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# Getting our Minds on Math-Part 1

What do you notice about these representations? Explain.

Words	
The starting point is 5 and the rate of change is $-\frac{1}{2}$ .	

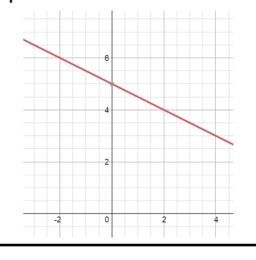
#### Equation

$$y = \frac{-1}{2}x + 5$$

Table

у
6
5.5
5
4.5
4

Graph



## Getting our Minds on Math-Part 2

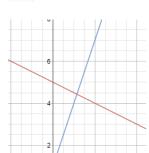
### These are **systems**



$$y = -\frac{1}{2}x + 5$$



$$y = 3x + 1$$



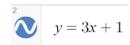
$x_1$	<b>ॐ</b> y₁
-2	6
-1	5.5

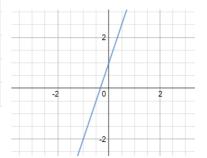
-1	5.5
0	5
1	4.5
2	4

2	4
$x_2$	$\mathbf{\mathfrak{S}}$ $y_2$
-2	-5
-1	-2
0	1
1	4

#### These are NOT systems

$x_1$	$y_1$
-2	6
-1	5.5
0	5
1	4.5





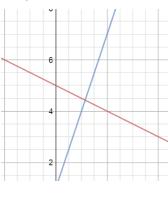
What's a system?

### Getting our Minds on Math-Part 3

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What is the **solution** to the system in a)? in b)?

a)



b) \_

x	-2x - 3
-2	1
-1	-1
0	-3
1	-5

3 <sup>2</sup>	-7
x	-x-2
-2	0
-1	-1
0	-2
1	-3
2	-4

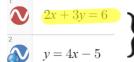
What are solutions to sys1



y = 4x - 5

What about c)?

### Take Action: Part 1



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Choose a method, from below, and find the solution to this system of linear equations.

Method 1: Graphing Tech

Use the Desmos app (or website: www.desmos.com)

Method 2: Graph by hand (grid on the

**Note**: Eqn 1 needs to be put into a 'graph-ready' form. Follow the instructions for Method 3.

**Method 3**: Solve using a table of values (template on next slide)

**Note**: Eqn 1 (2x + 3y = 6) is in standard form.

- -Two options for getting the equation 'graph-ready':
  - i) convert to y = mx + b form
  - ii) Get the x- and y-intercepts

To get the x- and y-intercepts, ask and answer the following, two questions:

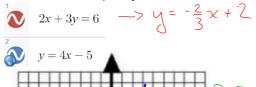
If 
$$x = 0$$
, what would  $y = ?$   $y^{-int} = 0$ 

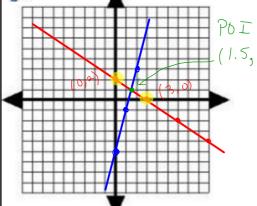
If 
$$y = 0$$
, what would  $x = ?$ 

$$V - int = (3,0)$$

### Take Action: Part 1 (contd.)

Method 2: Graph by Hand

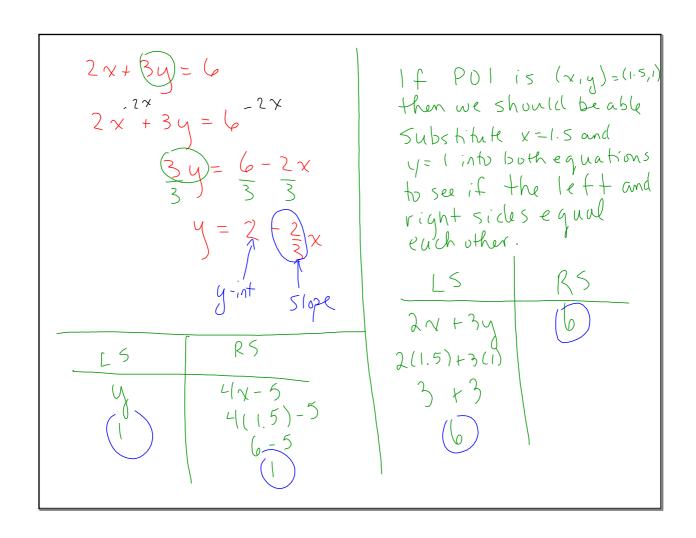


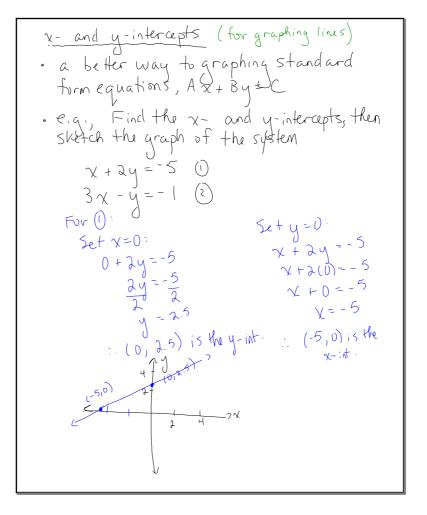


Method 3: Using a Table of Values

	2		U
$\boldsymbol{x}$	$\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \times +2$	x	4x-5
$\overline{(-1)}$	- 3(-1)+2	(-1)	-9 1+2
(0.5)	- 2(-0.5)+2	-0.5	-7 x3
0	2	0	-5 [ *2
0.5	-2(0.5)+2	0.5	- 3
1		1	-
1.5		1.5	
2		2	3
	٧	/E.g.	χ=-1:
		4(-1	-5
		= -4-	5
		9	-

The solution is: (1.5,1)





# Skill Building Practice

For each system below, ...

- get the system 'graph-ready'
  - > i.e., if an equation is in standard form, ...
    - convert it to y = mx + b form OR
    - find its x- and y-intercepts
- graph the system on grid paper
- record the solution to the system (i.e., the coordinates for the point of intersection, (x, y))
- verify the point of intersection using graphing technology (e.g., Desmos)

a)	b)	c)