

FIND SLOPE: TABLE OF VALUES & EQUATION

A **TABLE OF VALUES** is a table used to record the _____ of points in a relation.

A **RELATION** is a pattern that connects two sets of data (_____). (x,y)

A **LINEAR RELATION** is a _____.

SLOPE is the _____ of one point on a line in relation to another point.

TO FIND SLOPE USING A TOV...

We look at the unit change in one value (“x”) in relation to the unit change in a second (“y”) value.
(as “x” increases, we can find how much “y” changes)

$$\text{RATE OF CHANGE} = \text{SLOPE} = m =$$

Example 1: Use a table of values to determine the slope for the relation.

x		Coordinates (x, y)	Rate of Change (slope)
0	$y = 3(\quad) + 1 =$	(\quad , \quad)	-----
1	$y = 3(\quad) + 1 =$	(\quad , \quad)	
2	$y = 3(\quad) + 1 =$	(\quad , \quad)	
3	$y = 3(\quad) + 1 =$	(\quad , \quad)	
4	$y = 3(\quad) + 1 =$	(\quad , \quad)	

If the *slope* is the *same* for all coordinates then the *rate of change* is *constant* → the line is *straight*.

Example 2: Slope and the Coefficient of x

x		Coordinates (x, y)	Rate of Change (slope)
-1			-----
0			
1			
2			

COMPARE

Look at the **co-efficient of x** and the **rate of change**.

What do you notice?

Example 3: Find SLOPE using the TOV below

x	y
0	0
1	6
2	12
3	18
4	24
5	30

Example 4: Transform each equation into a $y = mx + b$ equation. Then state the slope.

a) $y = -3x + 7$

b) $-2x + y = 6$

c) $y - 3x = 7x + 2$

ALL ABOUT SLOPE...

GIVEN:	GRAPH	TWO POINTS	TOV	EQUATION $y = mx + b$
USE:				

And remember... Leave SLOPE as a fraction, and always put in lowest terms!!!