

MTH1W Grade 9 Mathematics

**5.6 Relations of the Form  $xy = k$** 

- Goal(s)**
- To match equations and inequalities of the form  $xy = k$  with their corresponding graphs
  - Sketch the graph of a relation with an equation in the form  $xy = k$

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List 5 ordered pairs that make this equation true:

$$x + y = 10$$

$$(5, 5) \text{ because } 5 + 5 = 10$$

$$(1, 9) \text{ because } 1 + 9 = 10$$

$$(4, 6) \text{ because } 4 + 6 = 10$$

$$(7, 3) \text{ because } 7 + 3 = 10$$

$$(2, 8) \text{ because } 2 + 8 = 10$$

List 5 ordered pairs that make this equation true where one value is a negative number.

$$x + y = 10$$

$$(-1, 11) \text{ because } (-1) + 11 = 10$$

$$(-4, 14) \text{ because } (-4) + 14 = 10$$

$$(-20, 30) \text{ because } (-20) + 30 = 10$$

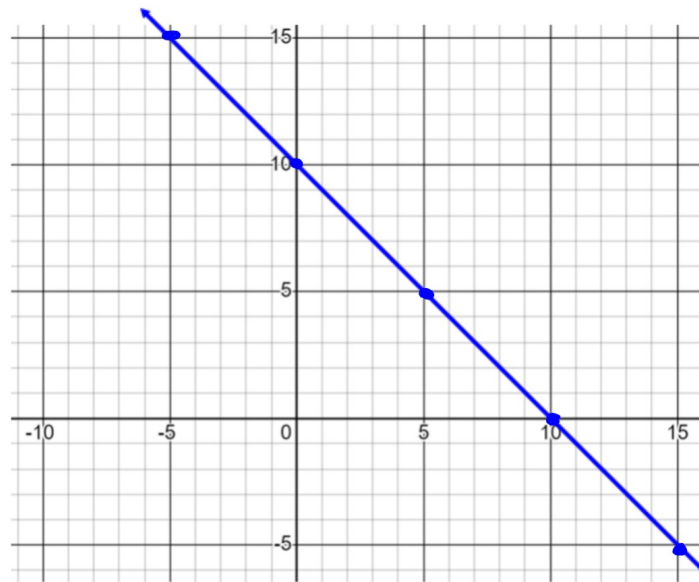
$$(-6, 16) \text{ because } (-6) + 16 = 10$$

$$(-8, 18) \text{ because } (-8) + 18 = 10$$

Plot the points you found that satisfy the equation  $x + y = 10$ .

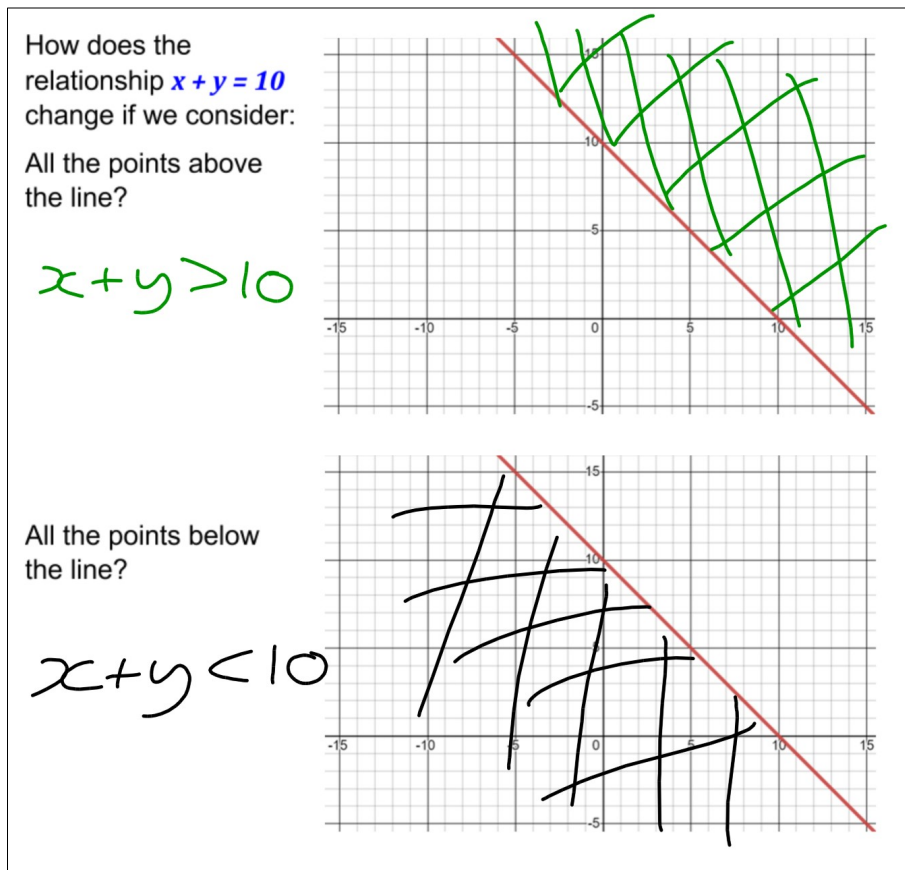
If you were to connect these points, what type of relationship has been graphed?

Are these all the possible values that satisfy the equation or are there more?



We have a linear relation (Slope =  $-1$ ,  $y$ -intercept =  $10$ )

There are an INFINITE number of values that would work.



List a minimum of 5 ordered pairs that make this equation true.

$$xy = 10$$

$(5, 2)$  because  $5 \times 2 = 10$

$(-5, -2)$  because  $(-5) \times (-2) = 10$

$(1, 10)$  because  $1 \times 10 = 10$

$(-1, -10)$  because  $(-1) \times (-10) = 10$

$(2.5, 4)$  because  $2.5 \times 4 = 10$

$(-2.5, -4)$  because  $(-2.5) \times (-4) = 10$

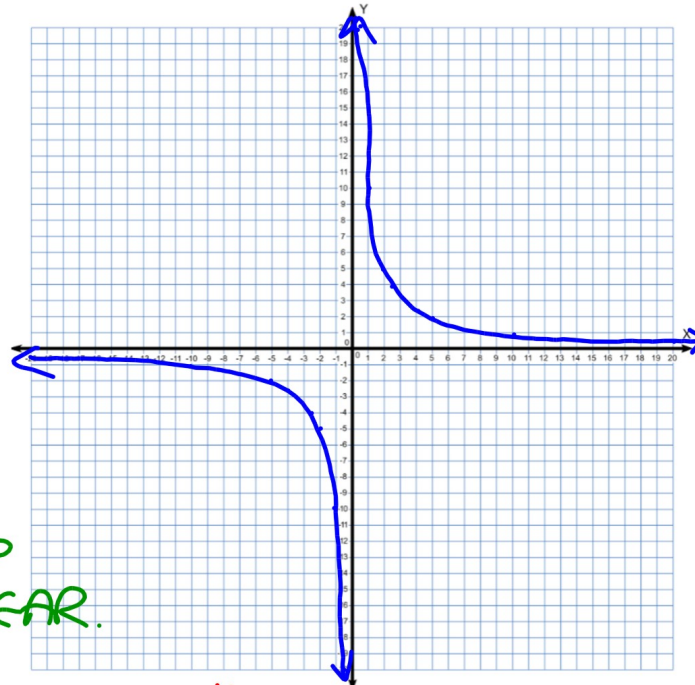
Plot the points you found that satisfy the equation  $xy = 10$ .

If you were to connect these points, what type of relationship has been graphed?

What two lines does the graph not appear to intersect?

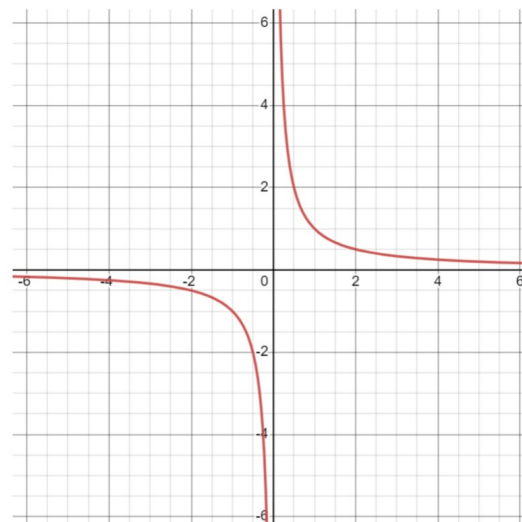
The relationship is NON-LINEAR.

They will never cross the  $x$ -axis or  $y$ -axis



The graph of  $xy = k$ , where  $k > 0$ , does not have an  $x$  or  $y$  intercept.

As the values of  $x$  and  $y$  get infinitely large and small, the graph approaches the lines  $y = 0$  and  $x = 0$  (these lines are called **asymptotes!**)

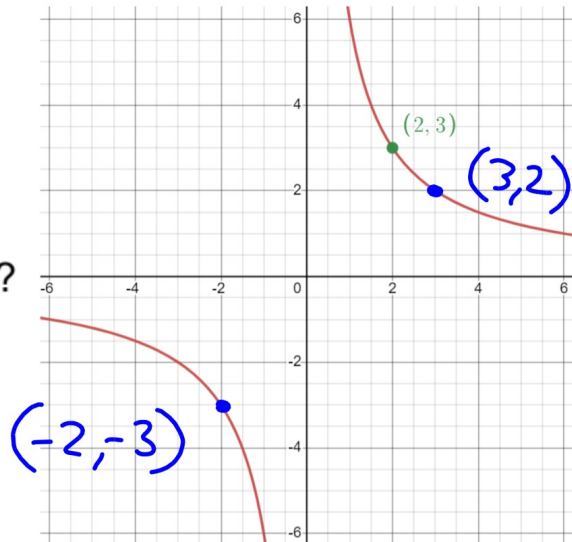


Consider the graph of  $xy = 6$ .

Why does the graph pass through the point  $(2, 3)$ ?

Why does the graph only appear in quadrants 1 and 3?

State two other points that satisfy this relation, one in quadrant 1 the other in quadrant 3.



The products of  $x$  and  $y$  will be negative in quadrants 1 and 3. We need to have a positive product.

Sketch the graph of  $xy = 8$ .

$$0.5 \times 16$$

$$1 \times 8$$

$$2 \times 4$$

$$4 \times 2$$

$$8 \times 1$$

$$16 \times 0.5$$

$$-0.5 \times -16$$

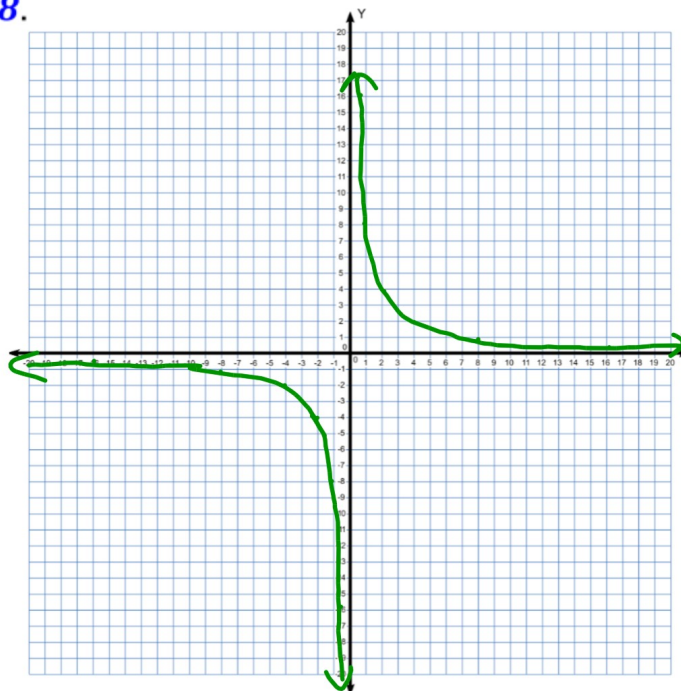
$$-1 \times -8$$

$$-2 \times -4$$

$$-4 \times -2$$

$$-8 \times -1$$

$$-16 \times -0.5$$



Sketch the graph of  $xy < 8$ .

The shaded  
region represents  
 $xy < 8$

Eg  $(2, 1)$  is in the region  
because  $2 \times 1 < 8$

