Lines: Lesson 2

Slopes of Lines I: Notes

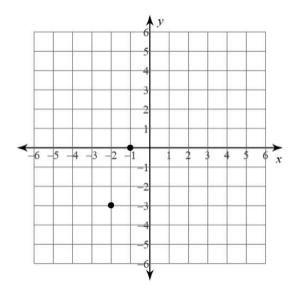
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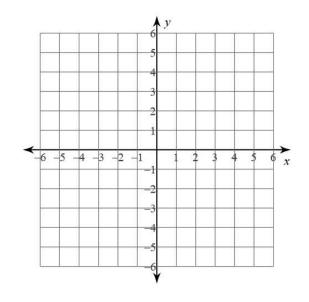
Examples of slope: ______ , ______

Slope = _____

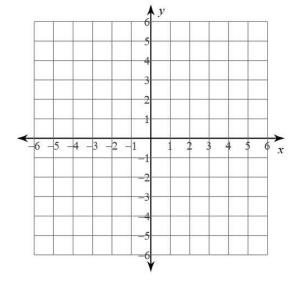
Find the slope between:



(-1, 1) and (3, 2)

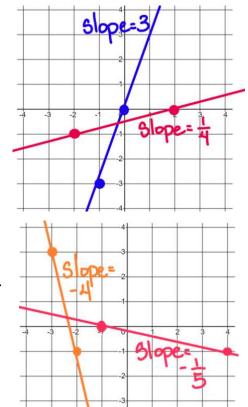


(-2, 3) and (-1, -1)



Characteristics:

- 1. Positive slopes go _____ from left to right.
- 2. The bigger the slope, the _____ the line. Slopes closer to 0 have ____ lines.



- 3. Negative slopes go _____ from left to right.
- 4. The smaller (more negative) the slope, the _____ the line.

 Slopes closer to zero have _____ lines.

Formula for Slope:

Slope = _____
$$(x_1, y_1) (x_2, y_2)$$