

14) Any line perpendicular to $y = 4x + 3$ must have slope $-\frac{1}{4}$.

15) Solve the following systems of equations

a) $2x + 4y = 3$
 $3x - y = 1$ $\cdot 4$ $\rightarrow$ $12x - 4y = 4$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2x + 4y = 3 \\ 12x - 4y = 4 \\ \hline 14x = 7 \\ x = \frac{1}{2} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + 4y &= 3 \\ 1 + 4y &= 3 \\ 4y &= 2 \\ y &= \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$\boxed{\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)}$

b) $x = 4 - 2y$ $\rightarrow$ $x + 2y = 4$
 $x + 2y = 6$ $\cdot -1$ $\rightarrow$ $-x - 2y = -6$

$$\begin{array}{r} x + 2y = 4 \\ -x - 2y = -6 \\ \hline 0 = -2 \end{array}$$

no solution

c) $2x + 3y = 1$ $\cdot (-2)$ $\rightarrow$ $-4x - 6y = -2$
 $4x + 6y = 2$

$$\begin{array}{r} -4x - 6y = -2 \\ 4x + 6y = 2 \\ \hline 0 = 0 \end{array}$$

infinitely many solutions
 They are the same line
 $\boxed{2x + 3y = 1}$

16) The sum of two numbers is 8. The larger number minus the smaller number is 20. Find the numbers.

$x = \text{larger \#}$
 $y = \text{smaller \#}$

$$\begin{array}{r} x + y = 8 \\ x - y = 20 \\ \hline 2x = 28 \\ x = 14 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 14 + y = 8 \\ y = -6 \end{array}$$

check $x - y = 14 - (-6) = 20$ ✓

numbers are 14 and -6