

## Linear Function – Review

**Slope of a line:** Let  $P_1(x_1, y_1)$  and  $P_2(x_2, y_2)$  be distinct points on a non-vertical line, L. The slope of L is

**SLOPE-INTERCEPT FORM**

**POINT-SLOPE FORM**

**GENERAL FORM**

where A and B are not both zero, A, B and C are preferably integers

**STANDARD FORM**

where A and B are not both zero, A, B and C are preferably integers and  $A \geq 0$

- **Parallel lines** have identical slope.
  
- **Perpendicular lines** have slopes that are negative reciprocals of one another.

## Domain (D) and Range (R)

- **A function from a set D to a set R is a rule that assigns a unique element in R to each element in D.**
- Domain and range can be described as intervals. The endpoints of an interval are the **boundary** and are called the **boundary points**. The remaining points are the interval's **interior** and are called the **interior points**.
- **A Closed Interval:** an interval that contains the boundary points.
  
- **An Open Interval:** an interval that does not contain any boundary points. That is every point in the interval is an interior point.
  
- Some intervals are closed on one side and open on the other side. These intervals are neither open nor closed.