

Math Virtual Learning Algebra 1 S1 Graphing system of linear inequalities

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Objective/Learning Target: Students can graph systems of linear inequalities given in standard form.



BELL RINGER-SLOPE INTERCEPT

Graph and find the solution:



Take one inequality at a time and graph. Let's take $y \ge -x - 1$ and split this step into two:

Remember: y = mx + b m= slope b= y-intercept

Your "starting point" is the y-intercept. Find this value on the y-axis and plot a point. So, our starting point is at -1 on the y-axis.



To find more points, we have to use the slope, which is $\frac{rise}{run}$. The slope in this example is $\frac{-1}{1}$ which means down one, right one. So, let's go back to our y-intercept and plot some more points.



Step Three: Connect the points with a SOLID LINE if the inequality is \leq (less than or equal to) or \geq (greater than or equal to) and a DOTTED LINE if the inequality is (greater than). This first example is a solid line. So we have:





Now, we have to do this all over again with the second inequality!

y > -4x + 2

This time our y-intercept is +2 and our slope is $\frac{-4}{1}$ which means down 4 and right 1. It is also a DOTTED LINE. So we now have:





Step Four: We have to shade in part of our graph since there is more than one value that will work in our system of inequalities. For (greater than) or \geq (greater than or equal to), we shade above the line (think of the line as a slide and that's "above"). In our example, both inequalities are the "above" inequalities so our shading must be above BOTH lines. Our final graph should look like:





STANDARD FORM

VIDEO: Graphing a linear system of inequalities in standard form

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5WC0umC16s4





Graph the solution set of the system. $x + y \ge 3$ x - y > 1



EXAMPLE-SOLUTION

■ First, we graph x + y ≥ 3 using a solid line.

Choose a test point (0, 0) and shade the correct plane.

 Next, we graph x – y > 1 using a dashed line.
Choose a test point and shade the correct plane.



EXAMPLE-SOLUTION

The solution set of the system of equations is the region shaded both red and green, including part of the line $x + y \ge 3$.





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