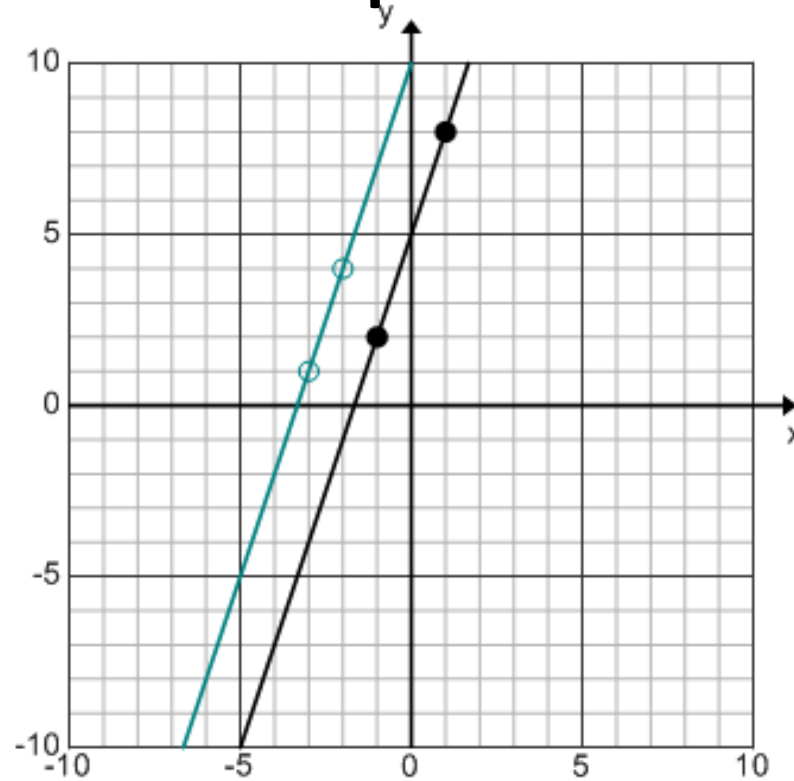


# Warm Up

1. Write the equation of the line that goes through the points  $(-1,2)$  and  $(1,8)$  using any form you like.
2. Write the equation of the line that goes through the points  $(-3,1)$  and  $(-2,4)$  the same form you did in #1
3. Graph the lines of both equations.

# Warm Up Answers



Form	Points $(-1,2)$ and $(1,8)$	Points $(-3,1)$ and $(-2,4)$
Slope-Intercept Form	$y=3x+5$	$y=3x+10$
Point-Slope Form	$y-2=3(x+1)$ or $y-8=3(x-1)$	$y-1=3(x+3)$ or $y-4=3(x+2)$
Standard Form	$3x-y=-5$	$3x-y=10$

# Parallel and Perpendicular Lines

Identifying and writing equations of  
parallel and perpendicular lines

# Essential Questions

- Can we identify special relationships between pairs of linear equations?
- If so, what exactly is it that makes these relationships special i.e. what identifies them as special?

# Objectives

- We will observe and predict the way in which the graphs of linear equations interact.
- We will make generalizations about how groups of lines with certain traits will behave.
- We will write linear equations using our generalizations.

# Warm Up (cont.)

- Was there anything worth noting about the two linear equations from the warm up?
  - What are the similarities?
  - What are the differences?
  - Which form of linear equation is best for noting these similarities and differences?

# Warm Up (cont.)

Do you think our observations from the warm up can be applied generally?

# Line Activity

- Line Activity in GeoGebra
  - Making observations and predictions about how lines interact
- Debrief
  - What did we find?
  - Generalizing our findings if possible



# Parallel and Perpendicular Lines

- Lines that are parallel will have the same rate of change/slope.
- Lines that are perpendicular will intersect at a 90 degree angle.
- There are special notations we use to indicate each.

# Examples

Writing

**Parallel**

$\parallel$

*Example*

Line  $l$  is  $\parallel$  to line  $t$

**Perpendicular**

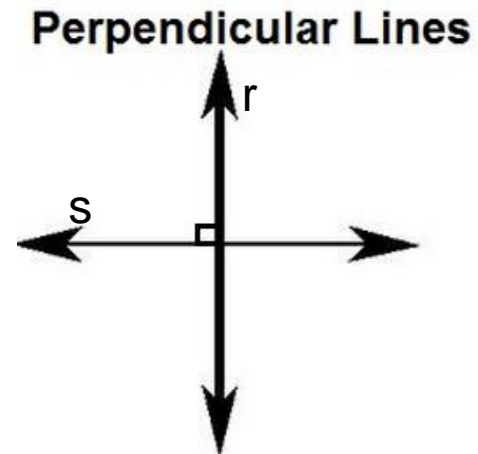
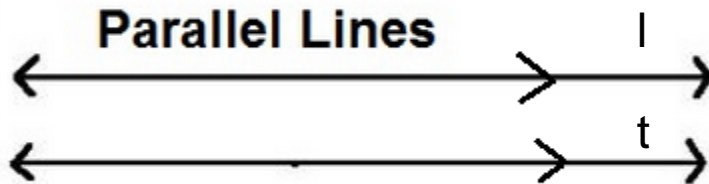
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*Example*

Line  $s$  is  $\perp$  to line  $r$

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# Linear Equations of Parallel and Perpendicular Lines

- Parallel lines have the same slope
  - Ex.  $y = 5x + 1$  and  $y = 5x - 7$  are parallel
- Perpendicular lines have *opposite and reciprocal* slopes
  - Ex.  $y = \frac{1}{4}x + 3$  and  $y = -4x - 5$  are perpendicular
- Note: when analyzing graphs to determine if your lines are parallel or perpendicular, you must find the actual slope— looks can be deceiving!

# Writing equations for parallel and perpendicular lines

What if you needed to find the equation of a line that was parallel or perpendicular to a line given and goes through a certain point?

# Writing equations for parallel and perpendicular lines

- Write the equation of a line that is parallel to  $y = 2x + 8$  and contains the point  $(2,3)$
  
- Write the equation of a line that is perpendicular to  $y = -\frac{2}{3}x + 9$  and contains the point  $(6,1)$