


Ex $5 \quad$ What is the slope of the line passing through
$(1,4)$ with a x-intercept of -5 ?
$X_{1} y_{1}$

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(-5,0)
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x_{2}^{\prime} y_{2}^{\prime}
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M=\frac{y_{2}-y_{1}}{x_{2}-x_{1}}=\frac{0-4}{-5-1}=\frac{-4}{-6}=\frac{2}{3}
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Ex $6 \quad$ What is the slope of the line passing through
$(4,-3)$ with a $y$-intercept of $-7 ?$
$X_{1} y_{1}$

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\left.\left.\begin{array}{l}
(0
\end{array}\right)-7\right) ~\left(x_{2}, y_{2}\right) ~ ?
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M=\frac{Y_{2}-Y_{1}}{x_{2}-x_{1}}=\frac{-7--3}{0-4}=\frac{-4}{-4}=\frac{1}{1}
$$




|  | Slope | I/ Slope | $\perp$ Slope |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Line a | Undefined | Undefined | Zero |
| Line $b$ | $-\frac{1}{3}$ | $-\frac{1}{3}$ | $3 / 1$ |
| Line $c$ | $4 / 5$ | $4 / 5$ | $-5 / 4$ |
| Line $d$ | Zero | Zero | Undefined |

