

Section 4.1: Linear functions and their properties

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- slope
- y-intercept
- x-intercept (if any)
- sketch a graph
- Determine the interval(s) where the graph is increasing, decreasing or constant.

1) $f(x) = 3x - 6$

1a) $m = 3$

1b) $f(0) = 3(0) - 6$
 $= -6$

y-INT $(0, -6)$

1c) $3x - 6 = 0$
 $+6 +6$

$3x = 6$

$x = 2$

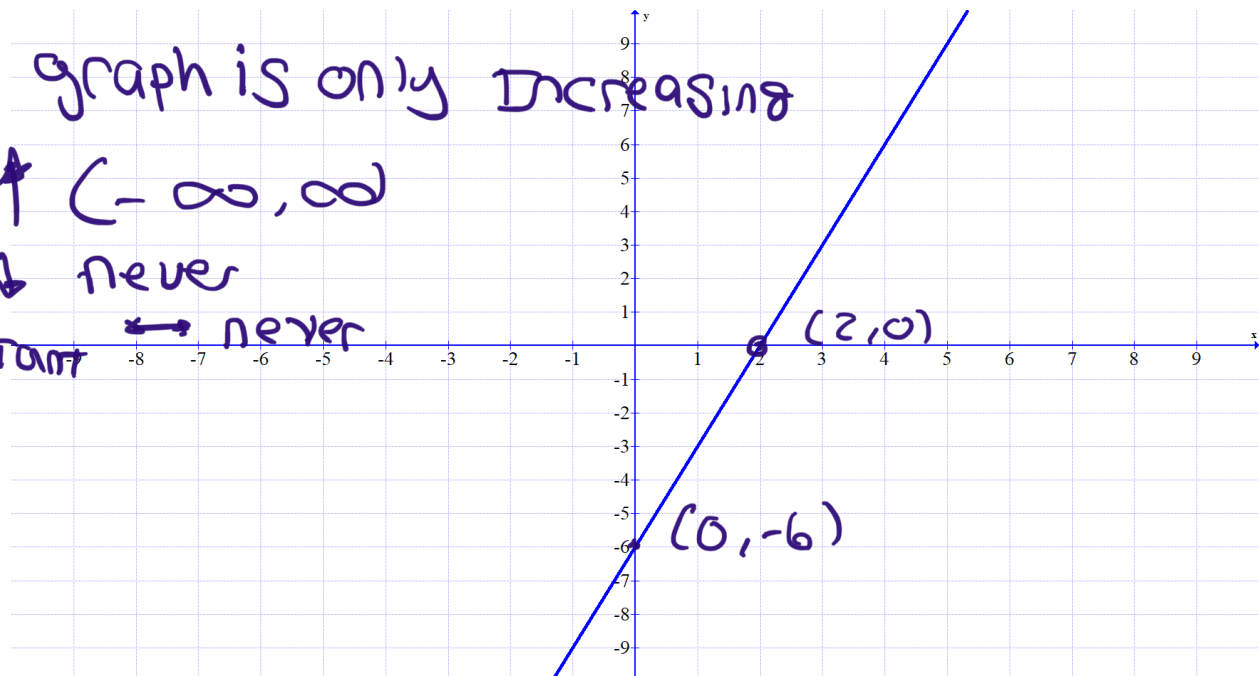
x-INT $(2, 0)$

1e) graph is only Increasing

INC. $\uparrow (-\infty, \infty)$

dec. \downarrow never

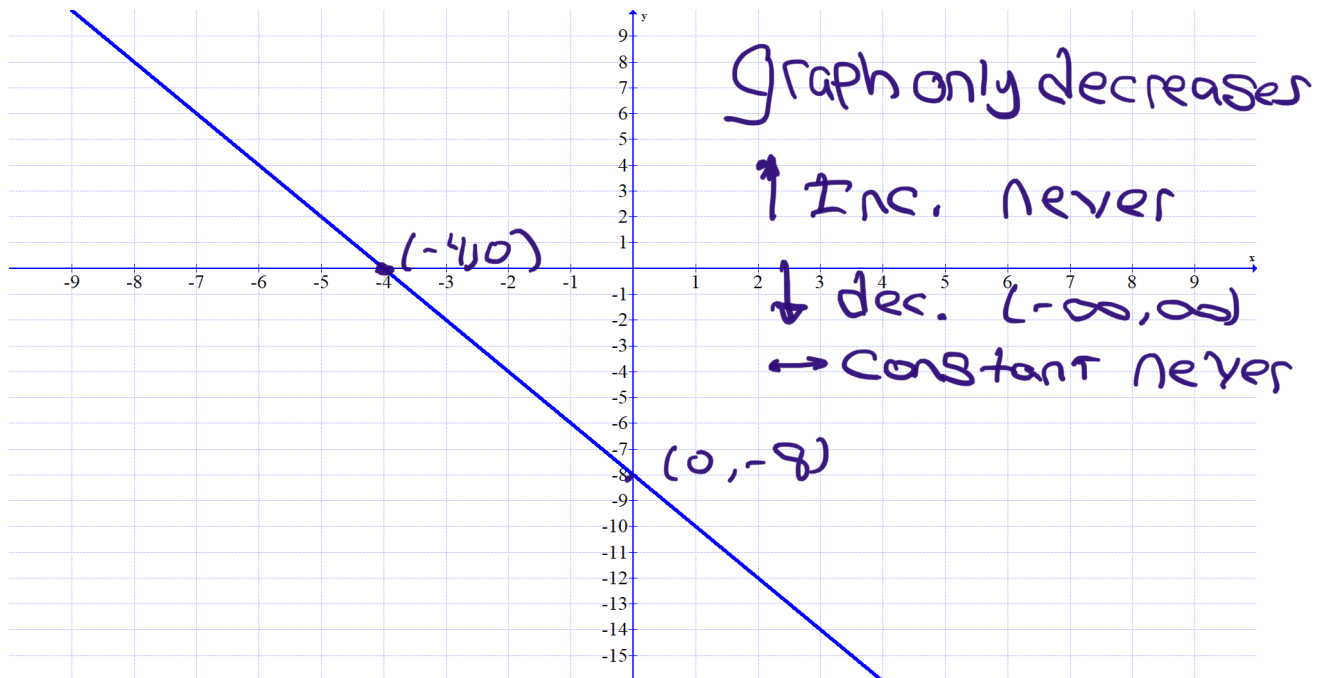
CONSTANT \leftrightarrow never



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3) $g(x) = -2x - 8$



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Equation only has a y.
will graph as horizontal
line through 7 on y-axis

5a) $m = \frac{7-7}{4-0} = \frac{0}{4}$

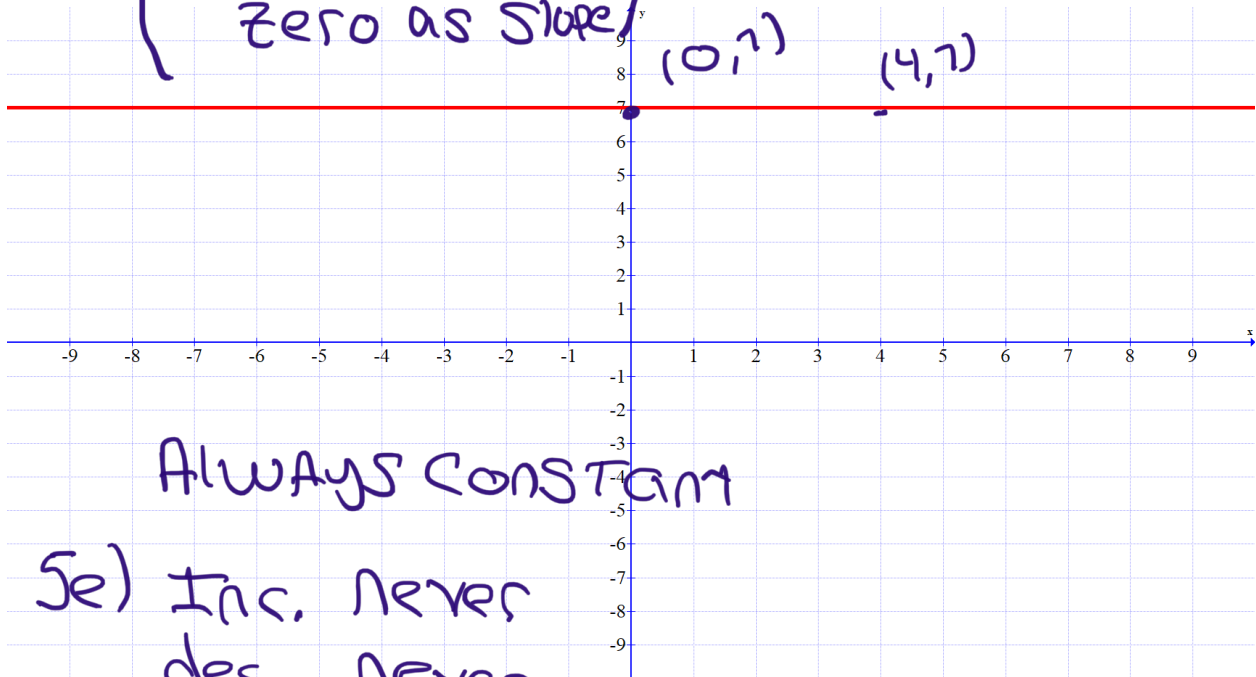
5b) y-Int (0,7)

5c) none

5) $f(x) = 7$

$m = 0$

(All horizontal lines have zero as slope)



Always constant

5e) inc. never
dec. never

constant $(-\infty, \infty)$

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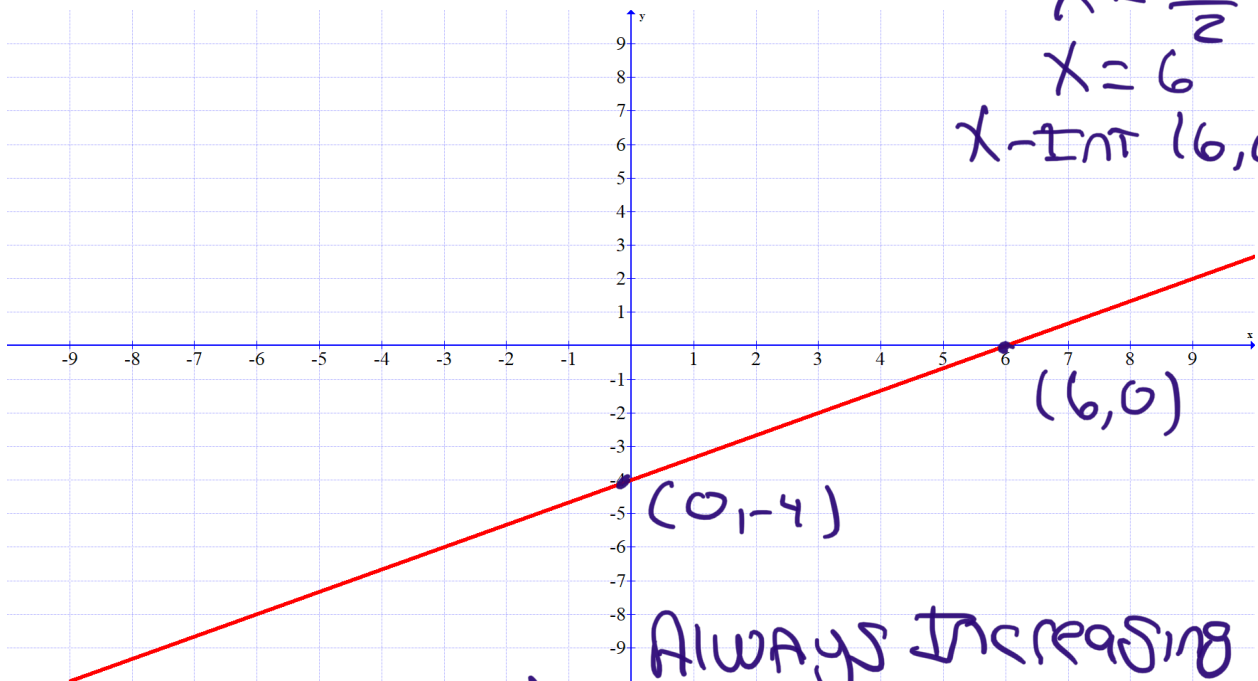
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7) $g(x) = \frac{2}{3}x - 4$
7a) $m = \frac{2}{3}$

7b) y-INT
 $(0, -4)$

7c)
 $\frac{2}{3}x - 4 = 0$
 $+4 +4$

$\frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{3}x = \frac{3}{2} \cdot 4$
 $x = \frac{12}{2}$
 $x = 6$
x-INT $(6, 0)$



7e) INCR, $(-\infty, \infty)$
DECR NEVER
CONSTANT NEVER

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9) $f(x) = \frac{-x}{4} + 2 = -\frac{1}{4}x + 2$

9a) $m = -\frac{1}{4}$ 9b) y -INT $(0, 2)$

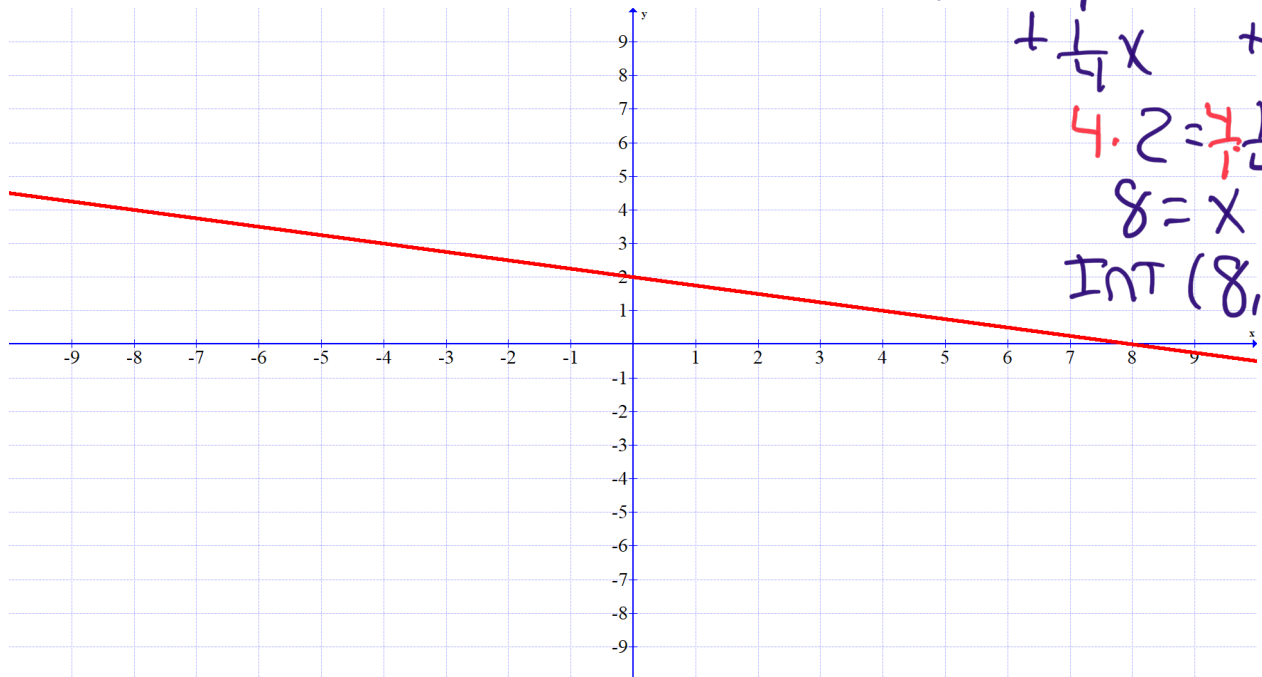
9c) $-\frac{1}{4}x + 2 = 0$

$+\frac{1}{4}x$ $+\frac{1}{4}x$

$4 \cdot 2 = 4 \cdot \frac{1}{4}x$

$8 = x$

INT $(8, 0)$



11) Suppose $f(x) = 3x - 6$ and $g(x) = -2x + 4$

a) Solve $f(x) = 0$

b) Solve $f(x) > 0$

c) Solve $f(x) = g(x)$

d) Solve $f(x) < g(x)$

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a) Solve $f(x) = 0$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3x - 6 = 0 \\ +6 \quad +6 \\ \hline 3x = 6 \\ \underline{\quad} \quad \underline{\quad} \\ x = 2 \end{array}$$

$$x = 2$$

b) Solve $f(x) > 0$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3x - 6 > 0 \\ +6 \quad +6 \\ \hline 3x > 6 \\ \underline{\quad} \quad \underline{\quad} \\ x > 2 \end{array}$$

$$x > 2$$

c) Solve $f(x) = g(x)$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3x - 6 = -2x + 4 \\ +2x + 6 \quad +2x + 6 \\ \hline 5x = 10 \\ \underline{\quad} \quad \underline{\quad} \\ x = 2 \end{array}$$

$$x = 2$$

d) Solve $f(x) < g(x)$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3x - 6 < -2x + 4 \\ +2x + 6 \quad +2x + 6 \\ \hline 5x < 10 \\ \underline{\quad} \quad \underline{\quad} \\ x < 2 \end{array}$$

$$x < 2$$

13) Suppose $f(x) = x-3$ and $g(x) = 2x+4$

a) Solve $f(x) = 0$

b) Solve $f(x) > 0$

c) Solve $f(x) = g(x)$

d) Solve $f(x) < g(x)$

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14) Suppose $f(x) = \overset{x-3}{\cancel{2x+4}}$ and $g(x) = \overset{2x+4}{\cancel{4}}$

a) Solve $f(x) = 0$

$$\begin{array}{r} x-3=0 \\ +3 \quad +3 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\boxed{x=3}$$

b) Solve $f(x) > 0$

$$\begin{array}{r} x-3 > 0 \\ +3 \quad +3 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\boxed{x > 3}$$

c) Solve $f(x) = g(x)$

$$\begin{array}{r} |x-3 = 2x+4 \\ -1x-4 \quad -1x-4 \\ \hline -7 = x \end{array}$$

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

d) Solve $f(x) < g(x)$

$$\begin{array}{r} |x-3 < 2x+4 \\ -2x+3 \quad -2x+3 \\ \hline -1x < 7 \\ \hline x > -7 \end{array}$$

$$\boxed{x > -7}$$

Switch Direction

#15-20:

- a) Create a scatter plot of the data.
- b) Determine whether the given function is linear or nonlinear.
- c) If the function is linear, determine the equation of the line. (Write your answer using function notation)

15)

x	y = f(x)
1	2
2	4
3	6
4	8
5	10
6	12

15b) Linear

15c) Pick Any 2 points, all will give same answer

(1,2)
(2,4)

$$m = \frac{4-2}{2-1} = \frac{2}{1} = 2$$

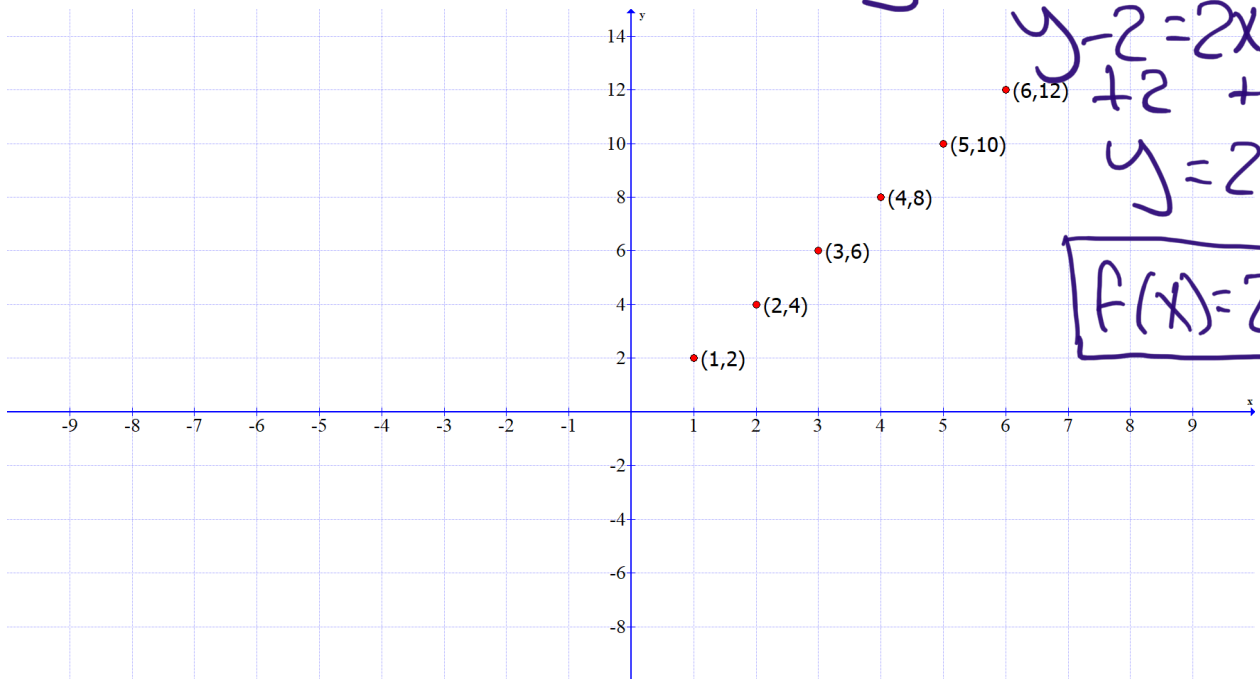
m=2 point (1,2)

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

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

$$+2 \quad +2$$
$$y = 2x$$

$$f(x) = 2x$$



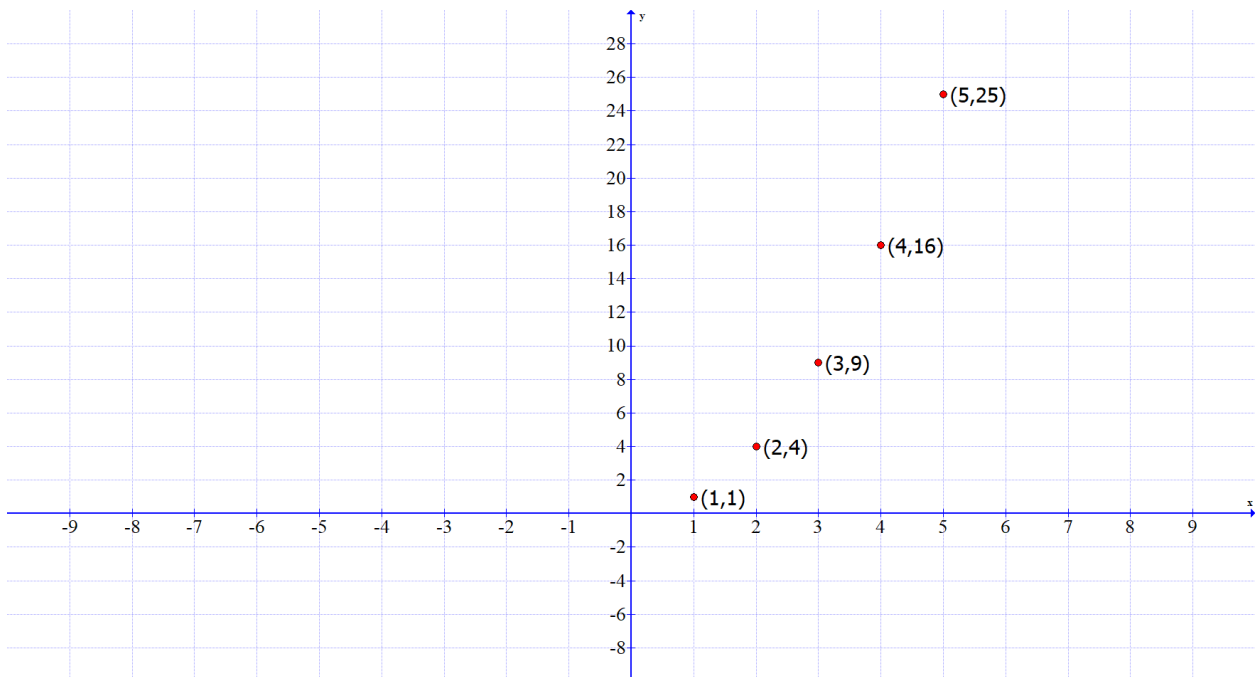
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- Determine whether the given function is linear or nonlinear.
- If the function is linear, determine the equation of the line. (Write your answer using function notation)

17)

x	y = f(x)
1	1
2	4
3	9
4	16
5	25

17b) data is not linear
17c) skip / not required



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- Create a scatter plot of the data.
- Determine whether the given function is linear or nonlinear.
- If the function is linear, determine the equation of the line. (Write your answer using function notation)

19)

x	y = f(x)
1	20
2	15
3	10
4	5
5	0
6	-5
7	-10

19b) data is Linear

19c) (1,20) (2,15)

$$m = \frac{15-20}{2-1} = \frac{-5}{1} = -5$$

m = -5 point (1,20)

$$y - 20 = -5(x - 1)$$

$$y - 20 = -5x + 5$$
$$+20 \qquad +20$$

$$y = -5x + 25$$

$$f(x) = -5x + 25$$



21) Suppose that the number of a units of a certain product that will be supplied (S) at price (p) (in dollars) is given by the equation:

$$S(p) = 2p - 10$$

Suppose that number of units of the same product that will be demanded (D) at price (p) (in dollars) is given by the equation:

$$D(p) = -2p + 20$$

a) How many units of the product will be supplied at a price of \$8?

$$S(8) = 2(8) - 10 = 16 - 10 \quad \boxed{6 \text{ units}}$$

b) How many units of the product will be demanded at a price of \$8?

$$D(8) = -2(8) + 20 = -16 + 20 \quad \boxed{4 \text{ units}}$$

c) At a price of \$8 does the supply exceed demand, or does demand exceed

^{supply?} Supply exceeds demand

d) Find the equilibrium price. $\$7.50$

e) How many units of the product will be supplied at the equilibrium price?

$$S(7.50) = 2(7.50) - 10 = 15 - 10 \quad \boxed{5 \text{ units}}$$

f) How many units of the product will be demanded at the equilibrium price?

$$D(7.50) = -2(7.50) + 20 = -15 + 20 \quad \boxed{5 \text{ units}}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 21d) \quad 2p - 10 = -2p + 20 \\ \quad \quad +2p + 10 \quad +2p + 10 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\frac{4p}{4} = \frac{30}{4}$$

$$p = 15/2$$

Eq. Price $\$7.50$

23) Suppose that the number of a units of a certain product that will be supplied (S) at price (p) (in dollars) is given by the equation:

$$S(p) = 5p - 40$$

Suppose that number of units of the same product that will be demanded (D) at price (p) (in dollars) is given by the equation:

$$D(p) = -3p + 40$$

a) How many units of the product will be supplied at a price of \$9?

$$S(9) = 5(9) - 40 = 45 - 40 \quad \boxed{5 \text{ units}}$$

b) How many units of the product will be demanded at a price of \$9?

$$D(9) = -3(9) + 40 = -27 + 40 \quad \boxed{13 \text{ units}}$$

c) At a price of \$9 does the supply exceed demand, or does demand exceed

^{price?}
Supply **Demand exceeds supply**

d) Find the equilibrium price.

$$\boxed{\$10}$$

e) How many units of the product will be supplied at the equilibrium price?

$$S(10) = 5(10) - 40 = 50 - 40 \quad \boxed{10 \text{ units}}$$

f) How many units of the product will be demanded at the equilibrium price?

$$D(10) = -3(10) + 40 = -30 + 40 = \boxed{10 \text{ units}}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 23d) \quad 5p - 40 = -3p + 40 \\ \quad \quad +3p + 40 \quad +3p + 40 \\ \hline \quad \quad 8p = 80 \\ \quad \quad p = 10 \end{array}$$

25) A company makes a single product. The monthly cost (C) to make x units of the product can be found using the cost equation:

$$C(x) = 3x + 100$$

The monthly revenue (R) earned from selling x units of the product can be found using the revenue equation:

$$R(x) = 8x$$

a) Find the cost of making 30 units of the product during a month.

$$C(30) = 3(30) + 100 = 90 + 100 = \boxed{\$190}$$

b) Find the monthly revenue earned by selling 30 units of the product.

$$R(30) = 8(30) = 240 \quad \boxed{\$240}$$

c) Is there a profit or loss when 30 units of the product are produced and sold in a month?

PROFIT (REVENUE EXCEEDS COST)

d) What is the amount of the profit or loss?

$$240 - 190 \quad \boxed{\$50}$$

e) Find the break-even quantity.

$$\begin{array}{r} 3x + 100 = 8x \\ -3x \qquad -3x \\ \hline 100 = 5x \end{array}$$

$$\boxed{20 \text{ units}}$$

f) What is the monthly cost at the break-even quantity?

$$C(20) = 3(20) + 100 \quad \boxed{\$160}$$

g) What is the monthly revenue at the break-even quantity?

$$R(20) = 8(20) \quad \boxed{\$160}$$

h) What is the monthly profit at the break-even quantity?

$$160 - 160 = 0 \quad \boxed{\$0}$$

27) A company makes a single product. The monthly cost (C) to make x units of the product can be found using the cost equation:

$$C(x) = 5x + 400$$

The monthly revenue (R) earned from selling x units of the product can be found using the revenue equation:

$$R(x) = 7x$$

a) Find the cost of making 100 units of the product during a month.

$$C(100) = 5(100) + 400 \quad \$ 900$$

b) Find the monthly revenue earned by selling 100 units of the product.

$$R(100) = 7(100) \quad \$ 700$$

c) Is there a profit or loss when 1000 units of the product are produced and sold in a month?

LOSS

d) What is the amount of the profit or loss?

$$700 - 900 = -200$$

\$ 200 LOSS

OR \$ -200

PROFIT

e) Find the break-even quantity.

$$\begin{array}{r} 5x + 400 = 7x \\ -5x \quad -5x \\ \hline 400 = 2x \end{array}$$

200 units

f) What is the monthly cost at the break-even quantity?

$$C(200) = 5(200) + 400$$

\$ 1400

g) What is the monthly revenue at the break-even quantity?

$$R(200) = 7(200)$$

\$ 1400

h) What is the monthly profit at the break-even quantity?

$$1400 - 1400 = 0$$

\$ 0

29) U-Haul charges \$25 per day plus 25 cents for each mile driven to rent a certain truck.

a) Create a linear function that models the cost of renting a truck for one day when "m" miles are driven.

$$C(m) = 0.25m + 25$$

b) What is the cost of renting the truck for one day if it is driven 100 miles?

$$C(100) = 0.25(100) + 25$$

\$ 50

c) Suppose the cost of renting a truck for 1 day is \$75. How many miles were driven?

$$\begin{array}{r} 75 = 0.25m + 25 \\ -25 -25 \\ \hline 50 = 0.25m \\ \underline{0.25} \underline{0.25} \end{array}$$

$$200 = m$$

200 miles

31) U-Haul charges \$20 per day plus 50 cents for each mile driven to rent a certain truck.

a) Create a linear function that models the cost of renting a truck for one day when "m" miles are driven.

$$C(m) = 0.50m + 20$$

b) What is the cost of renting the truck for one day if it is driven 80 miles?

$$C(80) = 0.50(80) + 20 = \boxed{\$60}$$

c) Suppose the cost of renting a truck for 1 day is \$35. How many miles were driven?

$$\begin{array}{r} 35 = 0.50m + 20 \\ -20 \qquad \qquad \qquad -20 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 15 = 0.50m \\ \hline 0.50 \qquad 0.50 \end{array}$$

$$\boxed{30 \text{ miles}}$$