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(26) More Straight Line Graphs

WORKING AT D/E

(1) The lines with equation y = 2x + 1 and 4x - y - 8 = 0 meet at the point (a, b). Find the values of a and b.

(2) The equation of a straight line is given as 5x + 10y = 20. Write the equation of the line in the form y = mx + c

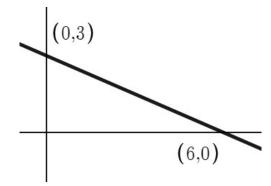
(3) L_1 has equation 6x - 8y + 8 = 0. Find where the line cuts the coordinate axes.

WORKING AT B/C

(1) L_1 has equation y = px - 8 and L_2 has equation y = 5x - 12. L_1 and L_2 intersect at the point (-4, q).

Find the values of the constants p and q.

(2) Find the equation of line shown below in the form ax + by + c = 0



$$(3) f(x) = 2x + 1$$

Find where the graph of y = f(x - 3) crosses the x axis.

WORKING AT A*/A

(1) The line with equation ax + by = c crosses the coordinate axes at A and B. Show that the area of the triangle AOB where O is the origin can be written as $\frac{c^2}{2ab}$

(2) The line with equation px + qy = r and the line with equation y = mx + c intersect on the y axis. Show that r = cq

(3) A line with gradient $\frac{-2}{3}$ passes through the points (p,0) and (0,q) where p and q integers. Find the least possible positives values of p and q.