

Lesson 12: Lines: Word Problems and T-tables

Objectives	Terms
<ul style="list-style-type: none">To use t-tables to write the equation of a linear function.To use a linear function to complete a t-table.To write linear functions based on real-world scenarios.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">T-tableFunction NotationSystem of Equations<ul style="list-style-type: none">EliminationSubstitutionGraphing

Think about this: What do we know about linear functions?

- Linear Functions:**

- Have a graph that is a line that does not change direction.
- Have a constant rate of change (the slope).

- Slope Formula:**

- Can be represented in several forms.

- Standard Form:** _____

- Slope-intercept Form:** _____

- Point-slope Form:** _____

- Function Notation:** Written as _____ and read as _____
 - Input: _____
 - Output: _____

- Can have points organized as a _____ (also known as an _____)

Example

1. How can we use the given table to write the equation of a line?

a. Find the slope of the line.

b. Find the y-intercept of the line.

c. Write the equation of the function.

d. What is the x-intercept of the line?

x	y
-2	
-1	
0	
1	

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Practice

2. Use the given function to complete the following.

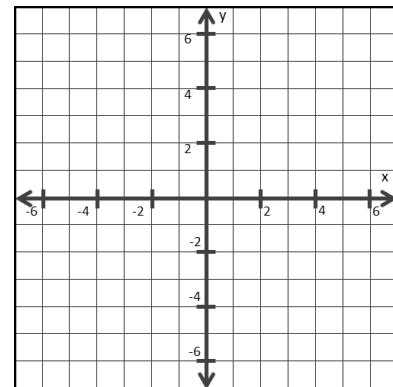
Function: $y = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

- a. Identify the slope of the line.

- b. Identify the y-intercept of the line.

- c. Complete the table and graph the function.

x	y
-3	
0	
3	
6	
	0



- d. What is the x-intercept of the line?

Consider this: How can linear functions represent real-world scenarios?

Scenario #1: A printing service charges a set-up fee of \$_____ for each order and _____ cents more for each copy.

- Complete the t-table provided. (Label your input/output and use the space below as needed)
- What value would be the y-intercept in this scenario? What does the y-intercept mean?
- What value would be the slope in this scenario and what units would it have?
- What does the slope mean?
- Write the function that would represent the total cost (C) for an order of x copies.

Input	Evaluate	Output
Copies	Find cost	Total cost
x	$C(x)$	total
0		
1		
2		
3		
4		
10		
20		
x		

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Practice #1: You are saving money for a new phone. You have \$_____ to start and add \$____ each week.

- Complete the t-table. (Label your input/output and use the space below as needed)
- What value would be the y-intercept in this scenario? What does the y-intercept mean?
- What value would be the slope in this scenario?
- What does the slope mean?
- Write the function that would represent the total amount saved (S) for w number of weeks.

w	$S(w)$	total
0		
1		
2		
5		
10		
20		
w		

Scenario #2: A plant is already 10.00 meters tall, and it will grow 10 centimeters every month. The plant's height, H (in meters), after x months is given by the following function.

$$H(x) =$$

- What value would be the y-intercept in this scenario? What does the y-intercept mean?
- What value would be the slope in this scenario? What does the slope mean?
- What is the plant's height after 6 months?
- What is the plant's height after 2 years?

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- **Systems of Equations:** A system of equations is when there are _____ in the same _____. (typically (x, y))
 - **Solution:** Point where both equations are true. (they have the same _____ values in common)
 - **You can solve a system of equations by:**
 - Elimination
 - Substitution
 - Graphing

Use the space provided to solve the following systems.

$$1. \begin{aligned} 5x + 4y &= 22 \\ x - 3y &= -7 \end{aligned}$$

$$2. \begin{aligned} -7x - 6y &= 7 \\ 5x + 3y &= 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$3. \begin{aligned} -2x + y &= 6 \\ y &= \frac{1}{4}x - 1 \end{aligned}$$

Where will you see this in upcoming material?

What are the calculator skills you needed?