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## Solving Systems of Equations by Graphing

## EXAMPLE: READ THIS FIRST!!!

Solve the system by graphing: $\left\{\begin{array}{c}y=-\frac{1}{3} x+7 \\ -2 x+4 y=8\end{array}\right.$
Strategy: Graph both equations. The intersection point will be the ( $\mathrm{x}, \mathrm{y}$ ) pair that makes both equations true.


1) $\left\{\begin{array}{c}y=\frac{1}{2} x+2 \\ y=-\frac{2}{3} x+9\end{array}\right.$
2) $\left\{\begin{array}{c}y=2 x-8 \\ y=-3 x+7\end{array}\right.$

3) $\left\{\begin{array}{c}4 y-12=x \\ x+y=-2\end{array}\right.$

4) $\left\{\begin{array}{c}y=x+5 \\ y=4 x-7\end{array}\right.$

5) $\left\{\begin{array}{c}2 y=-5 x \\ 4 x+y=6\end{array}\right.$


CHOOSE TWO of the problems from \#1-6, and check your solution by plugging both numbers into BOTH equations.
7) $\left\{\begin{array}{c}y-1=3(x-1) \\ y+2=-\frac{2}{3} x\end{array}\right.$

10) $\left\{\begin{array}{l}y=6 \\ x=4\end{array}\right.$

13) Line through $(-6,10)$ and $(-3,8)$ Line through $(-4,-10)$ and $(-2,-6)$

8) $\left\{\begin{array}{c}x+y=8 \\ y=\frac{3}{2} x-7\end{array}\right.$
9) $\left\{\begin{array}{l}3 x+4 y=24 \\ y+4=x+3\end{array}\right.$


11) $\left\{\begin{array}{c}5 x+3 y=30 \\ 10 x-2 y=20\end{array}\right.$

12) $\left\{\begin{array}{c}y-2=\frac{2}{3}(x+3) \\ y=\frac{2}{3} x+1\end{array}\right.$

14) Creative Crafts gives scrapbooking lessons for $\$ 15$ per hour plus a $\$ 20$ supply charge. Scrapbooks Incorporated gives lessons for $\$ 20$ per hour with no additional charges.
a) Write an equation for each situation where $\mathbf{x}$ is the number of hours and $\mathbf{y}$ is the total cost.
b) Graph both equations. Hint: you will need to scale your $y$ axis by more than 1 .
c) Write the point of intersection, and explain what both of these numbers mean in the context of the problem.


