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UNIT #4 Study Guide
COMMON CORE ALGEBRA I

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PART I QUESTIONS: Show all of your work.

1. Which of the following is the slope of the line that passes through the points $(-4, -6)$ and $(1, 9)$

x	y
-4	-6
1	9

$$m = \frac{y_1 - y_2}{x_1 - x_2} = \frac{(-6) - (9)}{(-4) - (1)} = \frac{-15}{-5} = 3$$

← slope

$\frac{15}{5} = 3$

2. Which equation could correspond to the graph of the linear function shown below?

$y = mx + b$

y-intercept

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

Slope is
rise / lower
run (right) divided by
up 1
right 2

3. A wheel with a specific circumference will move 540 inches when rolled 20 times. How far will the same wheel move, to the nearest inch, in 9 rolls?

$y = Mx$

$y = (27)(9)$

$y = \frac{243}{1}$

x	y
9	243
20	540

$M = \frac{540}{20} = 27 \text{ inches per roll}$

243 inches after 9 rolls.

4. A line with a slope of -3 passes through the point $(4, -5)$. Which of the following is the equation of the line?

$y = mx + b$

$y = -3x + b$

$(-5) = -3(4) + b$

$-5 = -12 + b$

$+12 \quad +12$

$7 = b$

$y = -3x + 7$

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5. A rental car company charges a base fee of 25 plus $29¢$ per mile driven. Which of the following equations models the charge y for renting a car based on the number of miles, x , driven?

$$y = m x + B$$

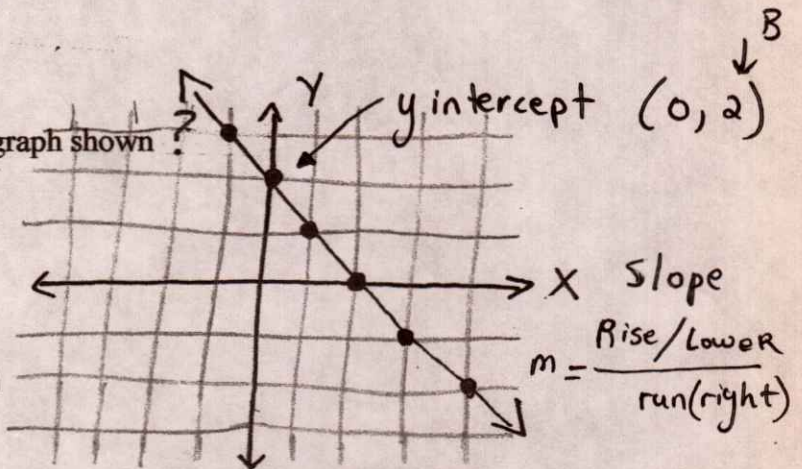
$$y = 0.29 x + 25$$

6. Which of the following is the equation of the graph shown?

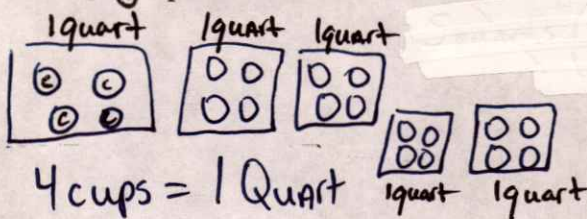
$$y = m x + B$$

$$y = -1 x + 2$$

$$\frac{\text{down } -1}{\text{right } 1} = m$$



7. Charles is making a recipe that calls for 5 quarts of milk. Unfortunately, Charles only has a single cup measuring device. If there are two cups in a pint and two pints in a quart, then how many cups will Charles need for 5 quarts of milk?



x	y
0	0
1	4
2	8
3	
4	16
5	20

Squarts

$$4 + 4 + 4 + 4 + 4 = 20$$

cups

8. Which of the following equations describes all points on a vertical line that passes through the point $(-4, 8)$?

↑ goes through x Axis

$$\text{So, } x = -4$$

x, y

9. A sequence is defined by the rule. If $f(x) = 4x + 2$ If $f(1) = 6$ then what does $f(7) =$ _____?

$$f(1) = 4(1) + 2$$

$$f(1) = 4 + 2$$

$$f(1) = 6$$

$$f(7) = 4(7) + 2$$

$$f(7) = 28 + 2$$

$$f(7) = 30$$

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PART II QUESTIONS: Show all of your work.

10. If graphed in the coordinate plane, would the line $y = 3x + 6$ pass through the point $(-5, -9)$? Explain how you arrived at your answer.

$$(-9) = 3(-5) + 6$$

x, y

$$-9 = -15 + 6$$

$$-9 = -9 \quad \text{True,}$$

$(-5, -9)$ is a solution and is on the line and table

11. An arithmetic sequence has a B term of 6 and a M term of 8. What is its 3rd term? Show how you arrived at your answer.

The 3rd number is 30.

$$B = 6 \quad M = 8$$

$$f(3) = 30$$

x	f(x)
0	6
1	14
2	22
3	30

+8
+8
+8

PART III QUESTIONS: Show all of your work

12. As a large truck fills its gas tank, the volume of gas, in gallons, can be modeled with the linear function $y = 7.1x + 5$, where y is the volume of gas and x is the number of minutes it has been filling. Give a physical interpretation for both the 7.1 and 5 parameters in the linear model. Use appropriate units in your explanation.

The truck started with 5 gallons of gas.

7.1 gallons of gas are being pumped per minute.

13. Write the equation of the line that passes through the points $(5, 6)$ and $(3, 8)$. Express your answer in simplest $y = mx + b$ form.

$$y = -1x + B$$

x_1, y_1, x_2, y_2

$$() = -1() + B$$

$$y = mx + B$$

$$(6) = -1(5) + B$$

$$y = -1x + B$$

$$6 = (-5) + B$$

$$y = -1x + 11$$

$$+5$$

x	y
5	6
3	8

-2 < > +2

$$m = \frac{\text{change in } y}{\text{change in } x} = \frac{2}{-2} = -1$$

$$11 = B$$

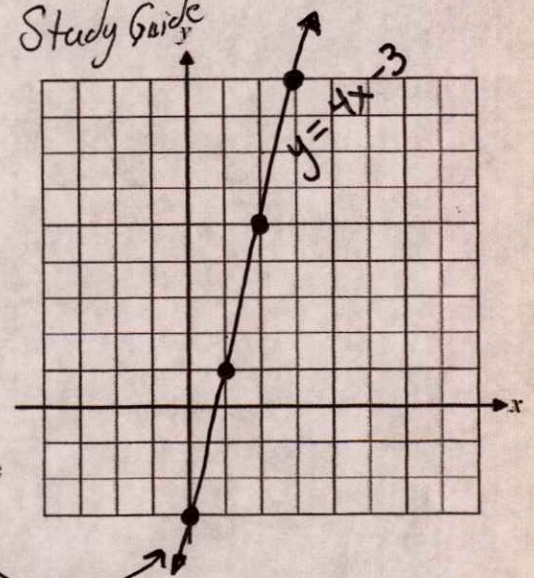
14. Graph the line $y - 4x = -3$ on the axes provided.

$$y - 4x = -3$$

$$+ 4x \quad | \quad + 4x$$

$$y = 4x - 3$$

slope \leftarrow 4 (up 4, right 1)
 start y-intercept \leftarrow -3



15. Use the graph from #14. At what value of y does the line have when $x = 2$? Show how you determined your answer.

$$y = 4x - 3$$

$$y = 4(\quad) - 3$$

$$y = 4(2) - 3$$

$$y = 8 - 3$$

$y = 5$

PART IV QUESTION: Show all of your work.

16. A company produces boxes of DVD's at a rate of 80 boxes per hour. They begin to produce boxes when they first open for the day and after 4 hours have 573 boxes in stock. How many boxes were in stock when they opened?

$$y = mx + B$$

$$y = 80x + B$$

$$(\quad) = 80(\quad) + B$$

$$(573) = 80(4) + B$$

$(4, 573)$
 $x \quad y$
 The store opened with 253 Boxes

$$573 = 80(4) + B$$

$$573 = 320 + B$$

$$-320 \quad -320$$

$253 = B$

17. Use the same company from problem #16. Write a linear model for the amount of boxes, y , as a function of the number of hours since they opened, x . Use your model to predict the number of boxes in stock at the end of 9 hours of work.

$$y = mx + B$$

$$y = 80x + 253$$

$$y = 80(\quad) + 253$$

$$y = 80(9) + 253$$

$$y = 720 + 253$$

$$y = 973$$

973 boxes will be at the company at the end of this day.