## Exercise 1.

Solve for x:

$$\frac{x^2 - 1}{x} = k$$

Exercise 2.

Solve for x and y:

$$\begin{cases} 2x + y = 3\\ x - y = b \end{cases}$$

### Exercise 3.

Line B has equation y = 3x + 4. Line A has twice the slope as line B and passes through the point (3, -1). Find the equation of line A and draw a diagram.

#### Exercise 4.

Two trains are travelling in the same direction, both starting from New York. The first one leaves New York at 8 am with a constant speed of 40 miles per hour. The second one leaves one hour later and with a constant speed of 70 miles per hour. After how many minutes, would the second train reach the first one?

Draw a diagram representing the position of the two trains at time t.

#### Exercise 5.

You want to build a rectangular box with a volume of 100 cubic feet and with a base of 10 square feet. Express the surface area of the box in terms of the length of one of the sides and sketch its graph.

**Exercise 6.** Solve for x

- a)  $\log(9+x) = 3a$
- b)  $2^{\frac{1}{x}} = 6 + b$
- c)  $\log(x^3) \log(x^5) = 10.$

# Exercise 7.

On friday morning the stock A increased its value by 10% each hour continuously. If its value at 8am was 30\$, after how many minutes did its value reach 40\$?