EXAM/EQAO REVIEW

- 1. Determine the slope and y-intercept of the line: 8x + 2y - 4 = 0
- 2. Determine the equation of the line that passes through point Q(6, 9) with a slope of $\frac{-3}{4}$

Learning Goals

- 1. To understand that 3 types of relationships exist in a scatter plot: positive, negative, none.
- 2. To understand the difference between independent and dependent.
- 3. To understand the difference between discrete and continuous data.
- 4. To put the correct variable on the correct axis.
- 5. To be able to identify the proper relationship between two variables.

6.1 - Interpreting Data

If the data points on the scatter plot seem to follow a predictable pattern, you might suggest that there is a relationship between the variables.

Three relationships are possible:

1. <u>No relationship exists</u> - the data is scattered.

- <u>A positive relationship exists</u> as the independent variable increases, the dependent variable increases (i.e. the cluster of data looks like a positive slope).
- 3. <u>A negative relationship exists</u> as the independent variable increases, the dependent variable decreases (i.e. the cluster of data looks like a negative slope).

<u>Dependent Variable</u> - In a relation, the variable whose value you calculate. This variable depends on the other variable.

Independent Variable - In a relation, the variable whose values you choose.

Discrete Data - a set of data that cannot be broken into smaller parts.

<u>Continuous Data</u> - a set of data that can be broken down into smaller and smaller parts and still have meaning.

Example One

The table below shows how many sit-ups Tara did in gym class.

Time (min)	0.5	1	1.5	2	2.5	3	3.5	4
Sit-ups Completed	17	33	48	62	72	80	86	91

a) What is the dependent variable? Why?





d) What relationship exists (positive, negative, or none) exists between completed sit-ups and time?

Positive because as time increases, the # of sit-ups increase.

Example Two

Students in grade 9 and grade 10 are trying out for the junior boys' baseball team at St. Joe's. The speeds of their pitches were measured with a hand-held radar gun and are shown in the table below.



b) What is the independent variable?

age

c) Should you connect the points with a dashed line (for discrete data) or a solid line (continuous data)? Why?



Discrete = whole # Continuous = decimal #

d) What relationship exists (positive, negative, or none) exists between completed throwing speed and age?

No relationship exists.

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