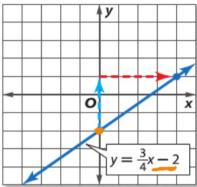
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4-1 Graphing Equations in Slope-Interept Form

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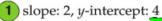


-2), move up

he point

Example 1

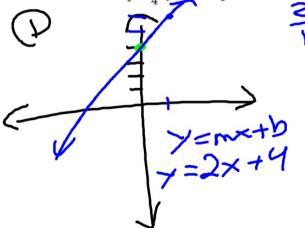
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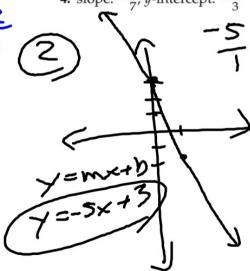


3. slope:
$$\frac{3}{4}$$
, y-intercept: -1

2. slope:
$$-5$$
, *y*-intercept: 3

4. slope:
$$-\frac{5}{7}$$
, y-intercept: $-\frac{2}{3}$





Example 2 Graph Linear Equations

Standard form Ax+By=C

Graph 3x + 2y = 6.

Rewrite the equation in slope-intercept form.

$$3x + 2y = 6$$

Original equation

$$3x + 2y - 3x = 6 - 3x$$

Subtract 3x from each side.

$$2y = 6 - 3x$$
 Simplify.

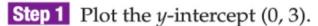
$$2y = -3x + 6$$

$$2y = -3x + 6$$
 $6 - 3x = 6 + (-3x)$ or $-3x + 6$

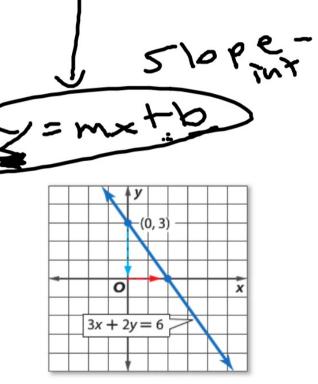
$$\frac{2y}{2} = \frac{-3x+6}{2}$$
 Divide each side by 2.

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

Now graph the equation. The slope is $-\frac{3}{2}$, and the *y*-intercept is 3.



- **Step 2** The slope is $\frac{\text{rise}}{\text{rup}} = -\frac{3}{2}$. From (0, 3), move down 3 units and right 2 units. Plot the point.
- **Step 3** Draw a line through the two points.

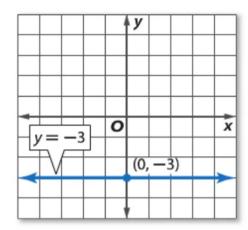


Example 3 Graph Linear Equations



Graph y = -3.

- **Step 1** Plot the *y*-intercept (0, -3).
- **Step 2** The slope is 0. Draw a line through the points with y-coordinate -3.



Examples 2-3 Graph each equation. 5-10. See Ch. 4 Answer Appendix.

5.
$$-4x + y = 2$$

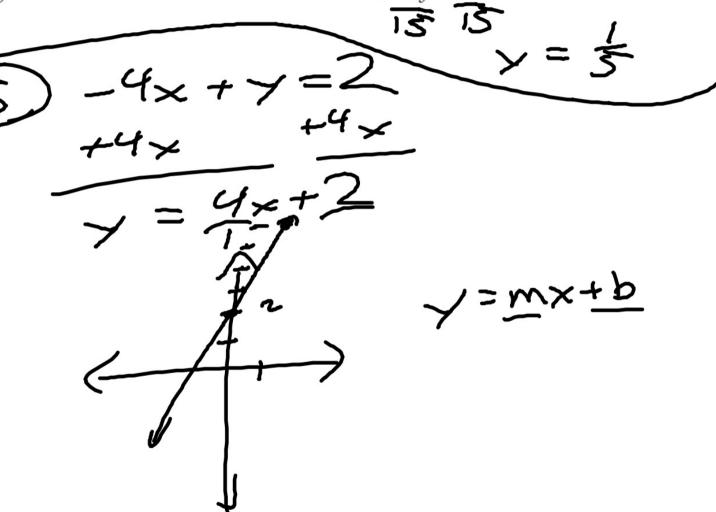
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$$-3x + 7y = 21$$

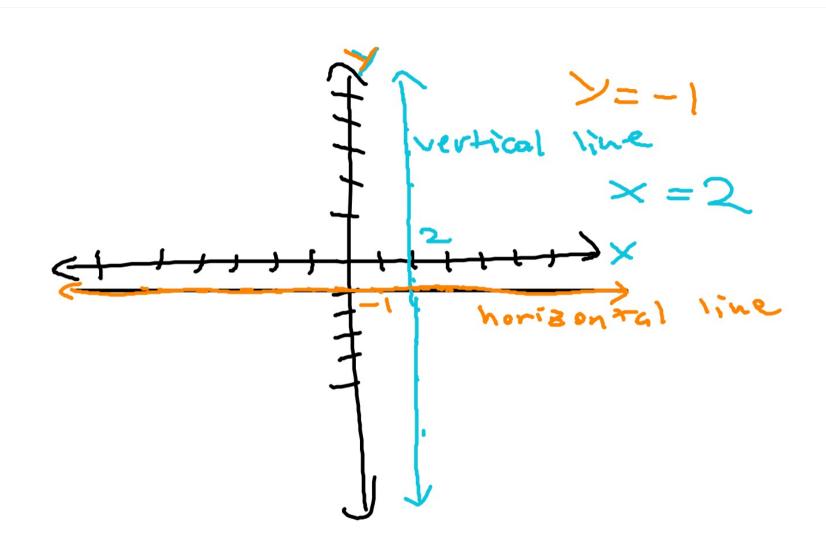
9.
$$y = -1$$

6.
$$2x + y = -6$$

8.
$$6x - 4y = 16$$

10.
$$15y = 3$$





Standardized Test Example 4 Write an Equation in Slope-Intercept Form



Which of the following is an equation in slope-intercept form for the line shown?

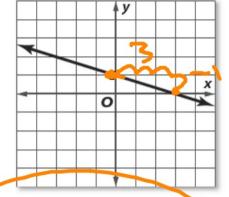
A
$$y = -3x + 1$$

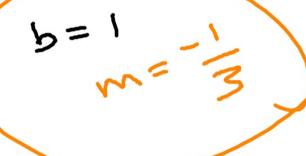
B
$$y = -3x + 3$$

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

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

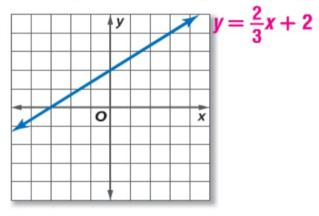




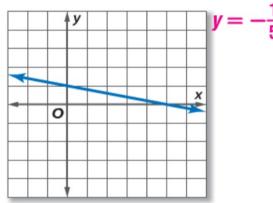


Write an equation in slope-intercept form for each graph shown.

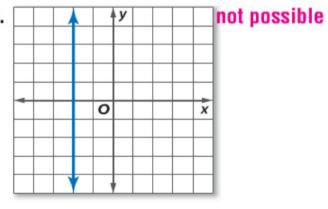
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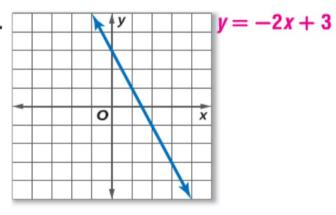
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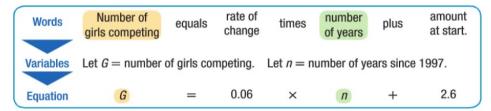




Real-World Example 5 Write and Graph a Linear Equation

SPORTS Use the information at the left about high school sports.

a. Write a linear equation to find the number of girls in high school sports after 1997.



The equation is G = 0.06n + 2.6.

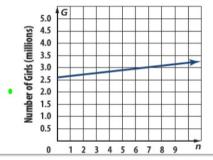
b. Graph the equation.

The *y*-intercept is where the data begins. So, the graph passes through (0, 2.6).

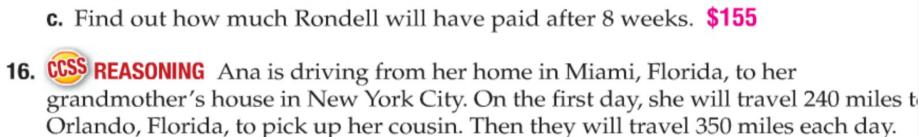
The rate of change is the slope, so the slope is 0.06.

c. Estimate the number of girls competing in 2017.

The year 2



- **15. FINANCIAL LITERACY** Rondell is buying a new stereo system for his car using Jack's Stereo layaway plan.
 - **a.** Write an equation for the total amount *S* that he has paid after w weeks. S = 10w + 75
 - **b.** Graph the equation. **See margin**.



Jack's Stereo Layaway Plan

\$75 down and \$10 each week

- **a.** Write an equation that models the total number of miles m Ana has traveled, if represents the number of days after she picks up her cousin. m = 350d + 240
- **b.** Graph the equation. **See margin.**
- c. How long will the drive take if the total length of the trip is 1343 miles? about

and Problem Solving

Extra Practice

Write an equation of a line in slope-intercept form with the given slope and y-intercept. Then graph the equation. 17–22. See Ch. 4 Answer Appendix.

3 Graph each equation. 23–32. See Ch. 4 Answer Appendix.

23.
$$-3x + y = 6$$

25.
$$-2x + y = -4$$

27.
$$5x + 2y = 8$$

29.
$$y = 7$$

31.
$$21 = 7y$$

24.
$$-5x + y = 1$$

26.
$$y = 7x - 7$$

28.
$$4x + 9y = 27$$

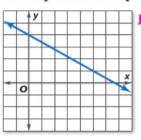
30.
$$y = -\frac{2}{3}$$

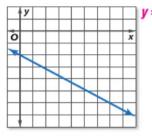
32.
$$3y - 6 = 2x$$

Example 4

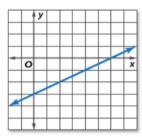
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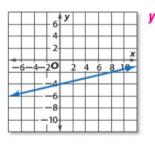
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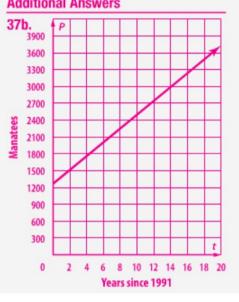


35.





Additional Answers



Example 5



MANATEES In 1991, 1267 manatees inhabited Florida's waters. The manatee population has increased at a rate of 123 manatees per year.

- **a.** Write an equation for the manatee population, P, t years since 1991. P = 1267 + 123t
- b. Graph this equation. See margin.
- c. In 2006, the manatee was removed from Florida's endangered species list. What was the manatee population in 2006? 3112 manatees