

Linear Equations in Two Variables

The <u>equation</u> of a non-vertical line can be written in the form y = mx + b, where *m* and *b* are real numbers.

<u>Slope</u>

Parallel lines Perpendicular lines

Equations of a line:

Slope-intercept Point-slope

Ex 1:

- a) Find the slope of the line between (3,2) and (-7,-5).
- b) Find the equation of the line in part a.

Ex 2: Find the equation of the line with a slope of -3 and y-intercept (0,4).

Ex 3: For 4 - 5y + 7x = -10, find the *y*-intercept and the slope.

Ex 4: Find the equation of a line through (4,-3) and (4,5).

Ex 5: Find the equation of the line through (1,-5)a) parallel to 3x - 6y = 5

b) perpendicular to 3x - 6y = 5

Ex 6: Water freezes at 32°F, which is 0°C. Water boils at 212°F which is the same as 100°C. Write a linear equation that fits these data.