

Practice Test - Chapter 4

1. Graph $y = 2x - 3$.

SOLUTION:

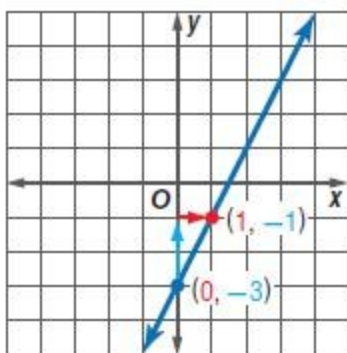
The slope-intercept form of a line is $y = mx + b$, where m is the slope, and b is the y-intercept.

$$y = mx + b$$

$$y = 2x - 3$$

Plot the y-intercept $(0, -3)$. The slope is $\frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}} = \frac{2}{1}$.

From $(0, -3)$, move up 2 units and right 1 unit. Plot the point. Draw a line through the two points.



2. **MULTIPLE CHOICE** A popular pizza parlor charges \$15 for a large cheese pizza plus \$1.50 for each additional topping. Write an equation in slope-intercept form for the total cost C of a pizza with t toppings.

- A $C = 15t + 1.50$
B $C = 16.50t$
C $C = 15 + 1.50t$
D $C = 1.50t - 15$

SOLUTION:

The cost of the additional products is the rate or the slope, so you can eliminate choices A and B. The price of the large pizza is a constant at \$15. Choice D, subtracts 15 from each order, so you can eliminate this choice. The equation is $C = 15 + 1.50t$, so the correct choice is C.

Write an equation of a line in slope-intercept form that passes through the given point and has the given slope.

3. $(-4, 2)$; slope -3

SOLUTION:

Find the y-intercept.

$$y = mx + b$$

$$2 = -3(-4) + b$$

$$2 = 12 + b$$

$$-10 = b$$

Write the equation in slope-intercept form.

$$y = mx + b$$

$$y = -3x - 10$$

4. $(3, -5)$; slope $\frac{2}{3}$

SOLUTION:

Find the y-intercept.

$$y = mx + b$$

$$-5 = \frac{2}{3}(3) + b$$

$$-5 = 2 + b$$

$$-7 = b$$

Write the equation in slope-intercept form.

$$y = mx + b$$

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

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Write an equation of the line in slope-intercept form that passes through the given points.

5. (1, 4), (3, 10)

SOLUTION:

Find the slope of the line containing the given points.

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \\ &= \frac{10 - 4}{3 - 1} \\ &= \frac{6}{2} \\ &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

Use the slope and either of the two points to find the y-intercept.

$$\begin{aligned} y &= mx + b \\ 10 &= 3(3) + b \\ 10 &= 9 + b \\ 10 - 9 &= 9 - 9 + b \\ 1 &= b \end{aligned}$$

Write the equation in slope-intercept form.

$$\begin{aligned} y &= mx + b \\ y &= 3x + 1 \end{aligned}$$

6. (2, 5), (-2, 8)

SOLUTION:

Find the slope of the line containing the given points.

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \\ &= \frac{8 - 5}{-2 - 2} \\ &= \frac{3}{-4} \\ &= -\frac{3}{4} \end{aligned}$$

Use the slope and either of the two points to find the y-intercept.

$$\begin{aligned} y &= mx + b \\ 8 &= -\frac{3}{4}(-2) + b \\ 8 &= \frac{3}{2} + b \\ 8 - \frac{3}{2} &= \frac{3}{2} - \frac{3}{2} + b \\ \frac{13}{2} &= b \end{aligned}$$

Write the equation in slope-intercept form.

$$\begin{aligned} y &= mx + b \\ y &= -\frac{3}{4}x + \frac{13}{2} \end{aligned}$$

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7. $(0, 4), (-3, 0)$

SOLUTION:

Find the slope of the line containing the given points.

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \\ &= \frac{0 - 4}{-3 - 0} \\ &= \frac{-4}{-3} \\ &= \frac{4}{3} \end{aligned}$$

Use the slope and either of the two points to find the y-intercept.

$$y = mx + b$$

$$4 = \frac{4}{3}(0) + b$$

$$4 = 0 + b$$

$$4 = b$$

Write the equation in slope-intercept form.

$$y = mx + b$$

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

8. $(7, -1), (9, -4)$

SOLUTION:

Find the slope of the line containing the given points.

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \\ &= \frac{-4 - (-1)}{9 - 7} \\ &= \frac{-3}{2} \\ &= -\frac{3}{2} \end{aligned}$$

Use the slope and either of the two points to find the y-intercept.

$$y = mx + b$$

$$-1 = -\frac{3}{2}(7) + b$$

$$-1 = -\frac{21}{2} + b$$

$$-1 + \frac{21}{2} = -\frac{21}{2} + \frac{21}{2} + b$$

$$\frac{19}{2} = b$$

Write the equation in slope-intercept form.

$$y = mx + b$$

$$y = -\frac{3}{2}x + \frac{19}{2}$$

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9. **PAINTING** The data in the table show the size of a room in square feet and the time it takes to paint the room in minutes.

Room Size	100	150	200	400	500
Painting Time	160	220	270	500	680

- Use the points (100, 160) and (500, 680) to write an equation in slope-intercept form.
- Predict the amount of time required to paint a room measuring 750 square feet.

SOLUTION:

- Find the slope of the line containing the given points.

$$\begin{aligned}
 m &= \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \\
 &= \frac{680 - 160}{500 - 100} \\
 &= \frac{520}{400} \\
 &= 1.3
 \end{aligned}$$

Use the slope and either of the two points to find the y-intercept.

$$\begin{aligned}
 y &= mx + b \\
 160 &= 1.3(100) + b \\
 160 &= 130 + b \\
 160 - 130 &= 130 - 130 + b \\
 30 &= b
 \end{aligned}$$

Write the equation in slope-intercept form.

$$\begin{aligned}
 y &= mx + b \\
 y &= 1.3x + 30
 \end{aligned}$$

- Substitute 750 for x into the equation from part a.

$$\begin{aligned}
 y &= 1.3x + 30 \\
 y &= 1.3(750) + 30 \\
 y &= 975 + 30 \\
 y &= 1005
 \end{aligned}$$

So it will take 1005 minutes to paint a room that measures 750 square feet.

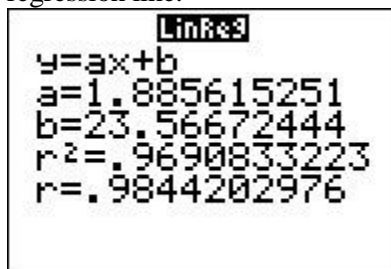
10. **SALARY** The table shows the relationship between years of experience and teacher salary.

Years Experience	1	5	10	15	20
Salary (thousands of dollars)	28	31	42	49	64

- Write an equation for the best-fit line.
- Find the correlation coefficient and explain what it tells us about the relationship between experience and teacher salary.

SOLUTION:

- Use a calculator to find the equation of the regression line.



$$y = 1.89x + 23.57$$

- Use a calculator to find the correlation coefficient. It is 0.98. This means that there is a strong positive correlation between years of experience and salary.

Write an equation in slope-intercept form for the line that passes through the given point and is parallel to the graph of each equation.

11. (2, -3), $y = 4x - 9$

SOLUTION:

The slope of the line with equation $y = 4x - 11$ is 4. The line parallel to $y = 4x - 11$ has the same slope, 4.

Find the y-intercept.

$$\begin{aligned}
 y &= mx + b \\
 -3 &= 4(2) + b \\
 -3 &= 8 + b \\
 -11 &= b
 \end{aligned}$$

Write the equation in slope-intercept form.

$$\begin{aligned}
 y &= mx + b \\
 y &= 4x - 11
 \end{aligned}$$

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12. $(-5, 1), y = -3x + 2$

SOLUTION:

The slope of the line with equation $y = -3x + 2$ is -3 .

The line parallel to $y = -3x + 2$ has the same slope, -3 .

Find the y-intercept.

$$y = mx + b$$

$$1 = -3(-5) + b$$

$$1 = 15 + b$$

$$-14 = b$$

Write the equation in slope-intercept form.

$$y = mx + b$$

$$y = -3x - 14$$

Write an equation in slope-intercept form for the line that passes through the given point and is perpendicular to the graph of the equation.

13. $(1, 4), y = -2x + 5$

SOLUTION:

The slope of the line with equation $y = -2x + 5$ is -2 .

The slope of the perpendicular line is the opposite

reciprocal of -2 , or $\frac{1}{2}$.

Find the y-intercept.

$$y = mx + b$$

$$4 = \frac{1}{2}(1) + b$$

$$4 = \frac{1}{2} + b$$

$$\frac{7}{2} = b$$

Write the equation in slope-intercept form.

$$y = mx + b$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{7}{2}$$

14. $(-3, 6), y = \frac{1}{4}x + 2$

SOLUTION:

The slope of the line with equation $y = \frac{1}{4}x + 2$ is $\frac{1}{4}$.

The slope of the perpendicular line is the opposite reciprocal of $\frac{1}{4}$, or -4 .

Find the y-intercept.

$$y = mx + b$$

$$6 = -4(-3) + b$$

$$6 = 12 + b$$

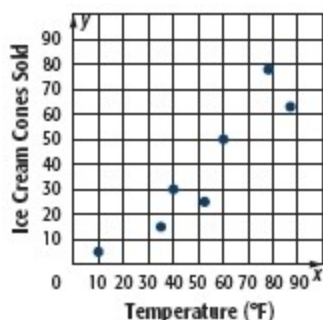
$$-6 = b$$

Write the equation in slope-intercept form.

$$y = mx + b$$

$$y = -4x - 6$$

15. **MULTIPLE CHOICE** The graph shows the relationship between outside temperature and daily ice cream cone sales. What type of correlation is shown?



- F positive correlation
- G negative correlation
- H no correlation
- J not enough information

SOLUTION:

As the temperature gets larger, the number of ice cream cones sold also gets larger. This shows that there is a positive correlation, so the correct choice is F.

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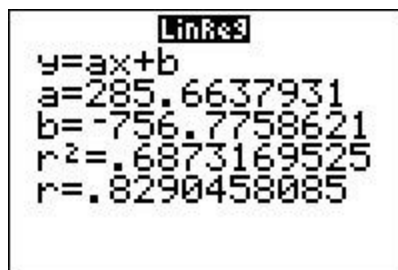
16. **ADOPTION** The table shows the number of children from Ethiopia adopted by U.S. citizens.

Years Since 2000	5	7	9	10	11
Number of Children	442	1254	2275	2511	1732

- Write the slope-intercept form of the equation for the line of fit.
- Predict the number of children from Ethiopia who will be adopted in 2025.

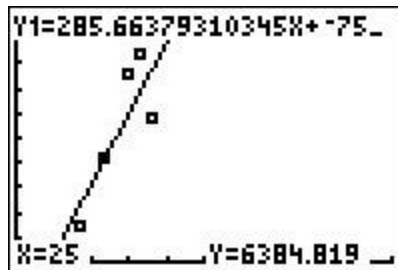
SOLUTION:

- Use a calculator to find the equation of the regression line.



$$y = 285.7x - 756.8$$

b.



There will be about about 6386 children adopted from Ethiopia in 2025.

Find the inverse of each function.

17. $f(x) = -5x - 30$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= -5x - 30 && \text{Original equation} \\ y &= -5x - 30 && \text{Replace } f(x) \text{ with } y. \\ x &= -5y - 30 && \text{Interchange } x \text{ and } y. \\ x + 30 &= -5y && \text{Add 30 to each side.} \\ -\frac{1}{5}x - 6 &= y && \text{Divide each side by } -5. \\ -\frac{1}{5}x - 6 &= f^{-1}(x) && \text{Replace } y \text{ with } f^{-1}(x). \end{aligned}$$

Write the final equation in slope-intercept form. So, $f^{-1}(x) = -\frac{1}{5}x - 6$.

18. $f(x) = 4x + 10$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= 4x + 10 && \text{Original equation} \\ y &= 4x + 10 && \text{Replace } f(x) \text{ with } y. \\ x &= 4y + 10 && \text{Interchange } x \text{ and } y. \\ x - 10 &= 4y && \text{Subtract 10 from each side.} \\ \frac{1}{4}x - \frac{5}{2} &= y && \text{Divide each side by 4.} \\ \frac{1}{4}x - \frac{5}{2} &= f^{-1}(x) && \text{Replace } y \text{ with } f^{-1}(x). \end{aligned}$$

Write the final equation in slope-intercept form. So, $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{1}{4}x - \frac{5}{2}$.

19. $f(x) = \frac{1}{6}x - 2$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \frac{1}{6}x - 2 && \text{Original equation} \\ y &= \frac{1}{6}x - 2 && \text{Replace } f(x) \text{ with } y. \\ x &= \frac{1}{6}y - 2 && \text{Interchange } x \text{ and } y. \\ x + 2 &= \frac{1}{6}y && \text{Add 2 to each side.} \\ 6x + 12 &= y && \text{Multiply each side by 6.} \\ 6x + 12 &= f^{-1}(x) && \text{Replace } y \text{ with } f^{-1}(x). \end{aligned}$$

Write the final equation in slope-intercept form. So, $f^{-1}(x) = 6x + 12$.

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20. $f(x) = \frac{3}{4}x + 12$

SOLUTION:

$$f(x) = \frac{3}{4}x + 12 \quad \text{Original equation}$$

$$y = \frac{3}{4}x + 12 \quad \text{Replace } f(x) \text{ with } y.$$

$$x = \frac{3}{4}y + 12 \quad \text{Interchange } x \text{ and } y.$$

$$x - 12 = \frac{3}{4}y \quad \text{Subtract 12 from each side.}$$

$$\frac{4}{3}x - 16 = y \quad \text{Multiply each side by } \frac{4}{3}.$$

$$\frac{4}{3}x - 16 = f^{-1}(x) \quad \text{Replace } y \text{ with } f^{-1}(x).$$

Write the final equation in slope-intercept form. So,

$$f^{-1}(x) = \frac{4}{3}x - 16.$$