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Math 10C

Linear Functions Assignment

1) Find the equation of a line for the following in all three forms.

a. A line that has slope $-\frac{3}{2}$ and passes through the y-axis at -1.

Slope Point Form	Slope Y-intercept Form	General Form
Using point $(0, -1)$ $(y - y_1) = m(x - x_1)$ $(y + 1) = -\frac{3}{2}(x - 0)$	$y = -\frac{3}{2}x - 1$	$y = -\frac{3}{2}x - 1$ $\frac{3}{2}x + y + 1 = 0$ $3x + 2y + 2 = 0$

b. A Line has slope $\frac{5}{4}$ and passes thru $(-1, 4)$

Slope Point Form	Slope Y-intercept Form	General Form
$(y - y_1) = m(x - x_1)$ $(y - 4) = \frac{5}{4}(x + 1)$	$y - 4 = \frac{5}{4}(x + 1)$ $y - 4 = \frac{5}{4}x + \frac{5}{4}$ $y = \frac{5}{4}x + \frac{21}{4}$	$y = \frac{5}{4}x + \frac{21}{4}$ $0 = \frac{5}{4}x - 1y + \frac{21}{4}$ $0 = 5x - 4y + 21$

c. Line passes thru $(-2, 5)$ and $(3, -4)$

Slope Point Form	Slope Y-intercept Form	General Form
$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{-4 - 5}{3 - (-2)} = -\frac{9}{5}$ $(y - y_1) = m(x - x_1)$ $(y + 4) = -\frac{9}{5}(x - 3)$	$y + 4 = -\frac{9}{5}(x - 3)$ $y + 4 = -\frac{9}{5}x + \frac{27}{5}$ $y = -\frac{9}{5}x + \frac{7}{5}$	$y = -\frac{9}{5}x + \frac{7}{5}$ $\frac{9}{5}x + 1y - \frac{7}{5} = 0$ $9x + 5y - 7 = 0$

d. Line has an x-intercept of 5 and a y-intercept of $\frac{2}{3}$. Points $(5, 0)$ and $(0, \frac{2}{3})$

Slope Point Form	Slope Y-intercept Form	General Form
$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{\frac{2}{3} - 0}{0 - 5} = -\frac{2}{15}$ $(y - y_1) = m(x - x_1)$ $(y - 0) = -\frac{2}{15}(x - 5)$	$y - 0 = -\frac{2}{15}(x - 5)$ $y = -\frac{2}{15}x + \frac{2}{3}$	$y = -\frac{2}{15}x + \frac{2}{3}$ $\frac{2}{15}x + 1y - \frac{2}{3} = 0$ $2x + 15y - 10 = 0$

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2) Complete the following chart.

Slope Point Form	Slope Y-intercept Form	General Form
$y = 1x - 1$ Point $(0, -1)$ $(y - y_1) = m(x - x_1)$ $(y + 1) = 1(x - 0)$	$y = x - 1$	$y = x - 1$ $0 = x - y - 1$
$y + 3 = -2(x - 2)$	$(y + 3) = -2(x - 2)$ $y + 3 = -2x + 4$ $y = -2x + 1$	$2x + 1y - 1 = 0$
$y = -\frac{2}{3}x + 2$ Point $(0, 2)$ $(y - y_1) = m(x - x_1)$ $(y - 2) = -\frac{2}{3}(x - 0)$	$2x + 3y - 6 = 0$ $3y = -2x + 6$ $y = -\frac{2}{3}x + 2$	$2x + 3y - 6 = 0$
$y = \frac{3}{2}x + 5$ Point $(0, 5)$ $(y - y_1) = m(x - x_1)$ $(y - 5) = \frac{3}{2}(x - 0)$	$y = \frac{3}{2}x + 5$	$y = \frac{3}{2}x + 5$ $\frac{3}{2}x - 1y + 5 = 0$ $3x - 2y + 10 = 0$
$y - 2 = \frac{-1}{2}(x + 2)$	$y - 2 = -\frac{1}{2}(x + 2)$ $y - 2 = -\frac{1}{2}x - 1$ $y = -\frac{1}{2}x + 1$	$y = -\frac{1}{2}x + 1$ $\frac{1}{2}x + 1y - 1 = 0$ $x + 2y - 2 = 0$
$y = \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{3}{2}$ Point $(0, \frac{3}{2})$ $(y - y_1) = m(x - x_1)$ $(y - \frac{3}{2}) = \frac{1}{2}(x - 0)$	$5x - 10y + 15 = 0$ $5x + 15 = 10y$ $\frac{1}{2}x + \frac{3}{2} = y$ $y = \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{3}{2}$	$5x - 10y + 15 = 0$