

WORKSHEET 3.3 – Solving Systems by ELIMINATION



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DIRECTIONS: Solve each system of linear equations using the ELIMINATION METHOD.

1) $2x + 8y = 8$
 $3x - 2y = -16$

$(-4, 2)$

2) $8x + 2y = -10$
 $4x + 3y = 9$

$(-3, 7)$

3) $-2x + 3y = -15$
 $4x - 6y = -2$

NO
SOLUTION

4) $6x + 5y = -1$
 $8x + 2y = 8$

$(\frac{3}{2}, -2)$

5) $-4x + 6y = -4$
 $6x + 3y = 2$

$(\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{3})$

6) $8x + 2y = -8$
 $7x - 7y = 28$

$(0, -4)$

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$$\begin{aligned} 7) \quad 2x + 3y &= -10 \\ 5x + 6y &= -19 \end{aligned}$$

(1, -4)

$$\begin{aligned} 8) \quad 12x - 9y &= -18 \\ 8x - 6y &= -12 \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} 9) \quad 7x + 2y &= 16 \\ 12x - 2y &= -16 \end{aligned}$$

(0, 8)

$$\begin{aligned} 10) \quad 2x + 4y &= 28 \\ -6x + 4y &= -20 \end{aligned}$$

(6, 4)

$$\begin{aligned} 11) \quad 4x + 12y &= 15 \\ -3x - 9y &= -8 \end{aligned}$$

NO
SOLUTION

$$\begin{aligned} 12) \quad 14x + 23y &= -863 \\ 9x - 46y &= 2910 \end{aligned}$$

(-244, 111)