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Challenge Practice LESSON 3.5

For use with the lesson "Graph Using Slope-Intercept Form"

In Exercises 1–4, find the slope and the y-intercept of the graph of the given equation. Assume *a*, *b*, and *c* are nonzero real numbers.

- **1.** ax + by = c
- **2.** ax + 2ay = c
- **3.** a + ax + by = 0
- **4.** ay + 2ax + c = -1

In Exercises 5–8, use the fact that the x-intercept to ax + by = ab is x = b, and the y-intercept to ax + by = ab is y = a to find the x- and y-intercepts of the equations without computation.

5.
$$3x + 6y = 18$$

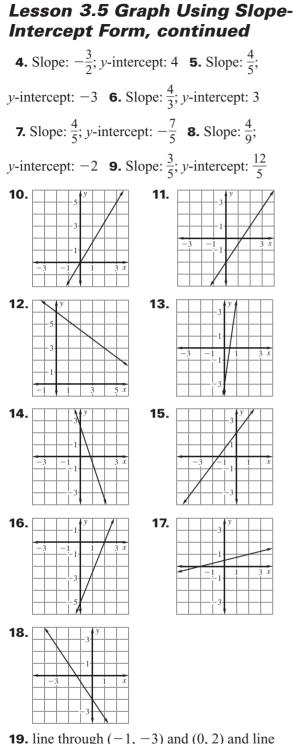
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6.
$$-2x - 5y = 10$$

- **7.** 3x 7y = -21
- **8.** x 3y = -3

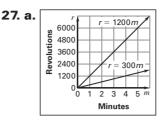
In Exercises 9–12, use the fact that the x-intercept to ax + by = -ab is x = -b, and the y-intercept to ax + by = ab is y = -a to find the x- and y-intercepts of the equations without computation.

- **9.** 2x + 3y = -6
- **10.** x 7y = 7
- **11.** 3x + ay = -3a
- **12.** 2ax + 12y = -24a

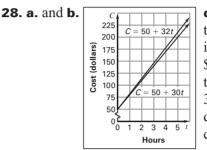


19. line through (-1, -3) and (0, 2) and line through (1, 2) and (0, -3) **20.** line through (-1, 3) and (0, -3) and line through (0, 2) and (1, -4)

21. not parallel **22.** parallel **23.** $\frac{7}{2}$ **24.** -38 **25.** 9 **26.** -2



The *r*-intercepts indicate the number of revolutions per minute when the drill isn't on. **b.** 2700 revolutions

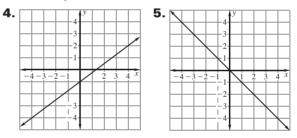


c. \$6; Because the cost increased by \$2 per hour and the job took 3 hours, the difference in cost is 2(3) = 6.

Study Guide

1.
$$m = -3, b = 7$$
 2. $m = 3, b = -2$

3.
$$m = -\frac{1}{6}; b = -3$$



6. *a*||*b*

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1. \$15 **2.** \$10; \$10; The difference is the same no matter how many months you would go to the gym.

Challenge Practice

1.
$$m = -\frac{a}{b}$$
; $b = \frac{c}{b}$ **2.** $m = -\frac{1}{2}$; $b = \frac{c}{2a}$
3. $m = -\frac{a}{b}$; $b = -\frac{a}{b}$ **4.** $m = -2$; $b = \frac{-c-1}{a}$
5. *x*-intercept: 6; *y*-intercept: 3 **6.** *x*-intercept:
-5; *y*-intercept: -2 **7.** *x*-intercept: -7;
y-intercept: 3 **8.** *x*-intercept: -3; *y*-intercept: 1
9. *x*-intercept: -3; *y*-intercept: -2
10. *x*-intercept: 7; *y*-intercept: -1
11. *x*-intercept: -*a*; *y*-intercept: -3
12. *x*-intercept: -12; *y*-intercept: -2*a*