

Accelerated 7/8 Mathematics Teaching & Learning Framework

Quarter 1			Quarter 2		Quarter 3			Quarter 4		
Unit 1 4 weeks	Unit 2 3 weeks	Unit 3 2 weeks	Unit 4 4 weeks	Unit 5 5 weeks	Unit 6 3 weeks	Unit 7 2 weeks	Unit 8 3 weeks	Unit 9 4 weeks	Unit 10 4 weeks	Unit 11 2 weeks
Geometry	Inferences	Probability	Transformations, Congruence and Similarity	Exponents	Geometric Applications of Exponents	Functions	Linear Functions	Linear Models & Tables	Solving Systems of Equations	Review and Extend
MGSE7.G.2 (Geometric shapes) MGSE7.G.3 (Cross-sections) MGSE7.G.4 (Area & circumference) MGSE7.G.5 (Angles) MGSE7.G.6 (Area, volume & surface area)	MGSE7.SP.1 (Sampling & population) MGSE7.SP.2 (Draw inferences) MGSE7.SP.3 (Compare data) MGSE7.SP.4 (Draw inferences)	MGSE7.SP.5 (Probability of an event) MGSE7.SP.6 (Approximate probability) MGSE7.SP.7 (Probability models with experimental & theoretical) MGSE7.SP.7a (Uniform models) MGSE7.SP.7b (Different models) MGSE7.SP.8a (Compound events) MGSE7.SP.8b (Sample space methods) MGSE7.SP.8c (Simulations)	MGSE8.G.1 (experiment with transformations) MGSE8.G.2 (Congruence) MGSE8.G.3 (Transformations on the coordinate plane) MGSE8.G.4 (Similarity) MGSE8.G.5 (Investigating angles)	MGSE8.EE.1 (Integer exponents) MGSE8.EE.2 (Square & cube roots & equations) MGSE8.EE.3 (Estimate with scientific notation) MGSE8.EE.4 (Compute with scientific notation) MGSE8.EE.7 (Solve linear equations) MGSE8.EE.7a (Multi-step equations) MGSE8.EE.7b (Linear equations with rationals) MGSE8.NS.1 (Irrational numbers) MGSE8.NS.2 (Rational approximations)	MGSE8.G.6 (Pythagorean Theorem & it's converse) MGSE8.G.7 (Apply the Pythagorean Theorem) MGSE8.G.8 (Pythagorean Theorem & distance) MGSE8.G.9 (Volume formulas) MGSE8.EE.2 (Square & cube roots & equations)	MGSE8.F.1 (Understanding functions) MGSE8.F.2 (Comparing functions)	MGSE8.EE.5 (Graph proportional relationships-slope) MGSE8.EE.6 (Similar triangles to derive $y=mx$ & $y=mx+b$) MGSE8.F.3 (Linear & non-linear functions)	MGSE8.F.4 (Construct a function) MGSE8.F.5 (Analyze & sketch functional relationships) MGSE8.SP.1 (Scatterplots) MGSE8.SP.2 (Best fit line) MGSE8.SP.3 (Interpreting bivariate data) MGSE8.SP.4 (2-way tables)	MGSE8.EE.8 (Analyze & solve linear systems) MGSE8.EE.8a (Solutions to systems) MGSE8.EE.8b (Solve systems algebraically and graphically) MGSE8.EE.8c (Systems in context)	Review: All standards by differentiating for student needs Extend: MGSE9-12.A.CED.3 (Constraints by equations & inequalities including systems) MGSE9-12.A.CED.4 (Rearrange formulas to solve) MGSE9-12.A.REI.3 (Solve equations & inequalities with letters as coefficients)

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All units will include the Mathematical Practices and indicate skills to maintain

NOTE: Mathematical standards are interwoven and should be addressed throughout the year in as many different units and tasks as possible in order to stress the natural connections that exist among mathematical topics.

Grades 6-8 Key: NS = The Number System, RP = Ratios and Proportional Relationships, EE = Expressions and Equations, G = Geometry, SP = Statistics and Probability.

8th Grade Mathematics Teaching & Learning Framework

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Unit 1 Transformations, Congruence & Similarity

Volume 1 Issue 1

References

Glencoe/McGraw-Hill Text Connection:
Chapter 1 Lessons 1-7 & Chapter 2 Lessons 1-6

Glencoe/McGraw-Hill Text Online:
connectED.mcgraw-hill.com

Apps available using
mheonline.com/apps

Links:

<http://www.shodor.org/interactivate/activities/TransmographerTwo/>

<http://mathbitsnotebook.com/Geometry/Transformations/TRRigidTransformations.html>

<http://www.xpmath.com/forums/arcade.php?do=play&gameid=115>

<http://www.sciencekids.co.nz/gamesactivities/math/transformation.html>

<https://www.mathgames.com/skill/8.17-identify-reflections-rotations-and-translations>

<https://www.mathgames.com/skill/8.46->

Dear Parents

Welcome to the new school year! We are eager to work with you and your students as we learn new mathematical concepts. In the classroom, students will frequently work on tasks and activities to discover and apply mathematical thinking. Students will be expected to explain or justify their answers and to write clearly and properly. Mathematical content will be organized into units following the Georgia grade 8 curriculum map.

Concepts Students will Use and Understand:

- Develop the concept of transformations and the effects that each type of transformation has on an object;
- Explore the relationship between the original figure and its image in regards to their corresponding parts being moved an equal distance which leads to concept of congruence of figures;
- Learn to describe transformations with both words and numbers;
- Relate rigid motions to the concept of symmetry and to use them to prove congruence or similarity of two figures;
- Physically manipulate figures to discover properties of similar and congruent figures; and
- Focus on the sum of the angles of a triangle and use it to find the measures of angles formed by transversals (especially with parallel lines), find the measures of exterior angles of triangles, and to informally prove congruence.

Vocabulary

Alternate Exterior Angles: Alternate exterior angles are pairs of angles formed when a third line (a transversal) crosses two other lines. These angles are on opposite sides of the transversal and are outside the other two lines. When the two other lines are parallel, the alternate exterior angles are equal.

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Angle of Rotation: The amount of rotation about a fixed point.

Congruent Figures: Figures that have the same size and shape

Corresponding Sides: Sides that have the same relative positions in geometric figures

Corresponding Angles: Angles that have the same relative positions in geometric figures

Dilation: Transformation that changes the size of a figure, but not the shape

Linear Pair: Adjacent, supplementary angles. Excluding their common side, a linear pair forms a straight line.

Reflection: A transformation that "flips" a figure over a line of reflection

Reflection Line: A line that is the perpendicular bisector of the segment with endpoints at a pre-image point and the image of that point after a reflection.

Rotation: A transformation that turns a figure about a fixed point through a given angle and a given direction

Same-Side Interior Angles: Pairs of angles formed when a third line (a transversal) crosses two other lines. These angles are on the same side of the transversal and are between the

other two lines. When the two other lines are parallel, same-side interior angles are supplementary.

[transversal-of-parallel-lines](#)

<https://matchthememory.com/Anglenameschapter3>

<http://www.mymathsroom.com/anglePairs.html>

<http://www.mathsisfun.com/geometry/parallel-lines.html>

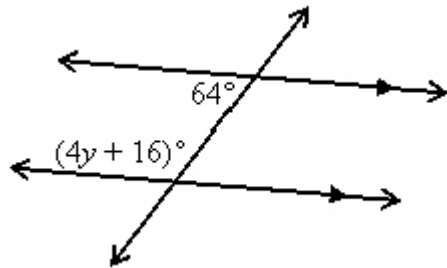
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Scale Factor: The ratio of any two corresponding lengths of the sides of two similar figures
Similar Figures: Figures that have the same shape but not necessarily the same size
Transformation: The mapping, or movement, of all the points of a figure in a plane according to a common operation
Translation: A transformation that "slides" each point of a figure the same distance in the same direction
Transversal: A line that crosses two or more lines

Additional Vocabulary Help:

<http://intermath.coe.uga.edu/>

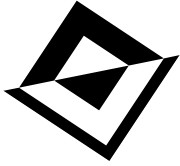
Examples:

1. Define and describe two types of dilations.
2. What would be the new coordinates of $(2,4)$, $(3,5)$, $(4,3)$ and $(3,2)$ if you graphed them on a coordinate plane and rotated them 90° about the origin? What quadrant is the new figure in?
3. What is the value of y in the figure below? What is measure of the angle $4y + 16$?



Key:

1. A dilation changes the size of a figure, but not the shape. A dilation could be an enlargement or reduction of a figure.
2. The new coordinates would be: $(-3,4)$, $(-5,3)$, $(-4,2)$, $(-2,3)$ in quadrant II.
3. $4y + 16 + 64 = 180$; $4y + 80 = 180$; $4y = 100$; $y = 25$; measure of the angle is 116.



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Unit 2 Exponents

Volume 1 Issue 2

References

Glencoe/McGraw-Hill
Grade 7 Plus: Chapter 3
Lessons 1-10; Chapter 4
Lessons 1-5

Textbook Online:
connectED.mcgraw-hill.com

Helpful Links:

<https://mathbitsnotebook.com/Algebra1/RatIrratNumbers/RNRatIrrat.html>

<http://www.math-play.com/rational-and-irrational-numbers-game/rational-and-irrational-numbers-game.html>

https://www.mangahigh.com/en-us/math_games/number/exponents/square_and_cubed_roots

<http://www.math-play.com/square-root-game.html>

<https://www.mathgames.com/skill/8.22-convert-between-standard-and-scientific-notation>

<http://www.math-play.com/Scientific-Notation-Concentration/Scientific-Notation-Concentration.html>

Dear Parents

Below you will find a list of concepts that your child will use and understand while completing Unit 2 Exponents. Also included are references, vocabulary and examples that will help you assist your child at home.

Concepts Students will Use and Understand

- An irrational number is a real number that can not be written as a ratio of two integers.
- All real numbers can be plotted on a number line.
- Exponents are useful for representing very large or very small numbers.
- Square roots can be rational or irrational.
- Some properties of real numbers hold for all irrational numbers.
- Solving multi-step equations
- Evaluate square and cubed roots

Vocabulary

Additive Inverse: The sum of a number and its additive inverse is zero. Also called the opposite of a number. Example: 5 and -5 are additive inverses of each other.

Irrational number: A real number whose decimal form is non-terminating and non-repeating that cannot be written as the ratio of two integers.

Radical: A symbol ($\sqrt{\quad}$) that is used to indicate square roots.

Rational number: A number that can be written as the ratio of two integers with a nonzero denominator.

Scientific Notation (Exponential Notation): A representation of real numbers as the product of a number between 1 and 10 and a power of 10, used primarily for very large or very small numbers.

Square root: One of two equal factors of a nonnegative number. For example, 5 is a square root of 25 because $5 \cdot 5 = 25$. Another square root of 25 is -5 because $(-5) \cdot (-5) = 25$. The +5 is called the principle square root

Addition property of equality: Adding the same number to each side of an equation produces an equivalent expression.

Additive inverse: The sum of a number and its additive inverse is zero

Inverse operation: Pairs of operations that undo each other.

Multiplication property of equality: States that when both sides of an equation are multiplied by the same number, the remaining expressions are still equal.

Multiplicative inverse: Numbers are multiplicative inverses of each other if they multiply to equal the identity, 1.

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Math 8 Unit 2 Exponents Practice Problems

Example 1

- Simplify the following without negative exponents:
 - 4^{-2}
 - $\frac{3^2 x}{2^{-3} x^{-2}}$
 - $7a^{-4}b^3y^{-2}$
- Change to standard form: 8.51×10^{-2}
- Change to scientific notation: 107,000,000,000

Example 2

- Find the following square roots, graph the results on a number line and explain why each result is rational or irrational:
 - $\sqrt{144}$
 - $\sqrt{56}$
- Estimate the square root of 18.
- What are the two square roots of 36?
- Find the following cube roots: a) $\sqrt[3]{8}$ b) $\sqrt[3]{27}$

Example 3

- Solve the following equation: $2x + 3(4x - 3) = 8 - 3x$

Answer Key

Example 1

- $\frac{1}{16}$
 - $72x^3$
 - $\frac{7b^3}{a^4y^2}$
- 0.0851
- 1.07×10^{11}

Example 2

- 12, rational because it can be written as a ratio.
 - about 7.48, irrational because the exact value is a non-terminating, non-repeating decimal.
- Between 4 and 5; closer to 4; about 4.2
- ± 6
- a) 2 b) 3

Example 3

- $x = 1$



MATH 8 Unit 3

Geometric Applications of Exponents

Volume 1 Issue 3

Dear Parents,

Below are examples of what your child is learning in Unit 3. Look for future newsletters.



Students will be able to:

- Explain the proof of the Pythagorean Theorem and its converse.
- Apply the Pythagorean Theorem to determine lengths of sides of right triangles with 2 or 3 dimensions or the distance between 2 coordinates.
- Apply the formulas for volumes of cones, cylinders and spheres
- Use volume formulas to solve real-world problems.
- Use square roots and cube roots to represent solutions to equations.

Vocabulary

Altitude of a triangle: The perpendicular distance between a vertex of a triangle and the side opposite that vertex. Sometimes called the height

Base (of a polygon): the bottom side, on which the polygon 'sits,

Cone: A three dimensional figure with a circular or elliptical base and one vertex.

Cylinder: A three dimensional object with two parallel, congruent, circular bases.

Diameter: The distance across a circle through its center. The line segment that includes the center and whose endpoints lie on the circle.

Distance: The amount of space between two points or things. Distance is always a non-negative number.

Solid: A figure that has length, width, and thickness (i.e., a figure that is 3-dimensional).

Hypotenuse: In a right triangle, the side opposite to the right angle.

Leg: Either of the two shorter sides of a right triangle. These two sides together form the right angle in the right triangle.

Pythagorean Theorem: A theorem that states that in a right triangle, the square of the length of the hypotenuse equals the sum of the squares of the lengths of the legs.

Pythagorean Triples: A set of three non-zero whole numbers, a , b , and c , such that $a^2 + b^2 = c^2$.

Sphere: The set of all points in space that are equidistant from a fixed point, called the center.

Radius: The distance from the center of a circle to any point on the circle.

Volume: The amount of space occupied by an object.

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Resources:

Glencoe/McGraw Hill Georgia Math Grade 8

Volume 2 Unit 3: Chapter 5 Lessons 1-4 and Chapter 6 Lessons 1-3

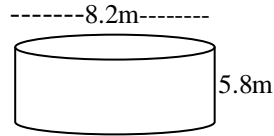
Textbook Online: connectED.mcgraw-hill.com

Web resources:

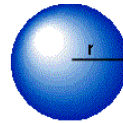
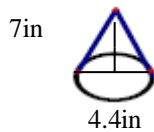
- www.aaaknow.com/geo.htm
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- <https://mathbitsnotebook.com/Geometry/3DShapes/3DCylinders.html> (exclude surface area)
- <https://mathbitsnotebook.com/Geometry/3DShapes/3DCones.html> (exclude surface area)
- <https://mathbitsnotebook.com/Geometry/3DShapes/3DSpheres.html> (exclude surface area)

Practice Problems

- 1.) For the figure below, state its mathematical name, estimate its volume, then use formulas to compute the volume.



- 2.) For each figure below, state their mathematical names, estimate the volume, then compute the volume.



The radius is 4 ft.

- 3) A football field is 360 feet by 45 feet. How long is the walk from one corner diagonally to the opposite corner?

Answers to Practice Problems

- 1.) This is a cylinder. Its estimated volume is $3(4)(4)(6)=288\text{m}^2$. The volume is
 $V = \pi r^2 h = 3.14(4.1^2)(5.8) \approx 306.144\text{m}^3$.

- 2.) This is a cone. Its estimated volume is 28in^3 . By formula,

$$V = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h \approx \frac{1}{3} (3.14)(2.2^2)(7) = 35.46\text{in}^3$$

- This is a sphere. Its estimated volume is 265cm^3 . By formula,

$$V = \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3 = \frac{4}{3} \pi 4^3 = 268.08\text{ft}^3 \quad (2)(2)(3) = 4\text{cm}^3$$

- 3) Use the Pythagorean Theorem: $360^2 + 45^2 = c^2$; $129,600 + 2025 = c^2$; $131,625 = c^2$;
 $c \approx 362.8$ feet



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Unit 4 Functions

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References

Glencoe/McGraw-Hill
Georgia Math 7 Plus
Volume 2, Chapter
10 Lessons 1-2

Glencoe/McGraw-Hill, Georgia Math 8,
Text Online:
connected.mcgraw-hill.com

Challenges:

www.figurethis.org

Links:

- <http://www.purplemath.com/modules/fcns.htm>
- <http://www.purplemath.com/modules/fcns2.htm>
- <http://www.shodor.org/interactivate1.0/lessons/fm2.html>
- http://www.mathgodies.com/lessons/vol6/independent_events.html
- <https://mathbitsnotebook.com/Algebra1/Functions/FNFuncBasics.html>
- <https://mathbitsnotebook.com/Algebra1/Functions/FNDomainRange.html>

Dear Parents

Below you will find a list of concepts that your child will use and understand while completing Unit 4: Functions. Also included are references, vocabulary and examples that will help you assist your child at home.

Concepts Students will Use and Understand

- Recognize a relation as a correspondence between varying quantities.
- Recognize a function as a correspondence between inputs and outputs where the output for each input must be unique.
- Distinguish between relations that are functions and those that are not functions.
- Recognize functions in a variety of representations and a variety of contexts.
- Identify relations and functions as linear or nonlinear.
- Translate among verbal, tabular, graphic, and algebraic representations of functions.

Vocabulary

Domain: The set of x-coordinates of the set of points on a graph; the set of x-coordinates of a given set of ordered pairs. The value that is the input in a function or relation.

Function: A rule of matching elements of two sets of numbers in which an input value from the first set has only one output value in the second set.

Graph of a Function: The set of all the points on a coordinate plane whose coordinates makes the rule of function true.

Input: The set of possible values for the first coordinate of a function (domain.)

Output: The set of possible values for the second coordinate of a function (range.)

Range: The y-coordinates of the set of points on a graph. Also, the y-coordinates of a given set of ordered pairs. The range is the output in a function or a relation.

Range of function: The set of all output values or the y-values of a function or a relation is called the range of the function or the relation.

Relation: A rule that gives an output number for every valid input number

Additional Vocabulary Help:

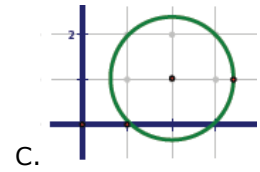
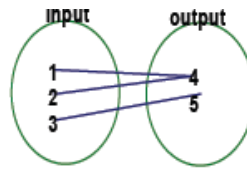
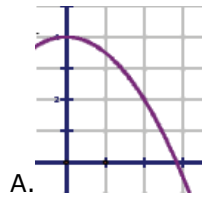
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Examples:

- Graph the sequence on a coordinate plane: 2, 5, 8, 11, ... (hint: the domain is the position of the term) Is the graph a function and is it linear or nonlinear?
- What makes a relation a function?
- Identify which of the following are functions:



D. $y=3x+5$

E. {senators, states}

F. {states, senators}

G. $\{(1,2), (2,3), (1,4), (4,1)\}$

Key

- $(1, 2), (2, 5), (3, 8), (4, 11)$; yes, a linear function.
- A relation is a function when every input has one unique output.
- A, B, D, E



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Unit 5 Linear Functions

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References

Glencoe/McGraw-Hill Georgia Math Grade 8 Volume 2, Chapter 7 Lessons 4-10

Glencoe/McGraw-Hill Georgia Math Grade 8 Text Online: connectED.mcgraw-hill.com

Learning Links:

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Dear Parents

Below you will find a list of concepts that your child will use and understand while completing Unit 5 Linear Functions. Also included are references, vocabulary and examples that will help you assist your child at home.

Concepts Students will Use and Understand

- Graph proportional relationships
- Interpret unit rate as the slope
- Use similar triangles to explain the concept of slope
- Derive the equation $y=mx$ and $y=mx+b$
- Interpret equations in $y=mx+b$ form as linear functions

Vocabulary

- **Intersecting Lines:** Two lines that cross each other. Lines intersect at one point unless the lines fall directly on top of each other (in which case they are essentially the same line and are sometimes called coincidental).
- **Origin:** The point of intersection of the vertical and horizontal axes of a Cartesian plane. The coordinates of the origin are (0, 0).
- **Linear Functions:** functions that form a straight line
- **Proportional Relationships:** A relationship between two equal ratios.
- **Slope:** The "steepness" of a line. The slope of a line can be found directly when a linear equation is in slope-intercept form ($y = mx + b$). In this form, the slope is the coefficient of x and is represented by the letter m . The slope of a line can also be found by determining the ratio of the "rise" to the "run" between two points on the graph. In other words, slope measures how much the line rises vertically given a particular run or horizontal distance.
- **Slope-Intercept Form:** $y=mx+b$ where m represents the slope and b represents the y -intercept
- **Unit Rate:** A comparison of two measurements in which the second term has a value of 1. Unit rates are used to compare the costs of items in a grocery store.
- **Y-intercept:** where a line crosses the y -axis on the coordinate plane

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Math 8 Unit 5 Practice Problems

Formulas

Slope (m)

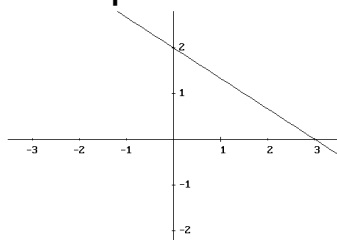
$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

Slope-Intercept Form

$$y = mx + b$$

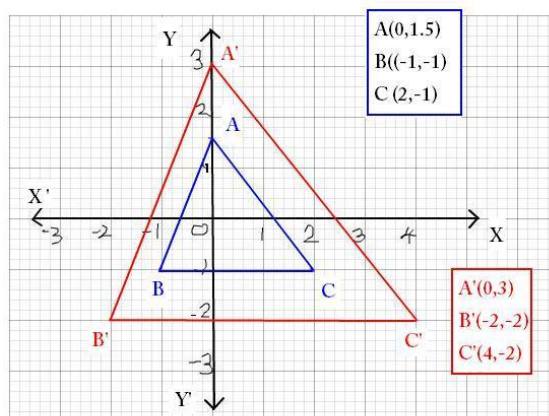
Y-intercept (b); (0,b)

Example 1



What is the slope of the function? What is the y-intercept? Write the equation of the line in slope-intercept form. Is this a linear function? Why?

Example 2



What is the slope of \overline{AB} and $\overline{A'B'}$?

Key

Example 1

Slope (m) = $-\frac{2}{3}$ Y-intercept (b) = 2

Equation of the line: $y = -\frac{2}{3}x + 2$

Yes, it is a linear function because every input has exactly one output and the line is linear.

Example 2

The slopes are the same: $\frac{5}{2}$ or 2.5; Similar triangles will have like sides proportional with the same slope.



Math 8

Unit 6 Linear Models and Tables

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Dear Parents

Below you will find a list of concepts that your child will use and understand while completing Unit 6 Linear Functions. Also included are references, vocabulary and examples that will help you assist your child at home.

Concepts Students will Use and Understand

- identify the rate of change and the initial value from tables, graphs, equations, or verbal descriptions
- write a model for a linear function
- sketch a graph when given a verbal description of a situation
- analyze scatter plots
- informally develop a line of best fit
- use bivariate data to create graphs and linear models
- recognize patterns and interpret bivariate data

Vocabulary

- **Model:** A mathematical representation of a process, device, or concept by means of a number of variables.
- **Interpret:** To establish or explain the meaning or significance of something.
- **Initial Value:** y -intercept.
- **Qualitative Variables:** A variable whose values are not numerical. Examples include gender (male, female), paint color (red, black, blue), type of bird (cardinal, blue bird, owl), and etc.
- **Linear:** A relationship or function that can be represented by a straight line.
- **Non-linear:** A relationship which does not create a straight line.
- **Slope:** The measure of steepness of a line.
- **Rate of Change:** The ratio of the change in the output value and change in the input value of a function.
- **Bivariate Data:** Two different response variables that are from the same population. This website has a good powerpoint (the 2nd one) that may help with the explanation.
<http://www.sophia.org/packets/bivariate-data-two-variables--2>
- **Quantitative Variables:** A variable whose values are numerical. Examples include height, temperature, weight, grades, and etc.
- **Scatter Plot:** The graph of a collection of ordered pairs that allows an exploration of the relationship between the points.
- **Line of Best Fit:** A straight line drawn through the center of a group of data points plotted on a scatter plot.
- **Clustering:** The partitioning of a data set into subsets (clusters), so that the data in each subset (ideally) share some common trait - often similarity or proximity for some defined distance measure.
- **Outlier:** An element of a data set that distinctly stands out from the rest of the data.

Math 8 Unit 6 Practice Problems

Formulas

Slope (m)

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

Slope-Intercept Form

$$y = mx + b$$

Y-intercept (b); (0,b)

Example 1

The table shows the balance of a bank account on different days of the month. Find the rate of change during each time interval.

Day	1	6	16	22	30
Balance (\$)	550	285	210	210	175

Example 2

Megan rolls a number cube and tosses a coin 200 times as part of an experiment. From her experiment, she records that a five was rolled 37 times and the coin landed on tails 107 times. On 88 occasions, neither a five was rolled nor did the coin land on heads. Complete the table.

	Five	Not a Five	Total
Head			
Tail			
Total			

Answer Key

Example 1

Rate of changes: (results in a non-linear graph)

$$\text{Day 1-6} = -53$$

$$\text{Day 6-16} = -7.5$$

$$\text{Day 16-22} = 0$$

$$\text{Day 22-30} = -4.375$$

Example 2

	Five	Not a Five	Total
Head	18	75	93
Tail	19	88	107
Total	37	163	200



Math 8 Unit 7

Solving Systems of Equations

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Dear Parents:

Below you will find a list of concepts that your child will use and understand while completing Unit 7 Solving Systems of Equations. Also included are references, vocabulary and examples that will help you assist your child at home.

Concepts Students will Use and Understand

- Analyze and solve systems of linear equations.
- Understand and solve systems of equations graphically and algebraically, using technology as appropriate.
- Solve real-world problems leading to two linear equations with two variables.

Vocabulary

Coefficients: a numerical factor in a term of an algebraic expression.

Intersecting Lines: lines that have one point in common or all points in common.

Linear Combination Method: a technique for solving a system of equations that involves combining two equations in order to eliminate one of the variables and solving for the remaining variable. Adding, subtracting, or multiplying a system of equations to help solve the system.

Simultaneous equations: Another name for a system of Linear Equations

Substitution Method: a technique for solving a system of equations that involves replacing one variable with an equivalent expression and solving for the remaining variable.

System of Linear Equations: two or more equations that together define a relationship between variables usually in a problem situation. A system of equations can have no solution, one solution, or many solutions.

Try <http://intermath.coe.uga.edu/> for additional help.
www.ceismc.gatech.edu/csi

Math 8 Unit 7

Solving Systems of Equations

Example 1

Solve the system of equations using any method you choose.

$$2x + y = 7$$

$$x - 3y = 0$$

Example 2

Determine whether either of the points $(-1, -5)$ and $(0, -2)$ is a solution to the given system of equations.

$$y = 3x - 2$$

$$y = -x - 6$$

Example 3

Gustav has 35 dimes and quarters that total \$5.00. Solve a system of equations to find out how many dimes and how many quarters he has.

Key

Example 1

(3,1)

Example 2

To check the given possible solutions, I just plug the x - and y -coordinates into the equations, and check to see if they work.

$(-1, -5)$ is the only point that satisfies both equations so it is a solution.

Example 3

Let d = # of dimes and q = # of quarters

$$d + q = 35 \quad \text{and} \quad 0.1d + 0.25q = 5$$

He has 25 dimes and 10 quarters
