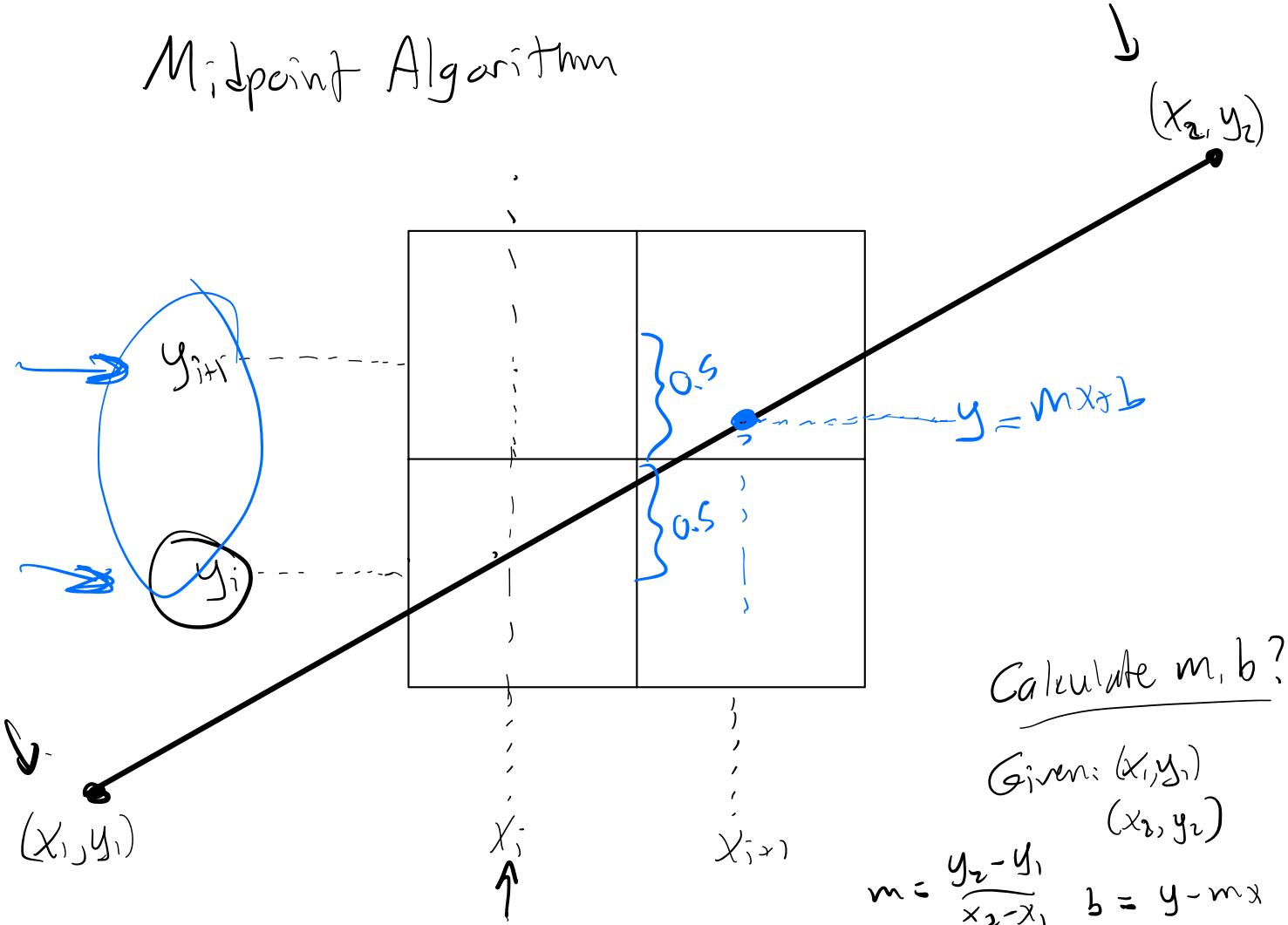


# Midpoint Algorithm



Calculate m, b?

Given:  $(x_1, y_1)$   
 $(x_2, y_2)$

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}, \quad b = y - mx$$

$$b = y_1 - mx_1$$

Efficiency?

Slow-line( $p_1, p_2$ ):

// compute m, b

for  $x = \text{ceil}(x_1) : \text{floor}(x_2)$ :

$$y = b + mx$$

draw  $(\underbrace{x}_{x}, \underbrace{\text{round}(y)}_{y})$

1 add  
 1 mult  
 1 round

fast\_line( $p_1, p_2$ ):  
  // compute m, b  
   $y = b + m \cdot x_{\min}$

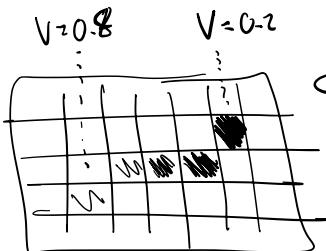
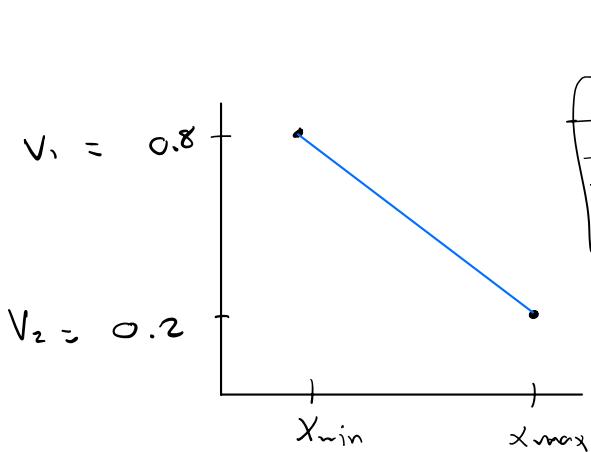
Efficiency?

for  $x = \text{ceil}(x_1) : \text{floor}(x_2)$ :

$y \leftarrow m$   
  draw( $x, \text{round}(y)$ )

# Interpolating Values

Given  $P_1 = (x_1, y_1)$  and  $P_2 = (x_2, y_2)$  and  $V_1, V_2$ ,  
 Scalar values of some attribute at the endpoints,  
 e.g. color  
 interpolate values at each pixel drawn.



Colored line  $(P_1, P_2, V_1, V_2)$ :

// calc m, b

// calc  $m_V$   $b_V$

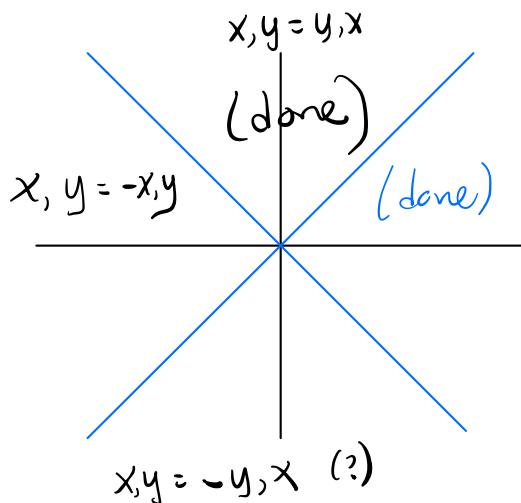
for  $x = x_{\min} : x_{\max}$ :

$$y = mx + b$$

$$v = m_V x + b_V$$

draw  $(x, \text{round}(y), v)$

Octants?  
Other Quadrants



Parametric view:

$$v(x) = V_1 + \frac{x - x_1}{x_2 - x_1} (V_2 - V_1)$$

$$v_1 + t (V_2 - V_1)$$

$$v(t) = (1-t)v_1 + t(v_2)$$

