

Unit 9 Lesson 1: Slope!

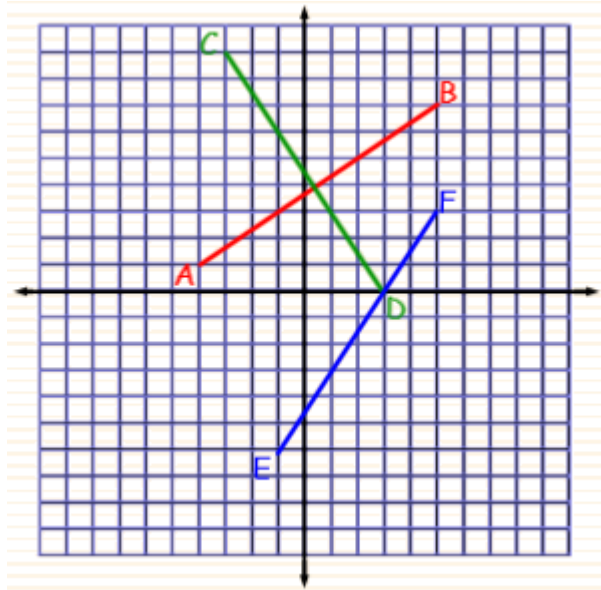
Aim: How can we find slope?

Do Now: Find the slope of each line segment

AB:

CD:

EF:



How can we find the slope between two points not on the coordinate plane?

A(-4, 1) and B(5, 7)

If two lines are parallel, then they have _____ slopes.

ex:

If two lines are perpendicular then they have _____ slopes.

ex:

1. Which equation represents a line parallel to the graph of $2x - 4y = 16$?

1) $y = \frac{1}{2}x - 5$

2) $y = -\frac{1}{2}x + 4$

3) $y = -2x + 6$

4) $y = 2x + 8$

2. What is the slope of a line perpendicular to the line whose equation is $3x + 4y = 12$?

1) $\frac{3}{4}$

2) $-\frac{3}{4}$

3) $\frac{4}{3}$

4) $-\frac{4}{3}$

3. Which equation represents the line that passes through the point $(-2, 2)$ and is parallel to $y = \frac{1}{2}x + 8$?

1. $y = \frac{1}{2}x$

2. $y = -2x - 3$

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

4. $y = -2x + 3$

Partner Practice

1. Find the slope of the line connecting the points $(3, -2)$ and $(4, 5)$.

2. What is the slope of the line that passes through the points $(2, -7)$ and $(-1, 4)$?

3. Two points whose coordinates are $(5, -8)$ and $(3, a)$ determine a line whose slope is 4. Find the value of a .

4. Which set of points determine a line with a slope of $\frac{1}{5}$?

A. (2, 3), (7, 4)

B. (3, -2), (8, -3)

C. (7, 1), (8, 6)

D. (4, 5), (3, 6)

5. What is the slope of the line that passes through the points (0, 8) and (3, 0)?

6. What value of y would make $AB \parallel CD$ if $A(2, 6)$, $B(8, -2)$, $C(-2, 4)$ $D(10, y)$?

7. What is the equation of a line passing through (2, -1) and parallel to the line represented by the equation $y = 2x + 1$?

8. What is the equation of the line that is parallel to the line whose equation is $4x + 3y = 7$ and also passes through the point (-5, 2)?

9. What is an equation of the line that contains the point (3, -1) and is perpendicular to the line whose equation is $y = -3x + 2$?