

## Algebra Slope Day 3

## Putting it ALL together!!

1. What is slope?

$$\text{Steepness of line} = m = \frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{\uparrow \downarrow -}{\rightarrow \leftarrow -}$$

2. What variable represents slope?
- m

3. If you are given a point and the slope, how do you graph a line through the point with the given slope? Explain in words.

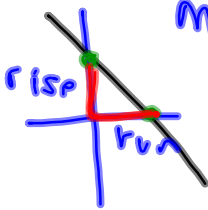
plot the point. Then we use the slope to go UP or down (top #) & then go left or right (bottom #)

4. If a line has a slope of 3, then for every
- 1
- unit(s) to the right, you need to move
- 3
- units up/down.

5. If a line has a slope of -4, then for every
- 1
- unit(s) to the right, you need to move
- 4
- units up/down.

6. If you are given a graph with a line plotted, how do you find the slope of that line? Explain in words.

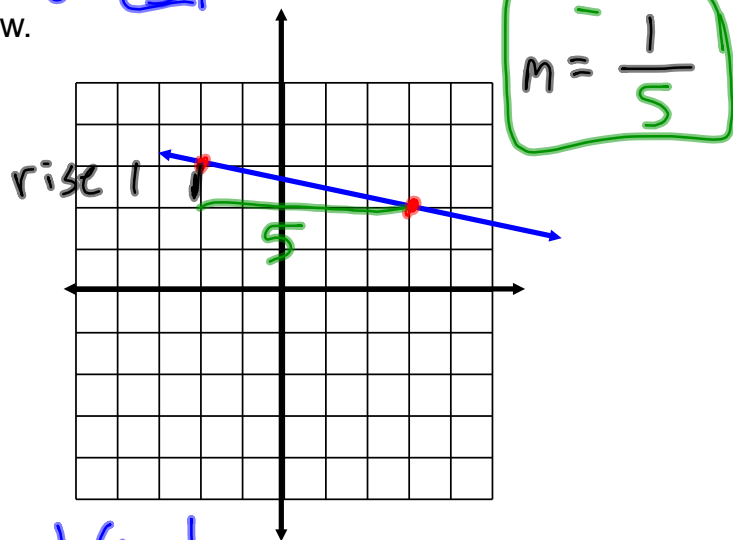
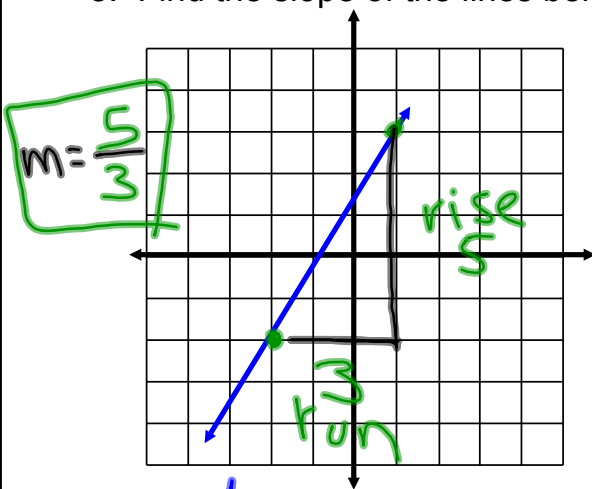
Find 2 points, make a triangle, & then count the units of the rise and run, make a fraction of  $\frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}}$  & simplify and check if slope is positive or negative.



7. Find the slope of a line that contains (8, 2) and (-2, -2).  $\frac{2}{5}$

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{-2 - 2}{-2 - 8} = \frac{-4}{-10} = \frac{2}{5}$$

8. Find the slope of the lines below.



9. A vertical line has a slope of undefined.

10. A horizontal line has a slope of 0.

Find 2 points on each line. Then determine the slope.

11.  $3x + y = 4$

$$\begin{array}{r|l} x & y \\ \hline 0 & 4 \\ 1 & 1 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3(0) + y &= 4 \\ y &= 4 \\ 3(1) + y &= 4 \\ 3 + y &= 4 \\ y &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} (x_1, y_1) \\ (0, 4) \\ (x_2, y_2) \\ (1, 1) \\ m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \\ m = \frac{1 - 4}{1 - 0} = \frac{-3}{1} \\ \boxed{m = -3} \end{array}$$

12.  $3x + 2y = 4$

$$\begin{array}{r|l} x & y \\ \hline 0 & 2 \\ 3 & -2.5 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3 \cdot 0 + 2y &= 4 \\ 0 + 2y &= 4 \\ y &= 2 \\ 3 \cdot 3 + 2y &= 4 \\ 9 + 2y &= 4 \\ -9 + 2y &= -4 \\ \frac{2y}{2} &= \frac{-5}{2} \\ y &= -2.5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} (x_1, y_1) \\ (0, 2) \\ (x_2, y_2) \\ (3, -2.5) \end{array}$$

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{-2.5 - 2}{3 - 0}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{-4.5}{3} = -1.5}$$

13. Are  $(-2, 1)$ ,  $(1, 1)$ , and  $(3, 0)$  on the same line?

$$\begin{array}{l} (-2, 1) \quad (1, 1) \\ x_1, y_1 \quad x_2, y_2 \end{array}$$

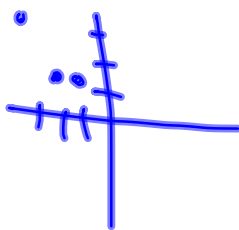
$$m = \frac{1 - 1}{1 - (-2)} = \frac{0}{3} = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{l} (1, 1) \quad (3, 0) \\ x_1, y_1 \quad x_2, y_2 \end{array}$$

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

Not on the same line since we have different slopes

14. Why can't  $(-3, 3)$ ,  $(-2, 1)$  and  $(-1, 1)$  be on the same line? Explain **without** graphing.



These 2 points are on a horizontal line. and the other point is not.

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