

8.1 Practice Problems

Solve the following systems by elimination.

$$1. \begin{cases} 2x + y = 7 \\ 3x - y = -2 \end{cases}$$

$$2. \begin{cases} 2x + 3y = -9 \\ 4x - y = 17 \end{cases}$$

$$3. \begin{cases} 2x + 3y = 8 \\ 3x + 4y = -5 \end{cases}$$

$$4. \begin{cases} 6x - y = -15 \\ 4x + 5y = 7 \end{cases}$$

$$5. \begin{cases} 3x - 2y = 8 \\ -6x + 4y = -16 \end{cases}$$

$$6. \begin{cases} 4x - y = 5 \\ 2y - 8x = 7 \end{cases}$$

$$7. \begin{cases} x+2y & =5 \\ -3y+5z & =9 \\ 4x & -z=1 \end{cases}$$

$$8. \begin{cases} x+2y-3z & =-16 \\ 2x-4y+z & =20 \\ 3x+5y-2z & =-17 \end{cases}$$

9. A restaurant manager wants to purchase 300 sets of dishes. One design costs \$20 per set, while another costs \$45 per set. If she wants to use her entire budget of \$11,000, how many of each design should be ordered?