

U6D2_T Linear Equation in Standard Form

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Warm up:

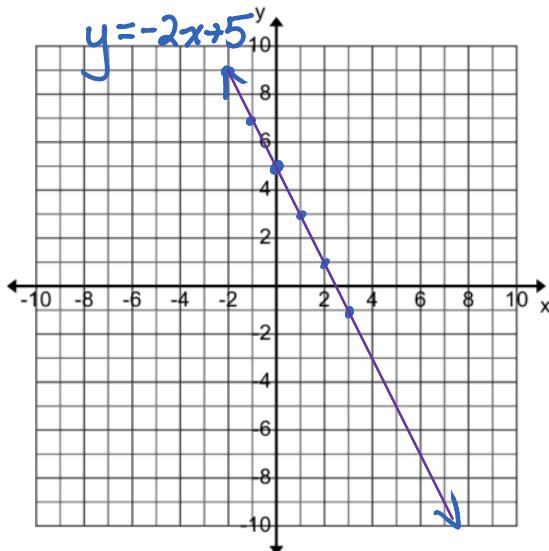
$$y = mx + b$$

Given the linear equation $y = -2x + 5$,

a) identify the slope and y-intercept

$$\begin{aligned} b &= 5 & m &= -2 \\ && &= \frac{-2}{1} \text{ rise down 2} & \text{right 1} \\ && & & \text{run} \end{aligned}$$

b) graph



Equation of a Line in Standard Form

The form of a linear equation that we have focused on so far is the slope y-intercept form:

$$y = mx + b$$

Another form of a linear equation that is used is called the Standard Form. Standard form of a linear equation is: $Ax + By + C = 0$

- A, B, C are all integers
(not fractions or decimals)
- A & B are not both equal to zero
- The coefficient on the leading term (First term) is positive
- Right side of the equation equals zero

Example 1: Which equations are in standard form?

a) $3x - 4y - 3 = 0$

$A=3, B=-4, C=-3$
Yes!

b) $y = 2x - 3$

No!

This is
slope/y-int. form

c) $2y + 5x - 7 = 0$

No!

$5x + 2y - 7 = 0$
is standard form

d) $0 = 3x - y + 1$

No!

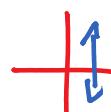
$3x - y + 1 = 0$

e) $x - 2 = 0$

$A=1, B=0, C=-2$

Yes!

vertical line $x=2$



f) $y + \frac{7}{2} = 0$

No! Fraction

g) $-y + 5 = 0$

No!

$$\boxed{y - 5 = 0}$$

\longleftrightarrow

$y = 5$

$2y + 7 = 0$
is standard form

horizontal line
 $y = -3.5$

Example 2: Express each equation in $y=mx+b$ form.

State the slope and y-intercept:

a) $(4x) + 6y + 8 = 0$

$$\underline{4x + 6y + 8} - \underline{4x + 8} = 0 - 4x - 8$$

$$\underline{6y} = \underline{-4x} - \underline{8}$$

$$y = -\frac{2}{3}x - \frac{4}{3}$$

$$m = -\frac{2}{3}, b = -\frac{4}{3}$$

b) $2x - 2y - 6 = 0$

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

$$\frac{-2y}{-2} = \frac{-2x}{-2} + \frac{6}{-2}$$

$$y = x - 3$$

$$m = 1, b = -3$$

Example 3:

Express each equation in Standard form:

a) $y = 3x + 2$

$$\begin{aligned}y - y &= 3x - y + 2 \\0 &= 3x - y + 2 \\3x - y + 2 &= 0\end{aligned}$$

b) $y = -4x + 6$

$$\begin{aligned}-4x - y + 6 &= 0 \\4x + y - 6 &= 0\end{aligned}$$

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

$$\frac{5}{2}x - y - 1 = 0$$

* multiply every term by 2.

$$5x - 2y - 2 = 0$$

Example 4: The Tent-All Company rents tents to campers and charges according to the equation, $10d - C + 50 = 0$, where C is the cost in dollars to rent which depends on d , the number of days rented.

a) Express the equation in slope y-intercept form

$$-C = -10d - 50$$

$$C = 10d + 50$$

b) Identify the fixed and the variable costs.

Fixed Cost is \$50

Variable Cost is \$10

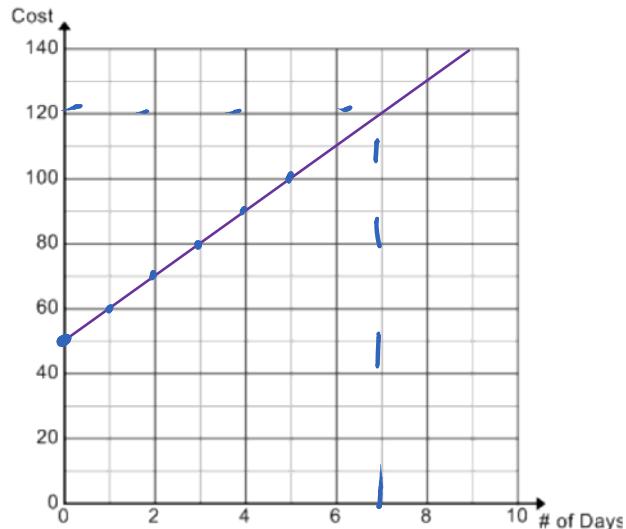
c) Graph the relation.

d) What is the rental cost if a tent is rented for 7 days?

$$C = 10(7) + 50$$

$$C = 70 + 50$$

$$C = 120$$



\therefore it will cost \$120 for 7 days.