

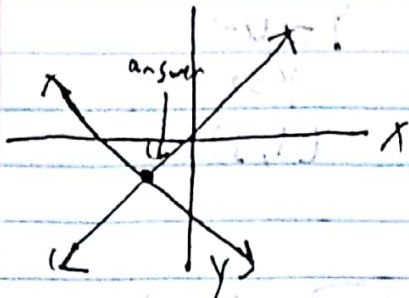
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Ch. 8.1

8.1 Solving Systems of Equations in Two Variables

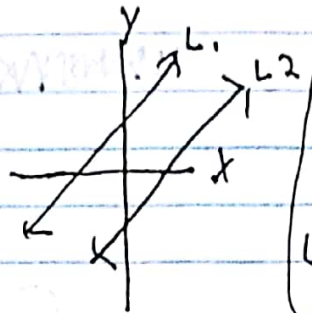
$$4x + 5y = 9 \quad \text{Example}$$

$$2x - 3y = 7$$

Three types of solutions



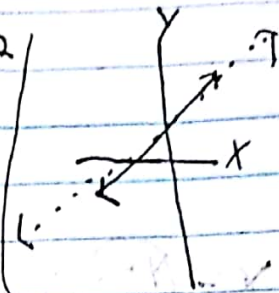
1 - Solution
where the lines cross
(x, y)



Line L_1 is parallel
to L_2

No solution

Variables will be
eliminated and the
remaining statement
is false



Infinite
number of
solution

(x, y)

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Three ways to solve

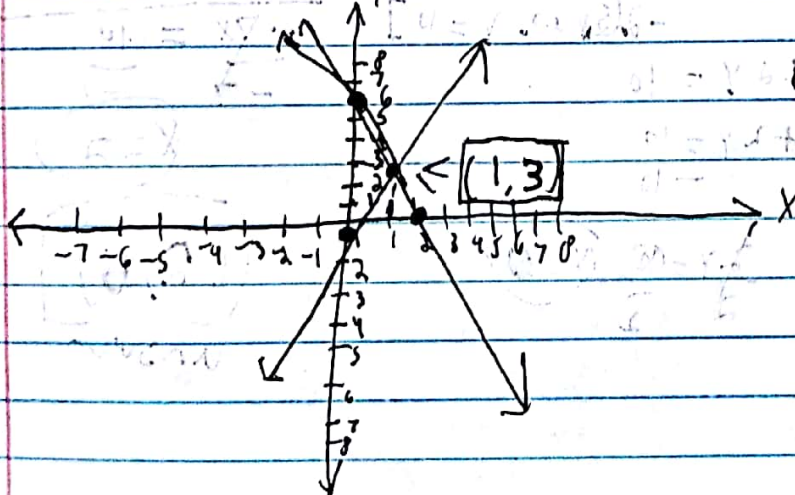
1.) Graphing } approximate solution

2.) Substitution } Exact solutions

3.) Elimination } Exact solutions

$$y = -4x + 6$$

$$y = -3x + 6 \quad \leftarrow \text{easily divisible}$$



X-int	Y-int
$y = 0$	$x = 0$
$0 = -3x + 6$	$y = -3(0) + 6$
$3x = 6$	$y = 0 + 6$
$x = 2$	$y = 6$
$(2, 0)$	$(0, 6)$

Sub

$$Y = 4X - 1 \quad 4X - 1 = -3X + 6$$

$$Y = -3X + 6$$

$$X = 1$$

$$Y = 4 - 1$$

$$Y = 3$$

$$(1, 3)$$

$$Y = \frac{4+6}{5}$$

$$\frac{1+6}{5} = \frac{4-3}{1}$$

$$Y+6(4) = 5(4-3)$$

$$4Y+24 = 5(-Y+3)$$

$$4X+24 = -5Y+15$$

$$X = \frac{-1+6}{5}$$

$$X = \frac{5}{5}$$

$$X = 1$$

$$4X+9 = -5Y$$

$$-5Y = 9$$

$$Y = -1$$

$$Y = -\frac{3}{5} = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$X = \frac{3}{3} = 1$$

$$X = \frac{3}{4} = 0.75$$

Elimination

$$5X + 2Y = 10$$

Eliminate Y's $\rightarrow 10X - 4Y = 20$

$$3X + 4Y = 6$$

$$-2[3X + 4Y = 6]$$

$$-6X = -14$$

$$X = 2$$

$$5(2) + 2Y = 10$$

$$10 + 2Y = 10$$

$$-10$$

$$2Y = 0$$

$$Y = 0$$

$$(2, 0)$$

answer

$$(5x + 3y = -11) \times 4$$

$$(3x + 4y = -11) \times 3$$

$$20x + 12y = -44$$

$$-9x - 12y = +33$$

$$11x = -11$$

$$x = -1$$

$$3(-1) + 4y = -11$$

$$-3 + 4y = -11$$

$$4y = -8$$

$$y = -2$$

$$(-1, -2)$$

$$2x - 8y = 10$$

$$(x - 4y = 5) \times 2$$

$$x - 4y = 5$$

$$2x - 8y = 10$$

$$2x - 8y = 10$$

NO SOLUTION

$$2x - 8y = 10$$

$$(x - 4y = 5) \times 2$$

$$2x - 8y = 10$$

$$-2x + 8y = -10$$

$$0 = 0$$

$$\left(x, \frac{x-5}{4} \right)$$

NO SOLUTION