

LINEAR EQUATIONS IN 2 VARIABLES

- i) Find the value of k , if $x=2, y=1$ is a solution of the equation $2x+3y=k$

Ans) $2x+3y=k$

(putting $x=2$ and $y=1$) we get

$$\Rightarrow 2(2) + 3(1) = k$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 + 3 = k$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{k = 7}$$

- 2) Find the points where the graph of the equation $3x+4y=12$ cuts the x -axis and the y -axis.

Ans) Given equation is $3x+4y=12$

The point on y -axis :-

Let $x=0$, then $3x+4y=12$

$$\Rightarrow 3(0) + 4y = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow 4y = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 3 \quad \therefore \text{The coordinate is } (0, 3)$$

The point on x -axis :-

Let $y=0$, then $3x+4y=12$

$$\Rightarrow 3x + 4(0) = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 4 \quad \therefore \text{The coordinate is } (4, 0)$$

- 3) At what point does the graph of the linear equation $x+y=5$ meet a line which is parallel to the y -axis, at a distance of 2 units from the origin and in the positive direction of x -axis.

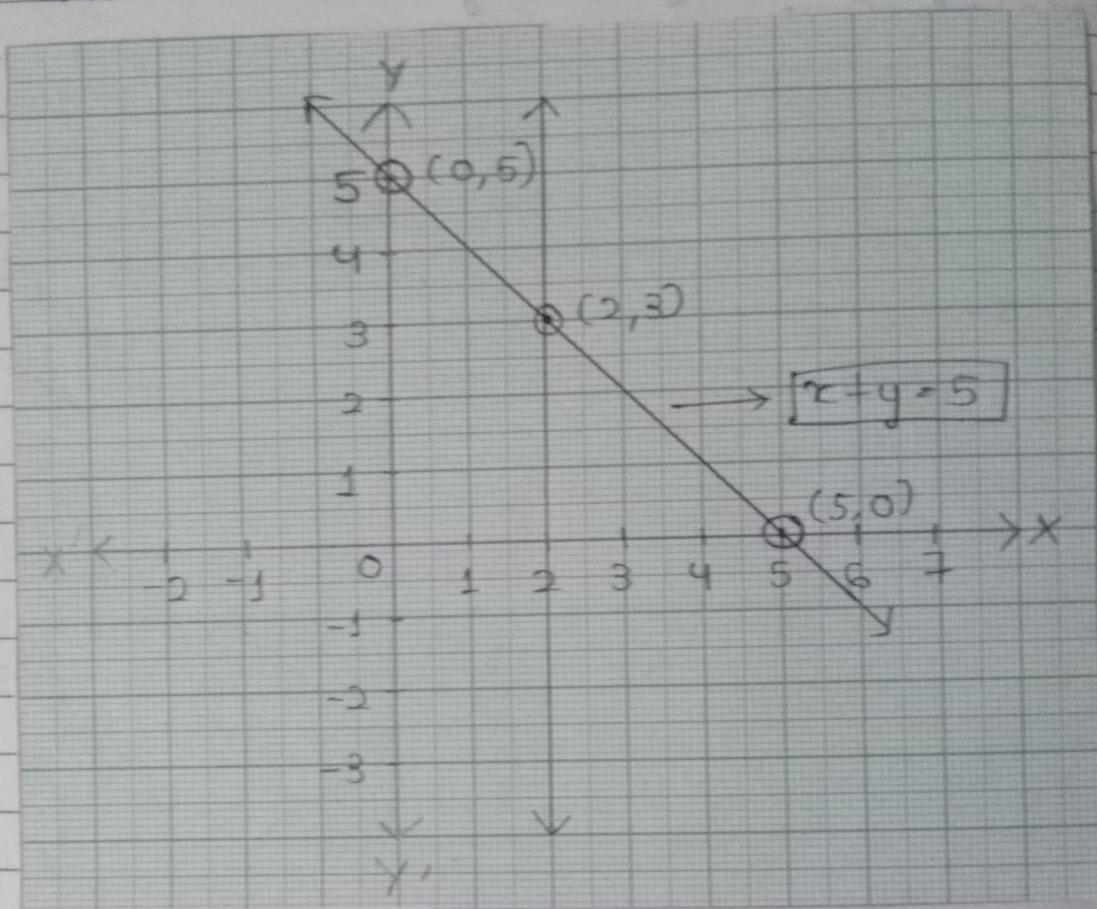
Ans) $\boxed{x+y=5}$

x	0	5
y	5	0

So, the coordinates are $(0, 5)$ and $(5, 0)$

Line parallel to y -axis at a distance of 2 units is $x=2$
 So, the point which meets the line $x+y=5$ and $x=2$ is $(2, 3)$

∴ At $(0, 3)$ coordinate, the graph of the linear equation $x+y=5$ meet a line which is parallel to the y -axis, at a distance 2 units from the origin and in the positive direction of x -axis.



Q) Determine the point on the graph of the equation $2x+5y=20$ whose x -coordinate is 5 times its ordinate.

Ans) As the x -coordinate of the point is 5 times its ordinate, therefore, $x = \frac{5}{2}y$

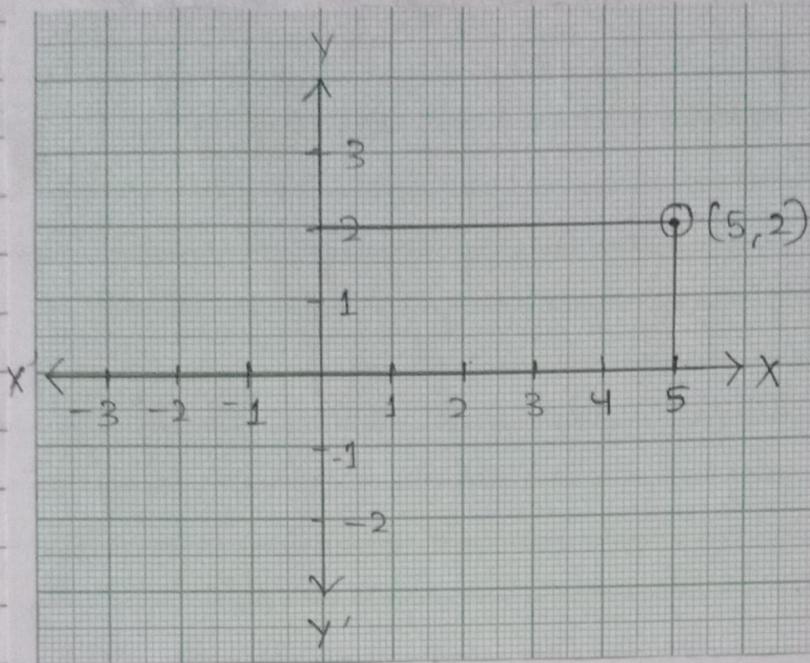
Now substituting $x = \frac{5}{2}y$ in the given equation, we get

$$\Rightarrow 5y + 5y = 20$$

$$\Rightarrow 10y = 20$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 2$$

Thus, the required point on coordinate is $(5, 2)$



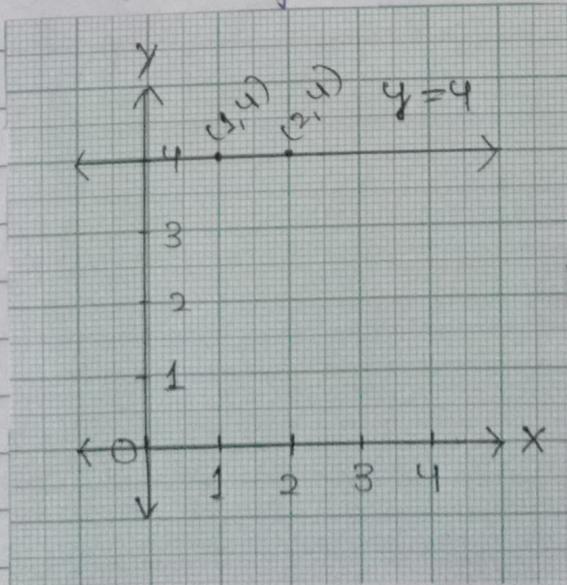
5) Draw the graph of the equation represented by the straight line which is parallel to the x -axis and is 4 units above it.

Ans) Any straight line parallel to x -axis is given by $y = k$, where k is the distance of the line from the x -axis.

Here $k = 4$.

Therefore, the equation of the line is $y = 4$.

To draw the graph of this equation, we have to plot the points $(1, 4)$ and $(2, 4)$ and join them.



Q) Draw the graph of linear equations $y = x$ and $y = -x$ on the same cartesian plane. What do you observe?

Ans) The given equation is $y = x$. To draw the graph of this equation, we need at least 2 points lying on the given line.

For $x = 1, y = 1$

$(1, 1)$ satisfies the linear equation $y = x$

For $x = 4, y = 4$

$(4, 4)$ satisfies the linear equation $y = x$

So, By plotting the points $(1, 1)$ and $(4, 4)$ on the graph paper and joining them by a line, we obtain the graph of $y = x$.

Now,

For $x = 3, y = -3$

$(3, -3)$ satisfies the linear equation $y = -x$

For $x = -4, y = 4$

$(-4, 4)$ satisfies the linear equation $y = -x$

So, By plotting the points $(3, -3)$ and $(-4, 4)$ and joining them by a line, we obtain the graph of $y = -x$.

∴ From the above, we observe that, the line $y = x$ and $y = -x$ intersected at the point $O(0, 0)$.

