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A.2.9 Linear Equations of Parallel and Perpendicular Lines

1. Are these lines parallel or perpendicular: $6x - 2y = -6$; $x + 3y = 9$

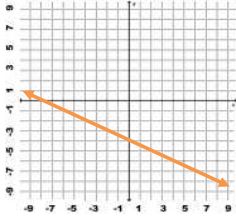
Original Equation	Slope-Intercept Form	Parallel or Perpendicular
$6x - 2y = -6$		
$x + 3y = 9$		

2. Write an equation for a line that is parallel to $y = 4 - x$, and passes through $(1, -3)$

3. Write an equation for a line that is perpendicular to $y = 2x + 3$, and passes through $(1, -3)$

4. What is the y intercept of a line that is perpendicular to $y = \frac{1}{4}x + 3$, and passes through $(4, 4)$?

5. What is the slope of every line that is perpendicular to this line?



6. Write an equation for a line that is parallel to $4x + 2y = 8$, and passes through $(3, 5)$

7. Write an equation for a line that is perpendicular to $4x + 2y = 8$, and passes through $(3, 5)$

8. Are these lines parallel or perpendicular?

Original Equation	Slope-Intercept Form	Parallel or Perpendicular
$2x - 4y = 12$		
$-4x - 2y = 6$		

9. Find the slope of a line that is perpendicular to a line that passes through the points $(3, 7)$ and $(-2, -3)$.

10. In the computer model for the architectural design of a garage, two support beams are represented by the lines $y = 2x + 5$ and $y = 2x + 10$. Do these two lines touch? If not, what is the distance between these two lines? (Assume measurements are in feet)

