

1st: Add or subtract

Last step: Always \div by what is attached to variable

Two-Step Equation Notes:

1. $6x + 8 = 50$
 $\frac{6x + 8}{-8 - 8}$

$\frac{6x = 42}{6 \quad 6}$

$x = 7$

2. $2n - 5 = 11$
 $\frac{2n - 5}{+5 + 5}$

$\frac{2n = 16}{2 \quad 2}$

$n = 8$

3. $13 = -4k + 9$
 $\frac{13}{-9} \frac{-4k + 9}{-9}$

$\frac{4 = -4k}{-4 \quad -4}$

$-1 = k$

4. $7 - 3y = 34$
 $\frac{7 - 3y}{-7 - 7}$

$\frac{-3y = 27}{-3 \quad -3}$

$y = -9$

5. $\frac{x}{2} - 7 = 9$
 $\frac{x}{2} - 7 \frac{+7 + 7}{+7 + 7}$

$\frac{x}{2} = 16$

$\frac{1}{2} \quad \frac{1}{2}$

$x = 32$

6. $11 = \frac{c}{-5} + 8$
 $\frac{11}{-8} \frac{\frac{c}{-5} + 8}{-8 - 8}$

$3 = \frac{c}{-5}$

$\frac{1}{-5} \quad \frac{1}{-5}$

$-15 = c$

7. $\frac{3}{5}x + 22 = 28$
 $\frac{3}{5}x + 22 \frac{-22 - 22}{-22 - 22}$

$\frac{3}{5}x = 6$

$\frac{3}{5} \quad \frac{3}{5}$

$x = 10$

8. $-\frac{1}{3}m + 1 = -1$
 $\frac{-1}{3}m + 1 \frac{-1 - 1}{-1 - 1}$

$-\frac{1}{3}m = -2$

$\frac{-1}{3} \quad \frac{-1}{3}$

$m = 6$

9. $-10 + \frac{7}{4}p = -38$
 $\frac{-10 + \frac{7}{4}p}{+10 + 10}$

$\frac{7}{4}p = -28$

$\frac{7}{4} \quad \frac{7}{4}$

$p = -16$

10. $15 = 9 - \frac{1}{2}x$
 $\frac{15}{-9} \frac{9 - \frac{1}{2}x}{-9 - 9}$

$6 = -\frac{1}{2}x$

$\frac{1}{2} \quad \frac{1}{2}$

$-12 = x$

11. $\frac{x+11}{8} = -3$
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Mult

$x+11 = -24$

$x = -35$

what's on top stays on top
12. $\frac{n-5}{-2} = -7$
Mult

$n-5 = 14$

$n = 19$

13. $1 = \frac{a-13}{6}$
Mult 6

what's on top stays on top

$-6 = a - 13$

$7 = a$

14. $4 = \frac{w+8}{9}$
Mult 9

$36 = w + 8$

$28 = w$

15. Is 26 a solution to the following equation:

$x = 26$

$\frac{1}{2}x + 6 = -7$

$\frac{1}{2}(26) + 6 = -7$

$13 + 6 = -7$

$19 \neq -7$

26 is not a solution

16. The difference of 34 and $9x$ is -2 . Write the equation and solve the equation.

$$\begin{array}{r} 34 - 9x = -2 \\ -34 \quad -34 \\ \hline -9x = -36 \\ \frac{-9}{-9} \quad \frac{-36}{-9} \\ \hline x = 4 \end{array}$$

17. The sum of $4x$ and -8 is sixteen. Write the equation and solve the equation.

$$\begin{array}{r} 4x + -8 = 16 \\ 4x - 8 = 16 \\ +8 \quad +8 \\ \hline 4x = 24 \\ \frac{4}{4} \quad \frac{24}{4} \end{array} \quad x = 6$$

18. $6x - 2x + 11 = -5$

Combine like terms

$$\begin{array}{r} 4x + 11 = -5 \\ -11 \quad -11 \\ \hline 4x = -16 \\ \frac{4}{4} \quad \frac{-16}{4} \\ \hline x = -4 \end{array}$$

19. $-12 = 5t - 7t + 6$

$$\begin{array}{r} -12 = 5t - 7t + 6 \\ -6 \quad -6 \\ \hline -18 = -2t \\ \frac{-18}{-2} \quad \frac{-2t}{-2} \\ \hline 9 = t \end{array}$$

20. A rectangle's perimeter is 26 and it

has a length of $2x + 1$ & a width of x .

Find the measure of the length and width.

$$\begin{array}{c} 2x + 1 \\ \boxed{P = 26} \quad X \end{array}$$

$$26 = \underbrace{2x + 1}_m + \underbrace{x}_m + \underbrace{2x + 1}_m + \underbrace{x}_m$$

combine like terms

$$\begin{array}{r} 26 = 6x + 2 \\ -2 \quad -2 \\ \hline 24 = 6x \\ \frac{24}{6} \quad \frac{6x}{6} \end{array}$$

$$4 = x$$

length: $2x + 1 = 2(4) + 1 = 9$
width: $x = 4$