

FINDING THE GRADIENT (RATIO)

Answer all of these questions. Remember to show your working out in all questions.

MAIN QUESTIONS

1.	(2, 3) and (4, 7)	2	2.	(1, 5) and (3, 9)	2
3.	(0, 0) and (3, 6)	2	4.	(-1, 2) and (1, 6)	2
5.	(4, 1) and (6, 5)	2	6.	(2, 8) and (5, 17)	3
7.	(-3, 4) and (1, 12)	2	8.	(5, 2) and (8, 8)	2
9.	(-2, -3) and (0, 1)	2	10.	(3, 7) and (7, 15)	2
11.	(1, -2) and (4, 4)	2	12.	(-4, 5) and (-1, 14)	3
13.	(6, 3) and (10, 11)	2	14.	(2, 9) and (5, 18)	3
15.	(-3, -5) and (1, 3)	2	16.	(4, 6) and (7, 15)	3
17.	(0, 4) and (3, 13)	3	18.	(-2, 8) and (2, 16)	2
19.	(5, 1) and (8, 10)	3	20.	(3, -4) and (6, 2)	2
21.	(-1, -6) and (2, 0)	2	22.	(7, 2) and (10, 11)	3
23.	(4, 8) and (6, 14)	3	24.	(-3, 7) and (0, 16)	3
25.	(2, 5) and (5, 14)	3	26.	(1, -3) and (4, 6)	3
27.	(-4, -2) and (-1, 7)	3	28.	(6, 4) and (9, 13)	3

29. (3, 2) and (7, 14)

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30. (-2, -8) and (1, 1)

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MASTER QUESTIONS



- M1. A straight road rises 15 metres over a horizontal distance of 300 metres. Calculate the gradient. | 1/20
- M2. A hiking trail climbs 120 metres vertically over 2 kilometres horizontally. What is its gradient? | 3/50
- M3. A wheelchair ramp must have a maximum gradient of 1:12. If it rises 0.5 metres, what is the minimum horizontal length required? | 6 metres
- M4. A railway track rises 8 metres over 800 metres. Express the gradient as a simplified fraction. | 1/100
- M5. A roof pitch has a vertical rise of 3 metres for every 4 metres horizontally. What is the gradient? | 3/4
- M6. A ski slope drops 250 metres over a horizontal distance of 800 metres. Calculate the gradient. | -5/16
- M7. A drainage pipe falls 1.5 metres over 30 metres. What is the gradient? | -1/20
- M8. A hill climbs 75 metres over a horizontal distance of 500 metres. Express the gradient in simplest form. | 3/20
- M9. A staircase rises 2.7 metres over 15 steps with each step having a 25cm horizontal depth. Calculate the gradient. | 18/25
- M10. A cycling track has a gradient of 1:20. If it climbs 12 metres, what horizontal distance does it cover? | 240 metres