

HW 7.2 Writing $y=mx+b$

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Create the slope intercept form ($y=mx+b$) based on the given information.

1) Slope = 1, $b = -5$

$$y = 1x - 5$$

3) Slope = $\frac{1}{2}$, $(0, -4)$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}x - 4$$

5) through: $(-3, -4)$, slope = $\frac{5}{3} = m$

$$y = mx + b$$

$$-4 = \frac{5}{3}(-3) + b$$

$$-4 = -5 + b$$

$$+5 \quad +5$$

2) Slope = $-\frac{1}{2}$, y-intercept = 3

$$y = -\frac{1}{2}x + 3$$

4) Slope = $\frac{3}{5}$, $(0, 5)$

$$y = \frac{3}{5}x + 5$$

$$\begin{aligned} & y = mx + b \\ & -4 = \frac{5}{3}(-3) + b \\ & -4 = -5 + b \\ & +5 \quad +5 \\ & 1 = b \end{aligned}$$

6) through: $(1, 1)$, slope = $-1 = m$

$$\begin{aligned} y &= mx + b \\ 1 &= -1(1) + b \\ 1 &= -1 + b \\ +1 & \quad +1 \\ 2 &= b \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore y = -1x + 2$$

7) through: $(-2, 2)$, slope = $-\frac{6}{5} = m$

$$\begin{aligned} y &= mx + b \\ 2 &= -\frac{6}{5}(-2) + b \end{aligned}$$

$$2 = \frac{12}{5} + b$$

$$2 = 2.4 + b$$

$$-0.4 = b$$

$$\therefore y = -\frac{6}{5}x - 0.4$$

8) through: $(-4, 5)$, slope = $-\frac{1}{2} = m$

$$\begin{aligned} y &= mx + b \\ 5 &= -\frac{1}{2}(-4) + b \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 5 &= 2 + b \\ -2 & \quad -2 \end{aligned}$$

$$3 = b$$

$$\therefore y = -\frac{1}{2}x + 3$$

9) through $(3, 4)$ and $(2, -1)$

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{-1 - 4}{2 - 3} = \frac{-5}{-1} = 5$$

$$y = mx + b$$

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

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 4 & = & 15 + b \\ -15 & & -15 \end{array}$$

$$-11 = b$$

$$\therefore y = 5x - 11$$

11) through $(-3, -2)$ and $(-4, 5)$

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{5 - (-2)}{-4 - (-3)} = \frac{7}{-1} = -7$$

$$y = mx + b$$

$$5 = -7(-4) + b$$

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 5 & = & 28 + b \\ -28 & & -28 \end{array}$$

$$-23 = b$$

$$\therefore y = -7x - 23$$

13) Create the equation of the line which has the slope as $2x - 5y = 10$ and the same y-intercept as $4x + 7y - 21 = 0$.

$$\textcircled{1} \quad 2x - 5y = 10$$

$$\frac{2x}{5} - \frac{10}{5} = \frac{5y}{5}$$

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

$$m = \frac{2}{5}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad 4x + 7y - 21 = 0$$

$$\frac{7y}{7} = \frac{-4x}{7} + \frac{21}{7}$$

$$y = -\frac{4}{7}x + 3$$

$$b = 3$$

10) through $(-3, -1)$ and $(4, -3)$

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{-3 - (-1)}{4 - (-3)} = \frac{-2}{7}$$

$$y = mx + b$$

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

$$-1 = \frac{6}{7} + b$$

$$\begin{array}{rcl} -1 & = & 0.9 + b \\ -0.9 & & -0.9 \end{array} \rightarrow -1.9 = b$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{-2}{7}x - 1.9$$

12) through $(-2, 4)$ and $(0, -4)$ $\therefore y = mx + b$, $b = -4$

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{-4 - 4}{0 - (-2)} = \frac{-8}{2} = -4$$

$$\therefore y = -4x - 4$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{2}{5}x + 3$$