

EXERCISE 4.3

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1. Solve the following equations:

(a) $2y + (5/2) = (37/2)$

Solution:-By transposing $(5/2)$ from LHS to RHS it becomes $-5/2$

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} &= 2y = (37/2) - (5/2) \\ &= 2y = (37-5)/2 \\ &= 2y = 32/2 \end{aligned}$$

Now,

Divide both side by 2,

$$\begin{aligned} &= 2y/2 = (32/2)/2 \\ &= y = (32/2) \times (1/2) \\ &= y = 32/4 \\ &= y = 8 \end{aligned}$$

(b) $5t + 28 = 10$

Solution:-

By transposing 28 from LHS to RHS it becomes -28

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} &= 5t = 10 - 28 \\ &= 5t = -18 \end{aligned}$$

Now,

Divide both side by 5,

$$\begin{aligned} &= 5t/5 = -18/5 \\ &= t = -18/5 \end{aligned}$$

(c) $(a/5) + 3 = 2$

Solution:-

By transposing 3 from LHS to RHS it becomes -3

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} &= a/5 = 2 - 3 \\ &= a/5 = -1 \end{aligned}$$

Now,

Multiply both side by 5,

$$= (a/5) \times 5 = -1 \times 5$$

$$= a = -5$$

(d) $(q/4) + 7 = 5$

Solution:-

By transposing 7 from LHS to RHS it becomes -7

Then,

$$= q/4 = 5 - 7$$

$$= q/4 = -2$$

Now,

Multiply both side by 4,

$$= (q/4) \times 4 = -2 \times 4$$

$$= a = -8$$

(e) $(5/2)x = -5$

Solution:-

First we have to multiply both the side by 2,

$$= (5x/2) \times 2 = -5 \times 2$$

$$= 5x = -10$$

Now,

We have to divide both the side by 5,

Then we get,

$$= 5x/5 = -10/5$$

$$= x = -2$$

(f) $(5/2)x = 25/4$

Solution:-

First we have to multiply both the side by 2,

$$= (5x/2) \times 2 = (25/4) \times 2$$

$$= 5x = (25/2)$$

Now,

We have to divide both the side by 5,

Then we get,

$$= 5x/5 = (25/2)/5$$

$$= x = (25/2) \times (1/5)$$

$$= x = (5/2)$$

(g) $7m + (19/2) = 13$

Solution:-

By transposing $(19/2)$ from LHS to RHS it becomes $-19/2$

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} &= 7m = 13 - (19/2) \\ &= 7m = (26 - 19)/2 \\ &= 7m = 7/2 \end{aligned}$$

Now,

Divide both side by 7,

$$\begin{aligned} &= 7m/7 = (7/2)/7 \\ &= m = (7/2) \times (1/7) \\ &= m = \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

(h) $6z + 10 = - 2$ **Solution:-**

By transposing 10 from LHS to RHS it becomes - 10

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} &= 6z = -2 - 10 \\ &= 6z = - 12 \end{aligned}$$

Now,

Divide both side by 6,

$$\begin{aligned} &= 6z/6 = -12/6 \\ &= m = - 2 \end{aligned}$$

(i) $(3/2) l = 2/3$ **Solution:-**

First we have to multiply both the side by 2,

$$\begin{aligned} &= (3l/2) \times 2 = (2/3) \times 2 \\ &= 3l = (4/3) \end{aligned}$$

Now,

We have to divide both the side by 3,

Then we get,

$$\begin{aligned} &= 3l/3 = (4/3)/3 \\ &= l = (4/3) \times (1/3) \\ &= x = (4/9) \end{aligned}$$

(j) $(2b/3) - 5 = 3$ **Solution:-**

By transposing -5 from LHS to RHS it becomes 5

Then,

$$= 2b/3 = 3 + 5$$

$$= 2b/3 = 8$$

Now,

Multiply both side by 3,

$$= (2b/3) \times 3 = 8 \times 3$$

$$= 2b = 24$$

And,

Divide both side by 2,

$$= 2b/2 = 24/2$$

$$= b = 12$$

2. Solve the following equations:

(a) $2(x + 4) = 12$

Solution:-

Let us divide both the side by 2,

$$= (2(x + 4))/2 = 12/2$$

$$= x + 4 = 6$$

By transposing 4 from LHS to RHS it becomes -4

$$= x = 6 - 4$$

$$= x = 2$$

(b) $3(n - 5) = 21$

Solution:-

Let us divide both the side by 3,

$$= (3(n - 5))/3 = 21/3$$

$$= n - 5 = 7$$

By transposing -5 from LHS to RHS it becomes 5

$$= n = 7 + 5$$

$$= n = 12$$

(c) $3(n - 5) = -21$

Solution:-

Let us divide both the side by 3,

$$= (3(n - 5))/3 = -21/3$$

$$= n - 5 = -7$$

By transposing -5 from LHS to RHS it becomes 5

$$= n = -7 + 5$$

$$= n = -2$$

(d) $-4(2 + x) = 8$

Solution:-

Let us divide both the side by -4,

$$= (-4(2 + x)) / (-4) = 8 / (-4)$$

$$= 2 + x = -2$$

By transposing 2 from LHS to RHS it becomes - 2

$$= x = -2 - 2$$

$$= x = -4$$

(e) $4(2 - x) = 8$

Solution:-

Let us divide both the side by 4,

$$= (4(2 - x)) / 4 = 8 / 4$$

$$= 2 - x = 2$$

By transposing 2 from LHS to RHS it becomes - 2

$$= -x = 2 - 2$$

$$= -x = 0$$

$$= x = 0$$

3. Solve the following equations:

(a) $4 = 5(p - 2)$

Solution:-

Let us divide both the side by 5,

$$= 4/5 = (5(p - 2))/5$$

$$= 4/5 = p - 2$$

By transposing - 2 from RHS to LHS it becomes 2

$$= (4/5) + 2 = p$$

$$= (4 + 10) / 5 = p$$

$$= p = 14/5$$

(b) $-4 = 5(p - 2)$

Solution:-

Let us divide both the side by 5,

$$= -4/5 = (5(p - 2))/5$$

$$= -4/5 = p - 2$$

By transposing - 2 from RHS to LHS it becomes 2

$$= -(4/5) + 2 = p$$

$$= (-4 + 10)/5 = p$$

$$= p = 6/5$$

(c) $16 = 4 + 3(t + 2)$

Solution:-

By transposing 4 from RHS to LHS it becomes - 4

$$= 16 - 4 = 3(t + 2)$$

$$= 12 = 3(t + 2)$$

Let us divide both the side by 3,

$$= 12/3 = (3(t + 2))/3$$

$$= 4 = t + 2$$

By transposing 2 from RHS to LHS it becomes - 2

$$= 4 - 2 = t$$

$$= t = 2$$

(d) $4 + 5(p - 1) = 34$

Solution:-

By transposing 4 from LHS to RHS it becomes - 4

$$= 5(p - 1) = 34 - 4$$

$$= 5(p - 1) = 30$$

Let us divide both the side by 5,

$$= (5(p - 1))/5 = 30/5$$

$$= p - 1 = 6$$

By transposing - 1 from RHS to LHS it becomes 1

$$= p = 6 + 1$$

$$= p = 7$$

(e) $0 = 16 + 4(m - 6)$

Solution:-

By transposing 16 from RHS to LHS it becomes - 16

$$= 0 - 16 = 4(m - 6)$$

$$= -16 = 4(m - 6)$$

Let us divide both the side by 4,
 $= -16/4 = (4(m - 6))/4$
 $= -4 = m - 6$

By transposing - 6 from RHS to LHS it becomes 6
 $= -4 + 6 = m$
 $= m = 2$

4. (a) Construct 3 equations starting with $x = 2$ **Solution:-**

First equation is,

Multiply both side by 6

$$= 6x = 12 \quad \dots \text{ [equation 1]}$$

Second equation is,

Subtracting 4 from both side,

$$= 6x - 4 = 12 - 4$$
$$= 6x - 4 = 8 \quad \dots \text{ [equation 2]}$$

Third equation is,

Divide both side by 6

$$= (6x/6) - (4/6) = (8/6)$$
$$= x - (4/6) = (8/6) \quad \dots \text{ [equation 3]}$$

(b) Construct 3 equations starting with $x = -2$ **Solution:-**

First equation is,

Multiply both side by 5

$$= 5x = -10 \quad \dots \text{ [equation 1]}$$

Second equation is,

Subtracting 3 from both side,

$$= 5x - 3 = -10 - 3$$
$$= 5x - 3 = -13 \quad \dots \text{ [equation 2]}$$

Third equation is,

Dividing both sides by 2

$$= (5x/2) - (3/2) = (-13/2) \quad \dots \text{ [equation 3]}$$