

Section_____

Complete an example→

This image shows a full page of blank graph paper. The grid consists of small, equal-sized squares formed by thin, light gray lines. There are no margins, text, or other markings on the page.

Additional Info:

Concept Sheet on Writing Equations of Lines

Section 2.2

Formula(s):

$$\text{Slope} = m = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

Point-Slope

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

↑
slope (x₁, y₁)
any point on line

$$Ax + By = C$$

General Form

$$y = mx + b$$

↑ ↑
slope y-int.

Slope-Intercept

Complete an example →

List the procedures & steps:

1. Be sure to have a pt and slope before writing Eq. of line
2. I didn't have slope, so use parallel equation, rearrange it and get its slope
Parallel ⇒ Same slope
3. Now that I have point & slope, use $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$
4. Sub in point and slope
Note $y - (-6)$ was written $y + 6$
5. Distribute $\frac{4}{5}$ into $(x - 9)$
6. Subtract 6 over ... rewrite as a fraction with denomin. of 5 so its easier to add to $-\frac{36}{5}$.
7. This form is fine for Birgit's quizzes or tests. Math XL wants it in General Form
8. Multiply by denom. to clear fraction and rearrange in

Additional Info:

$$Ax + By = C$$

$$4x - 5y = 96$$

Mult. (-1)

Parallel ⇒ same slope // Perpendicular ⇒ Neg. Recip. slope

WRITE AN EQUATION OF A LINE PARALLEL TO $4x - 5y = 3$ AND THROUGH $(9, -6)$

1. Point: $(9, -6)$

Slope = $m =$ _____

2.
$$4x - 5y = 3$$

$$-5y = -4x + 3$$

$$\frac{-5y}{-5} = \frac{-4x + 3}{-5}$$

$$y = \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)x - \frac{3}{5}$$

Slope = $\frac{4}{5}$

3. $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$

4. $y + 6 = \frac{4}{5}(x - 9)$

5. $y + 6 = \frac{4}{5}x - \frac{4}{5}(9)$

6. $y + 6 = \frac{4}{5}x - \frac{36}{5}$

$$\frac{-36}{5} - \frac{30}{5} = \frac{-96}{5}$$

7. $y = \frac{4}{5}x - \frac{96}{5}$

8. $5(y) = 5\left(\frac{4}{5}x\right) - \left(\frac{96}{5}\right)5$

$$5y = 4x - 96$$

$$-4x \quad -4x$$

$$-4x + 5y = -96$$

If I was given a question asking for "perpendicular to $4x - 5y = 3$ ", then if slope = $\frac{4}{5}$, my perpendicular slope = $-\frac{5}{4}$