#### Maths

# Work Out the Gradient of a Line Perpendicular to a Given Line

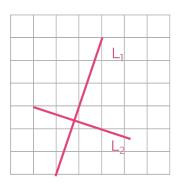
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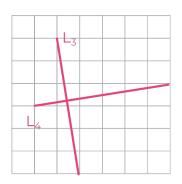
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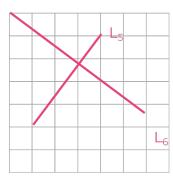


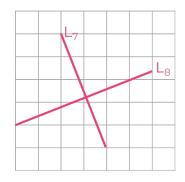
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$$y = 4x + 8$$

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c) 
$$y = 12 + \frac{1}{3}x$$

d) 
$$y - 3 = -\frac{1}{2}x$$

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$$3y = 4x + 5$$

f) 
$$2y - x = 0$$

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$$2x - \frac{1}{4}y + 5 = 1$$

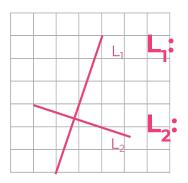


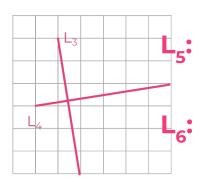
## **Answers**

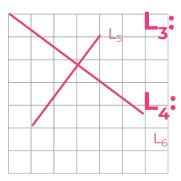


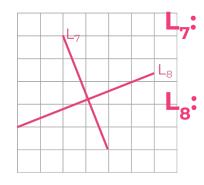
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