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Maths

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- b)  $y = x - 2$
  
- c)  $y = -4x + 3$
- d)  $y = 0.5x - 7$

2. Write down the y-intercept

- a)  $y = 2x + 3$
- b)  $y = 3x - 2$
  
- c)  $y = 2x$
- d)  $y = -4x + 6$

3. Find the gradient and y-intercept of each line.

- a)  $y = 3x - 1$
- b)  $y = -x - 2$
  
- c)  $y = 4x$
- d)  $y = 0.5x - 2.5$

4. Find the gradient and y-intercept of each line.

- a)  $2y = 3x + 1$
- b)  $y + x = 2$
  
- c)  $y + 2x = -3$
- d)  $y - 3x = 8$



# Answers



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-4    0.5

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3    -2  
c)  $y = 2x$                               d)  $y = -4x + 6$   
0    6

3. Find the gradient and y-intercept of each line.

a)  $y = 3x - 1$    b)  $y = -x - 2$   
m=3 c=-1                                m=-1 c=-2  
c)  $y = 4x$                               d)  $y = 0.5x - 2.5$   
m=4 c=0                                m=0.5 c=-2.5

4. Find the gradient and y-intercept of each line.

a)  $2y = 3x + 1$    b)  $y + x = 2$   
m=1.5 c=0.5                            m=-1 c=2  
c)  $y + 2x = -3$    d)  $y - 3x = 8$   
m=-2 c=-3                            m=3 c=8

