

ASSIGNMENT 4

DYLAN ZWICK'S MATH 1010 CLASS

2.5 ABSOLUTE VALUE EQUATIONS AND INEQUALITIES

Determine whether the value is a solution of the equation:

2.5.1: $|4x + 5| = 10, x = -3$ 2.5.4: $|\frac{1}{2}t + 4| = 8, t = 6$

Not a Solution

Not a Solution

2.5.2: $|2x - 16| = 10, x = 3$

Solution

Transform the absolute value equation into two linear equations:

2.5.5: $|x - 10| = 17$

2.5.8: $|22k + 6| = 9$

$x - 10 = 17$ or $x - 10 = -17$

$22k + 6 = 9$ or $22k + 6 = -9$

2.5.7: $|4x + 1| = \frac{1}{2}$

$4x + 1 = \frac{1}{2}$ or $4x + 1 = -\frac{1}{2}$

Write the absolute value equations in standard form:

2.5.9: $|3x| + 7 = 8$

2.5.11: $3|2x| - 1 = 5$

$|3x| = 1$

$|2x| = 2$

Date: Due Wednesday, September 23th.

Solve the equations:

2.5.13: $|x| = 4$

$$x = 4 \text{ or } x = -4$$

2.5.16: $|s| = 16$

$$s = 16 \text{ or } s = -16$$

2.5.17: $|h| = 0$

$$h = 0$$

2.5.18: $|x| = -82$

No solution

2.5.20: $|\frac{1}{3}x| = 2$

$$x = 6 \text{ or } x = -6$$

2.5.21: $|x + 1| = 5$

$$x = 4 \text{ or } x = -6$$

2.5.24: $|\frac{7a+6}{4}| = 2$

$$\frac{7a+6}{4} = 2 \quad a = \frac{2}{7}$$

$$\text{or } \frac{7a+6}{4} = -2 \quad a = -2$$

2.5.26: $|3x - 2| = -5$

No solution

2.5.27: $|5x - 3| + 8 = 22$

$$x = \frac{17}{5} \text{ or } x = -\frac{11}{5}$$

2.5.28: $|5 - 2x| + 10 = 6$

No solution

2.5.30: $|\frac{x-2}{5}| + 4 = 4$

$$x = 2$$

2.5.32: $4|5x + 1| = 24$

$$15x + 1 = 6 \quad x = 1 \text{ or } x = -\frac{7}{5}$$

2.5.34: $2|4 - 3x| - 6 = -2$

$$x = \frac{2}{3} \text{ or } x = 2$$

2.5.35: $|x + 8| = |2x + 1|$

$$x + 8 = 2x + 1 \quad \text{or} \quad x + 8 = -(2x + 1)$$

$$x = 7 \quad x = -3$$

2.5.37: $|3x + 1| = |3x - 3|$

$$3x + 1 = 3x - 3 \text{ or } 3x + 1 = -(3x - 3)$$

$$\text{No solution} \quad x = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\text{The only solution is } x = \frac{1}{3}$$

2.5.40: $3|2 - 3x| = |9x + 21|$

$$3(2-3x) = 9x+21 \quad x = -\frac{5}{6} \quad \text{The only solution is}$$

$$\text{or } 3(2-3x) = -(9x+21) \quad \text{No solution} \quad x = -\frac{5}{6}$$

Write an absolute value equation that represents the verbal statement:

2.5.42: The distance between -3 and t is 5 .

$$|-3 - t| = 5$$

Determine whether the x -value is a solution of the equality:

2.5.43: $|x| < 3, x = 2$

Solution

2.5.46: $|x - 3| > 5, x = 16$

Solution

2.5.45: $|x - 7| \geq 3, x = 9$

Not a solution

Transform the absolute value inequality into a double inequality or two separate inequalities:

2.5.47: $|y + 5| < 3$

$$-3 < y+5 < 3$$

2.5.50: $|8 - x| > 25$

$$8-x > 25 \quad \text{or} \quad 8-x < -25$$

Solve the inequality:

2.5.51: $|y| < 4$

$$-4 < y < 4$$

2.5.59: $|x + 6| > 10$

$$x+6 > 10, x > 4 \quad \text{or} \quad x+6 < -10, x < -16$$

2.5.53: $|x| \geq 6$

$$x \geq 6 \quad \text{or} \quad x \leq -6$$

2.5.62: $|6t + 15| \geq 30$

$$6t+15 \geq 30 \quad \text{or} \quad 6t+15 \leq -30$$

2.5.56: $|4z| \leq 9$

$$-\frac{9}{4} \leq z \leq \frac{9}{4}$$

$$t \geq \frac{5}{2}$$

$$t \leq -\frac{15}{2}$$

$$2.5.65: \frac{|y - 16|}{4} < 30$$

$$-104 < y < 136$$

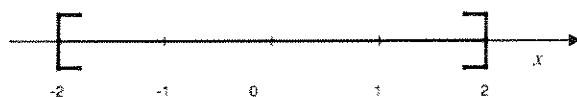
$$2.5.69: \frac{|3x - 2|}{4} + 5 \geq 5$$

$$-\infty < x < \infty$$

$$2.5.67: |0.2x - 3| < 4$$

$$-5 < x < 35$$

2.5.81: Write an absolute value inequality that represents the interval:



$$|x| \leq 2$$

Write an absolute value inequality that represents the verbal statement:

2.5.85: The set of all real numbers x whose distance from 0 is less than 3.

$$|x| < 3$$

2.5.88: The set of all real numbers x for which the distance from 0 to 5 more than half of x is less than 13.

$$|\frac{1}{2}x + 5| < 13$$

2.5.89: Speed Skating In the 2006 Winter Olympics, each skater in the 500-meter short track speed skating final had a time that satisfied the inequality $|t - 42.238| \leq 0.412$, where t is the time in seconds. Sketch the graph of the solution of the inequality. What are the fastest and slowest times?

$$|t - 42.238| \leq 0.412$$

$$41.826 \leq t \leq 42.65$$

The fastest time is 41.826 seconds and
the slowest time is 42.65 seconds.

2.5.91: Accuracy of Measurements In woodshop class, you must cut several pieces of wood to within $\frac{3}{16}$ inch of the teacher's specifications. Let $(s - x)$ represent the difference between the specification s and the measured length x of a cut piece.

- (a) Write an absolute value inequality that describes the values of x that are within specifications.

$$|s - x| \leq \frac{3}{16}$$

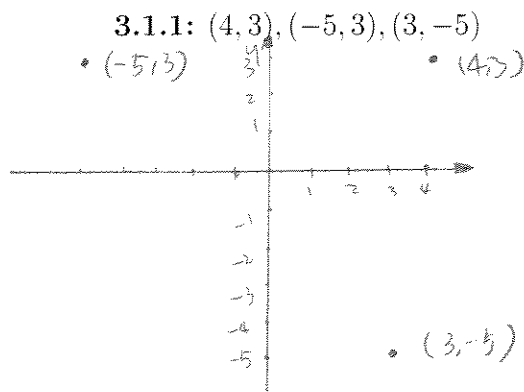
- (b) The length of one piece of wood is specified to be $s = 5\frac{1}{8}$ inches. Describe the acceptable lengths for this piece.

$$|5\frac{1}{8} - x| \leq \frac{3}{16}$$

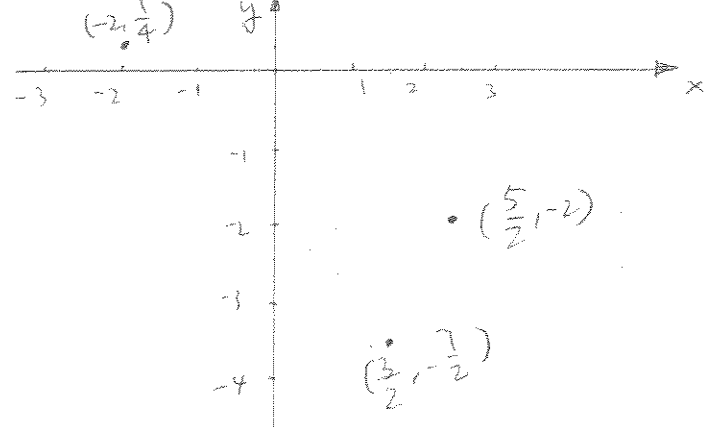
$$4\frac{5}{16} \leq x \leq 5\frac{5}{16}$$

3.1 THE RECTANGULAR COORDINATE SYSTEM

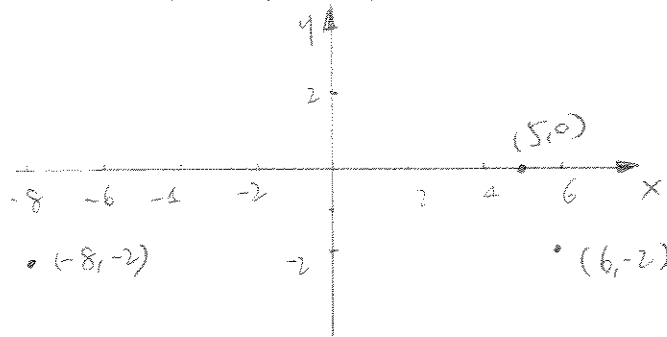
Plot the points on a rectangular coordinate system:



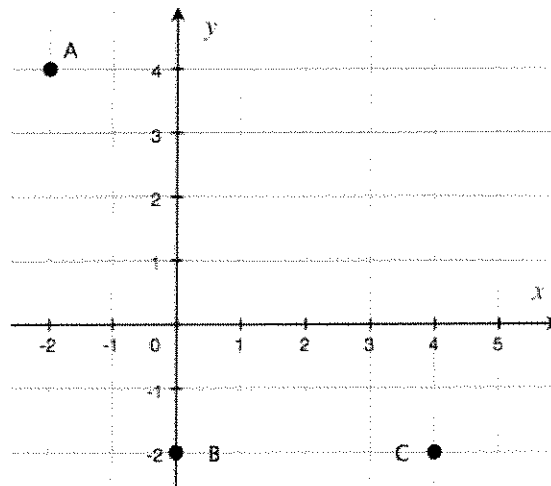
3.1.5: $(\frac{5}{2}, -2), (-2, \frac{1}{4}), (\frac{3}{2}, -\frac{7}{2})$



3.1.3: $(-8, -2), (6, -2), (5, 0)$



3.1.9: Determine the coordinates of the points:

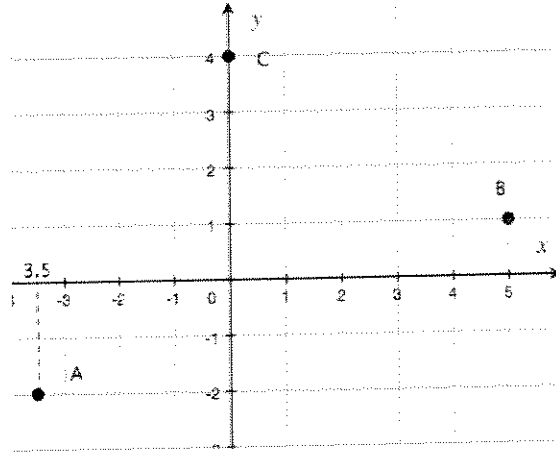


A $(-2, 4)$

B $(0, -2)$

C $(4, -2)$

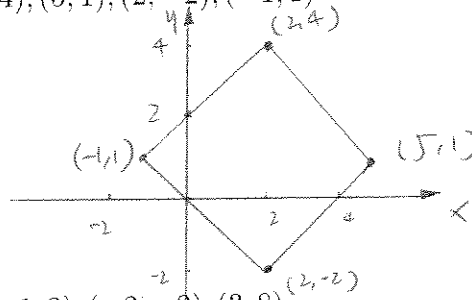
3.1.12: Determine the coordinates of the points:



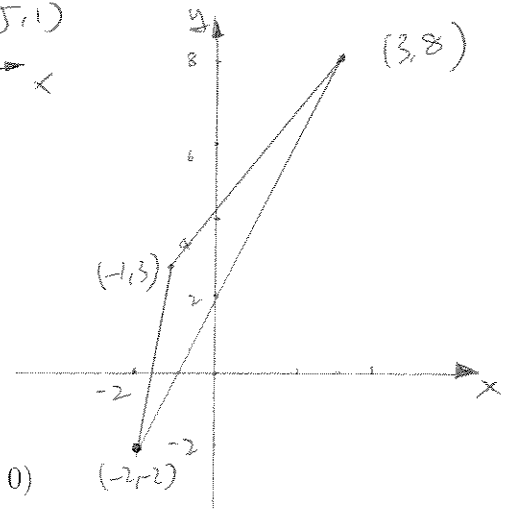
A $(-\frac{7}{2}, -2)$
 B $(5, 1)$
 C $(0, 4)$

Plot the points and connect them with line segments to form the figure:

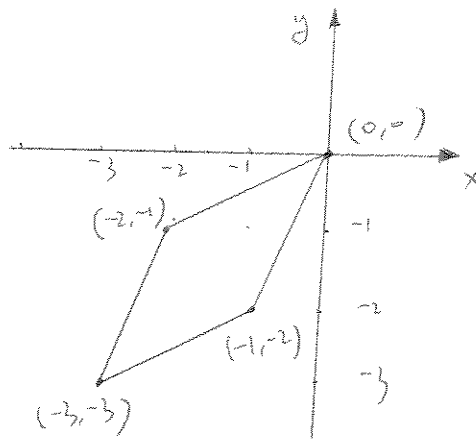
3.1.13: Square: $(2, 4), (5, 1), (2, -2), (-1, 1)$



3.1.16: Triangle: $(-1, 3), (-2, -2), (3, 8)$



3.1.20: Rhombus: $(-3, -3), (-2, -1), (-1, -2), (0, 0)$



Find the coordinates of the point:

3.1.21: The point is located one unit to the right of the y -axis and four units above the x -axis.

$(1, 4)$

3.1.25: The point is on the positive x -axis 10 units from the origin.

$(10, 0)$

3.1.27: The coordinates of the point are equal, and the point is located in the third quadrant eight units to the left of the y -axis.

$(-8, -8)$

Determine the quadrant in which the point is located without plotting it. (x and y are real numbers)

3.1.29: $(-3, -5)$

III

3.1.38: $(x, -6)$

III or IV

3.1.33: $(-9.5, -12.13)$

III

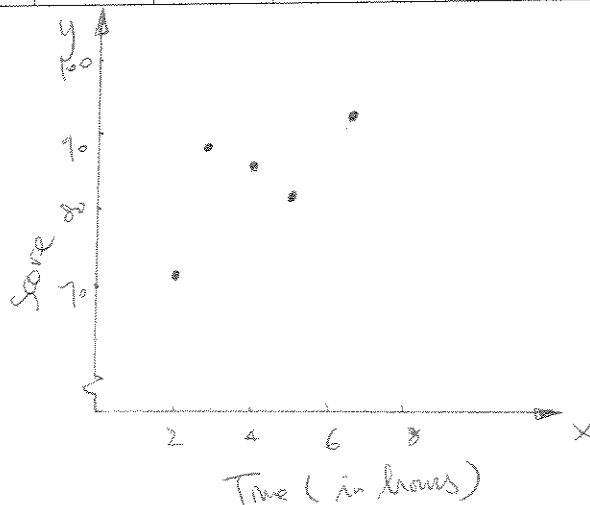
3.1.41: $(x, y), xy > 0$

I or II

Sketch a scatter plot of the points whose coordinates are shown in the table:

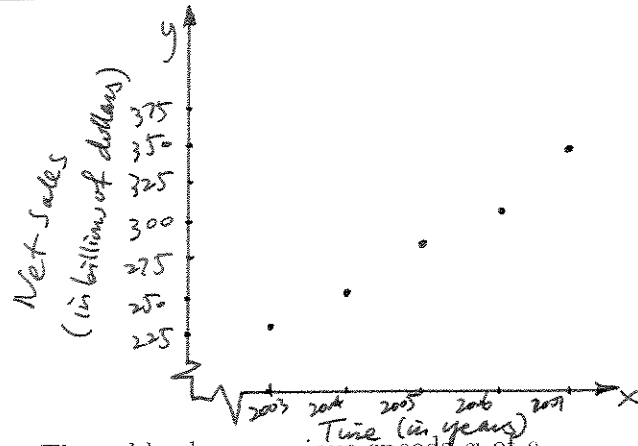
3.1.43: Exam Scores The table shows the time x in hours invested in studying for five different algebra exams and the resulting score y .

x	5	2	3	6.5	4
y	81	71	88	92	86



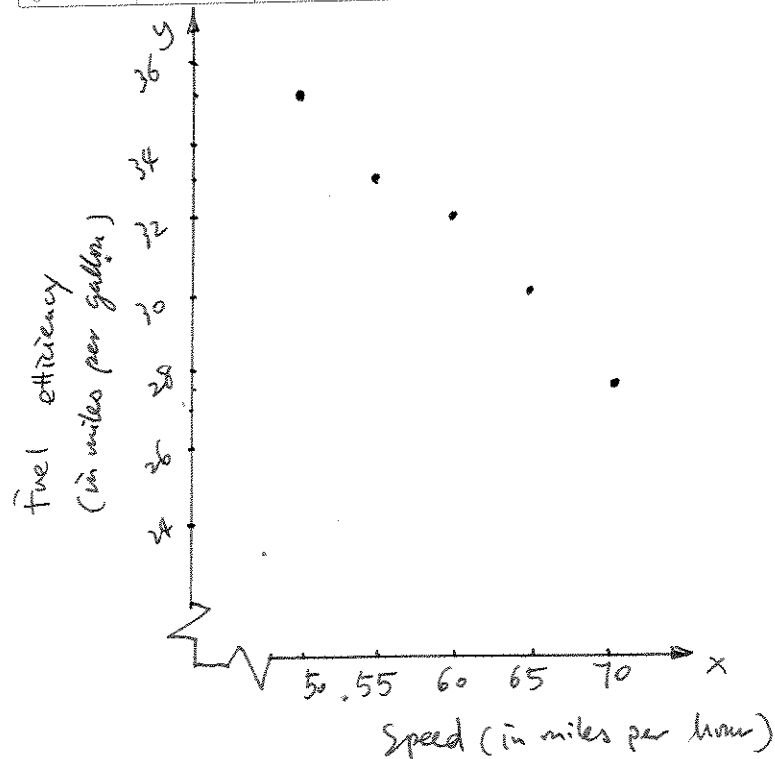
3.1.44: Net Sales The net sales y (in billions of dollars) of Wal-Mart for the years 2003 through 2007 are shown in the table. The time in years is given by x . (Source: Wal-Mart 2007 Annual Report)

x	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
y	226.5	252.8	281.5	308.9	345.0

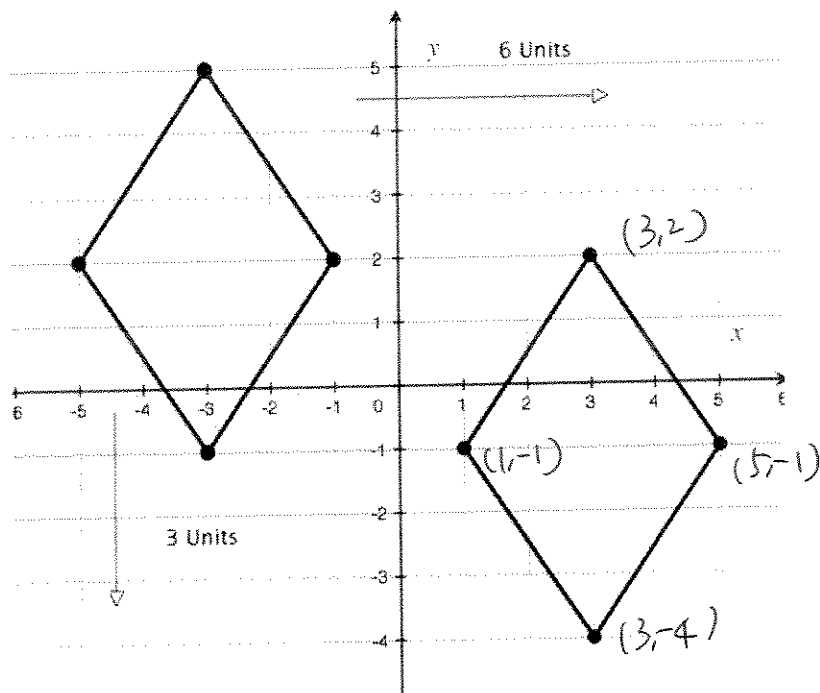


3.1.46: Fuel Efficiency The table shows various speeds x of a car in miles per hour and the corresponding approximate fuel efficiencies y in miles per gallon.

x	50	55	60	65	70
y	35	33.8	32.2	30	27.5



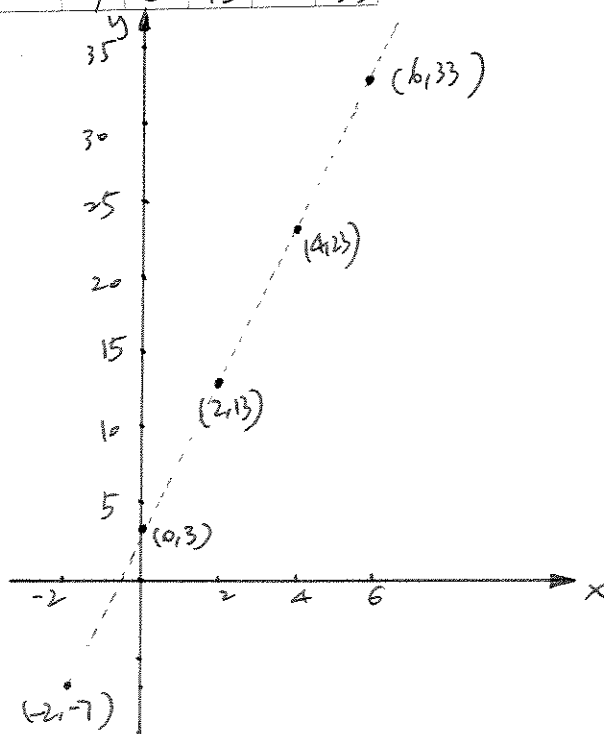
3.1.48: The figure is shifted to a new location in the plane. Find the coordinates of the vertices of the figure in its new location.



Complete the table of values. Then plot the solution points on a rectangular coordinate system.

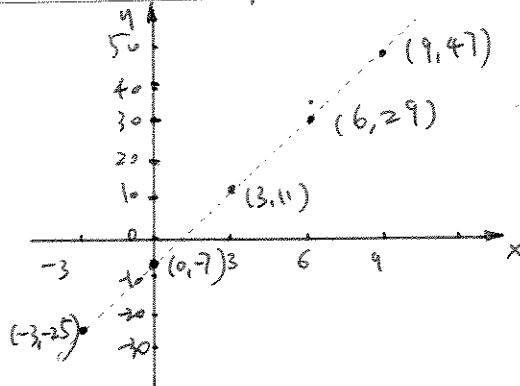
3.1.49:

x	-2	0	2	4	6
$y = 5x + 3$	-7	3	13	23	33



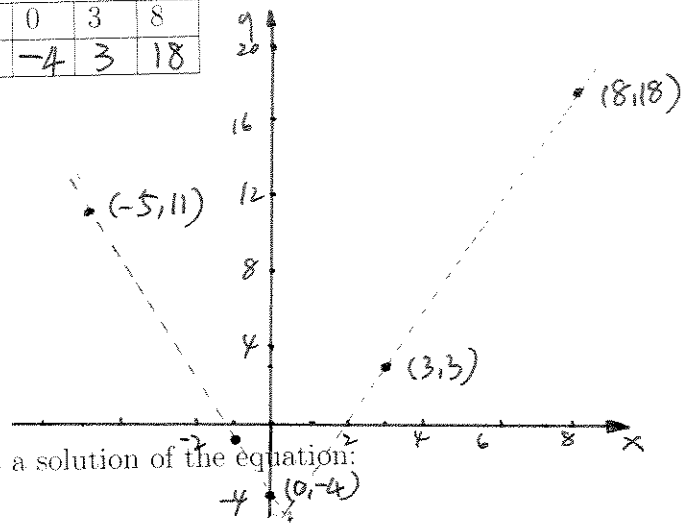
3.1.50:

x	-3	0	3	6	9
$y = 6x - 7$	-25	-7	11	29	47



3.1.52:

x	-5	-1	0	3	8
$y = -3x + 1$	-5	11	-1	-4	18



Determine whether each ordered pair is a solution of the equation:

3.1.55: $4y - 2x + 1 = 0$

(a) $(0, 0)$ Not a Solution (c) $(-3, -\frac{7}{4})$ Solution

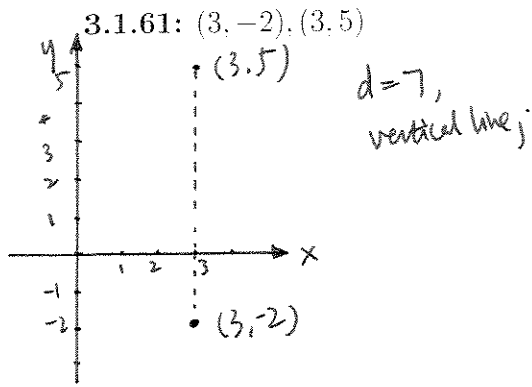
(b) $(\frac{1}{2}, 0)$ Solution (d) $(1, -\frac{3}{4})$ Not a Solution

3.1.60: $y^2 - 4x = 8$

(a) $(0, 6)$ Not a Solution (c) $(-1, 3)$ Not a Solution

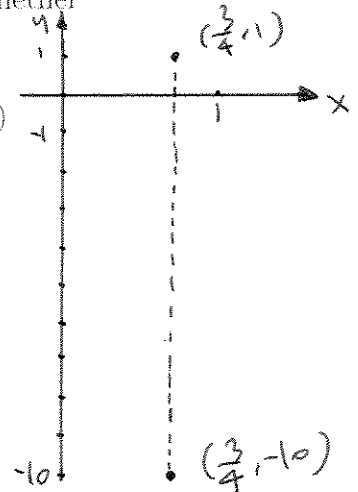
(b) $(-4, 2)$ Not a Solution (d) $(7, 6)$ Solution

Plot the points and find the distance between them. State whether the points lie on a horizontal or a vertical line.



3.1.66: $(\frac{3}{4}, 1), (\frac{3}{4}, -10)$

$d=11$
vertical line;



Find the distance between the points.

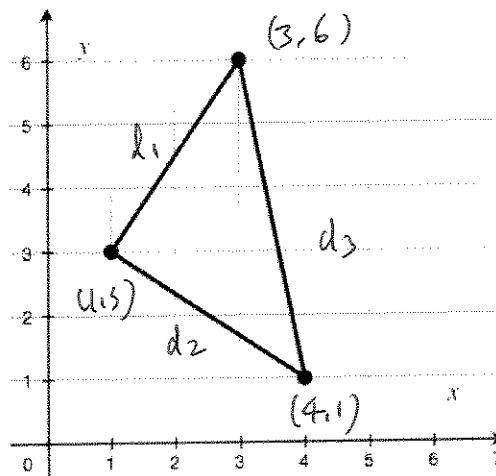
3.1.69: $(1, 3), (5, 6)$

$$\sqrt{(1-5)^2 + (3-6)^2} = 5$$

3.1.74: $(0, -5), (2, -8)$

$$\sqrt{(0-2)^2 + (-5-(-8))^2} = \sqrt{13}$$

3.1.79: Show that the points are vertices of a right triangle.



$$d_1 = \sqrt{13}, d_2 = \sqrt{13}, d_3 = \sqrt{26}$$

$(\sqrt{13})^2 + (\sqrt{13})^2 = (\sqrt{26})^2$, by the converse of the Pythagorean Theorem, it is a right angle.

Use the Distance Formula to determine whether the three points are collinear.

3.1.83: $(2, 3), (2, 6), (6, 3)$

Not collinear;

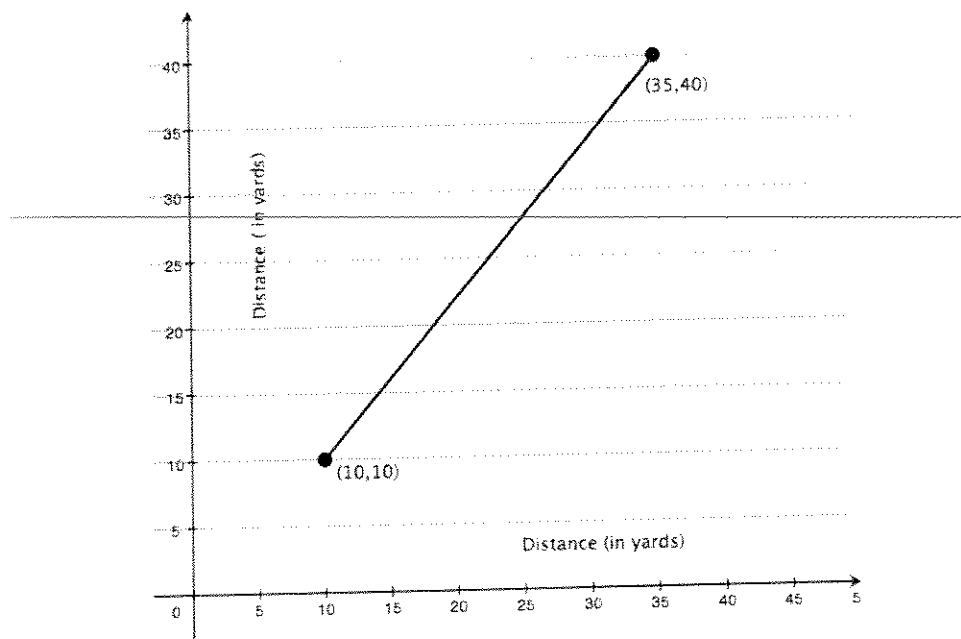
3.1.86: $(2, 4), (1, 1), (0, -2)$

collinear;

3.1.93: Numerical Interpretation For a handyman to install x windows in your home, the cost y is given by $y = 150x + 425$. Use x -values of 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 to help describe the relationship between the number of windows x and the cost of installation y .

x	1	2	3	4	5
y	575	725	875	1025	1175

3.1.95: Football Pass A football quarterback throws a pass from the 10-yard line, 10 yards from the sideline. The pass is caught by a wide receiver on the 40-yard line, 35 yards from the same sideline, as shown in the figure. How long is the pass?

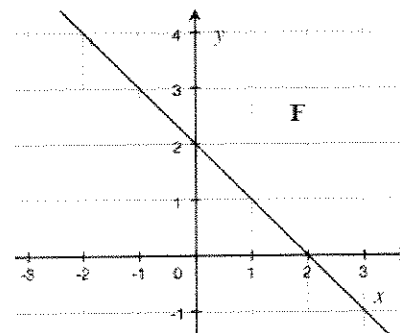
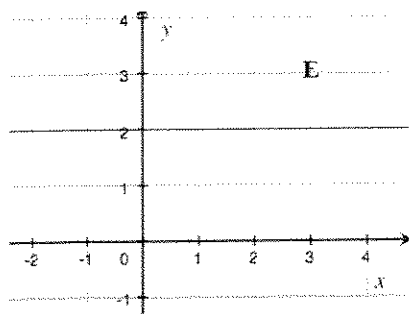
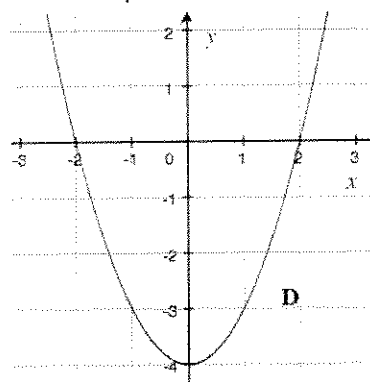
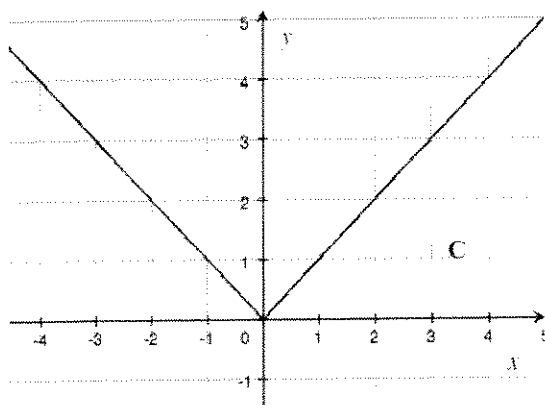
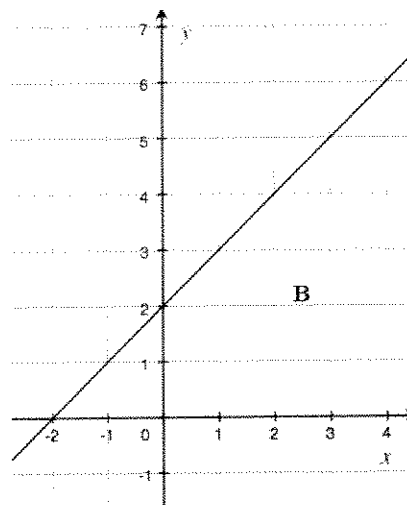
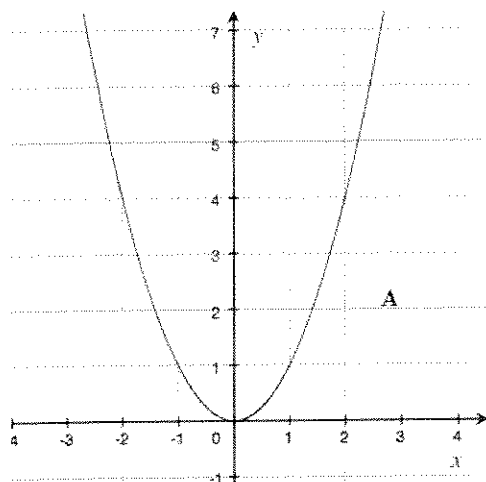


$$\sqrt{(35-10)^2 + (40-10)^2} = \sqrt{1525} \approx 39.05$$

The pass is about 39.05 yards long.

3.2 GRAPHS OF EQUATIONS

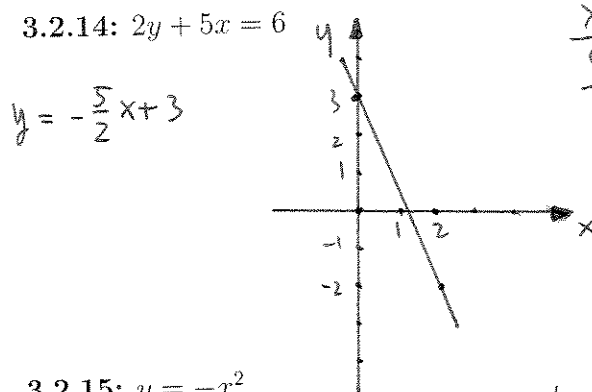
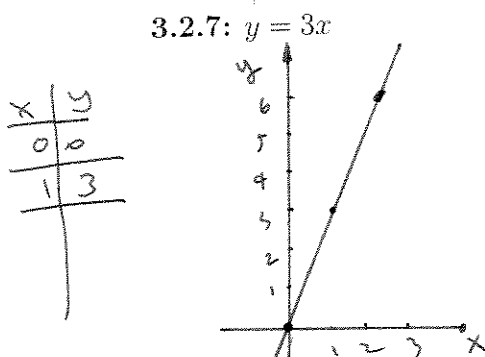
Match the equation with the label of its graph.



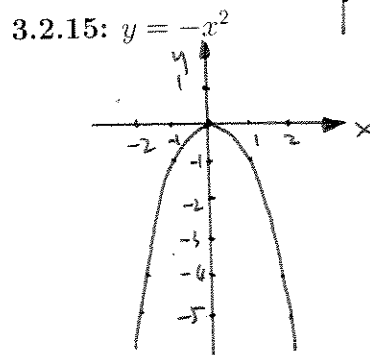
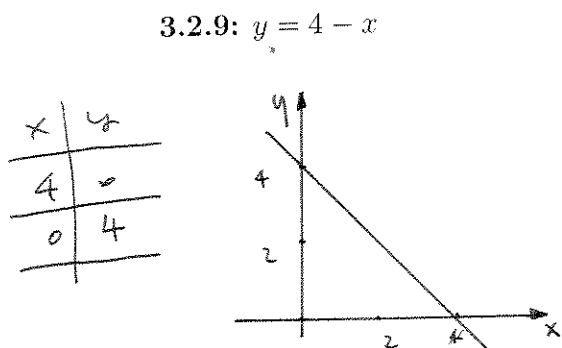
3.2.1: $y = 2$ E
 3.2.2: $y = 2 + x$ B
 3.2.3: $y = 2 - x$ F

3.2.4: $y = x^2$ A
 3.2.5: $y = x^2 - 4$ D
 3.2.6: $y = |x|$ C

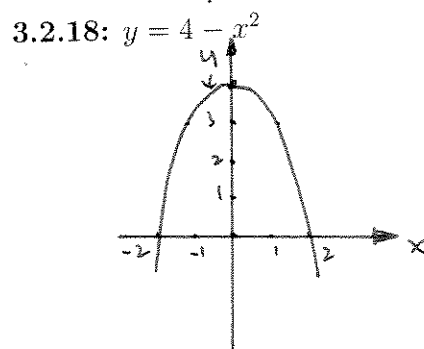
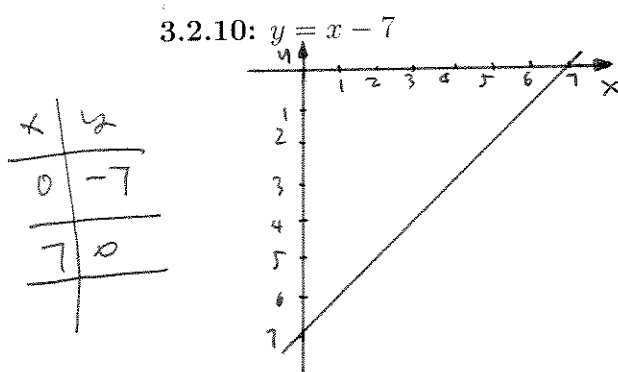
Sketch the graph of the equations.



x	y
0	3
2	-2

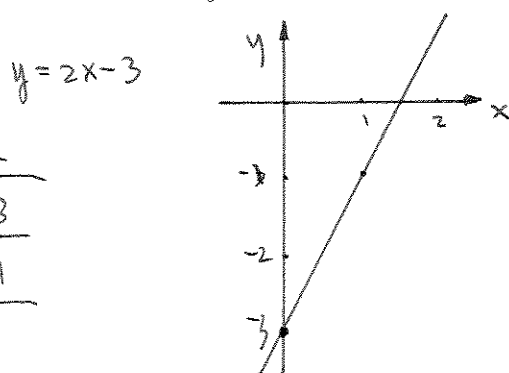


x	y
0	0
1	-1
-1	-1
2	-4
-2	-4



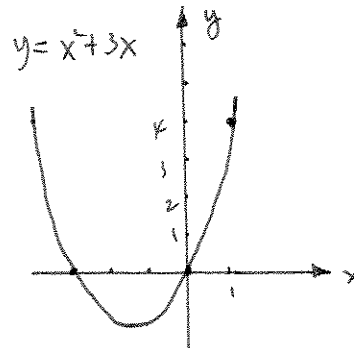
x	y
0	4
1	3
-1	3
2	0
-2	0

3.2.11: $2x - y = 3$



x	y
0	-3
1	-1

3.2.19: $-x^2 - 3x + y = 0$

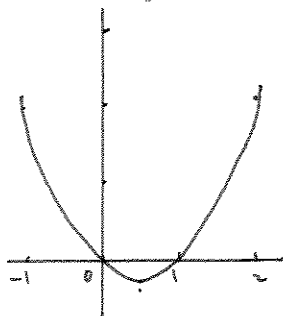


x	y
0	0
-3	0
1	4
-4	4

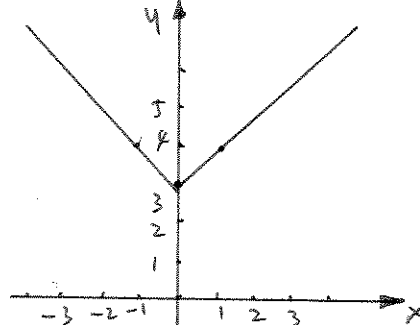
3.2.20: $-x^2 + x + y = 0$

$$y = x^2 - x$$

x	y
0	0
1	0
2	2
-1	2



3.2.25: $y = |x| + 3$

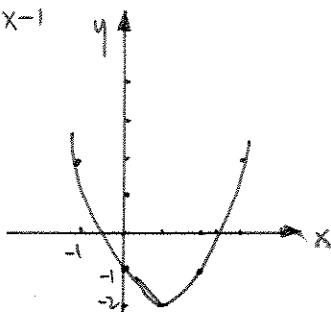


x	y
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1	4
-1	4

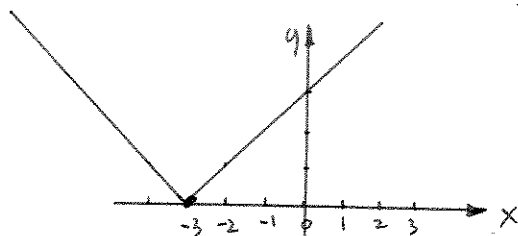
3.2.21: $x^2 - 2x - y = 1$

$$y = x^2 - 2x - 1$$

x	y
0	-1
2	-1
-1	2
3	2



3.2.27: $y = |x + 3|$

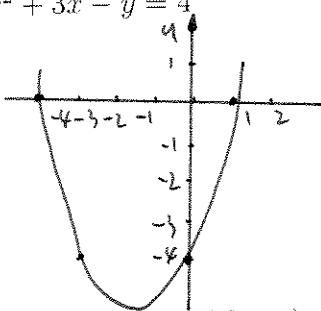


x	y
0	3
1	4
-3	0
-4	1

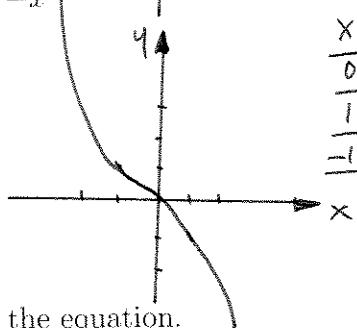
3.2.22: $x^2 + 3x - y = 4$

$$y = x^2 + 3x - 4$$

x	y
1	0
-4	0
0	-4
-3	-8



3.2.30: $y = -x^3$



x	y
0	0
1	-1
-1	1

Find the x- and y-intercepts (if any) of the graph of the equation.

3.2.31: $y = 6x - 3$

x-intercept $(\frac{1}{2}, 0)$

y-intercept $(0, -3)$

3.2.37: $4x - y + 3 = 0$

x-intercept $(-\frac{3}{4}, 0)$

y-intercept $(0, 3)$

3.2.34: $y = \frac{3}{4}x + 15$

x-intercept $(-20, 0)$

y-intercept $(0, 15)$

3.2.40: $y = |x| + 4$

x-intercept: none

y-intercept: $(0, 4)$

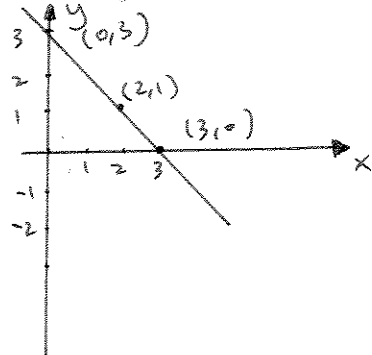
3.2.42: $y = |x - 4|$

x-intercept $(4, 0)$

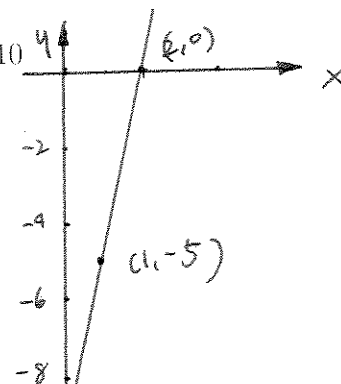
y-intercept $(0, 4)$

Sketch the graph of the equation and show the coordinates of three solution points (including x - and y - intercepts).

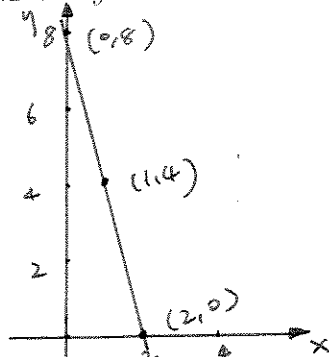
3.2.57: $y = 3 - x$



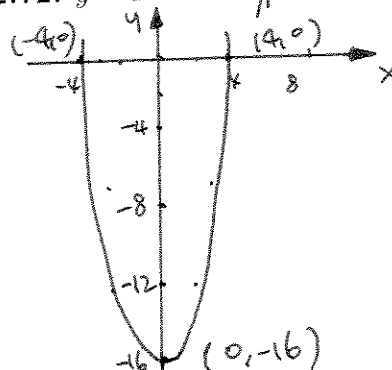
3.2.69: $5x - y = 10$



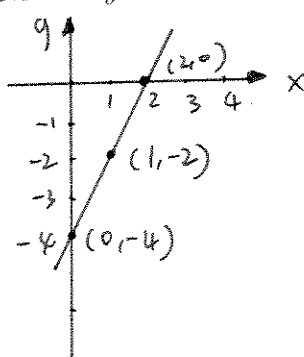
3.2.60: $y = -4x + 8$



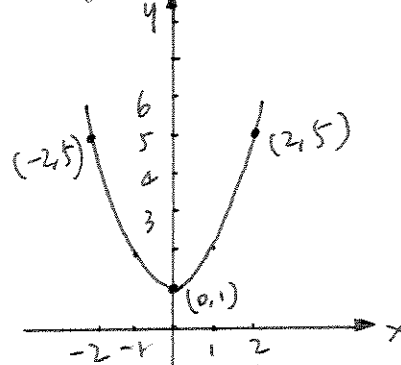
3.2.72: $y = x^2 - 16$



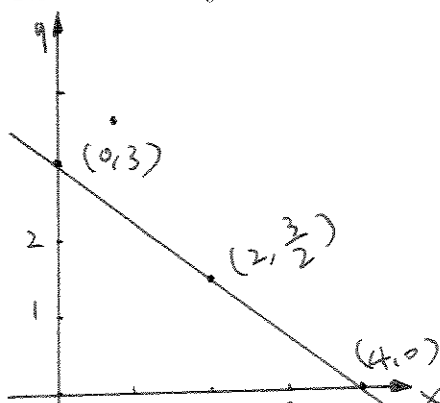
3.2.62: $y - 2x = -4$



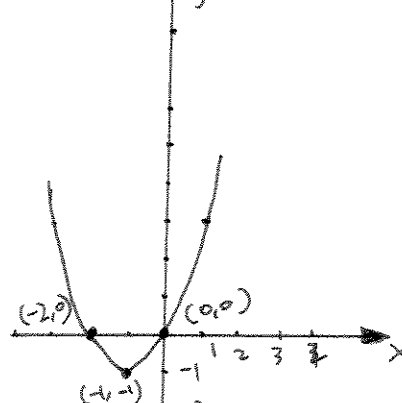
3.2.76: $y = 1 + x^2$



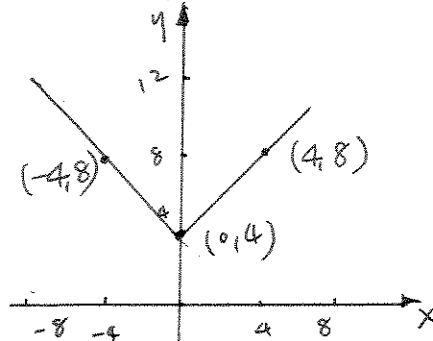
3.2.65: $3x + 4y = 12$



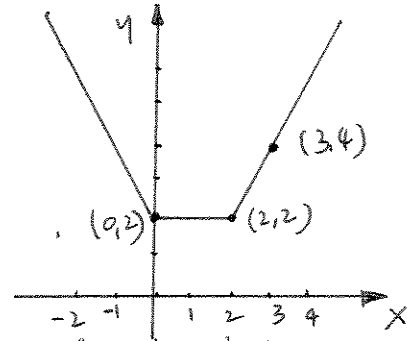
3.2.80: $y = x(x + 2)$



3.2.86: $y = |x| + 4$



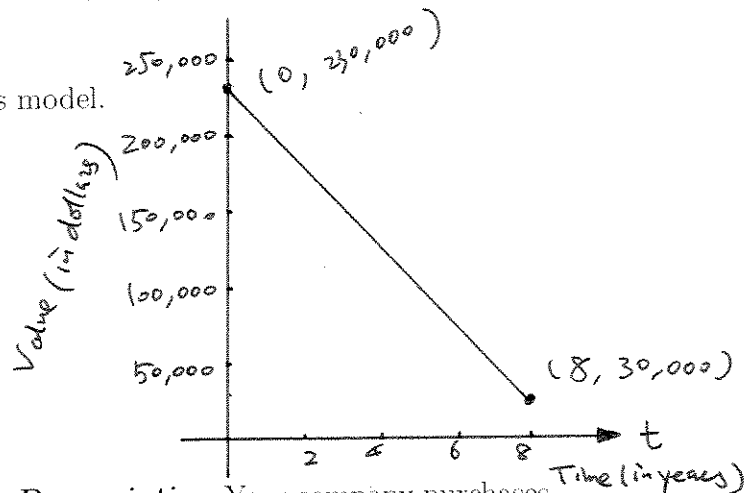
3.2.92: $y = |x| + |x - 2|$



3.2.93: **Straight-Line Depreciation** A manufacturing plant purchases a new molding machine for \$230,000. The depreciated value y after t years is given by

$$y = 230,000 - 25,000t, 0 \leq t \leq 8.$$

Sketch a graph of this model.



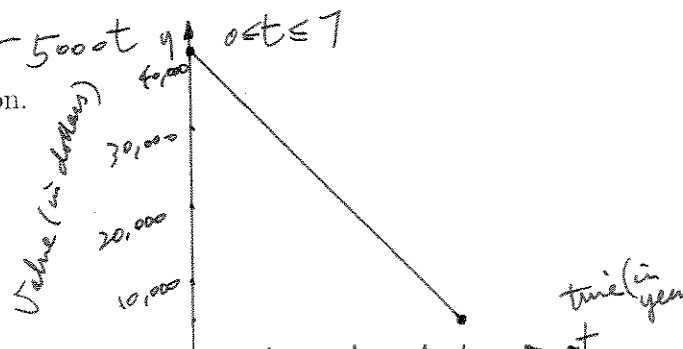
3.2.95: **Straight-Line Depreciation** Your company purchases a new delivery van for \$40,000. For tax purposes, the van will be depreciated over a seven-year period. At the end of the 7 years, the value of the van is expected to be \$5000.

- (a) Find an equation that relates the depreciated value of the van to the number of years since it was purchased.

$$\text{annual depreciation } \frac{40,000 - 5,000}{7} = 5,000$$

$$\text{So } y = 40,000 - 5,000t, 0 \leq t \leq 7$$

- (b) Sketch the graph of the equation.



- (c) What is the y -intercept of the graph and what does it represent?

$$y\text{-intercept} = (0, 40,000)$$

it represents the value of the delivery van when it was purchased

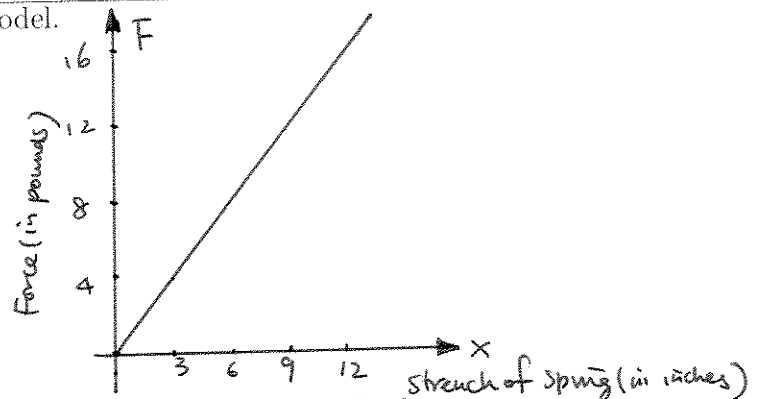
3.2.97: Hooke's Law The force F (in pounds) required to stretch a spring x inches from its natural length is given by

$$F = \frac{4}{3}x, \quad 0 \leq x \leq 12.$$

- (a) Use the model to complete the table.

x	0	3	6	9	12
F	0	4	8	12	16

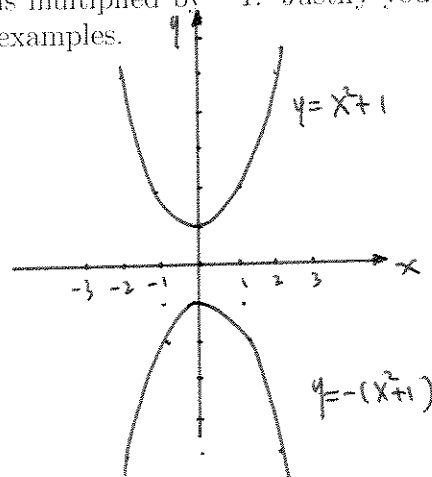
- (b) Sketch a graph of the model.



- (c) Determine the required change in F if x is doubled. Explain your reasoning.

F doubles because F is directly proportional to x .

3.2.100: Exploration Graph the equations $y = x^2 + 1$ and $y = -(x^2 + 1)$ on the same set of coordinate axes. Explain how the graph of an equation changes when the expression for y is multiplied by -1 . Justify your answer by giving additional examples.



When the expression for y is multiplied by -1 , the graph is reflected in the x -axis.

Additional Example: $y = x^2$ and $y = -x^2$