

# **Linear Relationships**

#### MathLinks 8, pages 352-359

# Suggested Timing

100–120 minutes

#### Materials

- metre stick or measuring tape
- masking tape
- different-sized tubes such as from paper towel rolls
- grid paper
- ruler

#### **Blackline Masters**

Master 2 Two Stars and One Wish Master 8 Centimetre Grid Paper Master 9 0.5 Centimetre Grid Paper BLM 9–3 Chapter 9 Warm-Up BLM 9–9 Section 9.3 Extra Practice

#### **Mathematical Processes**

- Communication (C)
- Connections (CN)
- Mental Mathematics and Estimation (ME)

- ✓ Problem Solving (PS)
- ✓ Reasoning (R)
- Technology (T)
- ✓ Visualization (V)

#### **Specific Outcomes**

PR1 Graph and analyze two-variable linear relations.

| Category  | Question Numbers        |
|---|-------------------------|
| Essential (minimum questions to cover the outcomes) | 1–3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 14    |
| Typical   | 1-3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 14-17 |
| Extension/Enrichment                                | 1–3, 18–22              |

# **Planning Notes**

Have students complete the warm-up questions on **BLM 9–3 Chapter 9 Warm-Up** to reinforce material learned in previous sections.

As a class, read the opening paragraph of section 9.3. Have a discussion with students about their previous experience with formulas. Ask questions such as

- What is a formula?
- What formulas have you used in school?
- Can you think of a formula you have used outside of school?



**Literacy Link** As a class, read the Literacy Link on page 353, which gives the definition of *formula* and an example.

# Explore the Math

This exploration requires pre-planning. Have students bring in tubes of various sizes to class. Provide a few tubes (unusual ones make it more interesting) for those who do not have their own.

Before the class begins the experiment, discuss the terminology used in this activity, including *horizontally*, *field of view, distance from the wall*, and *ordered pairs*. Also, give some guidance to ensure the best possible results from the experiment. Demonstrate for students that if they hold the tube so that one side of their field of view is exactly in the corner, it will be easier to measure the width. Also, remind students that the accuracy with which they make and record all measurements can greatly affect their graphs. Encourage students by having a discussion on experimental error.



**Method 1** Divide the class into groups of four to six. Depending on the set-up of your classroom and the amount of wall space available, students may need to work in larger groups or out in the hallway. Have students complete all of the steps in their group, and then have a class discussion in which students share their responses to the Reflect on Your Findings.

**Method 2** If it is not possible to perform the investigation in your classroom, you may wish to gather data for the table of values to provide to students, or use the following sample data:

Using a paper towel tube:

| Distance From Wall (cm) | Width of Field of View (cm) |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 100                     | 17                          |
| 130                     | 21                          |
| 160                     | 25                          |
| 190                     | 28                          |
| 220                     | 32                          |

Using a bathroom tissue tube:

| Distance From Wall (cm) | Width of Field of View (cm) |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 100                     | 43                          |
| 130                     | 53                          |
| 160                     | 64                          |
| 190                     | 74                          |
| 220                     | 86                          |

Begin your class discussion by going over the steps in the experiment. Then, as a class, make predictions about what the results might be (#4). Provide students with the data and have them write the ordered pairs and make the graph (#6). As a class, compare the actual results to the predictions (#7). Finally, discuss the Reflect on Your Findings as a class.

### For their graphs, you may wish to give students Master 8 Centimetre Grid Paper or Master 9 0.5 Centimetre Grid Paper.

# **Example 1**

In this example, students make a table of values from a simple formula. Encourage students to be consistent in how they set up the table (i.e., t should be placed in the top row of a horizontal table and d in the bottom row, or t should be in the left column of a vertical table and d in the right column).

It is important that students learn to select reasonable values for *t*, which is the independent variable. When selecting values for *t*, have students ask themselves questions like, "Can I use zero? Can I use a negative integer?" Encourage students to discuss the related information in the thought bubble with Solution, part a).



Also direct their attention to the other thought bubble with Solution, part a). Once values are selected for t, students must find the corresponding values for d by substituting into the formula.

Students should complete the Show You Know before going on to Example 2.

# Example 2

This could be the first time that students have prepared a table for a linear relation that uses x and y as the variables and where the relation is not in a real-life context. Establish class rules regarding the number of values in the table (five or six is acceptable) and whether negative integers must be used (and if so, how many). Encourage students to always use zero for this type of equation.

**Literacy Link** Assist students in recalling the definition of *equation* by discussing the Literacy Link on page 355. Have students refer to the list of expressions that they recorded in section 9.2. Encourage them to use these expressions to write equations. Having these two sets side by side will emphasize for students the similarities and differences between equations and expressions.

# **Meeting Student Needs**

- For some students, it may be better to complete this section over two periods, focusing on one example in each period. You may also wish to give students an additional set of questions for each example. If students are still not confident, review and practise the areas causing problems before moving on.
- Have students work through each example in pairs. Then, direct them to complete the Show You Know individually, checking their response against their partner's.
- You may wish to use examples of patterns and relationships that are relevant to students and their community. For example, consider having students research how many dogs are used to pull a sled. Have them determine how the number of dogs changes depending on the weight of the load, the weather conditions, length of trip, etc.

#### **Gifted and Enrichment**

• Encourage students to design and carry out an experiment that results in a linear relationship. Then, have them plot the data and attempt to express the relationship in a linear equation.

# **Common Errors**

- Students find incorrect values for y in equations such as y = 2x + 3 in the Example 2 Show You Know.
- **R**<sub>x</sub> Remind students that they are studying linear relations and that the points should be in a line. If a point is not in the line, it is likely wrong and should be checked. Sometimes, students misunderstand 2x. Emphasize that 2x means  $2 \times x$ , where x takes on values assigned by the student.
- Students confuse the *x* and *y* variables.
- $\mathbf{R}_{\mathbf{x}}$  Always use a consistent convention for the table of values. In a vertical table, place x in the left column and y in the right column. In horizontal table, place x in the top row and y in the bottom row. You might also have students make tables with three columns or rows. For example, in a vertical table, have them put x in the first column, put y in the second column, and write the ordered pair in the third column.

# Answers

#### **Explore the Math**

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b)

1.-9. Answers will vary.

#### Show You Know: Example 1

| a) | Rental Time, t (h)  | 1 | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  |
|----|---------------------|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|
|    | Rental Cost, C (\$) | 8 | 16 | 24 | 32 | 40 | 48 | 60 |

| Cost of<br>Lawnmover Rental | c) Answers may vary. Example:<br>No. It is not reasonable to have<br>points between the values. The<br>company charges by the hour<br>only, not by part of an hour. |
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|                             | <ul><li>d) The cost to rent the lawnmower<br/>for 12 h is \$96.</li></ul>   |

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# Show You Know: Example 2

a) Answers may vary. Example:

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| b) $y \land (0, 3)$<br>$10 \land (0, 3)$<br>$6 \land (0, 3)$ |
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| Assessment as Learning   |  |
| <b>Reflect on Your Findings</b><br>Ask students what the relationship<br>is in this activity. Try to have all<br>students explain why the points on<br>their graph do not align perfectly. | <ul> <li>Provide assistance to students who need it by walking them through each step of the Explore the Math. Then, show how #3 to #6 are very similar to the steps followed in sections 9.1 and 9.2.</li> <li>Students should make and record a prediction in #4. This step is an important part of the experimentation process.</li> <li>Holding a class discussion for #9b) would be beneficial. It would allow students to compare their results as well as verbalize their thinking. Students who are less confident can take what they learn and apply it to the questions that follow.</li> </ul>  |
| Assessment for Learning  |  |
| Example 1<br>Have students do the Show You<br>Know related to Example 1.   | <ul> <li>Encourage students to verbalize their thinking.</li> <li>You may wish to have students work with a partner.</li> <li>During class discussions, model how to solve the problems. Encourage students to explain in simple language what they did in each part of the question.</li> <li>It may be beneficial to assist students in recalling how to substitute into a formula.</li> <li>In part c), remind students that the values for <i>t</i> may have been different since these values were selected. The ease of answering part c) is affected by what values for <i>t</i> are chosen.</li> <li>Assist students in answering part d) by asking them which two values of <i>t</i> the value 3.5 appears between. If they answer correctly, ask them what two values of <i>d</i> must the answer appear between. Continue the discussion in order to narrow the value of the estimate.</li> <li>Once they have completed part d), have students generalize why it is possible to have part of an hour.</li> </ul>   |
| Example 2<br>Have students do the Show You<br>Know related to Example 2.   | <ul> <li>Encourage students to verbalize their thinking.</li> <li>You may wish to have students work with a partner.</li> <li>Discuss with students that when selecting values for <i>x</i>, it is beneficial to choose values that differ by equal increments (e.g., 1, 2, 3, etc., or 10, 20, 30, etc., depending on the question). This will make it easier for them to see a pattern in the values of <i>y</i>.</li> <li>It would be valuable to compare this question with Example 1. Ask students, "Why are negative values of <i>x</i> appropriate in Example 2?"</li> <li>Some students may not know how to decide what values of <i>x</i> to use when negative integers are allowed. Consider guiding them to generate a standard set of numbers such as -2, -1, 0, 1, 2. They could record these numbers in their Foldable for future reference.</li> <li>It is important for all students to realize that if a point lies on the <i>x</i>-axis, its <i>y</i>-coordinate is zero. Similarly, if a point lies on the <i>y</i>-axis, its <i>x</i>-coordinate is zero.</li> <li>Ask students how they interpret the notation (11, <i>y</i>) in part d) of Example 2. All students should understand that they are being asked to find <i>y</i> given that <i>x</i> = 11.</li> </ul> |

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# Key Ideas

Encourage students to make their own summary for section 9.3 prior to looking at the Key Ideas in the student resource. Then, have students compare their summaries with other students' and with the Key Ideas.

# **Communicate the Ideas**

Have students work individually to answer #1 to #3. In #1, students generalize about points that lie on the *x*-axis and *y*-axis. If students understand these generalizations rather than memorize them, there is much less chance of future confusion. In #2, students must determine the patterns in the table, thereby reinforcing what was learned previously and extending their skills beyond simple substitution. For #3, have a class discussion that includes a conclusion that students' choice of values should not be random.

You may wish to have students also complete #4. Students should understand that an equation without a context can have any values for x, whereas an equation with a context has limitations based on what makes sense in the situation.

# **Meeting Student Needs**

• Encourage students to select at least one negative integer, zero, and at least one positive integer for all equations of the form y = ax + b that are not based on a real-life context. Explain to students that if the points do not line up when graphed, students should check their values.

#### Answers

#### **Communicate the Ideas**

- **1.** a) Answers may vary: Example: All points on the *x*-axis have zero for the value of *y*.
  - **b)** Answers may vary. Example: All points on the *y*-axis have zero for the value of *x*.
- **2.** Answers may vary. Example: Method 1: Using the formula y = 2x 1, substitute 4 for *x*, then calculate 2(4) 1 = 7. Method 2: Find the common difference between consecutive values of *y*, which is 2, and add that number to 5 to find the missing value: 5 + 2 = 7.
- **3.** a) Answers may vary. Example: Choose integer values that are reasonable in the context of the situation. Choose values that are an equal interval apart.
  - **b)** Answers may vary. Example: The value of zero is usually fairly simple to substitute into an equation. Also, it is often useful to include zero as a value of *x* to act as a starting point or midpoint for a graph.
- 4. a) Answers may vary. Example: C = 4b, where b is the number of boxes of cookies sold and C is the cost in dollars for the cookies. An example of a linear relation without a context is y = -3x + 2.
  b) C = 4b:

| Boxes of Cookies, b | 1 | 2 | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  |
|---------------------|---|---|----|----|----|----|----|
| Total Cost, C (\$)  | 4 | 8 | 12 | 16 | 20 | 24 | 28 |

y = -3x + 2:

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|---|----|----|---|----|----|----|-----|
| x | -2 | -1 | 0 | 1  | 2  | 3  | 4   |
| у | 8  | 5  | 2 | -1 | -4 | -7 | -10 |

**c)** C = 4b:

|         | Total Cost of Cookies                 |
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d) Answers may vary. Example: The graphs are similar because the points on both graphs appear to lie in a straight line. The graphs are different because the relationship to do with the cost of cookies does not have any values that are negative and the linear relationship without a context in real life has values that are negative.





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| Assessment as Learning   |  |
| <b>Communicate the Ideas</b><br>Have all students complete questions<br>#1 to #3. Check student responses for<br>conceptual understanding. | <ul> <li>Consider having students work in pairs or small groups.</li> <li>Alternatively, have students work individually to answer the questions and then share their responses with a classmate. You may wish to make this an opportunity for peer evaluation. Distribute Master 2 Two Stars and One Wish, on which students write two aspects of their peer's work that they like and one that requires improvement.</li> <li>Have students share their answers in a class discussion.</li> <li>Ensure that all students find two ways to determine the missing coordinate in #2. Having students demonstrate their solutions on the board may be helpful to other learners.</li> <li>A class discussion about #3 would be beneficial in setting up students for success with the Practise and Apply questions.</li> </ul> |



# Check Your Understanding

# Practise

Offer students a choice between #5 and #6. Then, assign #7a) and b), #9a) and b), and #11 to assess whether students understand the work associated with Example 2.

# Apply

Have students complete #14, and then have them either choose two or three of the contextual questions (#15 to #19) or assign your choice of these questions. Students could work individually or in small groups. In #14, students use patterns in the table, an algebraic expression, or a graph to find the missing values. 17. You can buy work gloves from The 19. Shandi determined the mass of five pieces Fix-It Store's web site according to the formula C = 5g + 2, where C is the cost in dollars and g is the number of pairs of a type of metal. The table shows her results. The relationship is linear. Shandi made one error in finding the masses. of gloves. 
 Volume (cm²)
 8
 9
 10
 11
 12

 Mass (g)
 88
 99
 110
 121
 144
 a) Make a table to show the number of pairs of gloves purchased in relation to the total cost. Use five a) Use patterns to show how to find the incorrect mass. What is the correct mass? values for g. b) Draw points on a graph using Shandi's b) Graph the ordered pairs. results in the table above. c) Does the relation appear linear? Why? c) How could you use your graph d) Are there other points possible between to show which value is inc orrect? the ones on the graph? Explain. e) What might 2 represent in the formula? Extend 18. George is a carpenter. He has a rewards A taxi company in Edmonton charges
 \$3 for the first 210 m plus 20¢ for each card for the hardware store he uses. He receives 40 points for every \$1 he spends. He can use the points to get savings on future purchases. additional 210 m. a) What is the cost for a trip of length a) Copy and complete the table showing 2100 m? of length 4.41 km? b) Make a table of values showing the the dollar amount spent in relation to the number of points received. relationship between the distance in metres and the cost in cents. Use Amount Spent (\$) Points Received integers only. c) Graph the ordered pairs. d) Is it a linear relation? Why? 21. Describe the pattern in each table of values. Then, graph each set of ordered pairs. b) How many points does George receive for spending \$100? a) t 0 1 2 3 4 d 2 3 4 5 6 George can get a hammer for 100000 points. How much money does he have to spend to get the hammer? 
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 6
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 y
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 100 000 points 22. a) Complete the table using the relationship multiply x by 2 and then add 3 to get y b) Is it a linear relation? Explain. 9.3 Linear Relationships • MHR 359

# Extend

In #20, students must convert 4.41 km to 4410 m since that is the unit used by the company to price its fares. You may wish to provide students with this conversion.

Both #21 and #22 represent general relationships common in mathematics.

# **Meeting Student Needs**

- It may be beneficial for your students to work in pairs to complete the Practise questions for Example 1 immediately after working on that example. They might then follow the same process for Example 2. Then, have students complete the Apply activities independently.
- Encourage all students to draw graphs with and without grid paper. The latter can be viewed as a sketch of the situation.
- Students should be able to answer questions on linear relations using patterns, expressions, and graphs. If some students always restrict themselves to only one method, ask them to provide two methods for solving a specific question.
- Provide **BLM 9–9 Section 9.3 Extra Practice** to students who would benefit from more practice.

### ELL

• Assign students questions that are less language based, such as # 7 to #12.

# **Common Errors**

- Some students may become frustrated when they are unable to see the pattern immediately.
- R<sub>x</sub> Encourage students to compare successive terms to find the difference. Once they have the difference, they can add (if it is positive) or subtract (if it is negative).
- Students place their points between the grid lines.
- $\mathbf{R}_{\mathbf{x}}$  Students may not truly understand the meaning of an ordered pair. Encourage word descriptions of an ordered pair, particularly if the question has a context. Then, discuss how each coordinate represents a specific quantity or item. Have students draw a dashed vertical line from the value on the *x*-axis and a dashed horizontal line from the value on the *y*-axis. Make sure that they understand that the lines should meet at the point.

| Assessment   | Supporting Learning  |
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| Assessment <i>for</i> Learning   |  |
| <b>Practise and Apply</b><br>Have students do questions #5, #7, #9,<br>#11, and #14. Students who have no<br>problems with these questions can go<br>on to the remaining Apply questions.  | <ul> <li>If students find the assigned Practise questions challenging, additional instruction on Examples 1 and 2 may be necessary. Coach students through #5 and then observe as they attempt #6. Similarly, work through #7 and #9, then assign #8 and #10.</li> <li>Each of #5, #7, #9, and #11 deals with a different aspect of the section. Encourage students to make note of the questions that are most challenging in the What I Need to Work On section of their Foldable for future reference.</li> <li>In #11a), have students look at the graph and tell whether when x = 1, the corresponding value of y is positive, zero, or negative. Then, have them determine where the point would be if y is positive, zero, or negative. Support students by having them verbalize several ways to solve #11b).</li> <li>Students who find #14 challenging should be encouraged to verbalize what pattern they see in each of the rows of the table. Ask how they could use the patterns to complete the missing boxes.</li> </ul> |
| Assessment <i>as</i> Learning  |  |
| <ul> <li>Math Learning Log</li> <li>Have students respond to the following prompts:</li> <li>What part of the work on linear relations did you find most interesting?</li> <li>Do you prefer working with questions in context? Why?</li> <li>I learned that linear relations</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Point out that questions can have a real-life context or be more traditional math questions with little or no context. Ask why it is beneficial to work on both kinds of questions.</li> <li>You may wish to ask students where they think they would use linear relations in their day-to-day routines.</li> <li>Encourage students to use the What I Need to Work On section of their chapter Foldable to note what they continue to have difficulties with.</li> </ul>   |