

Class 7 - Lines

Review:

→ Operations with fractions

$$\frac{1}{6} - \frac{2 \cdot 2}{3 \cdot 2} = \frac{1}{6} - \frac{4}{6} = \frac{1-4}{6} = -\frac{3}{6} \stackrel{\div 3}{\div 3} = -\frac{1}{2}.$$

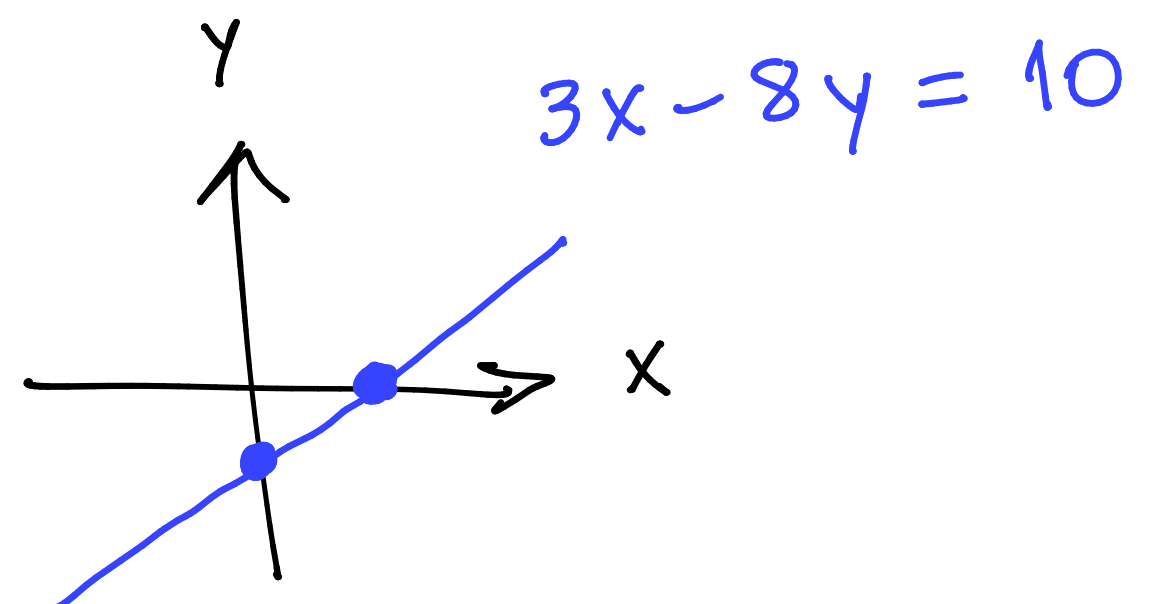
On calculator: $1 \div 6 - 2 \div 3 \rightarrow -0.5$ 2nd, PRB $\rightarrow -\frac{1}{2}$
(2nd, A b/c)

$$\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{3}{4} = \frac{1 \cdot 3}{2 \cdot 4} = \frac{3}{8} \rightarrow (1 \div 2) \times (3 \div 4)$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \div \frac{3}{4} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{4}{3} = \frac{1 \cdot 4}{2 \cdot 3} = \frac{4}{6} \stackrel{\div 2}{\div 2} = \frac{2}{3} \rightarrow (1 \div 2) \div (3 \div 4)$$

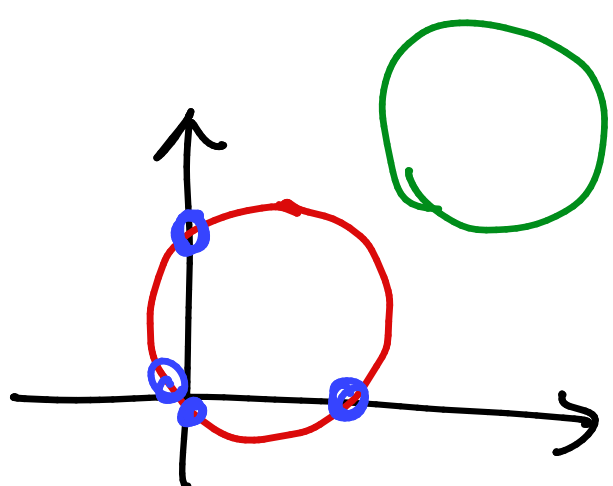
→ Finding intercepts

$$3x - 8y = 10$$



x-intercept: set $y=0$. $3x - 8 \cdot 0 = 10 \Rightarrow \frac{3x}{3} = \frac{10}{3} \Rightarrow \boxed{x = \frac{10}{3}}$

y-intercept: set $x=0$. $3 \cdot 0 - 8y = 10 \Rightarrow \frac{-8y}{-8} = \frac{10}{-8} \Rightarrow \boxed{y = -\frac{5}{4}}$



→ Rearrange a Linear equation (in terms of "x")
("solving" for y)

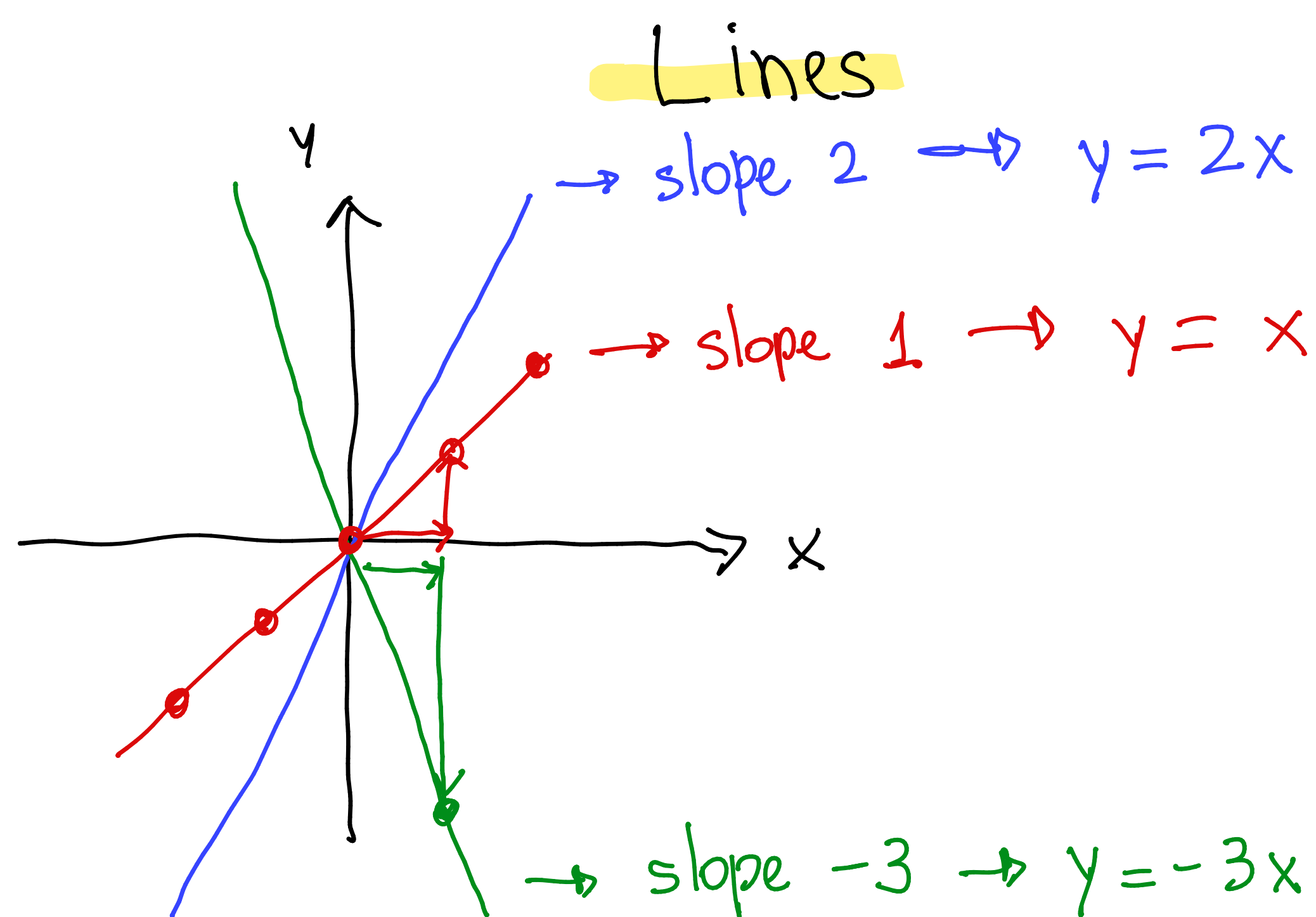
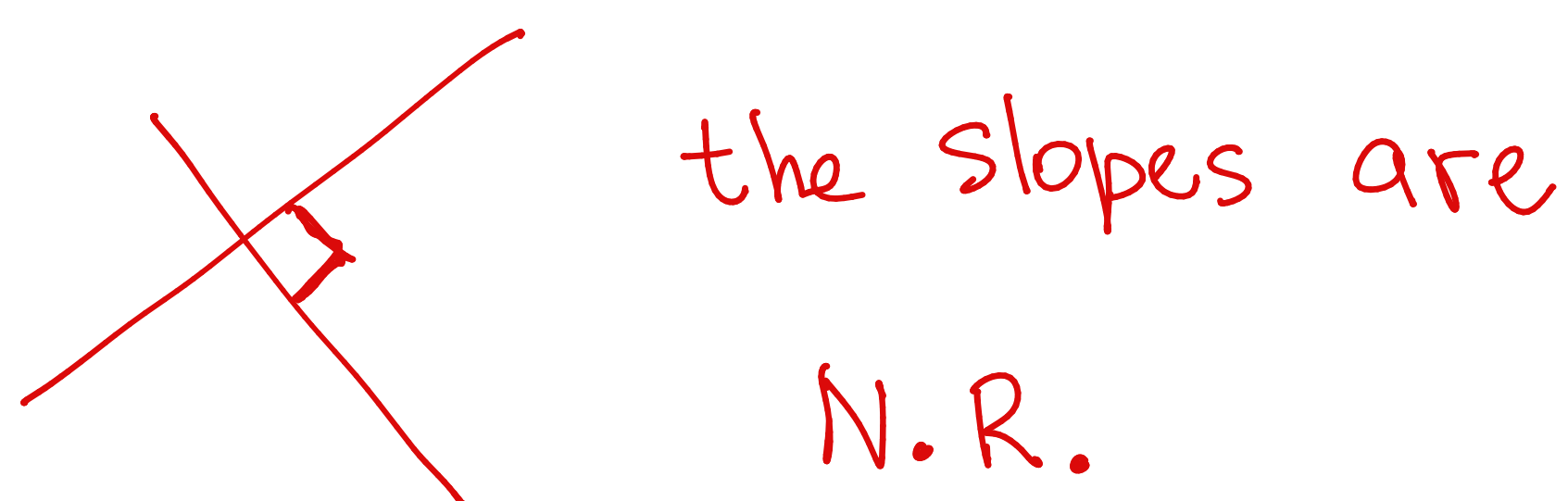
$$\begin{array}{c} \cancel{3x} - 8y = 7 \rightarrow \cancel{-8y} = \frac{-3x+7}{-8} \rightarrow y = \frac{3}{8}x - \frac{7}{8} \end{array}$$

slope

→ Reciprocals & Negative Reciprocal

• $\frac{3}{4}$ and $\frac{4}{3}$ are reciprocals $\Leftrightarrow \frac{3}{4} \cdot \frac{4}{3} = \frac{3 \cdot 4}{4 \cdot 3} = \frac{12}{12} = 1$.

• $-\frac{2}{5}$ and $\frac{5}{2}$ are negative reciprocals $\Leftrightarrow -\frac{2}{5} \cdot \frac{5}{2} = -\frac{2 \cdot 5}{5 \cdot 2} = -\frac{10}{10} = -1$.



A point (x, y)
belongs to a line if,
and only if its equation
is true for (x, y) .

Consider $2x - y = 5$. Is the point $(\overset{x}{2}, \overset{y}{3})$ on this line?

$2 \cdot 2 - 3 = 5 \Leftrightarrow 4 - 3 = 5$ FALSE $\Leftrightarrow (2, 3)$ is not a point on

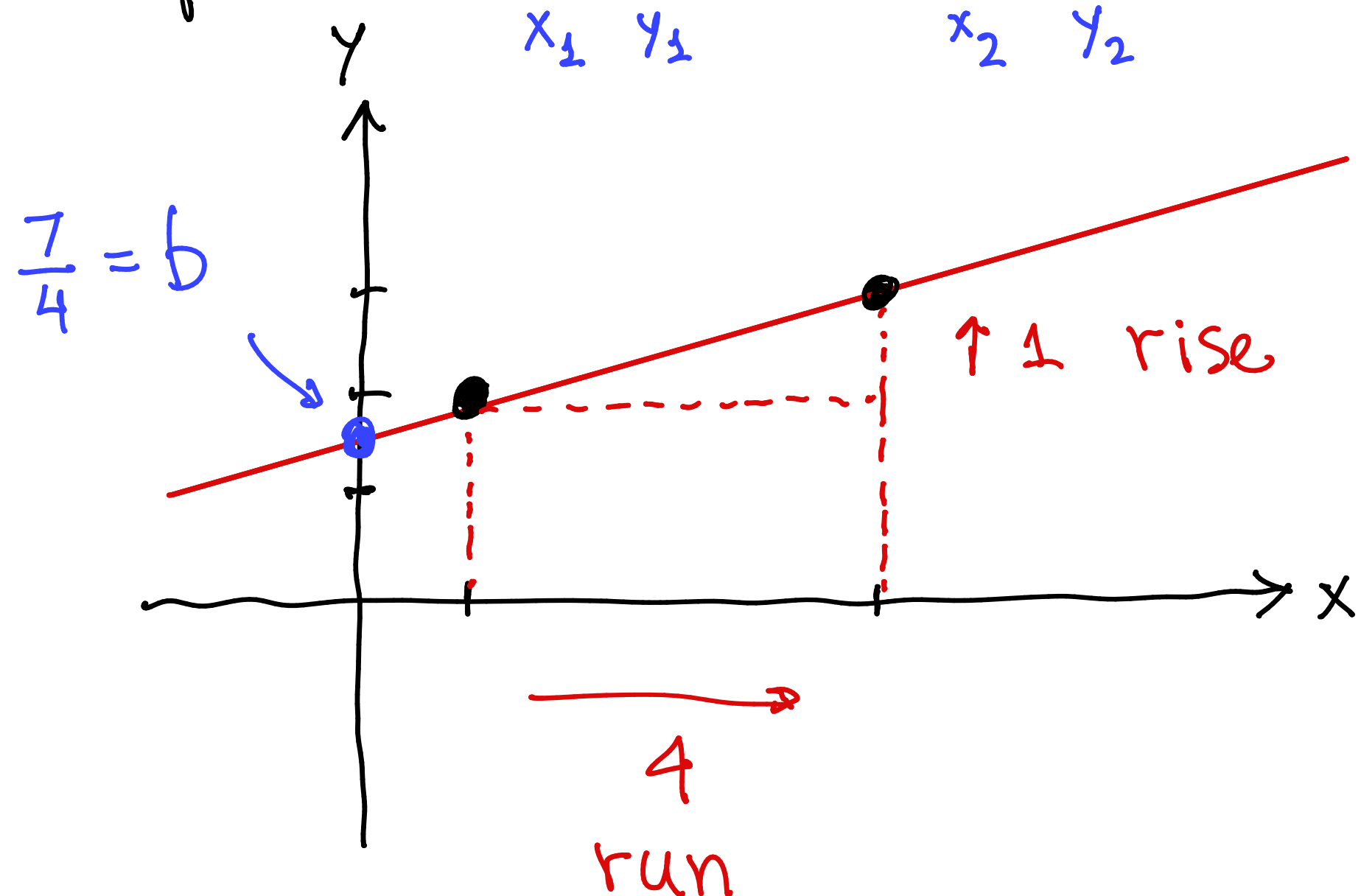
→ check that $(2, -1)$ is on the line.

the line $2x - y = 5$.

→ How to compute the slope

Ex1: Determine the slope of the line passing at the

points $(1, 2)$ & $(5, 3)$.



$$y = mx + b$$

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slope y-int

1st: compute slope

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

2nd: plug a point to find b

$$\text{slope} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\text{slope} = \frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \Rightarrow m = \frac{3 - 2}{5 - 1} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$y = \frac{1}{4}x + b$$

Check for $(1, 2)$: $2 = \frac{1}{4} \cdot 1 + b \Leftrightarrow 2 = \frac{1}{4} + b$

$-\frac{1}{4}$ $-\frac{1}{4}$

$$\frac{4 \cdot 2}{4 \cdot 1} - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{8}{4} - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{7}{4}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{7}{4} = b$$

Check for $(5, 3)$: $3 = \frac{1}{4} \cdot 5 + b \Leftrightarrow 3 = \frac{5}{4} + b \Leftrightarrow \frac{4 \cdot 3}{4 \cdot 1} - \frac{5}{4} = b$

$-\frac{5}{4}$ $-\frac{5}{4}$

the equation $y = mx + b$ is called slope-intercept form

$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{12}{4} - \frac{5}{4} = b$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{7}{4} = b$$

Ex 2: Find the equation of the line passing through the points $(4, -2)$ and $(1, 3)$.

1st: slope = m

2nd: y-int. = b

3rd: write equation

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

$$y = -\frac{5}{3}x + b \quad \text{Plug-in } (1, 3):$$

$$3 = -\frac{5}{3} \cdot 1 + b \Leftrightarrow 3 = -\frac{5}{3} + b \Leftrightarrow \frac{5}{3} + 3 = b$$

$$b = \frac{5}{3} + \frac{9}{3} \Leftrightarrow b = \frac{14}{3} \quad \text{Equation: } \boxed{y = -\frac{5}{3}x + \frac{14}{3}}$$

Ex 3: find the equation of the line passing at $(-1, 2)$ and $(2, 5)$.

$$m = 1 \text{ \& } b = 3.$$

Finding the equation of a line given the slope & a point:

Ex 3: Find the equation, given $m = 1$ & $(-1, 2)$. $\boxed{y = x + 3}$

$$m = \frac{y - y_0}{x - x_0}$$

$$y - y_0 = m(x - x_0)$$

$$\Rightarrow y - 2 = 1(x + 1)$$

$$\text{or } y - 2 = x + 1$$

point-slope form

Ex 4: Given $m = \frac{2}{3}$ and the point $(-1, 2)$. Find the equation of this line using the point-slope form.

$$y - y_0 = m(x - x_0) \rightarrow y - 2 = \frac{2}{3}(x - (-1)) \Leftrightarrow \boxed{y - 2 = \frac{2}{3}(x + 1)}$$

$$y - 2 = \frac{2}{3}x + \frac{2}{3} \xrightarrow{+2} y = \frac{2}{3}x + \frac{8}{3} \rightarrow \text{slope-intercept form}$$

Standard Form

$$Ax + By = C, A > 0 \quad (\text{only use integers})$$

Ex 1: Write the equation $y = \frac{2}{3}x + \frac{8}{3}$ in standard form.

$$3(y) = \left(\frac{2}{3}x + \frac{8}{3}\right) 3 \Leftrightarrow 3y = \frac{2}{\cancel{3}}x \cdot \cancel{3} + \frac{8}{\cancel{3}} \cdot \cancel{3} \Leftrightarrow 3y = \underset{-2x}{\cancel{2}x} + 8$$

$$-2x + 3y = 8 \longrightarrow \boxed{2x - 3y = -8}$$

Exercise: write in all different forms the equation of the line with slope $m=4$ and y -intercept $b=-3$.

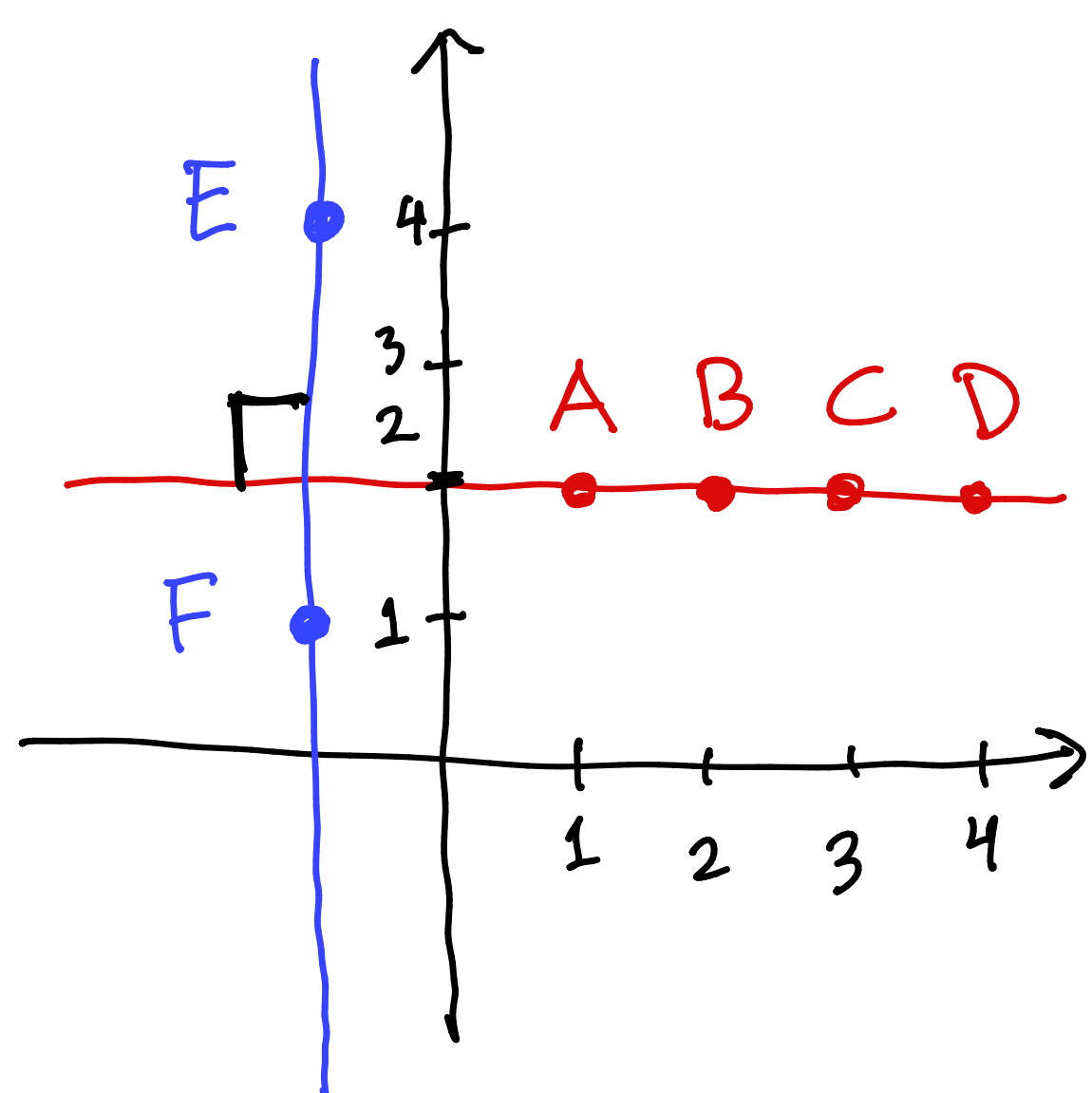
$$x=1 \Rightarrow y = 4 \cdot 1 - 3 = 1 \quad (1, 1)$$

$$\longrightarrow \text{slope-int.: } y = mx + b \longrightarrow y = 4x - 3$$

$$\longrightarrow \text{point-slope: } y - y_0 = m(x - x_0) \longrightarrow y - 1 = 4(x - 1)$$

$$\longrightarrow \text{std form: } Ax + By = C \longrightarrow \underset{+3}{y} = \underset{+3}{4x - 3} \longrightarrow \underset{-y}{y - 3} = \underset{-y}{4x} \longrightarrow 4x - y = -3$$

Vertical & Horizontal Lines



$$A = (1, 2) \quad B = (2, 2) \quad C = (3, 2) \quad D = (4, 2)$$

$$\boxed{y = 2}$$

$$E = (-1, 4)$$

$$F = (-1, 1)$$

$$\boxed{x = -1}$$

Parallel & Perpendicular Lines

Theorem 1: two lines are parallel iff their slopes are equal.

Theorem 2: two lines are perpendicular iff their slopes are negative reciprocals.

Ex 1: Verify if the lines $8x + 2y = 6$ and $3x - 12y = 9$ are parallel, perpendicular or neither.

$$\begin{array}{r} 8x + 2y = 6 \\ -8x \end{array} \Rightarrow \frac{2y}{2} = \frac{-8x + 6}{2} \Rightarrow y = -4x + 3 \rightarrow m = -\frac{4}{1}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3x - 12y = 9 \\ -3x \end{array} \Rightarrow \frac{-12y}{-12} = \frac{-3x + 9}{12} \Rightarrow y = -\frac{1}{4}x + \frac{3}{4} \rightarrow m = -\frac{1}{4}$$

The lines are neither.

Ex 2: Verify if the lines $2x + 3y = 5$ and $6x + 9y = 10$ are parallel, perpendicular or neither.

$$\begin{array}{r} 2x + 3y = 5 \\ -2x \end{array} \rightarrow \frac{3y}{3} = \frac{-2x + 5}{3} \rightarrow y = -\frac{2}{3}x + \frac{5}{3} \rightarrow m = -\frac{2}{3}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 6x + 9y = 10 \\ -6x \end{array} \rightarrow \frac{9y}{9} = \frac{-6x + 10}{9} \rightarrow y = -\frac{2}{3}x + \frac{10}{9} \rightarrow m = -\frac{2}{3}$$

These lines are parallel.

Find equation of Perp. or Par. Lines

Exercise: consider the equation $y = 2x - 1$. Find the equation of the parallel to this line, but passing through the point $(2, 5)$.

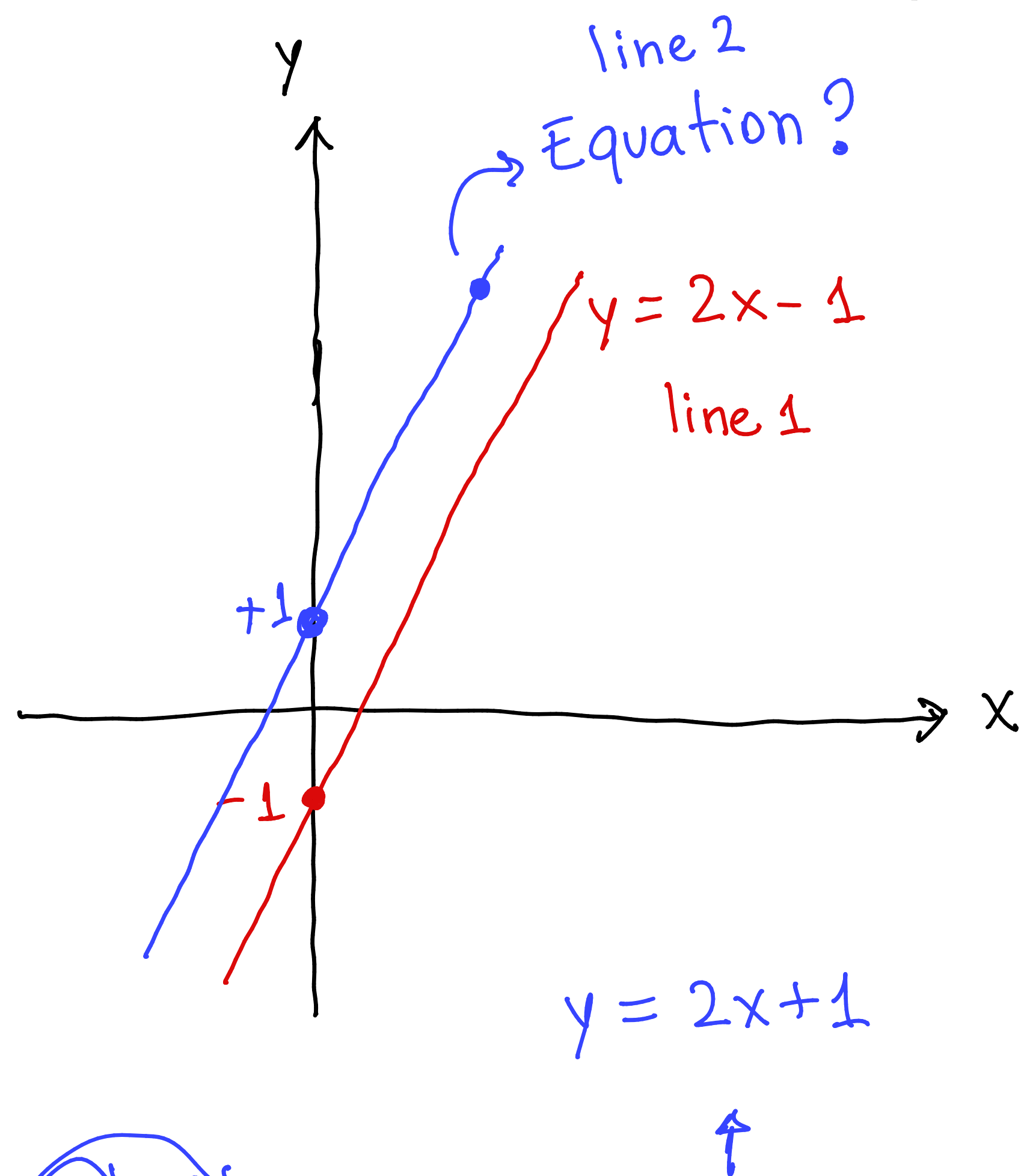
1st: Use theorems 1 & 2

to get the slope of line 2

→ slope of line 1 = slope of line 2

eg. line 2 → $y = 2x + b$

2nd: use the given point to determine the equation.



$$y - y_0 = m(x - x_0) \rightarrow y - 5 = 2(x - 2) \rightarrow y - 5 = 2x - 4$$

Exercise: consider the equation $6x - 5y = 4$. Find the equation of the perpendicular to this line, but passing through the point $(3, -5)$. Write it in point-slope form.

1st: perpendicular $\Rightarrow$ neg. reciprocal.

$$\begin{array}{l} 6x - 5y = 4 \\ -6x \quad -6x \end{array} \Rightarrow \frac{-5y}{-5} = \frac{-6x + 4}{-5} \Rightarrow \boxed{y = \frac{6}{5}x - \frac{4}{5}} \text{ line 1 has slope } m = \frac{6}{5}$$

$$\text{line 2 has slope } \boxed{m = -\frac{5}{6}}$$

$x_0 \quad y_0$
 $(3, -5)$

2nd: use the pt to get equation:

$$y - y_0 = m(x - x_0) \rightarrow y - (-5) = -\frac{5}{6}(x - 3) \rightarrow \boxed{y + 5 = -\frac{5}{6}(x - 3)}$$