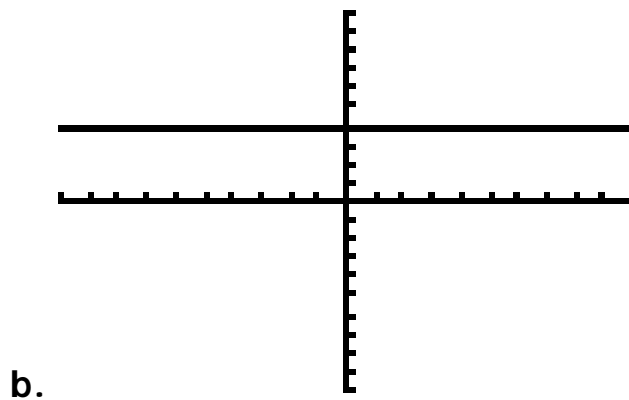
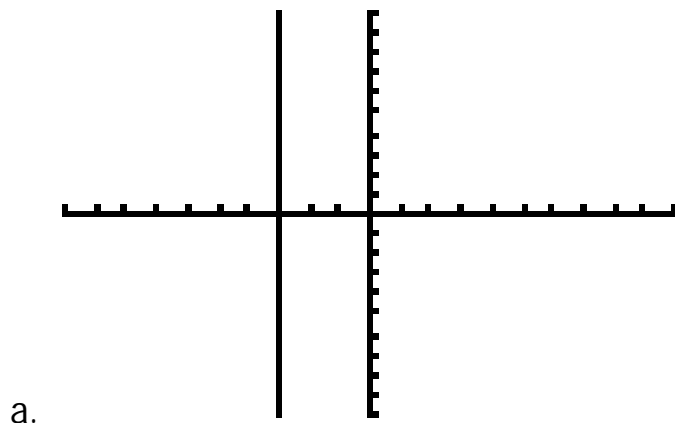
a. $y = 8$



b. $12x = -60$



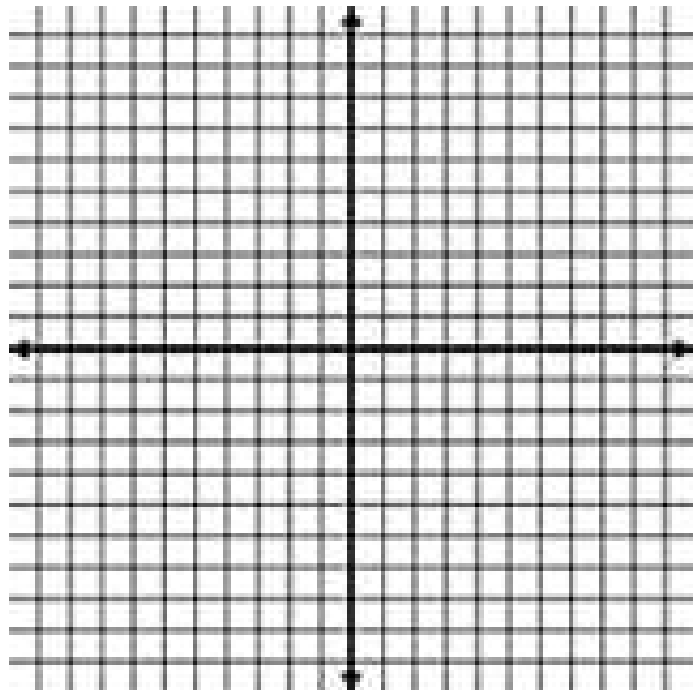
Example 4: Write an equation for each graph.



APPLICATION

A new car worth \$24,000 is depreciating in value by \$3000 per year. The mathematical model $y = -3000x + 24000$ describes the car's value, y , in dollars, after x years.

- Find the x -intercept. Describe what this means in terms of the car's value.
- Find the y -intercept. Describe what this means in terms of the car's value.
- Use the intercepts to graph the linear equation.



- Use your graph to estimate the car's value after five years.

Section 3.3: SLOPE

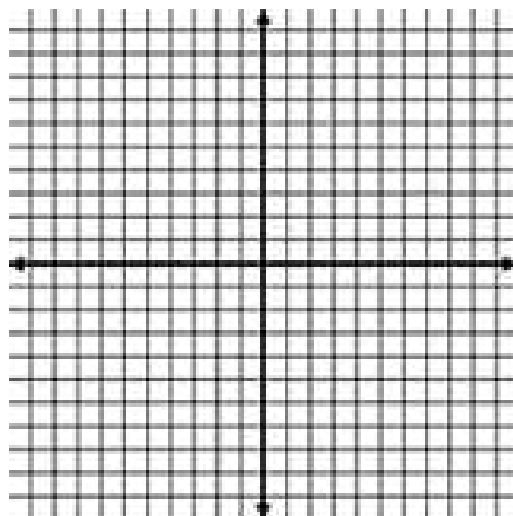
When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Compute a line's slope
- π Use slope to show that lines are parallel
- π Use slope to show that lines are perpendicular
- π Calculate rate of change in applied situations

WARM-UP:

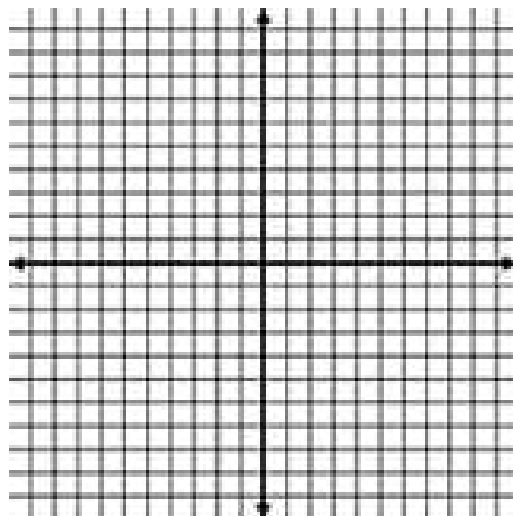
Graph each equation.

a. $y - 2 = 0$



b. $-2x - 3y = 9$

x	$-2x - 3y = 9$	(x, y)



THE SLOPE OF A LINE

Mathematicians have developed a useful _____ of the _____ of a line, called the _____ of the line. Slope compares the _____ change (the _____) to the _____ change (the _____) when moving from one _____ point to another along the line.

DEFINITION OF SLOPE

The _____ of the line through the distinct points _____ and _____ is

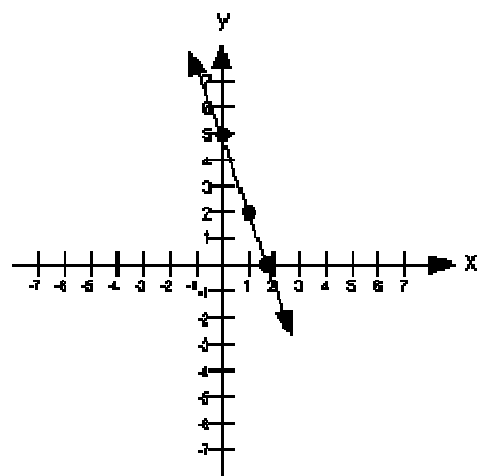
where _____. It is common to use the letter _____ to represent the slope of a line. This letter is used because it is the first letter of the French verb *monter*, meaning to rise, or to ascend.

Example 1: Find the slope of the line passing through each pair of points:

a. $(-1, 4)$ and $(3, -6)$

b. $\left(8, \frac{3}{2}\right)$ and $\left(-\frac{5}{2}, 7\right)$

Example 2: Use the graph to find the slope of the line



POSSIBILITIES FOR A LINE’S SLOPE

POSITIVE SLOPE	NEGATIVE SLOPE	ZERO SLOPE	UNDEFINED SLOPE

SLOPE AND PARALLEL LINES

Two _____ lines that lie in the same plane are _____. If two lines do not _____, the _____ of the _____ change to the _____ change is the _____ for each _____. Because two parallel lines have the same _____, they must have the same _____.

1. If two nonvertical lines are _____, then they have the same _____.
2. If two distinct nonvertical lines have the same _____, then they are _____.
3. Two distinct vertical lines, each with _____ slope, are _____.

SLOPE AND PERPENDICULAR LINES

Two lines that _____ at a _____ (_____) are said to be _____.

1. If two nonvertical lines are _____, then the _____ of their _____ is _____.
2. If the _____ of the _____ of two lines is _____, then the lines are _____.

3. A _____ line having _____ slope is
_____ to a vertical line having _____ slope.

Example 3: Determine whether the lines through each pair of points are parallel, perpendicular, or neither.

a. $(-2, -15)$ and $(0, -3)$; $(-12, 6)$ and $(6, 3)$

b. $(-2, -7)$ and $(3, 13)$; $(-1, -9)$ and $(5, 15)$

c. $(-1, -11)$ and $(0, -5)$; $(0, -8)$ and $(12, -6)$

APPLICATION

Construction laws are very specific when it comes to access ramps for the disabled. Every vertical rise of 1 foot requires a horizontal run of 12 feet. What is the grade of such a ramp? Round to the nearest tenth of a percent.

Section 3.4: THE SLOPE-INTERCEPT FORM OF THE EQUATION OF A LINE

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

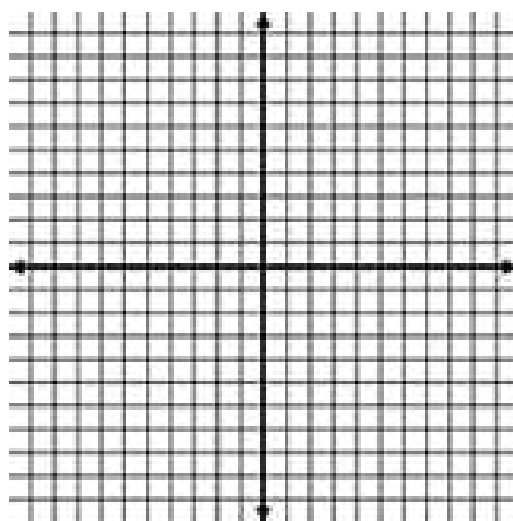
- π Find a line's slope and y -intercept from its equation
- π Graph lines in slope-intercept form
- π Use slope and y -intercept to graph $Ax + By = C$
- π Use slope and y -intercept to model data

WARM-UP:

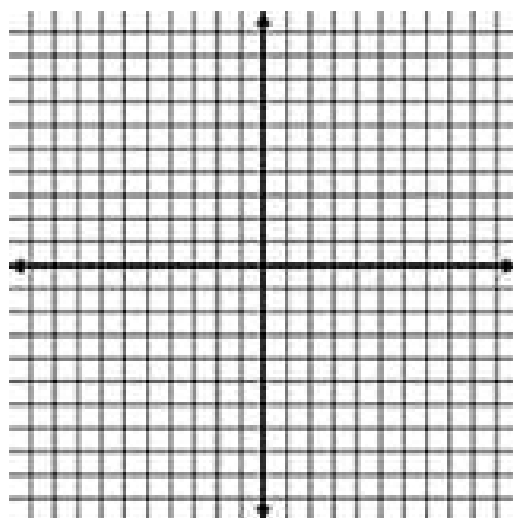
Graph each equation.

a. $4x - 8y - 2 = 0$

x	$4x - 8y - 2 = 0$	(x, y)



b. The line which passes through the points $(-1, 2)$ and $(3, 0)$.



SLOPE-INTERCEPT FORM OF THE EQUATION OF A LINE

The _____ - _____ form of the _____
of a nonvertical line with slope _____ and _____ is

Example 1: Find the slope and the y -intercept of the line with the given equation:

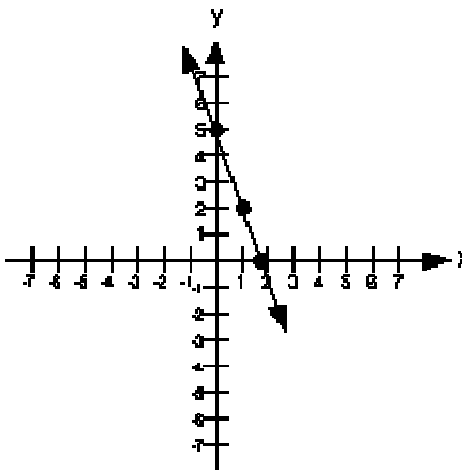
a. $y = -4x - 1$

b. $6x - y = -1$

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

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

Example 2: Use the graph to find the equation of the line in slope-intercept form.

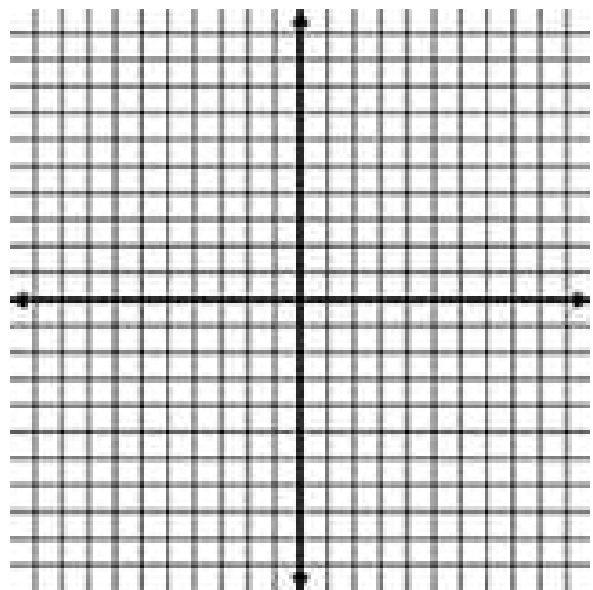


GRAPHING BY USING $y = mx + b$ SLOPE AND Y-INTERCEPT

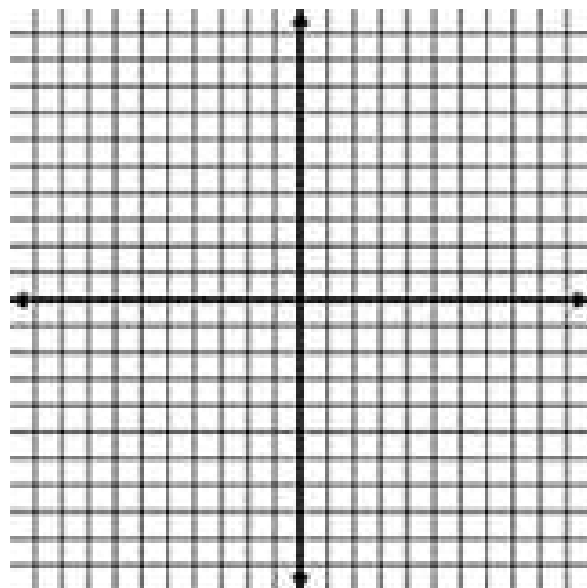
1. Plot the point containing the _____ on the _____ axis.
This is the point _____.
2. Obtain a second _____ using the _____, _____. Write _____ as a _____, and use _____ over _____, starting at the _____.
3. Use a _____ to draw a _____ through the two _____. Draw _____ at the _____ of the line to show that the line continues _____ in both directions.

Example 3: Graph using the slope and y-intercept.

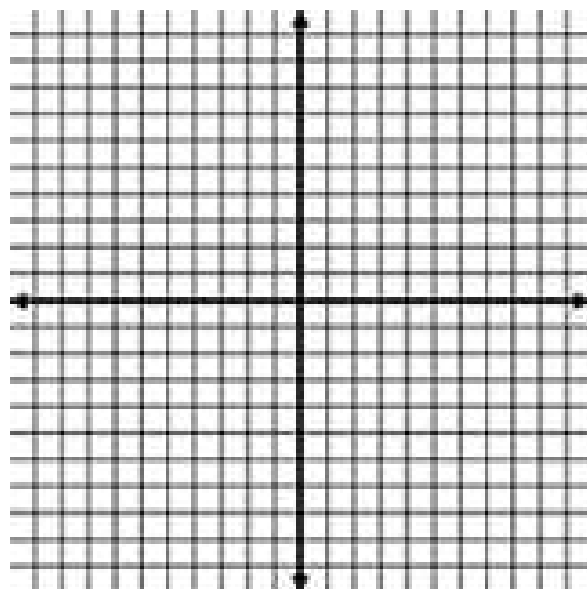
a. $y = -5x + 3$



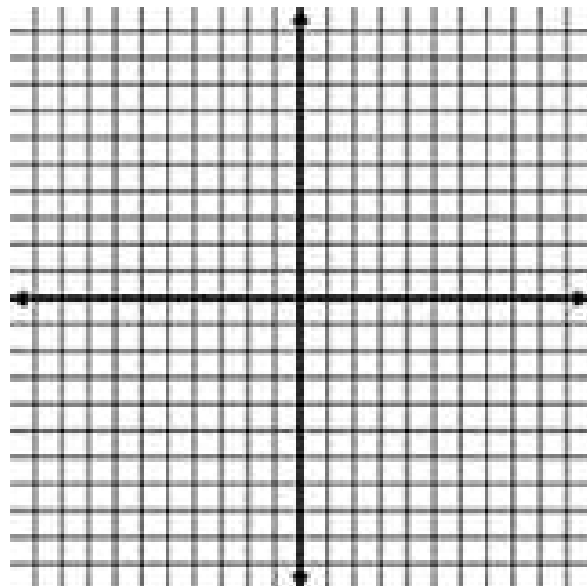
b. $10x - 5y = 25$



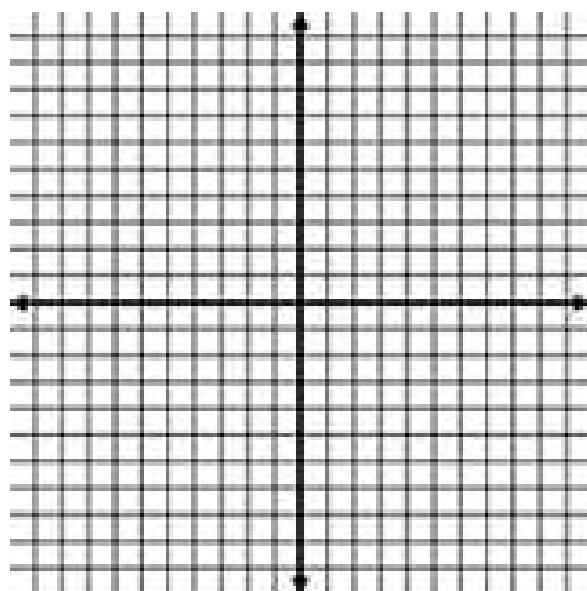
c. $x = 2y - 3$



d. $-y = x - 1$



e. $y = -\frac{6}{7}x + 4$



APPLICATION

Write an equation in the form of $y = mx + b$ of the line that is described.

1. The y -intercept is -4 and the line is parallel to the line whose equation is $2x + y = 8$.
2. The line falls from left to right. It passes through the origin and a second point with opposite x - and y -coordinates.

Section 3.5: THE POINT-SLOPE FORM OF THE EQUATION OF A LINE

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Use the point-slope form to write equations of a line
- π Find slopes and equations of parallel and perpendicular lines
- π Write linear equations that model data and make predictions

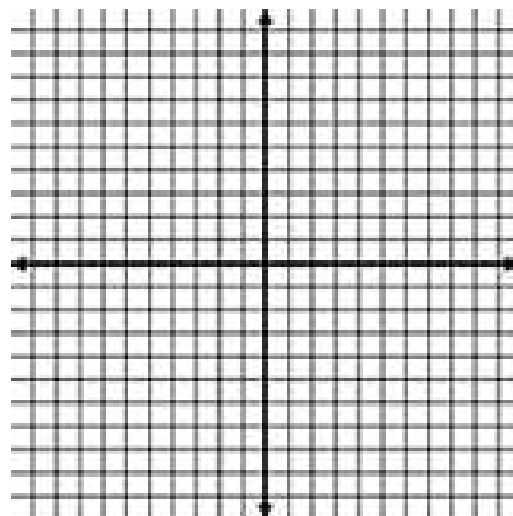
WARM-UP:

1. Simplify.

$$2 - 5[2 - (7x + 2)]$$

2. Graph the equation using the slope and y-intercept.

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



POINT-SLOPE FORM

We can use the _____ of a line to obtain another useful form of the line's equation. Consider a nonvertical line that has slope _____ and contains the point _____. Now let _____ represent any other _____ on the _____. Keep in mind that the point _____ is _____ and is _____ in _____ position. The point _____ is _____.

POINT-SLOPE FORM OF THE EQUATION OF A LINE

The _____ - _____ form of the _____ of a nonvertical line with slope _____ that passes through the point _____ is

Example 1: Write the point-slope form of the equation of the line with the given slope that passes through the given point.

a. $m = -2$; $(5, -11)$

b. $m = \frac{5}{8}$; $\left(\frac{1}{4}, 7\right)$

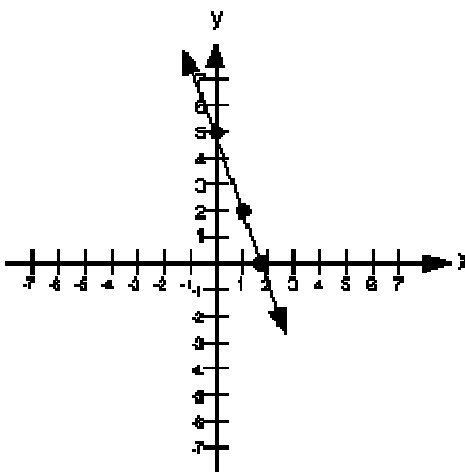
c. $m = 0$; $(-21, 5)$

d. $m = \text{undefined}$; $(0, 0)$

Example 2: Use the graph to find two equations of the line in point-slope form.

1.

2.



Now write the slope-intercept form:

1.

2.

EQUATIONS OF LINES

FORM	WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW
Standard Form	Graph equations in this form using _____ and a _____.
$y = b$	Graph equations in this form as _____ lines with _____ as the _____.
$x = a$	Graph equations in this form as _____ lines with _____ as the _____.
Slope-Intercept Form	Graph equations in this form using the _____, _____ and the slope, _____. *Start with this form when writing a _____ equation if you know a line's _____ and _____.
Point-Slope Form	Start with this form when writing a linear equation if you know the _____ of the line and a _____ on the _____ NOT containing the _____ OR _____ points on the line, _____ of which contains the _____. Calculate the _____ using

PARALLEL AND PERPENDICULAR LINES

Recall that parallel lines have the _____ and
perpendicular lines have _____ which are _____
_____.

Example 3: Use the given conditions to write an equation for each line in point-slope form and slope-intercept form.

a. Passing through $(-2, -7)$ and parallel to the line whose equation is $y = -5x + 4$.

b. Passing through $(-4, 2)$ and perpendicular to the line whose equation is $y = -\frac{1}{3}x + 7$.

c. Passing through $(5, -9)$ and parallel to the line whose equation is $x + 7y = 12$.

Section 4.1: SOLVING SYSTEMS OF LINEAR EQUATIONS BY GRAPHING

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Decide whether an ordered pair is a solution of a linear system
- π Solve systems of linear equations by graphing
- π Use graphing to identify systems with no solution or infinitely many solutions
- π Use graphs of linear systems to solve problems

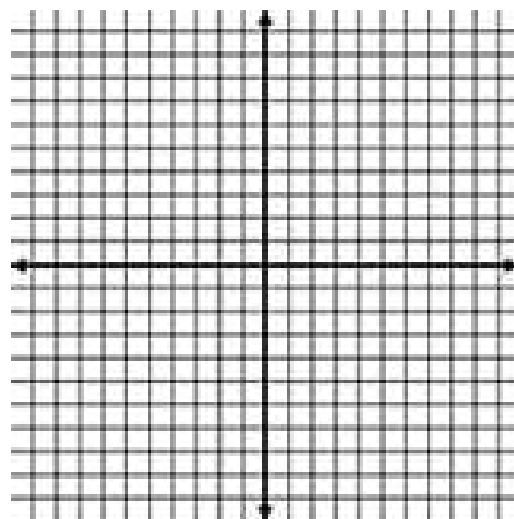
WARM-UP:

1. Determine if the given number or ordered pair is a solution to the given equation.

a. $5x + 3 = 21$; $\frac{18}{5}$

b. $-x + 2y = 0$; $(4,1)$

2. Graph the line which passes through the points $(0,1)$ and $(-5,3)$.



SYSTEMS OF LINEAR EQUATIONS AND THEIR SOLUTIONS

We have seen that all _____ in the form _____ are straight _____ when graphed. _____ such equations are called a _____ of _____ or a _____ . A _____ to a system of two _____ equations in two _____ is an _____ that _____ equations in the _____.

Example 1: Determine whether the given ordered pair is a solution of the system.

a.

$$(-2, -5)$$

$$6x - 2y = -2$$

$$3x + y = -11$$

b.

$$(10, 7)$$

$$6x - 5y = 25$$

$$4x + 15y = 13$$

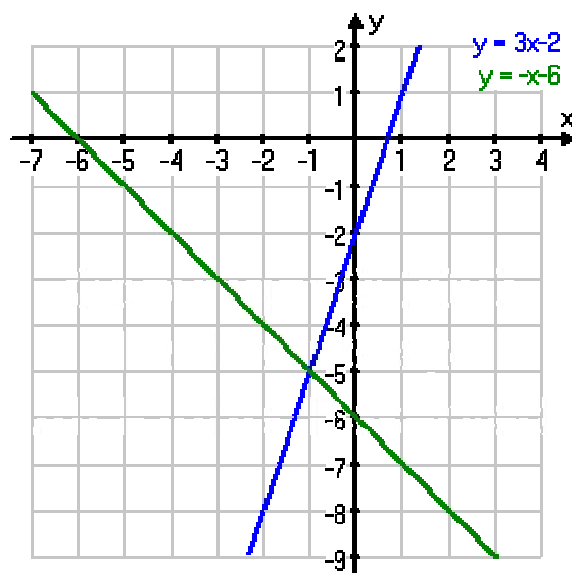
SOLVING LINEAR SYSTEMS BY GRAPHING

The _____ of a _____ of two linear equations in _____ variables can be found by _____ of the _____ in the _____ rectangular _____ system. For a system with _____ solution, the _____ of the point of _____ give the _____ solution.

STEPS FOR SOLVING SYSTEMS OF TWO LINEAR EQUATIONS IN TWO VARIABLES, x AND y , BY GRAPHING

1. Graph the first _____.
2. _____ the second equation on the _____ set of _____.
3. If the _____ representing the _____ graphs _____ at a _____, determine the _____ of this point of intersection. The _____ is the _____ of the _____.
4. _____ the _____ in _____ equations.

Example 2: Use the graph below to find the solution of the system of linear equations.

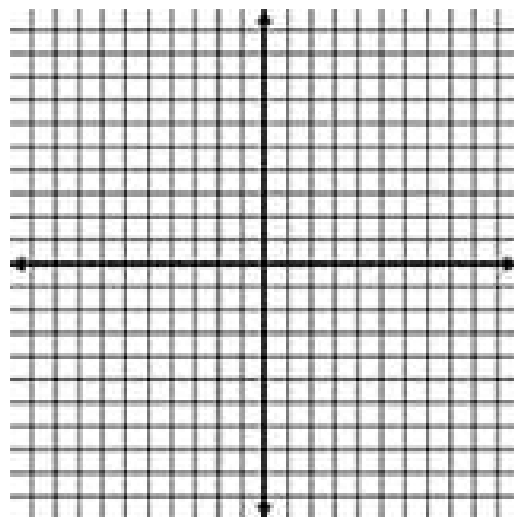


Example 3: Solve each system by graphing. Use set notation to express solution sets.

a.

$$x + y = 2$$

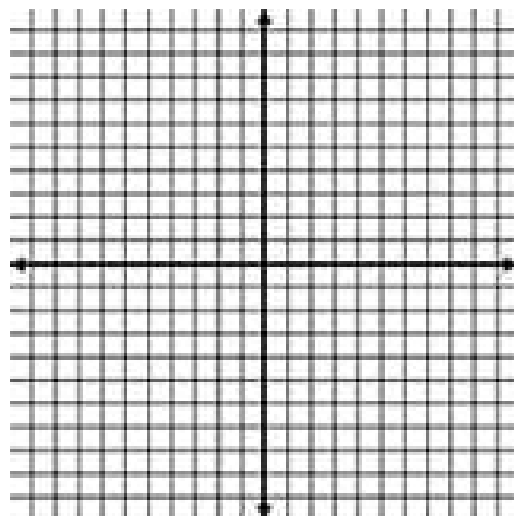
$$x - y = 4$$



b.

$$y = 3x - 4$$

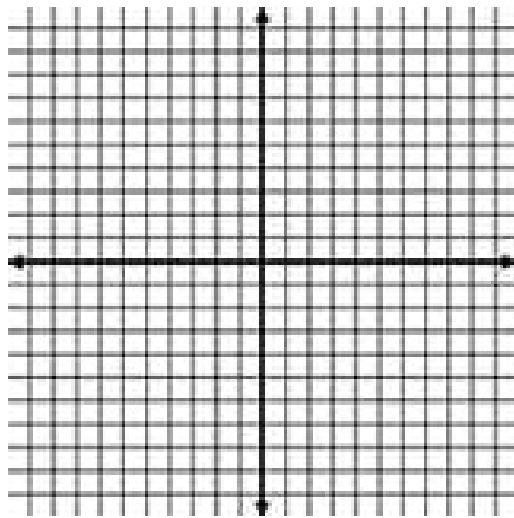
$$y = -2x + 1$$



c.

$$x + y = 6$$

$$y = -3$$



LINEAR SYSTEMS HAVING NO SOLUTION OR INFINITELY MANY SOLUTIONS

We have seen that a _____ of linear equations in _____ variables represents a _____ of _____. The lines either _____ at _____ point, are _____, or are _____. Thus, there are _____ possibilities for the _____ of solutions to a system of two linear equations.

THE NUMBER OF SOLUTIONS TO A SYSTEM OF TWO LINEAR EQUATIONS

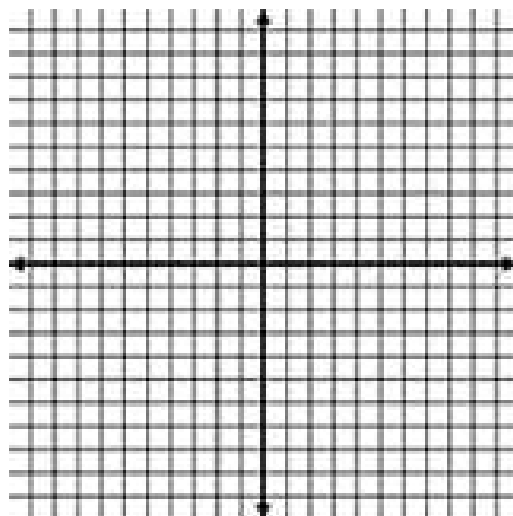
NUMBER OF SOLUTIONS	WHAT THIS MEANS GRAPHICALLY
Exactly _____ ordered pair solution.	The two lines _____ at _____ point. This is a _____ system.
_____ Solution	The two lines are _____. This is an _____ system.
_____ many solutions	The two lines are _____. This is a system with _____ equations.

Example 4: Solve each system by graphing. If there is no solution or infinitely many solutions, so state. Use set notation to express solution sets.

a.

$$x + y = 4$$

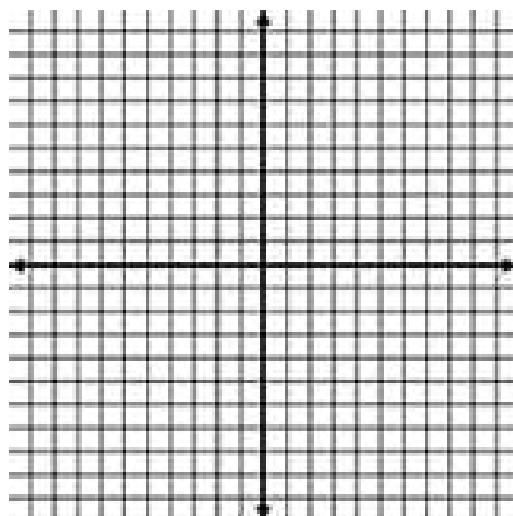
$$2x + 2y = 8$$



b.

$$y = 3x - 1$$

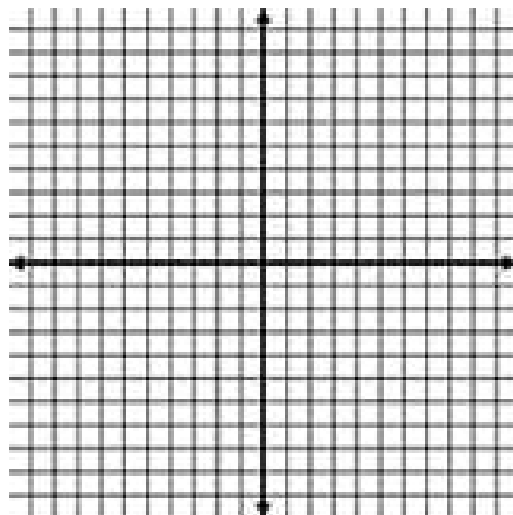
$$y = 3x + 2$$



c.

$$2x - y = 0$$

$$y = 2x$$



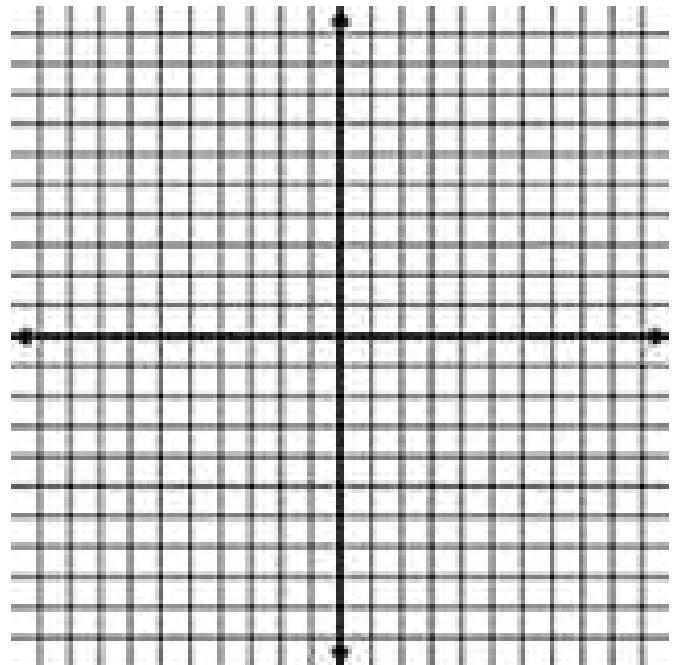
APPLICATION

A band plans to record a demo. Studio A rents for \$100 plus \$50 per hour. Studio B rents for \$50 plus \$75 per hour. The total cost, y , in dollars, of renting the studios for x hours can be modeled by the linear system

$$y = 50x + 100$$

$$y = 75x + 50$$

- a. Use graphing to solve the system. Extend the x -axis from 0 to 4 and let each tick mark represent 1 unit (one hour in a recording studio). Extend the y -axis from 0 to 400 and let each tick mark represent 100 units (a rental cost of \$100).



- b. Interpret the coordinates of the solution in practical terms.

When you are done with your 4.2 homework you should be able to...

- π Solve linear systems by the substitution method
- π Use the substitution method to identify systems with no solution or infinitely many solutions
- π Solve problems using the substitution method

WARM-UP:

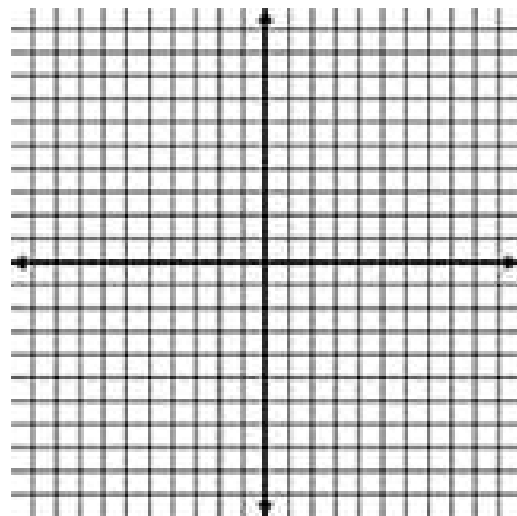
1. Solve.

$$-5x + 3(2x - 7) = x - 21$$

2. Solve the following system of linear equations by graphing. State whether the system is consistent or inconsistent. For those systems that are consistent, state whether the equations are dependent or independent.

$$y = -4x + 6$$

$$y = -2x$$



Steps for Solving a System of Two Linear Equations Containing Two Variables by Substitution

1. Solve one of the equations for one of the unknowns.
2. Substitute the expression solved for in Step 1 into the **other** equation. The result will be a _____ equation in _____ variable.
3. _____ the linear equation in one variable found in Step 2.
4. _____ the value of the variable found in Step 3 into one of the **original** equations to find the _____ of the other _____.
5. Check your answer by _____ the _____ into _____ of the original equations.

Example 1: Solve the following systems of linear equations by substitution. State whether the system is consistent or inconsistent. For those systems that are consistent, state whether the equations are dependent or independent.

a.

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

$$3x - y = -14$$

b.

$$y = 5x - 3$$

$$y = 2x - \frac{21}{5}$$

π Suppose you are solving a system of equations and you end up with $5 = 0$. This is a _____ and yields a result of _____ or _____. This system consists of two _____ lines which never _____.

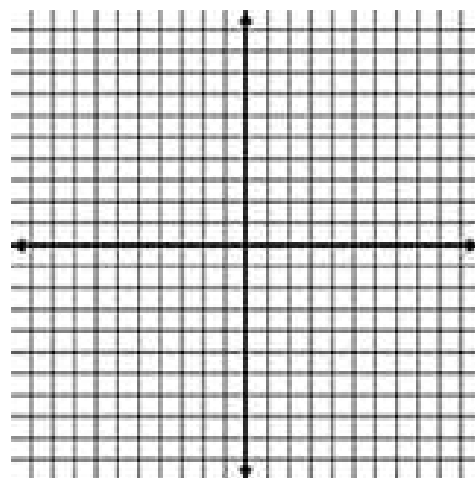
π Suppose you are solving a system of equations and you end up with $5 = 5$ or $x = x$. This is an _____ and yields a result of all _____ which are on the _____. In other words, the system would have _____ solutions. This system consists of two lines which are _____.

Example 2: Solve the following systems of linear equations by substitution. State whether the system is consistent or inconsistent. For those systems that are consistent, state whether the equations are dependent or independent. Graph the system.

a.

$$-x + 3y = 4$$

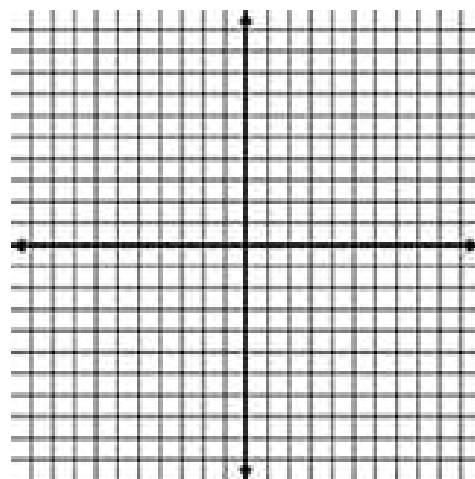
$$2x - 6y = -8$$



b.

$$x - 5y = 3$$

$$-2x + 10y = 8$$



Example 3: Write a system of equations that has infinitely many solutions.

APPLICATIONS

1. Christa is a waitress and collects her tips at the table. At the end of the shift she has 68 bills in her tip wallet, all ones and fives. If the total value of her tips is \$172, how many of each bill does she have?
2. Melody wishes to enclose a rectangular garden with fencing, using the side of her garage as one side of the rectangle. A neighbor gave her 30 feet of fencing, and Melody wants the length of the garden along the garage to be 3 feet more than the width. What are the dimensions of the garden?

When you are done with your 4.3 homework you should be able to...

- π Solve linear systems by the addition method
- π Use the addition method to identify systems with no solution or infinitely many solutions
- π Determine the most efficient method for solving a linear system

WARM-UP:

1. Solve the following system of linear equations by substitution. State whether the system is consistent or inconsistent. For those systems that are consistent, state whether the equations are dependent or independent.

$$y = \frac{7}{2}x - 3$$

$$y = -4x + 2$$

ELIMINATING A VARIABLE USING THE ADDITION METHOD

The _____ method is most useful if one of the equations has an _____ variable. A third method for solving a linear system is the _____ method. The addition method _____ a variable by _____ the equations. When we use the addition method,

we want to obtain two equations whose _____ is an equation containing only _____ variable. The key step is to obtain, for one of the variables, _____ that differ only in _____.

Steps for Solving a System of Two Linear Equations Containing Two Variables by Addition

1. If necessary, _____ both equations in the form _____.
2. If necessary, _____ either equation or both equations by appropriate nonzero numbers so that the _____ of the x-coefficients or y-coefficients is _____.
3. _____ the equations in step 2. The _____ is an _____ in _____ variable.
4. _____ the equation in one variable.
5. _____ - _____ the value obtained in step 4 into either of the _____ equations and _____ for the other variable.
6. _____ the solution in _____ of the original equations.

Example 1: Solve the following systems of linear equations by the addition method.

State whether the system is consistent or inconsistent. For those systems that are consistent, state whether the equations are dependent or independent. Use set notation to express solution sets.

a.

$$x + y = 6$$

$$x - y = -2$$

b.

$$3x - y = 11$$

$$2x + 5y = 13$$

COMPARING SOLUTION METHODS

METHOD	ADVANTAGES	DISADVANTAGES
GRAPHING	You can _____ the _____.	If the solutions do not involve _____ or are too _____ or _____ to be _____ on the graph, it's impossible to tell exactly what the _____ are.
SUBSTITUTION	Gives _____ solutions. Easy to use if a _____ is on _____ side by itself.	Solutions cannot be _____. Can introduce extensive work with _____ when no variable has a coefficient of _____ or _____.
ADDITION	Gives _____ solutions. Easy to use!	Solutions cannot be _____.

Example 2: Solve the following systems of linear equations by any method. State whether the system is consistent or inconsistent. For those systems that are consistent, state whether the equations are dependent or independent. Use set notation to express solution sets.

a.

$$x + y = 6$$

$$x - y = -2$$

b.

$$3x - y = 11$$

$$2x + 5y = 13$$

c.

$$4x - 2y = 2$$

$$2x - y = 1$$

d.

$$3x = 4y + 1$$

$$4x + 3y = 1$$

e.

$$2x + 4y = 5$$

$$3x + 6y = 6$$

Section 4.4: PROBLEM USING SOLVING SYSTEMS OF EQUATIONS

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Solve problems using linear systems
- π Solve simple interest problems
- π Solve mixture problems
- π Solve motion problems

WARM-UP:

1. Solve the system of linear equations using the substitution or the addition method. Determine if the system is consistent or inconsistent, and if the equations are dependent or independent. Give your result in set notation.

a.

$$2x - 3y = 4$$

$$3x + 4y = 0$$

b.

$$x - y = 3$$

$$2x = 4 + 2y$$

A STRATEGY FOR SOLVING WORD PROBLEMS USING SYSTEMS OF EQUATIONS

When we solved problems in chapter 2, we let x represent a _____ that was _____. Problems in this section involve _____ unknown _____. We will let _____ and _____ represent the _____ quantities and _____ the English words into a _____ of _____ equations.

Example 1: The sum of two numbers is five. If one number is subtracted from the other, their difference is thirteen. Find the numbers.

Example 2: Each day, the sum of the average times spent on grooming for 15- to 19-year-old women and men is 96 minutes. The difference between grooming times for 15- to 19-year-old women and men is 22 minutes. How many minutes per day do 15- to 19-year-old women and men spend on grooming?

Example 3: A rectangular lot whose perimeter is 1600 feet is fenced along three sides. An expensive fencing along the lot's length costs \$20 per foot. An inexpensive fencing along the two side widths costs only \$5 per foot. The total cost of the fencing along the three sides comes to \$13000. What are the lot's dimensions?

Example 4: On a special day, tickets for a minor league baseball game cost \$5 for adults and \$1 for students. The attendance that day was 1281 and \$3425 was collected. Find the number of each type of ticket sold.

Example 5: You invested \$11000 in stocks and bonds, paying 5% and 8% annual interest. If the total interest earned for the year was \$730, how much was invested in stocks and how much was invested in bonds?

Example 6: A jeweler needs to mix an alloy with a 16% gold content and an alloy with a 28% gold content to obtain 32 ounces of a new alloy with a 25% gold content. How many ounces of each of the original alloys must be used?

A FORMULA FOR MOTION

Distance equals _____ times _____.

Example 7: When a plane flies with the wind, it can travel 4200 miles in 6 hours. When the plane flies in the opposite direction, against the wind, it takes 7 hours to fly the same distance. Find the rate of the plane in still air and the rate of the wind.

Example 8: With the current, you can row 24 miles in 3 hours. Against the same current, you can row only $\frac{2}{3}$ of this distance in 4 hours. Find your rowing rate in still water and the rate of the current.

Section 5.1: ADDING AND SUBTRACTING POLYNOMIALS

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Understand the vocabulary used to describe polynomials
- π Add polynomials
- π Subtract polynomials
- π Graph equations defined by polynomials of degree 2

WARM-UP:

Simplify:

$$-6x + 5y - 2x^2 - 2y + x^2$$

DESCRIBING POLYNOMIALS

A _____ is a _____ term or the _____ of two or more _____ containing _____ with _____ number _____. It is customary to write the _____ in the order of _____ powers of the _____. This is the _____ form of a _____. We begin this chapter by limiting discussion to polynomials containing _____ variable. Each term of such a _____ in _____ is of the form _____. The _____ of _____ is _____.

THE DEGREE OF ax^n

If _____ and _____ is a _____ number, the _____ of _____ is _____. The _____ of a nonzero constant term is _____. The constant zero has no defined degree.

Example 1: I identify the terms of the polynomial and the degree of each term.

a. $-4x^5 - 13x^3 + 5$

b. $-x^2 + 3x - 7$

A polynomial is _____ when it contains no _____ symbols and no _____. A simplified polynomial that has exactly _____ term is called a _____. A simplified polynomial that has _____ terms is called a _____ and a simplified polynomial with _____ terms is called a _____. Simplified polynomials with _____ or more _____ have no special names. The _____ of a _____ is the _____ degree of _____ the _____ of a _____.

Example 2: Find the degree of the polynomial.

a. $5x^2 - x^8 + 16x^4$

b. -2

ADDING POLYNOMIALS

Recall that _____ are terms containing _____ the same _____ to the _____ powers. _____ are added by _____.

Example 3: Add the polynomials.

a. $(8x - 5) + (-13x + 9)$

b. $(7y^3 + 5y - 1) + (2y^2 - 6y + 3)$

c. $\left(\frac{2}{5}x^4 + \frac{2}{3}x^3 + \frac{5}{8}x^2 + 7\right) + \left(-\frac{4}{5}x^4 + \frac{1}{3}x^3 - \frac{1}{4}x^2 - 7\right)$

d.

$$\begin{array}{r} 7x^2 - 5x - 6 \\ \underline{-9x^2 + 4x + 6} \end{array}$$

SUBTRACTING POLYNOMIALS

We _____ real numbers by _____ the _____ of the number being _____. Subtraction of polynomials also involves _____. If the sum of two polynomials is _____, the polynomials are _____ of each other.

Example 4: Find the opposite of the polynomial.

a. $x+8$

b. $-12x^3 - x + 1$

SUBTRACTING POLYNOMIALS

To _____ two polynomials, _____ the first polynomial and the _____ of the second polynomial

Example 5: Subtract the polynomials.

a. $(x-2)-(7x+9)$

b. $(3x^2-2x)-(5x^2-6x)$

c. $\left(\frac{3}{8}x^2 - \frac{1}{3}x - \frac{1}{4}\right) - \left(-\frac{1}{8}x^2 + \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{4}\right)$

d.

$$\begin{array}{r} 3x^5 - 5x^3 + 6 \\ -(7x^5 + 4x^3 - 2) \\ \hline \end{array}$$

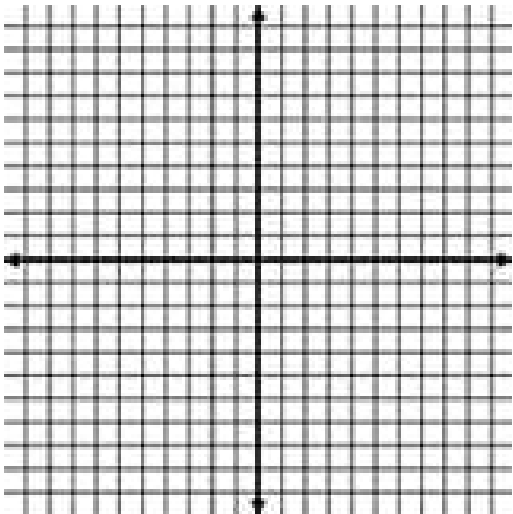
GRAPHING EQUATIONS DEFINED BY POLYNOMIALS

Graphs of equations defined by _____ of degree _____ have a _____ quality. We can obtain their graphs, shaped like _____ or _____ bowls, using the _____-_____ method for graphing an equation in two variables.

Example 6: Graph the following equations by plotting points.

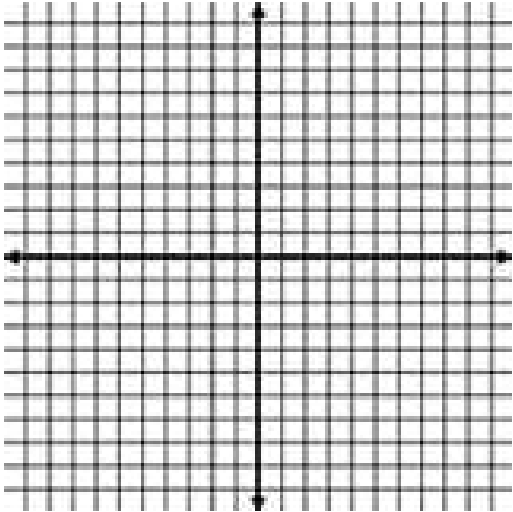
a. $y = x^2 - 1$

x	$y = x^2 - 1$	(x, y)



b. $y = 9 - x^2$

x	$y = 9 - x^2$	(x, y)



Section 5.2: MULTIPLYING POLYNOMIALS

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Use the product rule for exponents
- π Use the power rule for exponents
- π Use the products-to-power rule
- π Multiply monomials
- π Multiply a monomial and a polynomial
- π Multiply polynomials when neither is a monomial

WARM-UP:

Add or subtract the following polynomials:

a. $(-22r^7 + 6r^3 - r^2) - (2r^7 + r^2 - 1)$

b. $(8x^4 - x^3 - x^2) + (-8x^4 + x^3)$

THE PRODUCT RULE FOR EXPONENTS

We have seen that _____ are used to indicate _____ multiplication. Recall that $3^4 =$ _____. Now consider $3^4 \cdot 3^2$:

THE PRODUCT RULE

When multiplying _____ expressions with the _____ base, _____ the _____. Use this _____ as the _____ of the _____ base.

Example 1: Simplify each expression.

a. $2^5 \cdot 2^3$

b. $x^2 \cdot x \cdot x^4$

THE POWER RULE (POWERS TO POWERS)

When an _____ is _____ to a
_____, _____ the _____. Place the
_____ of the _____ on the _____ and
_____ the _____.

Example 2: Simplify each expression.

a. $(4^2)^3$

b. $(x^{12})^5$

THE PRODUCTS-TO-POWERS RULE FOR EXPONENTS

When a _____ is _____ to a _____, _____
each _____ to the _____.

Example 3: Simplify each expression.

a. $(-2y)^5$

b. $(10x^3)^2$

MULTIPLYING MONOMIALS

To _____ with the _____
_____ base, _____ the _____ and
then multiply the _____. Use the _____ rule for
_____ to multiply the _____.

Example 4: Multiply.

d. $(8x)(-11x^4)$

e. $(7y^3)(2y^2)$

f. $\left(\frac{2}{5}x^4\right)\left(-\frac{5}{6}x^7\right)$

MULTIPLYING A MONOMIAL AND A POLYNOMIAL THAT IS NOT A MONOMIAL

To _____ a _____ and a _____, use the _____ property to _____ each _____ of the _____ by the _____.

Example 5: Multiply.

a. $3x^2(2x-5)$

b. $-x(x^2+6x-5)$

MULTIPLYING POLYNOMIALS WHEN NEITHER IS A MONOMIAL

Multiply each _____ of one _____ by each _____ of the other polynomial. Then _____ terms.

Example 6: Multiply.

a. $(x+2)(x+5)$

b. $(2x+5)(x+3)$

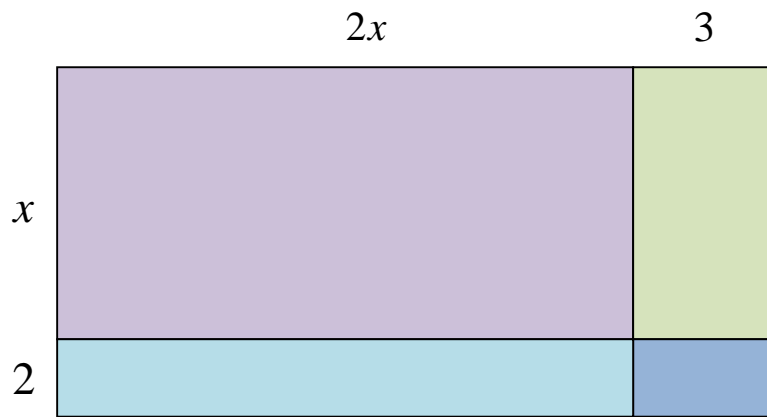
c. $(x^2 - 7x + 9)(x + 4)$

Example 7: Simplify.

a. $3x^2(6x^3 + 2x - 3) - 4x^3(x^2 - 5)$

b. $(y + 6)^2 - (y - 2)^2$

APPLICATION



- Express the area of the large rectangle as the product of two binomials.
- Find the sum of the areas of the four smaller rectangles.
- Use polynomial multiplication to show that your expressions for area in parts (a) and (b) are equal.

Section 5.3: SPECIAL PRODUCTS

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Use FOIL in polynomial multiplication
- π Multiply the sum and difference of two terms
- π Find the square of a binomial sum
- π Find the square of a binomial difference

WARM-UP:

Multiply the following polynomials:

a. $(x-1)^2$

b. $(x-5)(x+5)$

THE PRODUCT OF TWO BINOMIALS: FOIL

F represents the _____ of the _____ terms in each _____, **O** represents the _____ of the _____ terms, **I** represents the _____ of the _____ terms, and **L** represents the _____ of the _____ terms.

USING THE FOIL METHOD TO MULTIPLY BINOMIALS

$$(ax+b)(cx+d) = \underline{\hspace{10cm}}$$

Example 1: Multiply using FOIL.

a. $(5x + 3)(3x + 8)$

b. $(x - 10)(x + 9)$

THE PRODUCT OF THE SUM AND DIFFERENCE OF TWO TERMS

$$(A + B)(A - B) = \underline{\hspace{10cm}}$$

The _____ of the _____ and the _____ of the _____ two terms is the _____ of the _____ the _____ of the second.

Example 2: Multiply.

a. $(x + 4)(x - 4)$

b. $(3x - 7y)(3x + 7y)$

THE SQUARE OF A BINOMIAL SUM

$$(A + B)^2 = \underline{\hspace{10cm}}$$

The _____ of a _____ is the _____ term _____ times the _____ of the terms _____ the last term _____.

Example 3: Multiply.

a. $(x + 6)^2$

b. $(x^2 + 9)^2$

THE SQUARE OF A BINOMIAL DIFFERENCE

$$(A - B)^2 = \underline{\hspace{10cm}}$$

The _____ of a _____ is the _____
term _____ times the _____ of the terms
_____ the last term _____.

Example 4: Multiply.

a. $(5x - y)^2$

b. $(x^3 - 11)^2$

Section 5.4: POLYNOMIALS IN SEVERAL VARIABLES

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Evaluate polynomials in several variables
- π Understand the vocabulary of polynomials in two variables
- π Add and subtract polynomials in several variables
- π Multiply polynomials in several variables

WARM-UP:

Evaluate the polynomial:

$$x^3y + 2xy^2 + 5x - 2; x = -2 \text{ and } y = 3$$

EVALUATING A POLYNOMIAL IN SEVERAL VARIABLES

1. _____ the given value for each _____.
2. Perform the resulting _____ using the _____ of _____.

DESCRIBING POLYNOMIALS IN TWO VARIABLES

In general, a _____ in _____, _____ and _____, contains the _____ of one or more _____ in the form _____. The constant, _____, is the _____. The _____, _____ and _____, represent _____ numbers. The _____ of the _____ is _____.

Example 1: Determine the coefficient of each term, the degree of each term, and the degree of the polynomial.

$$8xy^4 - 17x^5y^3 + 4x^2y - 9y^3 + 7$$

ADDING AND SUBTRACTING POLYNOMIALS IN SEVERAL VARIABLES

_____ in _____ variables are added by
_____.

Example 2: Add or subtract.

a. $(x^3 - y^3) - (-4x^3 - x^2y + xy^2 + 3y^3)$

b. $(7x^2y + 5xy + 13) + (-3x^2y + 6xy + 4)$

MULTIPLYING POLYNOMIALS IN SEVERAL VARIABLES

The _____ of _____ the basis of _____
_____. _____ can be done _____
by _____ and _____
_____ on _____ with the _____
_____.

Example 3: Multiply.

a. $(5xy^3)(-10x^2y^4)$

c. $(x - 2y^4)(x + 2y^4)$

b. $-x^7y^2(x^2 + 7xy - 4)$

d. $(x^2 - y)^2$

Section 5.5: DIVIDING POLYNOMIALS

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Use the quotient rule for exponents
- π Use the zero-exponent rule for exponents
- π Use the quotients-to-power rule
- π Divide monomials
- π Check polynomial division
- π Divide a polynomial by a monomial

WARM-UP:

1. Find the missing exponent, designated by the question mark, in the final step:

$$\frac{x^8}{x^3} = \frac{\cancel{x} \cdot \cancel{x} \cdot \cancel{x} \cdot x \cdot x \cdot x \cdot x \cdot x}{\cancel{x} \cdot \cancel{x} \cdot \cancel{x}} = x^?$$

2. Simplify:

$$\frac{(2a^3)^5}{(b^4)^5}$$

THE QUOTIENT RULE FOR EXPONENTS

When dividing _____ expressions with the _____ nonzero base, _____ the exponent in the _____ from the _____ in the _____. Use this _____ as the _____ of the _____ base.

Example 1: Simplify each expression.

a. $\frac{2^5}{2^3}$

b. $\frac{x^{10}}{x^8}$

THE ZERO-EXPONENT RULE

If _____ is any _____ number other than _____,

Example 2: Simplify each expression.

a. $(4^2)^0$

b. $-7x^0$

THE QUOTIENTS-TO-POWERS RULE FOR EXPONENTS

If _____ and _____ are real numbers and _____ is nonzero, then

When a _____ is _____ to a _____, _____
the _____ to the _____ and _____ by the
_____ raised to the _____.

Example 3: Simplify each expression.

a. $\left(\frac{x}{3}\right)^5$

b. $\left(\frac{4x^3}{5y}\right)^2$

DIVIDING MONOMIALS

To _____, _____ the
_____ and then divide the _____.

Use the _____ rule for _____ to divide the _____.

Example 4: Divide.

a. $\frac{16x^4}{2x^4}$

b. $\frac{6x^2y^5}{21xy^3}$

c. $\frac{35r^8}{14r^7}$

DIVIDING A POLYNOMIAL THAT IS NOT A MONOMIAL BY A MONOMIAL

To _____ by a _____, _____ each
_____ of the _____ by the _____.

Example 5: Find the quotient.

a. $(24x^6 - 12x^4 + 8x^3) \div (4x^3)$

b. $\frac{459x^{10}y^9 + 18x^5y^3 - 9x^4y}{-9x^3y}$

Section 5.6: LONG DIVISION OF POLYNOMIALS AND SYNTHETIC DIVISION

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Use long division to divide by a polynomial containing more than one term
- π Divide polynomials using synthetic division

WARM-UP:

- a. Divide using long division:

$$56 \overline{)1234567}$$

- b. Simplify:

$$\frac{5x^5 - 8x^3 + x^2}{2x^2}$$

STEPS FOR DIVIDING A POLYNOMIAL BY A BINOMIAL

1. _____ the terms of _____ the _____ and the _____ in _____ powers of the variable.
2. _____ the _____ term in the _____ by the _____ term in the _____. The result is the _____ term of the _____.
3. _____ every term in the _____ by the _____ term in the _____. Write the resulting _____ beneath the _____ with _____ terms lined up.
4. _____ the _____ from the _____.
5. _____ down the next term in the _____ dividend and write it next to the _____ to form a new _____.
6. Use this new expression as the _____ and repeat the process until the _____ can no longer be _____. This will occur when the _____ of the _____ is _____ than the _____ of the _____.

Example 1: Divide.

a. $\frac{x^2 + 7x + 10}{x + 5}$

b. $\frac{2y^2 - 13y + 21}{y - 3}$

c. $\frac{x^3 + 2x^2 - 3}{x - 2}$

d. $(8y^3 + y^4 + 16 + 32y + 24y^2) \div (y + 2)$

DIVIDING POLYNOMIALS USING SYNTHETIC DIVISION

We can use _____ division to divide _____ if the _____ is of the form _____. This method provides a _____ more quickly than _____ division.

STEPS FOR SYNTHETIC DIVISION

1. Arrange the _____ in _____ powers, with a _____ coefficient for any _____ term.
2. Write _____ for the _____, _____. To the _____, write the _____ of the _____.
3. Write the _____ of the _____ on the _____ row.
4. _____ times the _____ just written on the _____ row. Write the _____ in the next _____ in the _____ row.
5. _____ the values in this new column, writing the _____ in the _____ row.
6. Repeat this series of _____ and _____ until all _____ are filled in.

7. Use the numbers in the last row to write the _____ plus the _____ the _____. The _____ of the _____ term of the quotient will be _____ less than the _____ of the first term of the _____. The final value in this row is the _____.

Example 2: Divide using synthetic division.

a. $(x^2 + x - 2) \div (x - 1)$

b. $(x^2 - 6x - 6x^3 + x^4) \div (6 + x)$

c. $\frac{x^7 - 128}{x - 2}$

d. $(y^5 - 2y^4 - y^3 + 3y^2 - y + 1) \div (y - 2)$

APPLICATION

You just signed a contract for a new job. The salary for the first year is \$30,000 and there is to be a percent increase in your salary each year. The algebraic expression

$$\frac{30000x^n - 30000}{x-1}$$

describes your total salary over n years, where x is the sum of 1 and the yearly percent increase, expressed as a decimal.

- Use the given expression and write a quotient of polynomials that describes your total salary over four years.
- Simplify the expression in part (a) by performing the division.
- Suppose you are to receive an increase of 8% per year. Thus, x is the sum of 1 and 0.08, or 1.08. Substitute 1.08 for x in the expression in part (a) as well as the simplified expression in part (b). Evaluate each expression. What is your total salary over the four-year period?

Section 5.7: NEGATIVE EXPONENTS AND SCIENTIFIC NOTATION

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Use the negative exponent rule
- π Simplify exponential expressions
- π Convert from scientific notation to decimal notation
- π Convert from decimal notation to scientific notation
- π Compute with scientific notation
- π Solve applied problems using scientific notation

WARM-UP:

1. Divide:

$$(7x^4 - 8x) \div (x + 3)$$

2. Simplify:

$$\frac{1}{(6x^3)^2}$$

NEGATIVE INTEGERS AS EXPONENTS

A nonzero base can be raised to a _____ power. The _____ rule can be used to help determine what a _____ as an _____ should mean.

THE NEGATIVE EXPONENT RULE

If _____ is any real number other than _____ and _____ is a natural number, then

NEGATIVE EXPONENTS IN NUMERATORS AND DENOMINATORS

If _____ is any real number other than _____ and _____ is a natural number, then

When a _____ number appears as an _____, _____ the position of the _____ (from _____ to _____ or from _____ to _____) and make the _____. The sign of the _____ does _____ change.

Example 1: Write each expression with positive exponents only. Then simplify, if possible.

a. -7^{-2}

c. $3^{-1} - 6^{-1}$

b. $(-7)^{-2}$

d. $\frac{x^{-12}}{y^{-1}}$

SIMPLIFYING EXPONENTIAL EXPRESSIONS

Properties of _____ are used to _____
exponential expressions. An exponential _____ is
_____ when

π Each _____ occurs only _____

π No _____ appear

π No _____ are raised to _____

π No _____ or _____ exponents appear

STEPS FOR SIMPLIFYING EXPONENTIAL EXPRESSIONS

1. If necessary, be sure that each _____ appears only _____, using _____ or _____.
2. If necessary, _____ parentheses using _____ or _____.
3. If necessary, simplify _____ to _____ using _____.
4. If necessary, _____ exponential expressions with _____ powers as _____ (_____). Furthermore, write the answer with _____ exponents using _____.

Example 2: Simplify. Assume that variables represent nonzero real numbers.

a. $\frac{45z^4}{15z^{12}}$

c. $\frac{(5x^3)^2}{x^7}$

b. $\frac{(3y^4)^3 y^{-7}}{y^7}$

d. $\left(\frac{x^3}{y^2}\right)^{-4}$

SCIENTIFIC NOTATION

A _____ number is written in _____ notation when it is expressed in the form

where _____ is a number _____ than or equal to _____ and _____ than _____ (_____) and _____ is an _____.

It is customary to use the _____ symbol, _____, rather than a dot, when writing a number in _____. We can use _____, the exponent on the _____ in _____, to change a number in scientific notation to _____ notation. If _____ is _____, move the decimal point in _____ to the _____ places. If _____ is _____, move the decimal point in _____ to the _____ places.

Example 3: Write each number in decimal notation.

a. 7.85×10^8

c. 1.001×10^2

b. 9×10^{-5}

d. 9.999×10^{-1}

CONVERTING FROM DECIMAL TO SCIENTIFIC NOTATION

Write the number in the form _____.

π Determine _____, the numerical _____. Move the _____ point in the _____ number to obtain a number _____ than or equal to _____ and _____ than _____.

π Determine _____, the _____ on _____. The _____ of _____ is the _____ of places the decimal point was _____. The exponent _____ is _____ if the given number is _____ than _____ and _____ if the given number is _____ and _____.

Example 4: Write each number in scientific notation.

a. 0.00000006589

c. 0.234

b. 6,789,000,000,000

d. 1,000,234,000

COMPUTATIONS WITH NUMBERS IN SCIENTIFIC NOTATION

MULTIPLICATION

DIVISION

EXPONENTIATION

After the computation is _____, the _____ may require an additional _____ before it is expressed in _____ notation.

Example 5: Perform the indicated operations, writing the answers in scientific notation.

a. $(3 \times 10^4)(4 \times 10^2)$

b. $(2 \times 10^{-3})^5$

c. $\frac{180 \times 10^8}{2 \times 10^4}$

d. $(5 \times 10^4)^{-1}$

APPLICATIONS

1. A human brain contains 3×10^{10} neurons and a gorilla brain contains 7.5×10^9 neurons. How many times as many neurons are in the brain of a human as in the brain of a gorilla?
2. If the sun is approximately 9.14×10^7 miles from the earth, how many seconds, to the nearest tenth of a second does it take sunlight to reach Earth? Use the motion formula, $d = rt$, and the fact that light travels at the rate of 1.86×10^5 miles per second.

Section 6.1: THE GREATEST COMMON FACTOR AND FACTORING BY GROUPING

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Find the greatest common factor (GCF)
- π Factor out the GCF of a polynomial
- π Factor by grouping

WARM-UP:

1. Multiply:

$$x^2(7x^4 - 8)$$

2. Divide:

$$\frac{16x^4 - 8x^2}{4x^2}$$

**FACTORING A _____ CONTAINING THE SUM OF
_____ MEANS FINDING AN _____ EXPRESSION
THAT IS A _____.**

FACTORIZING OUT THE GREATEST COMMON FACTOR (GCF)

We use the _____ property to _____ a monomial and a _____ of _____ or more _____.

When we _____, we _____ this process, expressing the _____ as a _____.

MULTIPLICATION

FACTORIZING

In any _____ problem, the first step is to look for the _____. The _____ is an _____ of the _____ degree that _____ each _____ of the _____.

The _____ part of the _____ always contains the _____ of a _____ that appears in _____ terms of the _____.

Example 1: Find the greatest common factor of each list of monomials:

a. 5 and $15x$

b. $-3x^4$ and $6x^3$

c. x^2y , $7x^3y$ and $14x^2$

STEPS FOR FACTORING A MONOMIAL FROM A POLYNOMIAL

1. Determine the _____ factor of _____ terms in the _____.
2. Express each _____ as the _____ of the _____ and its other _____.
3. Use the _____ to factor out the _____.

Example 2: Factor each polynomial using the GCF:

a. $9x + 9$

b. $32x - 24$

c. $18x^3y^2 - 12x^3y - 24x^2y$

d. $7(x+1) + 21x(x+1)$

FACTORING BY GROUPING

1. _____ terms that have a _____ factor. There will usually be _____ groups. Sometimes the terms must be _____.
2. _____ out the _____ monomial _____ from each _____.
3. _____ out the remaining common _____ factor (if one exists).

Example 3: Factor by grouping:

a. $x^2 + 3x + 5x + 15$

c. $xy - 6x + 2y - 12$

b. $x^3 - 3x^2 + 4x - 12$

d. $10x^2 - 12xy + 35xy - 42y^2$

Example 4: Factor each polynomial:

a. $x^3 - 5 + 2x^3y - 10y$

c. $8x^5(x+2) - 10x^3(x+2) - 2x^2(x+2)$

b. $7x^5 - 7x^4 + x^3 - x^2 + 3x - 3$

d. $12x^2 - 25$

APPLICATION

An explosion causes debris to rise vertically with an initial velocity of 72 feet per second. The polynomial $72x - 16x^2$ describes the height of the debris above the ground, in feet, after x seconds.

- a. Find the height of the debris after 4 seconds.

- b. Factor the polynomial.

- c. Use the factored form of the polynomial in part (b) to find the height of the debris after 4 seconds. Do you get the same answer as you did in part (a)? If so, does this prove that your factorization is correct?

Section 6.2: FACTORING TRINOMIALS WHOSE LEADING COEFFICIENT IS 1

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

π Factor trinomials of the form $x^2 + bx + c$

WARM-UP:

Multiply:

a. $(x+1)(x+8)$

c. $(x+1)(x-8)$

b. $(x-1)(x-8)$

d. $(x-1)(x+8)$

A STRATEGY FOR FACTORING $ax^2 + bx + c$: USING GROUPING

1. Multiply the leading coefficient (in this case 1) and the constant, _____.
2. Find the _____ of _____ whose _____ is _____.
3. Rewrite the _____ term, _____, as a _____ or a _____ using the factors from step 2.
4. _____ by _____.

Example 1: Factor each trinomial

a. $x^2 + 9x + 8$

b. $x^2 + 7x + 10$

c. $x^2 - 13x + 40$

d. $x^2 + 3x - 28$

e. $x^2 - 4x - 5$

f. $w^2 + 12w - 64$

g. $y^2 - 15y + 5$

h. $x^2 - 9xy + 14y^2$

Some _____ can be _____ using more than one
 _____. **Always begin by looking for the _____**
 _____ and, if there is one, _____ it
out! A polynomial is _____ when it is written as
 the _____ of _____.

Example 4: Factor completely

a. $3x^2 + 21x + 36$

b. $20x^2y - 5xy - 120y$

c. $y^4 - 12y^3 + 35y^2$

d. $(a+b)x^2 - 13(a+b)x + 36(a+b)$

APPLICATION

You dive directly upward from a board that is 48 feet high. After t seconds, your height above the water is described by the polynomial $-16t^2 + 32t + 48$.

- Factor the polynomial completely.
- Evaluate both the original polynomial and its factored form for $t = 3$.
- Do you get the same answer? Describe what this answer means?

Section 6.3: FACTORING TRINOMIALS WHOSE LEADING COEFFICIENT IS NOT 1

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

π Factor trinomials by trial and error

π Factor trinomials by grouping

WARM-UP:

Factor:

a. $x^2y - xy^2$

c. $2x^3 - 6x^2 + 4x$

b. $x^2 - 14x - 51$

d. $z^2 + z - 72$

A STRATEGY FOR FACTORING $ax^2 + bx + c$: USING TRIAL AND ERROR

Assume, for the moment, that there is no _____
factor other than _____.

1. _____ two First _____ whose _____ is _____.

2. _____ two Last _____ whose _____ is _____.

3. By _____ and _____, perform steps 1 and 2 until the
_____ of the Outside _____ and the Inside
_____ is _____.

If _____ such _____ exist, the polynomial is _____.

Example 1: Factor using trial and error.

a. $5x^2 - 14x + 8$

b. $6x^2 + 19x - 7$

c. $3x^2 - 13xy + 4y^2$

d. $9z^2 + 3z + 2$

A STRATEGY FOR FACTORING $ax^2 + bx + c$: USING GROUPING

1. Multiply the leading coefficient and the constant, _____.
2. Find the _____ of _____ whose _____ is _____.
3. Rewrite the _____ term, _____, as a _____ or a _____ using the factors from step 2.
4. _____ by _____.

Example 1: Factor using grouping.

a. $3x^2 - x - 10$

b. $8x^2 - 10x + 3$

c. $9y^2 + 5y - 4$

d. $12x^2 + 7xy - 12y^2$

Example 4: Factor completely

a. $4x^2 - 18x - 10$

c. $24y^4 + 10y^3 - 4y^2$

b. $3x^3 + 14x^2 + 8x$

d. $6(y+1)x^2 + 33(y+1)x + 15(y+1)$

Section 6.4: FACTORING SPECIAL FORMS

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Factor the difference of two squares
- π Factor perfect square trinomials
- π Factor the sum of two cubes
- π Factor the difference of two cubes

WARM-UP:

Factor:

a. $3a^2 - ab - 14b^2$

c. $80z^3 + 80z^2 - 60z$

b. $12x^2 - 33x + 21$

d. $-10x^2y^4 + 14xy^4 + 12y^4$

THE DIFFERENCE OF TWO SQUARES

If _____ and _____ are real numbers, or _____ expressions, then

The _____ of the _____ of _____
factors as the _____ of a _____ and a _____
of those terms.

16 PERFECT SQUARES

$$1 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \quad 25 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \quad 81 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \quad 169 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

$$4 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \quad 36 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \quad 100 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \quad 196 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

$$9 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \quad 49 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \quad 121 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \quad 225 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

$$16 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \quad 64 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \quad 144 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \quad 256 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

Example 1: Factor.

a. $x^2 - 144$

c. $25 - 4x^{10}$

b. $16x^2 - 196y^2$

d. $18x^3 - 2x$

FACTORIZING PERFECT SQUARE TRINOMIALS

Let _____ and _____ be real numbers, _____, or _____ expressions.

1. $A^2 + 2AB + B^2 =$ _____

2. $A^2 - 2AB + B^2 =$ _____

π The _____ and _____ terms are _____ of _____ or _____.

π The _____ term is _____ the _____ of the _____ being _____ in the _____ and _____ terms.

Example 2: Factor.

a. $9x^2 + 6x + 1$

c. $x^2 - 18xy + 81y^2$

b. $x^2 + 4x + 4$

d. $2y^2 - 40y + 200$

FACTORING THE SUM OR DIFFERENCE OF TWO CUBES

Let _____ and _____ be real numbers, _____, or _____ expressions.

1. $A^3 + B^3 =$ _____

2. $A^3 - B^3 =$ _____

Example 3: Factor.

a. $x^3 + 64$

c. $128 - 250y^3$

b. $8y^3 - 1$

d. $125x^3 + y^3$

Example 4: Factor completely

a. $25x^2 - \frac{4}{49}$

c. $(y+6)^2 - (y-2)^2$

b. $20x^3 - 5x$

d. $0.064 - x^3$

Section 6.5: A GENERAL FACTORING STRATEGY

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Recognize the appropriate method for factoring a polynomial
- π Use a general strategy for factoring polynomials

WARM-UP:

Multiply:

a. $(x+1)(x^2 - x + 1)$

b. $(2x-3y)(4x^2 + 6xy + 9y^2)$

A STRATEGY FOR FACTORING A POLYNOMIAL

1. If there is a _____ factor other than _____, factor the _____.
2. Determine the _____ of _____ in the polynomial and try factoring as follows:
 - a. If there are _____ terms, can the _____ be factored by one of the following special forms?
_____ of _____:

_____ of _____:

_____ of _____:

b. If there are _____ terms, is the _____ a
_____? If so,
factor by one of the following special forms:

_____ = _____

_____ = _____

If the trinomial is _____ a _____

_____, try _____ by _____ and

_____ or _____.

c. If there are _____ or _____ terms, try

_____ by _____.

3. Check to see if any _____ with more than one term in the

_____ can be factored

_____. If so, _____ completely.

4. _____ by _____.

Example 1: Factor

a. $5x^4 - 45x^2$

b. $4x^2 - 16x - 48$

c. $4x^5 - 64x$

d. $x^3 - 4x^2 - 9x + 36$

e. $3x^3 - 30x^2 + 75x$

f. $2w^5 + 54w^2$

g. $3x^4y - 48y^5$

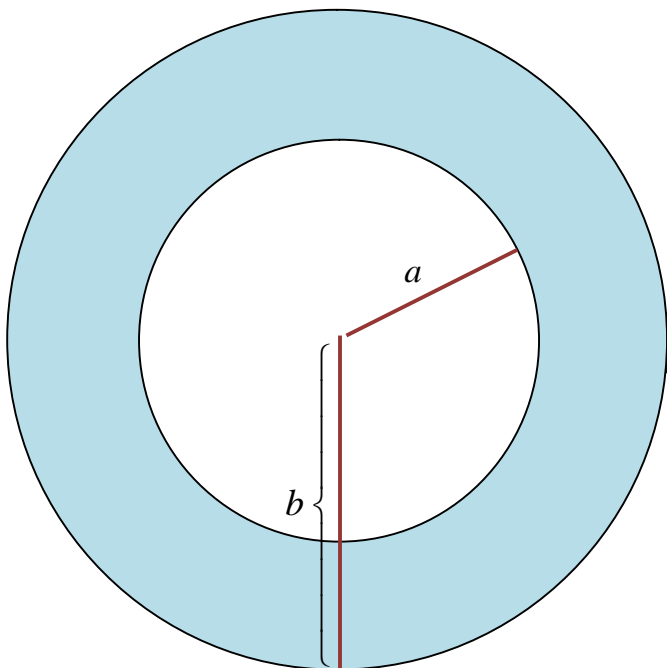
h. $12x^3 + 36x^2y + 27xy^2$

i. $12x^2(x-1) - 4x(x-1) - 5(x-1)$

j. $x^2 + 14x + 49 - 16a^2$

APPLICATION

Express the area of the shaded ring shown in the figure in terms of π . Then factor this expression completely.



Section 6.6: SOLVING QUADRATIC EQUATIONS BY FACTORING

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Use the zero-product principle
- π Solve quadratic equations by factoring
- π Solve problems using quadratic equations

WARM-UP:

a. Factor:

$$x^2 - 8x + 7$$

b. Solve:

$$x - 7 = 0$$

DEFINITION OF A QUADRATIC EQUATION

A _____ in _____ is an equation that can be written in the _____

where _____, _____, and _____ are real numbers, with _____. A

_____ in _____ is also called a _____ -
_____ equation in _____.

SOLVING QUADRATIC EQUATIONS BY FACTORING

Consider the quadratic equation $x^2 - 8x + 7 = 0$. How is this different from the first warm-up?

We can _____ the _____ side of the _____ equation _____ to get _____. If a quadratic equation has a zero on one side and a _____ on the other side, it can be _____ using the _____ - _____ principle.

THE ZERO-PRODUCT PRINCIPLE

If the _____ of two or more _____ expressions is _____, then _____ one of them is _____ to _____.

Example 1: Solve the following equations:

a. $2x - 11 = 0$

b. $x + 1 = 0$

c. $(2x - 11)(x + 1) = 0$

STEPS FOR SOLVING A QUADRATIC EQUATION BY FACTORING

1. If necessary, _____ the equation in _____ form
_____, moving all _____ to one side, thereby
obtaining _____ on the other side.
2. _____.
3. Apply the _____ - _____ principle, setting each
_____ equal to _____.
4. _____ the equations formed in step 3.
5. _____ the _____ in the _____
equation.

Example 2: Solve:

a. $x(x+9)=0$

b. $8(x-5)(3x+11)=0$

c. $x^2 + x - 42 = 0$

d. $x^2 = 8x$

e. $4x^2 = 12x - 9$

f. $(x + 3)(3x + 5) = 7$

g. $x^3 - 4x = 0$

h. $(x-3)^2 + 2(x-3) - 8 = 0$

APPLICATION

An explosion causes debris to rise vertically with an initial velocity of 72 feet per second. The formula $h = -16t^2 + 72t$ describes the height of the debris above the ground, h , in feet, t seconds after the explosion.

a. How long will it take for the debris to hit the ground?

b. When will the debris be 32 feet above the ground?

Section 7.1: RATIONAL EXPRESSIONS AND THEIR SIMPLIFICATION

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Find numbers for which a rational expression is undefined
- π Simplify rational expressions
- π Solve applied problems involving rational expressions

WARM-UP:

a. Factor:

$$x^3 - 8x^2 + 2x - 16$$

b. Solve:

$$2x^2 - x - 10 = 0$$

EXCLUDING NUMBERS FROM RATIONAL EXPRESSIONS

A _____ expression is the _____ of two
_____. Rational expressions indicate _____
and division by _____ is _____. This means that we
_____ any value or values of the _____
that make a _____!

Example 1: Find all numbers for which the rational expression is undefined:

a. $\frac{5}{x}$

b. $\frac{x+1}{x-4}$

c. $\frac{8x-40}{x^2+3x-28}$

d. $\frac{x-12}{x^2+4}$

SIMPLIFYING RATIONAL EXPRESSIONS

A _____ is _____ if its
_____ and _____ have _____ common
_____ other than _____ or _____.

FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLE OF RATIONAL EXPRESSIONS

If _____, _____, and _____ are _____ and _____ and _____
are _____,

STEPS FOR SIMPLIFYING RATIONAL EXPRESSIONS

1. _____ the _____ and the _____ completely.

2. _____ both the _____ and the _____ by any _____.

Example 2: Simplify:

a. $\frac{4x-64}{16x}$

b. $\frac{6y+18}{11y+33}$

c. $\frac{x^2-12x+36}{4x-24}$

d. $\frac{x^3 + 4x^2 - 3x - 12}{x + 4}$

e. $\frac{x + 5}{x - 5}$

f. $\frac{x^3 - 1}{x^2 - 1}$

SIMPLIFYING RATIONAL EXPRESIONS WITH OPPOSITE FACTORS IN THE NUMERATOR AND DENOMINATOR

The _____ of two _____ that have _____ signs and are _____ is _____.

Example 3: Simplify:

a. $\frac{x-3}{3-x}$

b. $\frac{9x-15}{5-3x}$

c. $\frac{x^2-4}{2-x}$

APPLICATION

A company that manufactures small canoes has costs given by the equation

$$C = \frac{20x + 20000}{x}$$

in which x is the number of canoes manufactured and C is the cost to manufacture each canoe.

- Find the cost per canoe when manufacturing 100 canoes.
- Find the cost per canoe when manufacturing 10000 canoes.
- Does the cost per canoe increase or decrease as more canoes are manufactured?

Section 7.2: MULTIPLYING AND DIVIDING RATIONAL EXPRESSIONS

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

π Multiply rational expressions

π Divide rational expressions

WARM-UP:

Simplify:

a. $\frac{a^2 - 2ab + b^2}{a^2 - b^2}$

b. $\frac{x^2 - 3x + 2}{x - 1}$

MULTIPLYING RATIONAL EXPRESSIONS

If _____, _____, _____, and _____ are polynomials, where _____ and _____, then

The _____ of two _____ is the _____ of their _____, divided by the _____ of their _____.

STEPS FOR MULTIPLYING RATIONAL EXPRESSIONS

1. _____ all _____ and _____.
2. _____ and _____ by
common _____.
3. _____ the remaining factors in the _____
and _____ the remaining factors in the _____.

Example 1: Multiply.

a. $\frac{x-5}{3} \cdot \frac{18}{x-8}$

c. $\frac{9y+21}{y^2-2y} \cdot \frac{y-2}{3y+7}$

b. $\frac{x}{5} \cdot \frac{30}{x-4}$

d. $\frac{x^2+5x+6}{x^2+x-6} \cdot \frac{x^2-9}{x^2-x-6}$

DIVIDING RATIONAL EXPRESSIONS

If _____, _____, _____, and _____ are polynomials, where _____, _____, and _____, then

The _____ of two _____ is the _____ of the _____ expression and the _____ of the _____.

Example 2: Divide.

a. $\frac{x}{3} \div \frac{3}{8}$

c. $\frac{y^2 - 2y}{15} \div \frac{y - 2}{5}$

b. $\frac{x + 5}{7} \div \frac{4x + 20}{9}$

d. $\frac{x^2 - 4y^2}{x^2 + 3xy + 2y^2} \div \frac{x^2 - 4xy + 4y^2}{x + y}$

Example 3: Perform the indicated operation or operations.

e. $\frac{5x^2 - x}{3x + 2} \div \left(\frac{6x^2 + x - 2}{10x^2 + 3x - 1} \cdot \frac{2x^2 - x - 1}{2x^2 - x} \right)$

f. $\frac{5xy - ay - 5xb + ab}{25x^2 - a^2} \div \frac{y^3 - b^3}{15x + 3a}$

Section 7.3: ADDING AND SUBTRACTING RATIONAL EXPRESSIONS WITH THE SAME DENOMINATOR

When you are done with your homework you should be able to...

- π Add rational expressions with the same denominator
- π Subtract rational expressions with the same denominator
- π Add and subtract rational expressions with opposite denominators

WARM-UP:

Simplify:

a. $\frac{b^2 - a^2}{a^2 - b^2}$

b. $\frac{x^2 - 2x + 1}{1 - x}$

ADDING RATIONAL EXPRESSIONS WITH COMMON DENOMINATORS

If _____ and _____ are _____ expressions, then

To _____ rational expressions with the _____,
add _____ and place the _____ over the _____
_____. If possible, _____ the result.

SUBTRACTING RATIONAL EXPRESSIONS WITH COMMON DENOMINATORS

If _____ and _____ are _____ expressions, then

To _____ rational expressions with the _____, subtract _____ and place the _____ over the _____. If possible, _____ the result.

Example 1: Add or subtract as indicated. Simplify the result, if possible.

a. $\frac{x}{15} + \frac{4x}{15}$

c. $\frac{x}{x-1} - \frac{1}{x-1}$

b. $\frac{x+4}{9} + \frac{2x-25}{9}$

d. $\frac{3x+2}{3x+4} + \frac{3x+6}{3x+4}$

e. $\frac{x^3-3}{2x^4} - \frac{7x^3-3}{2x^4}$

f. $\frac{x^2+9x}{4x^2-11x-3} + \frac{3x-5x^2}{4x^2-11x-3}$

g. $\frac{3y^2-2}{3y^2+10y-8} - \frac{y+10}{3y^2+10y-8} - \frac{y^2-6y}{3y^2+10y-8}$

ADDING AND SUBTRACTING RATIONAL EXPRESSIONS WITH OPPOSITE DENOMINATORS

When one denominator is the _____, or _____
_____, of the other, first _____ either rational
expression by _____ to obtain a _____.

Example 2: Add or subtract as indicated. Simplify the result, if possible.

a. $\frac{6x+7}{x-6} + \frac{3x}{6-x}$

c. $\frac{4-x}{x-9} - \frac{3x-8}{9-x}$

b. $\frac{x^2}{x-3} + \frac{9}{3-x}$

d. $\frac{2x+3}{x^2-x-30} + \frac{x-2}{30+x-x^2}$