

3 Possible Ways

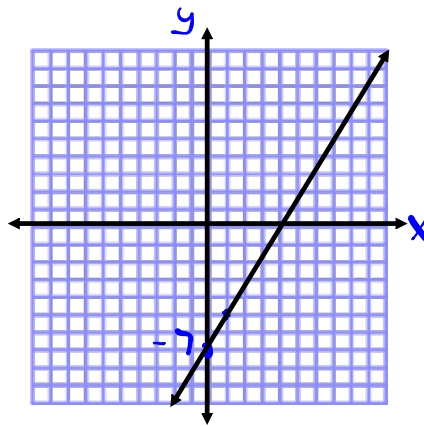
Graph the following equation.

II

$$y = 2x - 7$$

Slope  $\leftarrow$   
 $\leftarrow$  y-int

x	y
-2	-11
-1	-9
0	-7
1	-5
2	-3



III

y-int let  $x=0$   
 $y = 2(0) - 7$   
 $y = -7$   
 $(0, -7)$

x-int let  $y=0$   
 $0 = 2x - 7$   
 $7 = 2x$   
 $\frac{7}{2} = \frac{2x}{2}$   
 $x = \frac{7}{2}$

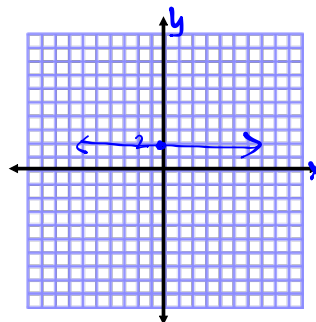
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15. a) How can you use the slope-intercept form of an equation,  $y=mx+b$ , to graph the horizontal line  $y=2$ .

$$y = mx + b$$

$$y = 0x + 2$$

$\uparrow$   
 slope = 0  $\longleftrightarrow$



b) How can you graph the vertical line  $x=2$ ?

