## Exercises

## A

4. a) Without graphing, determine the slope of the graph of each equation.
i) $-x+y=5$
ii) $-x-y=10$
iii) $-2 x+2 y=10$
iv) $x+y=5$
b) Which lines in part a are parallel?
c) Which lines in part a intersect?
5. The graphs of three lines are shown below.

a) Identify two lines that form a linear system with exactly one solution.
b) Identify two lines that form a linear system with no solution.
6. Use these 6 equations:

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\begin{array}{ll}
4 x+2 y=20 & x-3 y=12 \\
5 x-15 y=-60 & 2 x+y=10 \\
6 x+3 y=5 & 2 x-6 y=24
\end{array}
$$

Write a linear system that has:
a) no solution
b) exactly one solution
c) infinite solutions

## B

7. Determine the number of solutions of each linear system.
a) $x+2 y=6$
$x+y=-2$
b) $3 x+5 y=9$ $6 x+10 y=18$
c) $2 x-5 y=30$
$4 x-10 y=15$
d) $\frac{x}{2}+\frac{y}{3}=\frac{1}{2}$
$\frac{x}{2}+\frac{y}{3}=\frac{1}{4}$
8. The first equation of a linear system is given. Write a second equation to form a linear system that satisfies each condition. Explain your reasoning.
a) The second line intersects the line $-2 x+y=1$ in the first quadrant.
b) The second line does not intersect the line $-2 x+y=1$.
c) The second line coincides with the line $-2 x+y=1$.
9. The table below shows some properties of the graphs of 3 linear equations. For the linear system formed by each pair of equations, how many solutions are there? Explain your reasoning.
a) A and B
b) A and C
c) B and C

| Equation | Slope | $y$-intercept |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A | -0.5 | 4 |
| B | -0.5 | 2 |
| C | 0.5 | 4 |

10. Marc wrote the two equations in a linear system in slope-intercept form. He noticed that the signs of the two slopes were different. How many solutions will this linear system have? Explain.
11. Two lines in a linear system have the same slope. What information do you need to determine whether the linear system has no solution or infinite solutions?
12. Use the equation $3 x-4 y=12$ as an equation in three different linear systems. Write a second equation so that each system has a different number of solutions. Explain what you did for each system.
