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Linear Equations (Advanced)

Multiple Choice

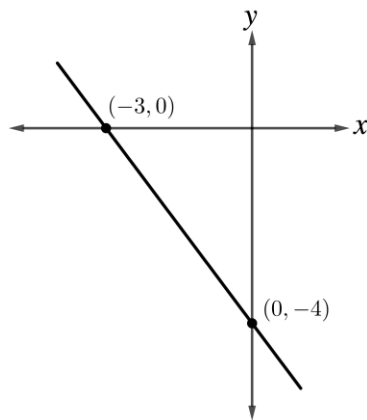
1. Sherman purchases a coral reef tank for his bedroom. He puts 30 critters in the tank after setting it up and then begins to add critters at a rate of 2 per week. Which of the following represents the number of critters, y , in terms of x days?
A) $y = 2x + 30$
B) $y = 30x + 2$
C) $y = \frac{2}{7}(x + 105)$
D) $y = 30x - 2$
2. Jolene sells her hand-thrown ceramic plates at the farmer's market. There is a \$30 flat fee to rent a booth, and Jolene sells her pottery for \$9 per plate. If x represents the number of plates sold, which of the following represents Jolene's profits at the end of the day?
A) $9x - 30$
B) $30x - 9$
C) $9x + 30$
D) $-30x - 9$
3. In the xy -plane, the graph of which of the following equations is perpendicular to the graph of the equation $-3x + 4y = 12$?
A) $4x + 3y = 24$
B) $-4x + 3y = 12$
C) $-3x - 4y = 24$
D) $3x + 4y = 12$
4. The graph of the equation $3x + 2y = a$, where a is a constant, is a line in the xy -plane. What are the coordinates of the point at which the line crosses the x -axis?
A) $(\frac{a}{2}, 0)$
B) $(\frac{a}{3}, 0)$
C) $(\frac{2}{a}, 0)$
D) $(\frac{3}{a}, 0)$

5. Gemma opens a lemonade stand. She takes out a \$5.00 loan from her mom to pay for supplies and promises to pay her back at the end of the day. Gemma sells lemonade for \$0.50 per cup. If x represents the number of cups sold, which of the following equations represents Gemma's lemonade profit, after she pays her mom back?
- A) $5x + 0.5$
 - B) $0.5x - 5$
 - C) $0.5x + 5$
 - D) $5x - 0.5$
6. Which linear equation has exactly one solution?
- A) $6x + 12 = 6x$
 - B) $6x + 12 = 6x + 12$
 - C) $6x + 12 = 3(2x + 4)$
 - D) $6x + 12 = 3(3x + 5)$
7. The Berkeley Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) would like to increase membership by a total number of n people per year. There were s people in the CSA at the beginning of this year. Which function best models the total number of people, y , the CSA plans to have as members x years from now?
- A) $y = nx - s$
 - B) $y = nx + s$
 - C) $y = sx - n$
 - D) $y = sx + n$
8. The function f is linear, and $f(3) = 12$. When the value of x increases by 1, the value of $f(x)$ decreases by 4. Which of the following defines f ?
- A) $f(x) = -3x - 4$
 - B) $f(x) = -3x - 13$
 - C) $f(x) = -3x - 13$
 - D) $f(x) = -4x + 24$

9. The water level of a river decreases by 1 foot every 2 days. The initial level of the water of the river is 34 feet. Which equation gives the water level l , in feet, of the river after d days?

A) $l = -\frac{d}{2}$
B) $l = -2d$
C) $l = -2d + 34$
D) $l = -\frac{d}{2} + 34$

10. The graph in the standard (x, y) coordinate plane below represents which of the following equations?



A) $4x + 3y = -12$
B) $3x + 4y = -16$
C) $3x + 4y = 16$
D) $4x + 3y = 12$

Grid-In

11. In the xy -plane, the point $(8, 4)$ lies on the graph of the line $y = kx + 2$, where k is a constant. What is the value of k ?
12. The function q is defined by $q(x) = \frac{3}{4}x + \frac{5}{4}$. Function p is parallel to function q and goes through the point $(0, \frac{7}{4})$. What is the slope of the graph of $y = p(x)$ in the xy -plane?
13. Maria draws the line $4y - 2x = 8$ and draws another line that is perpendicular to that line. She then draws a third line that is perpendicular to the second line. What is the slope of the third line that Maria draws?
14. $7x + 5 = bx + 3$
- In the given equation, b is a positive integer constant less than 8. The equation has exactly one solution. What is the greatest possible value of b ?
15. $F(x) = \frac{9}{5}x + 32$
- The function F gives the temperature in degrees Fahrenheit that corresponds to a temperature of x degrees Celsius. If the temperature increases by 2.5 degrees Celsius, what is the corresponding temperature increase in degrees Fahrenheit?