

Unit 4(Linear Equation In One Variable)

Multiple Choice Questions

Question. 1 The solution of which of the following equations is neither a fraction nor an integer?

(a) $-3x + 2 = 5x + 2$ (b) $4x - 18 = 2$ (c) $4x + 7 = x + 2$ (d) $5x - 8 = x + 4$

Solution. For option (c)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Given linear equation is} & \quad 3x + 2 = 5x + 2 \\ \Rightarrow & \quad 3x - 5x = 2 - 2 && \text{[transposing } 5x \text{ to LHS and } 2 \text{ to RHS]} \\ \Rightarrow & \quad -2x = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & \quad \frac{-2x}{-2} = \frac{0}{-2} && \text{[dividing both sides by } -2\text{]} \\ \therefore & \quad x = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $x = 0$ is an integer.

For option (b)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Given linear equation is} & \quad 4x - 18 = 2 \\ \Rightarrow & \quad 4x = 2 + 18 && \text{[transposing } -18 \text{ to RHS]} \\ \Rightarrow & \quad 4x = 20 \\ \Rightarrow & \quad \frac{4x}{4} = \frac{20}{4} && \text{[dividing both sides by } 4\text{]} \\ \therefore & \quad x = 5 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $x = 5$ is a positive integer.

For option (c)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Given linear equation is} & \quad 4x + 7 = x + 2 \\ \Rightarrow & \quad 4x - x = 2 - 7 && \text{[transposing } x \text{ to LHS and } 7 \text{ to RHS]} \\ \Rightarrow & \quad 3x = -5 \\ \therefore & \quad x = \frac{-5}{3} && \text{[dividing both sides by } 3\text{]} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $x = \frac{-5}{3}$ is neither a fraction nor an integer.

For option (d)

Given linear equation is $5x - 8 = x + 4$

$$\Rightarrow 5x - x = 4 + 8 \quad [\text{transposing } x \text{ to LHS and } -8 \text{ to RHS}]$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{4x}{4} = \frac{12}{4} \quad [\text{dividing both sides by 4}]$$

$$\therefore x = 3$$

Hence, $x = 3$ is a positive integer.

From the above it is clear that, option (c) satisfies the condition.

Question. 2 The solution of the equation $ax + b = 0$ is

(a) $x = \frac{a}{b}$

(b) $x = -b$

(c) $x = \frac{-b}{a}$

(d) $x = \frac{b}{a}$

Solution.

(c) Given equation is $ax + b = 0$

$$\Rightarrow ax = -b \quad [\text{transposing } b \text{ to RHS}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{ax}{a} = \frac{-b}{a} \quad [\text{dividing both sides by } a]$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{-b}{a}$$

Hence, the solution of the equation $ax + b = 0$ is $x = \frac{-b}{a}$.

Question. 3 If $8x - 3 = 25 + 17x$, then x is

(a) a fraction (b) an integer

(c) a rational number (d) Cannot be solved

Solution. (c) Given, $8x - 3 = 25 + 17x$

$$\Rightarrow 8x - 17x = 25 + 3 \quad [\text{transposing } 17x \text{ to LHS and } -3 \text{ to RHS}]$$

$$\Rightarrow -9x = 28$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{-28}{9} \quad [\text{dividing both sides by } -9]$$

Hence, x is a rational number.

Question. 4 The shifting of a number from one side of an equation to other is called

(a) transposition (b) distributivity

(c) commutativity (d) associativity .

Solution. (a) The shifting of a number from one side of an equation to other side is called transposition.

e.g. $x + a = 0$ is the equation, $x = -a$

Here, number 'a' shifts from left hand side to right hand side.

Question. 5 If $\frac{5x}{3} - 4 = \frac{2x}{5}$, then the numerical value of $2x - 7$ is

(a) $\frac{19}{13}$ (b) $\frac{-13}{19}$

(c) 0 (d) $\frac{13}{19}$

Solution. (b)

Given, $\frac{5x}{3} - 4 = \frac{2x}{5}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{5x}{3} - \frac{2x}{5} = 4$ [transposing $\frac{2x}{5}$ to LHS and -4 to RHS]

$\Rightarrow \frac{25x - 6x}{15} = 4$ [taking LCM in LHS]

$\Rightarrow 19x = 60$

$\Rightarrow \frac{19x}{19} = \frac{60}{19}$ [dividing both sides by 19]

$\therefore x = \frac{60}{19}$

Now, $2x - 7 = 2 \times \frac{60}{19} - 7$ [putting the value of x]

$= \frac{120 - 133}{19} = -\frac{13}{19}$ [taking LCM]

Hence, the numerical value of $2x - 7$ is $-\frac{13}{19}$.

Question. 6 The value of x , for which the expressions $3x - 4$ and $2x + 1$ become equal, is

- (a) -3 (b) 0
(c) 5 (d) 1

Solution. (c) Given expressions $3x - 4$ and $2x + 1$ are equal.

Then, $3x - 4 = 2x + 1$

$3x - 2x = 1 + 4$ [transposing $2x$ to LHS and -4 to RHS]

$x = 5$

Hence, the value of x is 5.

Question. 7 If a and b are positive integers, then the solution of the equation $ax = b$ has to be always

- (a) positive (b) negative (c) one (d) zero

Solution. (a) If $ax = b$, then $x = \frac{b}{a}$

Since, a and b are positive integers. So, $\frac{b}{a}$ is also positive integer. Hence, the solution of the given equation has to be always positive.

Question. 8 Linear equation in one variable has

- (a) only one variable with any power
(b) only one term with a variable
(c) only one variable with power 1
(d) only constant term

Solution. (c) Linear equation in one variable has only one variable with power 1.

e.g. $3x + 1 = 0$, $2y - 3 = 7$ and $z + 9 = -2$ are the linear equations in one variable.

Question. 9 Which of the following is a linear expression?

- (a) $x^2 + 1$ (b) $y + y^2$
(c) 4 (d) $1 + z$

Solution. (d) We know that, the algebraic expression in one variable having the highest power of the variable as 1, is known as the linear expression.

Here, $1 + z$ is the only linear expression, as the power of the variable z is 1.

Question. 10 A linear equation in one variable has

- (a) only one solution (b) two solutions
(c) more than two solutions (d) no solution

Solution. (a) A linear equation in one variable has only one solution.

e.g. Solution of the linear equation $ax + b = 0$ is unique, i.e. $x = -\frac{b}{a}$

Question. 11 The value of S in $\frac{1}{3} + S = \frac{2}{5}$ is

(a) $\frac{4}{5}$ (b) $\frac{1}{15}$

(c) 10 (d) 0

Solution. (b) Given, $\frac{1}{3} + S = \frac{2}{5}$

$\Rightarrow S = \frac{2}{5} - \frac{1}{3}$ [transposing $\frac{1}{3}$ to RHS]

$\Rightarrow S = \frac{6-5}{15}$ [taking LCM in RHS]

$\therefore S = \frac{1}{15}$

Question. 12 If $-\frac{4}{3}y = -\frac{3}{4}$ then y is equal to

(a) $-\left[\frac{3}{4}\right]^2$ (b) $-\left[\frac{4}{3}\right]^2$

(c) $\left[\frac{3}{4}\right]^2$ (d) $\left[\frac{4}{3}\right]^2$

Solution.

(c) Given, $-\frac{4}{3}y = -\frac{3}{4}$

$\Rightarrow y = \frac{-3}{4} \times \frac{-3}{4}$ [by cross-multiplication]

$\Rightarrow y = \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^2$

Hence, the value of y is $\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^2$.

Question. 13 The digit in the ten's place of a two-digit number is 3 more than the digit in the unit's place. Let the digit at unit's place be b. Then, the number is

(a) $11b+30$ (b) $10b+ 30$

(c) $11 b + 3$ (d) $10b + 3$

Solution. (a) Let digit at unit's place be b.

Then, digit at ten's place = $(3 + b)$

Number = $10(3 + b) + b = 30 + 10b + b = 11b + 30$

Question. 14 Arpita's present age is thrice of Shilpa. If Shilpa's age three years ago was x, then Arpita's present age is

(a) $3(x - 3)$ (b) $3x + 3$

(c) $3x - 9$ (d) $3(x + 3)$

Solution. (d) Given, Shilpa's age three years ago = x

Then, Shilpa's present age = $(x + 3)$

Arpita's present age = $3 \times$ Shilpa's present age = $3(x + 3)$

Question. 15 The sum of three consecutive multiples of 7 is 357. Find the smallest multiple. (a) 112 (b) 126 (c) 119 (d) 116

Solution.

(a) Let the three consecutive multiples of 7 be $7x, (7x + 7), (7x + 14)$ where x is a natural number.

According to the question,

$7x + (7x + 7) + (7x + 14) = 357$

$\Rightarrow 21x + 21 = 357$

$\Rightarrow 21(x + 1) = 357$

$\Rightarrow \frac{21(x + 1)}{21} = \frac{357}{21}$ [dividing both sides by 21]

$\Rightarrow x + 1 = 17$

$\Rightarrow x = 17 - 1$ [transposing 1 to RHS]

$\therefore x = 16$

Hence, the smallest multiple of 7 is 7×16 , i.e. 112.

Fill in the Blanks

In questions 16 to 32, fill in the blanks to make each statement true.

Question. 16 In a linear equation, the highest power of the variable appearing in the equation is one.

Solution. highest

e.g. $x + 3 = 0$ and $x + 2 = 4$ are the linear equations.

Question. 17 The solution of the equation $3x - 4 = 1 - 2x$ is 1.

Solution.

$$\begin{aligned} &1 \\ \text{Given,} & \quad 3x - 4 = 1 - 2x \\ \Rightarrow & \quad 3x + 2x = 1 + 4 \quad [\text{transposing } -2x \text{ to LHS and } -4 \text{ to RHS}] \\ \Rightarrow & \quad 5x = 5 \\ \Rightarrow & \quad \frac{5x}{5} = \frac{5}{5} \quad [\text{dividing both sides by } 5] \\ \therefore & \quad x = 1 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the solution of the given equation is 1.

Question. 18 The solution of the equation $2y = 5y - \frac{18}{5}$ is $\frac{6}{5}$.

Solution.

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{6}{5} \\ \text{Given,} & \quad 2y = 5y - \frac{18}{5} \\ \Rightarrow & \quad 2y - 5y = -\frac{18}{5} \quad [\text{transposing } 5y \text{ to LHS}] \\ \Rightarrow & \quad -3y = -\frac{18}{5} \\ \Rightarrow & \quad \frac{-3y}{-3} = \frac{-18}{-3 \times 5} \quad [\text{dividing both sides by } -3] \\ \therefore & \quad y = \frac{6}{5} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the solution of the given equation is $\frac{6}{5}$.

Question. 19 Any value of the variable, which makes both sides of an equation equal, is known as a solution of the equation.

Solution. e.g. $x + 2 = 3 \Rightarrow x = 3 - 2 = 1$ [transposing 2 to RHS]

Hence, $x = 1$ satisfies the equation and it is a solution of the equation.

Question. 20 $9x - m = -21$ has the solution (-2).

Solution. 3

Let $9x - m = -21$ has the solution (-2).

Since, $x = -2$ is the solution of the equation.

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore & \quad 9 \times (-2) - m = -21 \\ \Rightarrow & \quad -18 - m = -21 \quad [\text{transposing } -21 \text{ to LHS and } -m \text{ to RHS}] \\ & \quad -18 + 21 = m \\ \Rightarrow & \quad m = 3 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $9x - 3 = -21$ has the solution (-2).

Question. 21 Three consecutive numbers whose sum is 12 are 3, 4 and 5.

Solution.

3, 4, 5

Let the three consecutive numbers be x , $x + 1$ and $x + 2$.

According to the question,

$$\begin{aligned}x + x + 1 + x + 2 &= 12 \\ \Rightarrow 3x + 3 &= 12 \\ \Rightarrow 3(x + 1) &= 12 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{3(x + 1)}{3} &= \frac{12}{3} && \text{[dividing both sides by 3]} \\ \Rightarrow x + 1 &= 4 \\ \Rightarrow x &= 4 - 1 && \text{[transposing 1 to RHS]} \\ \Rightarrow x &= 3\end{aligned}$$

Hence, the consecutive numbers are 3, $3 + 1$ and $3 + 2$, i.e. 3, 4 and 5.

Question. 22 The share of A when Rs 25 are divided between A and B, so that A gets Rs 8 more than B, is----.

Solution.

₹ 16.5

Let, B's share be ₹ x . Then, A's share = ₹ $(x + 8)$

According to the question,

$$\begin{aligned}x + x + 8 &= 25 \\ \Rightarrow 2x + 8 &= 25 \\ \Rightarrow 2x &= 25 - 8 && \text{[transposing 8 to RHS]} \\ \Rightarrow 2x &= 17 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{2x}{2} &= \frac{17}{2} && \text{[dividing both sides by 2]} \\ \Rightarrow x &= 8.5\end{aligned}$$

Hence, A's share = $8.5 + 8 = ₹ 16.5$

Question. 23 A term of an equation can be transposed to the other side by changing its---

Solution. sign

e.g. $x + a = 0$ is a linear equation. .

$\Rightarrow x = -a$

Hence, the term of an equation can be transposed to the other side by changing its sign.

Question. 24 On subtracting 8 from x , the result is 2. The value of x is----.

Solution.

10

Given,

$$\begin{aligned}x - 8 &= 2 \\ \Rightarrow x &= 8 + 2 && \text{[transposing -8 to RHS]} \\ \therefore x &= 10\end{aligned}$$

Hence, the value of x is 10.

Question. 25 $\frac{x}{5} + 30 = 18$ has the solution as----.

Solution.

- 60

Given,

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{x}{5} + 30 &= 18 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{x}{5} &= 18 - 30 && \text{[transposing 30 to RHS]} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{x}{5} &= -12 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{x}{5} \times 5 &= -12 \times 5 && \text{[multiplying both sides by 5]} \\ \Rightarrow x &= -60\end{aligned}$$

Hence, the solution is -60.

Question. 26 When a number is divided by 8, the result is -3. The number is----.

Solution.

-24

Let the number be x .

According to the question,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{x}{8} &= -3 \\ \Rightarrow x &= 8 \times (-3) \\ \Rightarrow x &= -24 \quad \text{[by cross-multiplication]} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the required number is -24.

Question. 27 When 9 is subtracted from the product of p and 4, the result is 11. The value of p is—.

Solution.

5

Given, 9 is subtracted from the product of p and 4.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then,} \quad 4p - 9 &= 11 \\ \Rightarrow 4p &= 11 + 9 \quad \text{[transposing -9 to RHS]} \\ \Rightarrow 4p &= 20 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{4p}{4} &= \frac{20}{4} \quad \text{[dividing both sides by 4]} \\ \therefore p &= 5 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the value of p is 5.

Question. 28 If $\frac{2}{5}x - 2 = 5 - \frac{3}{5}x$, then $x =$ —.

Solution.

7

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Given,} \quad \frac{2}{5}x - 2 &= 5 - \frac{3}{5}x \\ \Rightarrow \frac{2x}{5} + \frac{3x}{5} &= 5 + 2 \quad \left[\text{transposing } -\frac{3x}{5} \text{ to LHS and } -2 \text{ to RHS} \right] \\ \Rightarrow \frac{5x}{5} &= 7 \\ \Rightarrow x &= 7 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the value of x is 7.

Question. 29 After 18 years, Swarnim will be 4 times as old as he is now. His present age is —.

Solution.

6 years

Let Swarnim's present age be x yr.

After 18 yr, Swarnim's age = $(x + 18)$ yr

According to the question,

$$\begin{aligned} x + 18 &= 4x \\ \Rightarrow x - 4x &= -18 \quad \text{[transposing } 4x \text{ to LHS and } 18 \text{ to RHS]} \\ \Rightarrow -3x &= -18 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{-3x}{-3} &= \frac{-18}{-3} \quad \text{[dividing both sides by -3]} \\ \therefore x &= 6 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, Swarnim's present age is 6 yr.

Question. 30 Convert the statement 'adding 15 to 4 times x is 39' into an equation.

Solution. $4x + 15 = 39$

To convert the given statement into an equation, first x is multiplied by 4 and then 15 is added to get the result 39. i.e. $4x + 15 = 39$

Question. 31 The denominator of a rational number is greater than the numerator by 10. If the numerator is increased by 1 and the denominator is decreased by 1, then expression for new denominator is—.

Solution.

$$x + 9$$

Let numerator be x . Then, denominator = $x + 10$

$$\therefore \text{Rational number} = \frac{x}{x + 10}$$

According to the question,

$$\text{New rational number} = \frac{\text{Numerator} + 1}{\text{Denominator} - 1} = \frac{x + 1}{x + 10 - 1} = \frac{x + 1}{x + 9}$$

Hence, the new denominator is $x + 9$.

Question. 32 The sum of two consecutive multiples of 10 is 210. The smaller multiple is—.

Solution.

100

Let the two consecutive multiples of 10 be $10x$ and $10x + 10$.

According to the question,

$$\begin{aligned} 10x + 10x + 10 &= 210 \\ \Rightarrow 20x + 10 &= 210 \\ \Rightarrow 20x &= 210 - 10 && \text{[transposing 10 to RHS]} \\ \Rightarrow 20x &= 200 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{20x}{20} &= \frac{200}{20} && \text{[dividing both sides by 20]} \\ \therefore x &= 10 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the smaller multiple is 10×10 , i.e. 100.

True/False

In questions 33 to 48, state whether the statements are True or False.

Question. 33 3 years ago, the age of boy was y years. His age 2 years ago was $(y - 2)$ years.

Solution. False

Given, 3 yr ago, age of boy = y yr

Then, present age of boy = $(y + 3)$ yr

2 yr ago, age of boy = $y + 3 - 2 = (y + 1)$ yr

Question. 34 Shikha's present age is p years. Reemu's present age is 4 times the present age of Shikha. After 5 years, Reemu's age will be $15p$ years.

Solution. False

Given, Shikha's present age = pyr

Then, Reemu's present age = $4 \times$ (Shikha's present age) = $4pyr$ After 5 yr, Reemu's age = $(4p+5)yr$

Question. 35 In a 2-digit number, the unit's place digit is x . If the sum of digits be 9, then the number is $(10x - 9)$.

Solution. False

Given, unit's digit = x

and sum of digits = 9

Ten's digit = $9 - x$

Hence, the number = $10(9 - x) + x = 90 - 10x + x = 90 - 9x$

Question. 36 Sum of the ages of Anju and her mother is 65 years. If Anju's present age is y years, then her mother's age before 5 years is $(60 - y)$ years.

Solution. True

Given, Anju's present age = y yr

Then, Anju's mother age = $(65 - y)$ yr

Before 5 yr, Anju's mother age = $65 - y - 5 = (60 - y)$ yr

Question. 37 The number of boys and girls in a class are in the ratio 5 : 4. If the number of boys is 9 more than the number of girls, then number of boys is 9.

Solution. False

Let the number of boys be $5x$ and the number of girls be $4x$.

According to the question, $-5x - 4x = 9 \Rightarrow x = 9$

Hence, number of boys = $5 \times 9 = 45$

Question. 38 A and B are together 90 years old. Five years ago, A was thrice as old as B was. Hence, the ages of A and B five years back would be $(x - 5)$ years and $(85 - x)$ years, respectively.

Solution. True

Let the age of A be x yr.

Then, age of S = $(90 - x)$ yr

Five years ago, the age of A = $(x - 5)$ yr

The age of B = $90 - x - 5 = (85 - x)$ yr

Hence, the ages of A and B five years back would be $(x - 5)$ yr and $(85 - x)$ yr, respectively.

Question. 39 Two different equations can never have the same answer.

Solution. False

Two different equations may have the same answer.

e.g. $2x + 1 = 2$ and $2x - 5 = -4$ are the two linear equations whose solution is $\frac{1}{2}$

Question. 40 In the equation $3x - 3 = 9$, transposing -3 to RHS, we get $3x = 9$.

Solution. False

Given, $3x - 3 = 9$

$\Rightarrow 3x = 9 + 3$ [transposing -3 to RHS]

$\Rightarrow 3x = 12$

Question. 41 In the equation $2x = 4 - x$, transposing $-x$ to LHS, we get $x = 4$.

Solution. False

Given, $2x = 4 - x$

$\Rightarrow 2x + x = 4$ [transposing $-x$ to LHS]

$\Rightarrow 3x = 4$

Question. 42

If $\frac{15}{8} - 7x = 9$, then $-7x = 9 + \frac{15}{8}$.

Solution.

False

Given,

$$\frac{15}{8} - 7x = 9$$

\Rightarrow

$$-7x = 9 - \frac{15}{8}$$

[transposing $\frac{15}{8}$ to RHS]

Question. 43

If $\frac{x}{3} + 1 = \frac{7}{15}$, then $\frac{x}{3} = \frac{6}{15}$.

Solution.

False

Given,

$$\frac{x}{3} + 1 = \frac{7}{15}$$

\Rightarrow

$$\frac{x}{3} = \frac{7}{15} - 1$$

[transposing 1 to RHS]

\Rightarrow

$$\frac{x}{3} = \frac{7 - 15}{15}$$

\Rightarrow

$$\frac{x}{3} = \frac{-8}{15}$$

Question. 44 If $6x = 18$, then $18x = 54$.

Solution.

True

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Given,} & \quad 6x = 18 \\ \Rightarrow & \quad 3 \times 6x = 18 \times 3 && \text{[multiplying both sides by 3]} \\ \Rightarrow & \quad 18x = 54 \end{aligned}$$

Question. 45 If $\frac{x}{11}$, then $x = \frac{11}{15}$.

Solution.

False

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Given,} & \quad \frac{x}{11} = 15 \\ \Rightarrow & \quad x = 11 \times 15 && \text{[by cross-multiplication]} \end{aligned}$$

Question. 46 If x is an even number, then the next even number is $2(x + 1)$.

Solution. False

Given, x is an even number. Then, the next even number is $(x + 2)$.

Question. 47 If the sum of two consecutive numbers is 93 and one of them is x , then the other number is $93 - x$.

Solution. True

Given, one of the consecutive number = x

Then, the next consecutive number = $x + 1$

According to the question,

$$\begin{aligned} & \quad x + x + 1 = 93 \\ \Rightarrow & \quad 2x = 93 - 1 && \text{[transposing 1 to RHS]} \\ \Rightarrow & \quad 2x = 92 \\ \Rightarrow & \quad \frac{2x}{2} = \frac{92}{2} && \text{[dividing both sides by 2]} \\ \therefore & \quad x = 46 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the other consecutive number = $46 + 1 = 47 = 93 - 46 = 93 - x$

Question. 48 Two numbers differ by 40. When each number is increased by 8, the bigger becomes thrice the lesser number. If one number is x , then the other number is $(40 - x)$.

Solution.

False

Given, one number = x

and other number = $40 - x$

Let $(40 - x) > x$

Then, according to the question,

$$\begin{aligned} & \quad 40 - x + 8 = 3(x + 8) \\ \Rightarrow & \quad 48 - x = 3x + 24 \\ \Rightarrow & \quad -x - 3x = 24 - 48 && \text{[transposing 3x to LHS and 48 to RHS]} \\ \Rightarrow & \quad -4x = -24 \\ \Rightarrow & \quad x = -24 \times \left(-\frac{1}{4}\right) \\ \therefore & \quad x = 6 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, one number = $x = 6$

and other number = $40 - x = 40 - 6 = 34$

Now, difference between numbers = $34 - 6 = 28 \neq 40$

which is not satisfy the condition given in question.

In Questions 49 to 78, solve the following.

Question. 49 $\frac{3x-8}{2x} = 1$.

Solution.

Given, $\frac{3x - 8}{2x} = 1$

$\Rightarrow 3x - 8 = 2x$ [by cross-multiplication]

$\Rightarrow 3x - 2x = 8$ [transposing $2x$ to LHS and 8 to RHS]

$\therefore x = 8$

Question. 50 $\frac{5x}{2x-1} = 2$.

Solution.

Given, $\frac{5x}{2x-1} = 2$

$\Rightarrow 5x = 2(2x - 1)$ [by cross-multiplication]

$\Rightarrow 5x = 4x - 2$

$\Rightarrow 5x - 4x = -2$ [transposing $4x$ to LHS]

$\therefore x = -2$

Question. 51 $\frac{2x-3}{4x+5} = \frac{1}{3}$.

Solution.

Given, $\frac{2x - 3}{4x + 5} = \frac{1}{3}$

$\Rightarrow 3(2x - 3) = 4x + 5$ [by cross-multiplication]

$\Rightarrow 6x - 9 = 4x + 5$

$\Rightarrow 6x - 4x = 9 + 5$ [transposing $4x$ to LHS and -9 to RHS]

$\Rightarrow 2x = 14$

$\Rightarrow \frac{2x}{2} = \frac{14}{2}$ [dividing both sides by 2]

$\therefore x = 7$

Question. 52 $\frac{8}{x} = \frac{5}{x-1}$.

Solution.

Given, $\frac{8}{x} = \frac{5}{x-1}$

$\Rightarrow 8(x - 1) = 5x$ [by cross-multiplication]

$\Rightarrow 8x - 8 = 5x$

$\Rightarrow 8x - 5x = 8$ [transposing $5x$ to LHS and -8 to RHS]

$\Rightarrow 3x = 8$

$\Rightarrow \frac{3x}{3} = \frac{8}{3}$ [dividing both sides by 3]

$\therefore x = \frac{8}{3}$

Question. 53 $\frac{5(1-x)+3(1+x)}{1-2x} = 8$.

Solution.

Given, $\frac{5(1-x) + 3(1+x)}{1-2x} = 8$

$\Rightarrow 5(1-x) + 3(1+x) = 8(1-2x)$ [by cross-multiplication]

$\Rightarrow 5 - 5x + 3 + 3x = 8 - 16x$

$\Rightarrow 8 - 2x = 8 - 16x$

$\Rightarrow 16x - 2x = 8 - 8$ [transposing $-16x$ to LHS and 8 to RHS]

$\Rightarrow 14x = 0$

$\Rightarrow \frac{14x}{14} = \frac{0}{14}$ [dividing both sides by 14]

$\therefore x = 0$

Question. 54 $\frac{0.2x+5}{3.5x-3} = \frac{2}{5}$

Solution.

Given, $\frac{0.2x + 5}{3.5x - 3} = \frac{2}{5}$

$$\Rightarrow 5(0.2x + 5) = 2(3.5x - 3) \quad \text{[by cross-multiplication]}$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 25 = 7x - 6$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 7x = -6 - 25 \quad \text{[transposing 7x to LHS and 25 to RHS]}$$

$$\Rightarrow -6x = -31$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-6x}{-6} = \frac{-31}{-6} \quad \text{[dividing both sides by -6]}$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{31}{6}$$

Question. 55 $\frac{y - (4 - 3y)}{2y - (3y + 4y)} = \frac{1}{5}$

Solution.

Given, $\frac{y - (4 - 3y)}{2y - (3 + 4y)} = \frac{1}{5}$

$$\Rightarrow 5(y - 4 + 3y) = 2y - 3 - 4y \quad \text{[by cross-multiplication]}$$

$$\Rightarrow 5(4y - 4) = -3 - 2y$$

$$\Rightarrow 20y - 20 = -3 - 2y$$

$$\Rightarrow 20y + 2y = 20 - 3 \quad \text{[transposing -20 to RHS and -2y to LHS]}$$

$$\Rightarrow 22y = 17$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{22y}{22} = \frac{17}{22} \quad \text{[dividing both sides by 22]}$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{17}{22}$$

Question. 56 $\frac{x}{5} = \frac{x-1}{6}$

Solution.

Given, $\frac{x}{5} = \frac{x-1}{6}$

$$\Rightarrow 6x = 5(x-1) \quad \text{[by cross-multiplication]}$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x = 5x - 5$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x - 5x = -5 \quad \text{[transposing 5x to LHS]}$$

$$\therefore x = -5$$

Question. 57 $0.4(3x-1) = 0.5x + 1$

Solution.

Given, $0.4(3x - 1) = 0.5x + 1$

$$\Rightarrow 1.2x - 0.4 = 0.5x + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 1.2x - 0.5x = 1 + 0.4 \quad \text{[transposing 0.5x to LHS and -0.4 to RHS]}$$

$$\Rightarrow 0.7x = 1.4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{0.7x}{0.7} = \frac{1.4}{0.7} \quad \text{[dividing both sides by 0.7]}$$

$$\therefore x = 2$$

Question. 58 $8x - 7 - 3x = 6x - 2x - 3$

Solution.

Given, $8x - 7 - 3x = 6x - 2x - 3$

$$\Rightarrow 8x - 3x - 6x + 2x = -3 + 7 \quad \text{[transposing 6x, -2x to LHS and -7 to RHS]}$$

$$\therefore x = 4$$

Question. 59 $10x - 5 - 7x = 5x + 15 - 8$

Solution.

Given, $10x - 5 - 7x = 5x + 15 - 8$

$$\Rightarrow 10x - 7x - 5x = 5 + 15 - 8 \quad \text{[transposing 5x to LHS and -5 to RHS]}$$

$$\Rightarrow -2x = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-2x}{-2} = \frac{12}{-2} \quad \text{[dividing both sides by -2]}$$

$$\therefore x = -6$$

Question. 60 $4t - 3 - (3t + 1) = 5t - 4$

Solution.

Given, $4t - 3 - (3t + 1) = 5t - 4$

$$\Rightarrow 4t - 3 - 3t - 1 = 5t - 4$$

$$\Rightarrow t - 4 = 5t - 4$$

$$\Rightarrow t - 5t = -4 + 4$$

[transposing $5t$ to LHS and -4 to RHS]

$$\Rightarrow -4t = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-4t}{-4} = \frac{0}{-4}$$

[dividing both sides by -4]

$$\therefore t = 0$$

Question. 61 $5(x-1) - 2(x+8) = 0$

Solution.

Given, $5(x - 1) - 2(x + 8) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 5x - 5 - 2x - 16 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x - 21 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x = 21$$

[transposing -21 to RHS]

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3x}{3} = \frac{21}{3}$$

[dividing both sides by 3]

$$\therefore x = 7$$

Question. 62 $\frac{x}{2} - \frac{1}{4}(x - \frac{1}{3}) = \frac{1}{6}(x + 1) + \frac{1}{12}$

Solution.

Given, $\frac{x}{2} - \frac{1}{4}(x - \frac{1}{3}) = \frac{1}{6}(x + 1) + \frac{1}{12}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{2} - \frac{x}{4} + \frac{1}{12} = \frac{x}{6} + \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{12}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2x - x}{4} + \frac{1}{12} = \frac{x}{6} + \frac{2 + 1}{12}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{4} + \frac{1}{12} = \frac{x}{6} + \frac{3}{12}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{4} - \frac{x}{6} = \frac{3}{12} - \frac{1}{12}$$

[transposing $\frac{x}{6}$ to LHS and $\frac{1}{12}$ to RHS]

$$\Rightarrow \frac{6x - 4x}{24} = \frac{3 - 1}{12}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2x}{24} = \frac{2}{12}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \times 12x = 2 \times 24$$

[by cross-multiplication]

$$\Rightarrow 24x = 48$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{24x}{24} = \frac{48}{24}$$

[dividing both sides by 24]

$$\therefore x = 2$$

Question. 63 $\frac{1}{2}(x + 1) + \frac{1}{3}(x - 1) = \frac{5}{12}(x - 2)$

Solution.

Given, $\frac{1}{2}(x + 1) + \frac{1}{3}(x - 1) = \frac{5}{12}(x - 2)$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{2} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{x}{3} - \frac{1}{3} = \frac{5x}{12} - \frac{5}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{2} + \frac{x}{3} - \frac{5x}{12} = \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{5}{6}$$

[transposing $\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}$ to RHS and $\frac{5x}{12}$ to LHS]

$$\Rightarrow \frac{6x + 4x - 5x}{12} = \frac{2 - 3 - 5}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5x}{12} = \frac{-6}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow 5x \times 6 = (-6) \times 12$$

[by cross-multiplication]

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{(-6) \times 12}{5 \times 6}$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{-12}{5}$$

Question. 64 $\frac{x+1}{4} = \frac{x-2}{3}$

Solution.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Given,} \quad & \frac{x+1}{4} = \frac{x-2}{3} \\ \Rightarrow & 3(x+1) = 4(x-2) && \text{[by cross-multiplication]} \\ \Rightarrow & 3x+3 = 4x-8 \\ \Rightarrow & 3x-4x = -8-3 && \text{[transposing } 4x \text{ to LHS and } 3 \text{ to RHS]} \\ \Rightarrow & -x = -11 && \text{[dividing both sides by } -1] \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{-x}{-1} = \frac{-11}{-1} \\ \therefore & x = 11 \end{aligned}$$

Question. 65 $\frac{2x-1}{5} = \frac{3x+1}{3}$

Solution. Given $\frac{2x-1}{5} = \frac{3x+1}{3}$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow & 3(2x-1) = 5(3x+1) && \text{[by cross-multiplication]} \\ \Rightarrow & 6x-3 = 15x+5 \\ \Rightarrow & 6x-15x = 3+5 && \text{[transposing } 15x \text{ to LHS and } -3 \text{ to RHS]} \\ \Rightarrow & -9x = 8 \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{-9x}{-9} = \frac{8}{-9} && \text{[dividing both sides by } -9] \\ \therefore & x = \frac{-8}{9} \end{aligned}$$

Question. 66 $1-(x-2)-[(x-3)-(x-1)]=0$

Solution.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Given,} \quad & 1-(x-2)-[(x-3)-(x-1)]=0 \\ \Rightarrow & 1-x+2-[x-3-x+1]=0 \\ \Rightarrow & 3-x-[-2]=0 \\ \Rightarrow & 3-x+2=0 \\ \Rightarrow & -x+5=0 \\ \Rightarrow & -x=-5 && \text{[transposing } 5 \text{ to RHS]} \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{-x}{-1} = \frac{-5}{-1} && \text{[dividing both sides by } -1] \\ \therefore & x = 5 \end{aligned}$$

Question. 67 $3x - \frac{x-2}{3} = 4 - \frac{x-1}{4}$

Solution.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Given,} \quad & 3x - \frac{x-2}{3} = 4 - \frac{x-1}{4} \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{9x - (x-2)}{3} = \frac{16 - (x-1)}{4} \\ \Rightarrow & 4(9x - x + 2) = 3(16 - x + 1) && \text{[by cross-multiplication]} \\ \Rightarrow & 4(8x + 2) = 3(-x + 17) \\ \Rightarrow & 32x + 8 = -3x + 51 \\ \Rightarrow & 32x + 3x = 51 - 8 && \text{[transposing } -3x \text{ to LHS and } 8 \text{ to RHS]} \\ \Rightarrow & 35x = 43 \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{35x}{35} = \frac{43}{35} && \text{[dividing both sides by } 35] \\ \therefore & x = \frac{43}{35} \end{aligned}$$

Question. 68 $\frac{3t+5}{4} - 1 = \frac{4t-3}{5}$

Solution.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Given,} \quad & \frac{3t+5}{4} - 1 = \frac{4t-3}{5} \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{3t+5-4}{4} = \frac{4t-3}{5} \\ \Rightarrow & 5(3t+5-4) = 4(4t-3) && \text{[by cross-multiplication]} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\Rightarrow 5(3t + 1) = 4(4t - 3) \\
&\Rightarrow 15t + 5 = 16t - 12 \\
&\Rightarrow 15t - 16t = -12 - 5 \quad [\text{transposing } 16t \text{ to LHS and } 5 \text{ to RHS}] \\
&\Rightarrow -t = -17 \\
&\Rightarrow \frac{-t}{-1} = \frac{-17}{-1} \quad [\text{dividing both sides by } -1] \\
&\therefore t = 17
\end{aligned}$$

Question. 69 $\frac{2y-3}{4} - \frac{3y-5}{2} = y + \frac{3}{4}$

Solution.

$$\begin{aligned}
&\text{Given, } \frac{2y-3}{4} - \frac{3y-5}{2} = y + \frac{3}{4} \\
&\Rightarrow \frac{2y-3-2(3y-5)}{4} = \frac{4y+3}{4} \\
&\Rightarrow 2y-3-6y+10 = 4y+3 \\
&\Rightarrow -4y+7 = 4y+3 \quad [\text{transposing } 4y \text{ to LHS and } 7 \text{ to RHS}] \\
&\Rightarrow -4y-4y = 3-7 \\
&\Rightarrow -8y = -4 \\
&\Rightarrow \frac{-8y}{-8} = \frac{-4}{-8} \quad [\text{dividing both sides by } -8] \\
&\therefore y = \frac{1}{2}
\end{aligned}$$

Question. 70 $0.25(4x-5) = 0.75x + 8$

Solution.

$$\begin{aligned}
&\text{Given, } 0.25(4x-5) = 0.75x + 8 \\
&\Rightarrow x - 1.25 = 0.75x + 8 \\
&\Rightarrow x - 0.75x = 1.25 + 8 \quad [\text{transposing } 0.75x \text{ to LHS and } 1.25 \text{ to RHS}] \\
&\Rightarrow 0.25x = 9.25 \\
&\Rightarrow \frac{0.25x}{0.25} = \frac{9.25}{0.25} \quad [\text{dividing both sides by } 0.25] \\
&\therefore x = 37
\end{aligned}$$

Question. 71 $\frac{9-3y}{1-9y} = \frac{8}{5}$

Solution.

$$\begin{aligned}
&\text{Given, } \frac{9-3y}{1-9y} = \frac{8}{5} \\
&\Rightarrow 5(9-3y) = 8(1-9y) \quad [\text{by cross-multiplication}] \\
&\Rightarrow 45-15y = 8-72y \\
&\Rightarrow 72y-15y = 8-45 \quad [\text{transposing } -72y \text{ to LHS and } 45 \text{ to RHS}] \\
&\Rightarrow 57y = -37 \\
&\Rightarrow \frac{57y}{57} = \frac{-37}{57} \quad [\text{dividing both sides by } 57] \\
&\therefore y = \frac{-37}{57}
\end{aligned}$$

Question. 72 $\frac{3x+2}{2x-3} = -\frac{3}{4}$

Solution.

$$\begin{aligned}
&\text{Given, } \frac{3x+2}{2x-3} = -\frac{3}{4} \\
&\Rightarrow 4(3x+2) = -3(2x-3) \quad [\text{by cross-multiplication}] \\
&\Rightarrow 12x+8 = -6x+9 \\
&\Rightarrow 12x+6x = 9-8 \quad [\text{transposing } -6x \text{ to LHS and } 8 \text{ to RHS}] \\
&\Rightarrow 18x = 1 \\
&\Rightarrow \frac{18x}{18} = \frac{1}{18} \quad [\text{dividing both sides by } 18] \\
&\therefore x = \frac{1}{18}
\end{aligned}$$

Question. 73 $\frac{5x+1}{2x} = -\frac{1}{3}$

Solution.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Given, } & \frac{5x+1}{2x} = -\frac{1}{3} \\ \Rightarrow & 3(5x+1) = -2x && \text{[by cross-multiplication]} \\ \Rightarrow & 15x+3 = -2x \\ \Rightarrow & 15x+2x = -3 && \text{[transposing } -2x \text{ to LHS and 3 to RHS]} \\ \Rightarrow & 17x = -3 \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{17x}{17} = \frac{-3}{17} && \text{[dividing both sides by 17]} \\ \therefore & x = \frac{-3}{17} \end{aligned}$$

Question. 74 $\frac{3t-2}{3} + \frac{2t+3}{2} = t + \frac{7}{6}$

Solution.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Given, } & \frac{3t-2}{3} + \frac{2t+3}{2} = t + \frac{7}{6} \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{2(3t-2) + 3(2t+3)}{6} = \frac{6t+7}{6} \\ \Rightarrow & 6t-4+6t+9 = 6t+7 \\ \Rightarrow & 12t+5 = 6t+7 \\ \Rightarrow & 12t-6t = 7-5 && \text{[transposing } 6t \text{ to LHS and 5 to RHS]} \\ \Rightarrow & 6t = 2 \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{6t}{6} = \frac{2}{6} && \text{[dividing both sides by 6]} \\ \therefore & t = \frac{1}{3} \end{aligned}$$

Question. 75 $m - \frac{m-1}{2} = 1 - \frac{m-2}{3}$

Solution. Given $m - \frac{m-1}{2} = 1 - \frac{m-2}{3}$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow & \frac{2m - (m-1)}{2} = \frac{3 - (m-2)}{3} \\ \Rightarrow & 3(2m - m + 1) = 2(3 - m + 2) && \text{[by cross multiplication]} \\ \Rightarrow & 3(m+1) = 2(5-m) \\ \Rightarrow & 3m+3 = 10-2m \\ \Rightarrow & 3m+2m = 10-3 && \text{[transposing } -2m \text{ to LHS and 3 to RHS]} \\ \Rightarrow & 5m = 7 \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{5m}{5} = \frac{7}{5} && \text{[dividing both sides by 5]} \\ \therefore & m = \frac{7}{5} \end{aligned}$$

Question. 76 $4(3p+2) - 5(6p-1) = 2(p-8) - 6(7p-4)$

Solution.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Given, } & 4(3p+2) - 5(6p-1) = 2(p-8) - 6(7p-4) \\ \Rightarrow & 12p+8-30p+5 = 2p-16-42p+24 \\ \Rightarrow & -18p+13 = -40p+8 \\ \Rightarrow & -18p+40p = 8-13 && \text{[transposing } -40p \text{ to LHS and 13 to RHS]} \\ \Rightarrow & 22p = -5 \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{22p}{22} = \frac{-5}{22} && \text{[dividing both sides by 22]} \\ \therefore & p = \frac{-5}{22} \end{aligned}$$

Question. 77 $3(5x-2)+2(9x-11)=4(8x-7)-111$

Solution.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Given, } & 3(5x-2) + 2(9x-11) = 4(8x-7) - 111 \\ \Rightarrow & 15x-21+18x-22 = 32x-28-111 \\ \Rightarrow & 33x-43 = 32x-139 \\ \Rightarrow & 33x-32x = -139+43. && \text{[transposing } 32x \text{ to LHS and } -43 \text{ to RHS]} \\ \therefore & x = -96 \end{aligned}$$

Question. 78 0.16 (5x-2)=0.4x +7

Solution.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Given,} \quad & 0.16(5x - 2) = 0.4x + 7 \\ \Rightarrow & 0.8x - 0.32 = 0.4x + 7 \\ \Rightarrow & 0.8x - 0.4x = 0.32 + 7 \quad [\text{transposing } 0.4x \text{ to LHS and } -0.32 \text{ to RHS}] \\ \Rightarrow & 0.4x = 7.32 \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{0.4x}{0.4} = \frac{7.32}{0.4} \quad [\text{dividing both sides by } 0.4] \\ \therefore & x = 18.3 \end{aligned}$$

Question. 79 Radha takes some flowers in a basket and visits three temples one-by-one. At each temple, she offers one half of the flowers from the basket. If she is left with 3 flowers at the end, then find the number of flowers she had in the beginning.

Solution.

Let total number of the flowers be x .

Then, flowers offered in first temple = $\frac{x}{2}$

Flowers offered in second temple = $\frac{x}{4}$

Flowers offered in third temple = $\frac{x}{8}$

Number of flowers left at the end = 3

According to the question,

$$\begin{aligned} x - \left(\frac{x}{2} + \frac{x}{4} + \frac{x}{8} \right) &= 3 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{8x - (4x + 2x + x)}{8} &= 3 \\ \Rightarrow 8x - 7x &= 24 \\ \therefore x &= 24 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, total number of flowers she had in the beginning is 24.

Question. 80 Rs 13500 are to be distributed among Salma, Kiran and Jenifer in such a way that Salma gets Rs 1000 more than Kiran and Jenifer gets Rs 500 more than Kiran. Find the money received by Jenifer.

Solution.

Let the money received by Kiran be ₹ x .

Then, the money received by Salma = ₹ $(x + 1000)$

and the money received by Jenifer = ₹ $(x + 500)$

According to the question,

$$\begin{aligned} x + x + 1000 + x + 500 &= 13500 \\ \Rightarrow 3x + 1500 &= 13500 \\ \Rightarrow 3x &= 13500 - 1500 \\ \Rightarrow 3x &= 12000 \\ \Rightarrow x &= \frac{12000}{3} \\ \therefore x &= 4000 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the money received by Jenifer = ₹ $4000 + 500 = ₹4500$

Question. 81 The volume of water in a tank is twice of that in the other. If we draw out 25 litres from the first and add it to the other, the volumes of the water in each tank will be the same. Find the volumes of water in each tank.

Solution.

Let volume of water in one tank be x L.

Then, volume of the water in another tank = $2x$ L.

According to the question,

Volume of the water in first tank + 25 = Volume of the water in another tank - 25

$$\Rightarrow x + 25 = 2x - 25$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x - x = 25 + 25$$

$$\therefore x = 50$$

Hence, volume of water in one tank = 50 L

and volume of the water in another tank = $2 \times 50 = 100$ L

Question. 82 Anushka and Aarushi are friends. They have equal amount of money in their pockets. Anushka gave $\frac{1}{3}$ of her money to Aarushi as her birthday gift. Then, Aarushi gave a party at a restaurant and cleared the bill by paying half of the total money with her. If the remaining money in Aarushi's pocket is Rs 1600, then find the sum gifted by Anushka.

Solution.

Let Anushka and Aarushi have equal amount of money in their packet, which is ₹ x .

After giving $\frac{1}{3}$ of the money of Anushka to Aarushi,

$$\text{Amount of Aarushi} = ₹ \left(x + \frac{x}{3} \right)$$

According to the question,

$$\left(x + \frac{x}{3} \right) - \frac{1}{2} \times \left(x + \frac{x}{3} \right) = 1600$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(x + \frac{x}{3} \right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} \right) = 1600$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(x + \frac{x}{3} \right) \times \frac{1}{2} = 1600$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3x + x}{3} = 1600 \times 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{4x}{3} = 3200$$

$$\therefore x = 3200 \times \frac{3}{4} = 2400$$

$$\text{So, money gifted by Anushka} = \frac{1}{3} \text{ of } 2400 = \frac{1}{3} \times 2400 = ₹ 800$$

Question. 83 Kaustubh had 60 flowers. He offered some flowers in temple and found that the ratio of the number of remaining flowers to that of flowers in the beginning is 3 : 5. Find the number of flowers offered by him in the temple.

Solution.

Let number of flowers offered by Kaustubh in the temple be x .

Then, remaining flowers = $60 - x$

According to the question,

$$\frac{\text{Number of remaining flowers}}{\text{Number of flowers in beginning}} = \frac{3}{5} \quad \text{[given]}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{60 - x}{60} = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow 300 - 5x = 180$$

$$\Rightarrow 5x = 300 - 180$$

$$\Rightarrow 5x = 120$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{120}{5}$$

$$\therefore x = 24$$

Hence, the number of flowers offered by Kaustubh in the temple is 24.

Question. 84 The sum of three consecutive even natural numbers is 48. Find the greatest of these numbers.

Solution.

Let the three consecutive even natural numbers be x , $(x + 2)$ and $(x + 4)$.

According to the question,

$$x + (x + 2) + (x + 4) = 48 \quad \text{[given]}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x + 6 = 48$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x = 48 - 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x = 42 \Rightarrow x = \frac{42}{3}$$

$$\therefore x = 14$$

Hence, the three consecutive even natural numbers are 14, $(14 + 2)$ and $(14 + 4)$, i.e. 14, 16 and 18.

Therefore, the greatest number is 18.

Question. 85 The sum of three consecutive odd natural numbers is 69. Find the prime

number out of these numbers.

Solution.

Let the three consecutive odd natural numbers be x , $(x + 2)$ and $(x + 4)$.

According to the question,

$$\begin{aligned}x + (x + 2) + (x + 4) &= 69 && \text{[given]} \\ \Rightarrow 3x + 6 &= 69 \\ \Rightarrow 3x &= 69 - 6 \Rightarrow 3x = 63 \\ \therefore x &= 63 \times \frac{1}{3} = 21\end{aligned}$$

Thus, the three consecutive odd natural numbers are 21, $(21 + 2)$ and $(21 + 4)$, i.e. 21, 23 and 25. Out of these, only 23 is the prime number.

Question. 86 The sum of three consecutive numbers is 156. Find the number which is a multiple of 13 out of these numbers.

Solution.

Let three consecutive numbers be x , $(x + 1)$ and $(x + 2)$.

According to the question,

$$\begin{aligned}x + (x + 1) + (x + 2) &= 156 && \text{[given]} \\ \Rightarrow 3x + 3 &= 156 \Rightarrow 3x = 156 - 3 = 153 \\ \therefore x &= 153 \times \frac{1}{3} = 51\end{aligned}$$

Thus, we get the numbers 51, $51 + 1$ and $51 + 2$, i.e. 51, 52 and 53. Out of these, only 52 is a multiple of 13.

Question. 87 Find a number whose fifth part increased by 30 is equal to its fourth part decreased by 30.

Solution.

Let the number be x .

According to the question,

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{x}{5} + 30 &= \frac{x}{4} - 30 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{x}{5} - \frac{x}{4} &= -30 - 30 \quad \left[\text{transposing } \frac{x}{4} \text{ to LHS and } 30 \text{ to RHS} \right] \\ \Rightarrow \frac{4x - 5x}{20} &= -60 \\ \Rightarrow -x &= -60 \times 20 && \text{[by cross-multiplication]} \\ \therefore x &= 1200\end{aligned}$$

Hence, the required number is 1200.

Question. 88 Divide 54 into two parts, such that one part is $\frac{2}{7}$ of the other.

Solution.

Let the other part be x . Then, first part will be $\frac{2x}{7}$.

According to the question,

$$\begin{aligned}x + \frac{2x}{7} &= 54 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{7x + 2x}{7} &= 54 \\ \Rightarrow 9x &= 7 \times 54 && \text{[by cross-multiplication]} \\ \Rightarrow x &= \frac{7 \times 54}{9} \\ \Rightarrow x &= 7 \times 6 \\ \Rightarrow x &= 42\end{aligned}$$

Hence, the first part = $\frac{2 \times 42}{7} = 12$

and the other part = 42

Question. 89 Sum of the digits of a two-digit number is 11. The given number is less than the number obtained by interchanging the digits by 9. Find the number.

Solution.

Let the unit's digit be x . Then, the ten's digit = $11 - x$
 \therefore Number = $10(11 - x) + x = 110 - 10x + x = 110 - 9x$
 Number obtained by interchanging the digits = $10x + (11 - x) = 9x + 11$
 According to the question,

$$\begin{aligned} & 9x + 11 - (110 - 9x) = 9 \\ \Rightarrow & 9x + 11 - 110 + 9x = 9 \\ \Rightarrow & 18x = 9 - 11 + 110 \\ \Rightarrow & 18x = 108 \\ \Rightarrow & x = \frac{108}{18} \\ \Rightarrow & x = 6 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, unit's digit = 6 and ten's digit = $11 - 6 = 5$
 Therefore, the required number is 56.

Question. 90 Two equal sides of a triangle are each 4 m less than three times the third side.
 Find the dimensions of the triangle, if its perimeter is 55 m.

Solution.

Let the third side of triangle be x m.

Then, two equal sides of triangle = $(3x - 4)$ m

Given, perimeter of triangle = 55m

\therefore Perimeter of a triangle = Sum of the sides of the triangle

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore & x + 3x - 4 + 3x - 4 = 55 \\ \Rightarrow & 7x - 8 = 55 \Rightarrow 7x = 55 + 8 \\ \Rightarrow & 7x = 63 \Rightarrow x = \frac{63}{7} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore x = 9$$

Hence, the dimensions of the triangle are 9 m, $(3 \times 9 - 4)$ m and $(3 \times 9 - 4)$ m, i.e. 9, $(27 - 4)$, and $(27 - 4)$ m, i.e. 9 m, 23 m and 23m.

Question. 91 After 12 years, Kanwar shall be 3 times as old as he was 4 years ago. Find his present age.

Solution.

Let Kanwar's present age be x yr.

After 12 yr, Kanwar's age = $(x + 12)$ yr

and 4 yr ago, Kanwar's age = $(x - 4)$ yr

According to the question,

$$\begin{aligned} & x + 12 = 3(x - 4) \Rightarrow x + 12 = 3x - 12 \\ \Rightarrow & 3x - x = 12 + 12 \Rightarrow 2x = 24 \\ \Rightarrow & x = \frac{24}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore x = 12$$

Hence, Kanwar's present age is 12 yr.

Question. 92 Anima left one-half of her property to her daughter, one-third to her son and donated the rest to an educational institute. If the donation was worth Rs 100000, how much money did Anima have?

Solution.

Let Anima's property be ₹ x .

$$\text{Property left for her daughter} = ₹ \frac{x}{2}$$

$$\text{Remaining property} = x - \frac{x}{2} = \frac{2x - x}{2} = ₹ \frac{x}{2}$$

$$\text{Property left for her son} = \frac{1}{3} \text{ of remaining property} = \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{x}{2} = ₹ \frac{x}{6}$$

$$\text{Remaining property} = \left[x - \left(\frac{x}{2} + \frac{x}{6} \right) \right] = x - \left(\frac{3x + x}{6} \right) = \frac{6x - 4x}{6} = \frac{2x}{6} = ₹ \frac{x}{3}$$

Since, the remaining property donated to an educational institute.

But donation property = ₹ 100000

$$\therefore \frac{x}{3} = 100000 \Rightarrow x = 300000$$

Hence, Anima had ₹ 300000.

Question. 93 If $\frac{1}{2}$ is subtracted from a number and the difference is multiplied by 4, the result is 5. What is the number?

Solution.

Let the number be x .

According to the question,

$$4 \left(x - \frac{1}{2} \right) = 5 \Rightarrow 4x - 2 = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x = 5 + 2 \Rightarrow 4x = 7$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{7}{4}$$

Hence, the required number is $\frac{7}{4}$.

Question. 94 The sum of four consecutive integers is 266. What are the integers?

Solution.

Let the four consecutive integers be $x, x + 1, x + 2$ and $x + 3$.

According to the question,

$$x + x + 1 + x + 2 + x + 3 = 266 \quad [\text{given}]$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x + 6 = 266$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x = 266 - 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x = 260$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{260}{4}$$

$$\therefore x = 65$$

Hence, the four consecutive integers are 65, 65 + 1, 65 + 2 and 65 + 3, i.e. 65, 66, 67 and 68.

Question. 95 Hamid has three boxes of different fruits. Box A weighs $2\frac{1}{2}$ kg more than box B and Box C weighs $10\frac{1}{4}$ kg more than box B. The total weight of the three boxes is $48\frac{3}{4}$ kg. How many kilograms does box A weigh?

Solution.

Let the weight of box A be x kg.

According to the question,

$$\text{Weight of Box A} = \text{Weight of Box B} + \frac{5}{2} \text{ kg} \quad [\text{given}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Weight of box B} = \left(x - \frac{5}{2} \right) \text{ kg}$$

$$\text{and weight of Box C} = \text{Weight of box B} + \frac{41}{4} \text{ kg} \quad [\text{given}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Weight of Box C} = x - \frac{5}{2} + \frac{41}{4} \text{ kg} = x + \left(\frac{-10 + 41}{4} \right) \text{ kg} = \left(x + \frac{31}{4} \right) \text{ kg}$$

$$\text{As, total weight of three boxes} = 48\frac{3}{4} \text{ kg} = \frac{195}{4} \text{ kg} \quad [\text{given}]$$

∴ Total weight of three boxes = Weight of box A + Weight of box B + Weight of box C

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \quad & \frac{195}{4} = x + x - \frac{5}{2} + x + \frac{31}{4} \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{195}{4} = 3x + \frac{31-10}{4} \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{195}{4} = 3x + \frac{21}{4} \Rightarrow 3x = \frac{195}{4} - \frac{21}{4} \\ \Rightarrow & 3x = \frac{195-21}{4} \Rightarrow 3x = \frac{174}{4} \\ \Rightarrow & x = \frac{174}{3 \times 4} \Rightarrow x = \frac{29}{2} \\ \therefore & x = 14\frac{1}{2} \text{ kg} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, box A weighs $14\frac{1}{2}$ kg.

Question. 96 The perimeter of a rectangle is 240 cm. If its length is increased by 10% and its breadth is decreased by 20%, then we get the same perimeter. Find the length and breadth of the rectangle.

Solution.

Given, perimeter of rectangle = 240 cm

$$\Rightarrow 2 \times (\text{Length} + \text{Breadth}) = 240 \text{ cm}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Length} + \text{Breadth} = 120 \text{ cm}$$

Let the length of rectangle be x cm.

Then, the breadth of rectangle = $(120 - x)$ cm

$$\therefore \text{New length of rectangle} = x + 10\% \text{ of } x = x + \frac{10}{100} \times x = \frac{110}{100} x \text{ cm}$$

and new breadth of rectangle = $(120 - x) - 20\% \text{ of } (120 - x)$ cm

$$\begin{aligned} &= (120 - x) - \frac{20}{100} \times (120 - x) \\ &= (120 - x) \left(1 - \frac{20}{100}\right) = \frac{80}{100} (120 - x) \text{ cm} \end{aligned}$$

It is given that, perimeter of new rectangle is 240 cm.

According to the question,

$$\begin{aligned} & 2 \times (\text{New length} + \text{New breadth}) = 240 \\ \Rightarrow & 2 \times \left[\frac{110x}{100} + \frac{80}{100} (120 - x) \right] = 240 \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{110x + 9600 - 80x}{100} = \frac{240}{2} \\ \Rightarrow & 30x + 9600 = \frac{240}{2} \times 100 \\ \Rightarrow & 30x + 9600 = 12000 \\ \Rightarrow & 30x = 12000 - 9600 \\ \Rightarrow & 30x = 2400 \\ \Rightarrow & x = \frac{2400}{30} = 80 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, length of rectangle = 80 cm

and breadth of rectangle = $120 - 80 = 40$ cm

Question. 97 The age of A is five years more than that of B. 5 years ago, the ratio of their ages was 3 : 2. Find their present ages.

Solution.

Let the present age of B be x yr.

Then, the present age of A = $(x + 5)$ yr

Five years ago, age of A = $x + 5 - 5 = x$ yr

and age of B = $(x - 5)$ yr

According to the question,

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{x}{x-5} = \frac{3}{2} \\ \Rightarrow & 2x = 3(x-5) \\ \Rightarrow & 2x = 3x - 15 \\ \Rightarrow & 3x - 2x = 15 \\ \therefore & x = 15 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the present age of B is 15 yr and the present age of A is $(15 + 5)$, i.e. 20 yr.

Question. 98 If numerator is 2 less than denominator of a rational number and when 1 is subtracted from numerator and denominator both, the rational number in its simplest form is $\frac{1}{2}$. What is the rational number?

Solution.

Suppose denominator of a rational number be x .

Numerator = Denominator - 2 = $x - 2$

According to the question,

$$\frac{(x-2)-1}{x-1} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(x-2-1) = x-1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(x-3) = x-1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x-6 = x-1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x-x = 6-1$$

$$\therefore x = 5$$

Hence, denominator = 5 and numerator = $5 - 2 = 3$

Thus, the rational number is $\frac{3}{5}$.

Question. 99 In a two-digit number, digit in unit's place is twice the digit in ten's place. If 27 is added to it, digits are reversed. Find the number.

Solution.

Let ten's digit of two-digit number be x .

Then, unit's digit = $2x$

\therefore Number = $10 \times x + 2x = 10x + 2x = 12x$

On reversing the digits,

New number = $10 \times (2x) + x = 20x + x = 21x$

According to the question,

$$12x + 27 = 21x$$

$$\Rightarrow 21x - 12x = 27$$

$$\Rightarrow 9x = 27$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 3$$

Hence, the required number is 12×3 , i.e. 36.

Question. 100 A man was engaged as typist for the month of February in 2009. He was paid Rs 500 per day, but Rs 100 per day were deducted for the days he remained absent. He received Rs 9100 as salary for the month. For how many days did he work?

Solution.

Let the man worked as a typist for x days in the month of February 2009.

Then, absent in the month of February 2009 = $(29 - x)$ days

[we know that, number of days in month of February 2009 is 29]

Per day payment = ₹ 500 [given]

Total paid amount for working days = ₹ $500x$

And per day deduction, when he remained absent = ₹ 100 [given]

Total amount deducted for being absent = ₹ $100 \times (29 - x)$

Given, salary received by man for the month of February is ₹ 9100.

According to the question,

$$500x - 100(29 - x) = 9100$$

$$\Rightarrow 500x - 2900 + 100x = 9100$$

$$\Rightarrow 600x = 9100 + 2900$$

$$\Rightarrow 600x = 12000$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{12000}{600}$$

$$\therefore x = 20$$

Therefore, the man worked for 20 days.

Question. 101 A steamer goes downstream and covers the distance between two ports in 3 hours. It covers distance in 5 hours, when it goes upstream. If the stream flows at 3 km/h, then find what is the speed of the steamer upstream?

Solution.

Let speed of the steamer in still water be x km/h.

Speed of the stream = 3 km/h

[given]

Now, speed of the steamer downstream = $(x + 3)$ km/h

and speed of the steamer upstream = $(x - 3)$ km/h

According to the question,

Distance covered in 3 h by steamer downstream

= Distance covered in 5 h by steamer upstream

$$\therefore 3(x + 3) = 5(x - 3) \quad [\because \text{distance} = \text{speed} \times \text{time}]$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x + 9 = 5x - 15$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x - 5x = -15 - 9$$

$$\Rightarrow -2x = -24$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -24 \times \left(\frac{-1}{2}\right) = 12 \text{ km/h}$$

Hence, the speed of the steamer upstream is $(12 - 3)$, i.e. 9 km/h.

Question. 102 A lady went to a bank with Rs 100000. She asked the cashier to give her Rs 500 and Rs 1000 currency notes in return. She got 175 currency notes in all. Find the number of each kind of currency notes.

Solution.

Given, total number of currency notes = 175

Let the total number of notes of ₹ 500 be x .

Then, total number of notes of ₹ 1000 = $175 - x$

\therefore Total amount which lady had = ₹ 100000

[given]

According to the question,

$$500x + (175 - x)1000 = 100000$$

$$\Rightarrow 500x + 175000 - 1000x = 100000$$

$$\Rightarrow -500x = 100000 - 175000$$

$$\Rightarrow -500x = -75000$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -75000 \times \left(\frac{-1}{500}\right)$$

$$\therefore x = 150$$

Therefore, total number of notes of ₹ 500 = 150

and total number of notes of ₹ 1000 = $175 - 150 = 25$

Question. 103 There are 40 passengers in a bus, some with Rs 3 tickets and remaining with Rs 10 tickets. The total collection from these passengers is Rs 295. Find how many passengers have tickets worth Rs 3?

Solution.

Given, total number of passengers = 40

Let the number of passengers having tickets worth ₹ 3 be x .

Then, the number of passengers having tickets worth ₹ 10 = $(40 - x)$

Total collection from passengers = ₹ 295

[given]

According to the question,

$$3x + 10(40 - x) = 295$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x + 400 - 10x = 295$$

$$\Rightarrow -7x = 295 - 400$$

$$\Rightarrow -7x = -105$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -105 \times \left(\frac{-1}{7}\right)$$

$$\therefore x = 15$$

Hence, the number of passengers having tickets worth ₹ 3 is 15

Question. 104 Denominator of a number is 4 less than its numerator. If 6 is added to the numerator, it becomes thrice the denominator. Find the fraction.

Solution.

Let the numerator of the number be x .

Then, denominator of the number = $x - 4$

$$\therefore \text{Fraction} = \frac{x}{x-4} \quad \dots(i)$$

According to the question, if 6 is added to numerator, it becomes thrice the denominator.

$$\therefore x + 6 = 3(x - 4)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x - 12 = x + 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x - x = 6 + 12$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 18$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{18}{2}$$

$$\therefore x = 9$$

$$\text{Hence, fraction} = \frac{x}{x-4} = \frac{9}{9-4} = \frac{9}{5}$$

Question. 105 An employee works in a company on a contract of 30 days on the condition that he will receive Rs 120 for each day he works and he will be fined Rs 10 for each day he is absent. If he receives Rs 2300 in all, for how many days did he remain absent?

Solution.

Given, total number of days in contract = 30

Money received per day for working = ₹ 120

Money deducted per day for being absent = ₹ 10

and amount received by employee as salary = ₹ 2300

Let the employee remained absent for x days. Then, employee worked for $(30 - x)$ days.

According to the question,

$$\begin{aligned} 120(30 - x) - 10x &= 2300 \\ \Rightarrow 3600 - 120x - 10x &= 2300 \\ \Rightarrow -130x &= -3600 + 2300 \\ \Rightarrow -130x &= -1300 \\ \Rightarrow x &= -1300 \times \left(\frac{-1}{130}\right) \\ \therefore x &= 10 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, employee remained absent for 10 days.

Question. 106 Kusum buys some chocolates at the rate of Rs 10 per chocolate. She also buys an equal number of candies at the rate of Rs 5 per candy. She makes a 20% profit on chocolates and 8% profit on candies. At the end of the day, all chocolates and candies are sold out and her profit is Rs 240. Find the number of chocolates purchased.

Solution.

Let Kusum purchased x chocolates.

Then, total cost of chocolates = ₹ $10x$

Similarly, she purchased x candies.

Then, total cost of candies = ₹ $5x$

According to the question,

$$\text{Profit on chocolates} = 20\% \text{ of } 10x = \frac{20}{100} \times 10x = ₹ 2x$$

$$\text{and profit on candies} = 8\% \text{ of } 5x = \frac{8}{100} \times 5x = ₹ 0.4x$$

$$\therefore \text{Total profit} = 2x + 0.4x = ₹ 2.4x$$

But it is given that total profit is ₹ 240.

Again, according to the question,

$$2.4x = 240 \Rightarrow x = \frac{240}{2.4} = 100$$

Hence, she purchased 100 chocolates.

Question. 107 A steamer goes downstream and covers the distance between two ports in 5 hours, while it covers the same distance upstream in 6 hours. If the speed of the stream is 1 km/h, then find the speed of the steamer in still water.

Solution.

Given; speed of stream = 1 km/h

Let speed of the steamer in still water be x km/h.

Then, speed of steamer downstream = $(x + 1)$ km/h

and speed of steamer upstream = $(x - 1)$ km/h

According to the question,

Distance covered upstream = Distance covered downstream

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow (\text{Speed of steamer in upstream}) \times \text{Time taken upstream} \\ = (\text{Speed of steamer downstream}) \times \text{Time taken downstream} \end{aligned}$$

[\because distance = speed \times time]

$$\Rightarrow (x - 1) \times 6 = (x + 1) \times 5$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x - 6 = 5x + 5$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x - 5x = 6 + 5$$

$$\therefore x = 11$$

Therefore, the speed of steamer in still water is 11 km/h.

Question. 108 Distance between two places A and B is 210 km. Two cars start simultaneously from A and B in opposite directions and distance between them after 3 hours is 54 km. If speed of one car is less than that of other by 8 km/h, then find the speed of each.

Solution.

Let the speed of car starts from A be x km/h.

Then, speed of car starts from B = $(x + 8)$ km/h

Given, distance between the cars after 3 h = 54 km

According to the question,

Total distance between A and B – Total distance covered by both cars in 3 h = 54

$$\Rightarrow 210 - [3x + 3(x + 8)] = 54 \quad [\because \text{distance} = \text{speed} \times \text{time}]$$

$$\Rightarrow 210 - 3x - 3x - 24 = 54$$

$$\Rightarrow -6x = -210 + 24 + 54$$

$$\Rightarrow -6x = -210 + 78$$

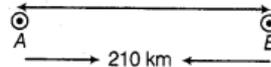
$$\Rightarrow -6x = -132$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -132 \times \left(\frac{-1}{6}\right)$$

$$\therefore x = 22$$

Hence, the speed of car starts from A = 22 km/h

and the speed of car starts from B = 22 + 8 = 30 km/h



Question. 109 A carpenter charged Rs 2500 for making a bed. The cost of materials used is Rs 1100 and the labour charge is Rs 200 per hour. For how many hours did the carpenter work?

Solution.

Let the carpenter worked for x h.

Given, labour charge = ₹ 200 per hour

Then, total labour charge = ₹ 200 x

As, amount charged by carpenter for making a bed

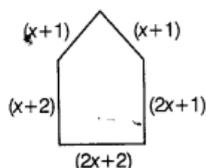
= Cost of materials + Total labour charge

$$\therefore 2500 = 1100 + 200x \Rightarrow 200x = 2500 - 1100$$

$$\Rightarrow 200x = 1400 \Rightarrow x = \frac{1400}{200} = 7$$

Hence, the carpenter worked for 7 h.

Question. 110 For what value of x is the perimeter of shape 77 cm?



Solution.

Given, perimeter of shape = 77 cm

∴ Sum of all sides of the shape = 77

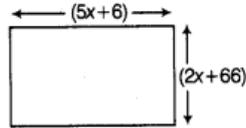
$$\Rightarrow (x+1) + (x+1) + (x+2) + (2x+1) + (2x+2) = 77$$

$$\Rightarrow 7x + 7 = 77 \Rightarrow 7x = 77 - 7$$

$$\Rightarrow 7x = 70 \Rightarrow x = \frac{70}{7} = 10$$

Hence, the value of x is 10 cm.

Question. 111 For what value of x is the perimeter of shape 186 cm?



Solution.

Given, length of the given figure = $(5x + 6)$

and breadth of the given figure = $(2x + 66)$

∴ Perimeter of shape = 186 cm

[given]

$$\therefore 2 \times (\text{Length} + \text{Breadth}) = 186$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \times [(5x + 6) + (2x + 66)] = 186$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \times [7x + 72] = 186$$

$$\Rightarrow 14x + 144 = 186$$

$$\Rightarrow 14x = 186 - 144$$

$$\Rightarrow 14x = 42$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{42}{14}$$

$$\therefore x = 3$$

Hence, the value of x is 3 cm.

Question. 112 On dividing Rs 200 between A and B, such that twice of A's share is less than 3 times B's share by 200, what is B's share?

Solution.

Let B's share be ₹ x . Then, A's share = ₹ $(200 - x)$

According to the question,

$$2 \times (\text{A's share}) = 3 \times (\text{B's share}) - 200$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \times (200 - x) = 3x - 200$$

$$\Rightarrow 400 - 2x = 3x - 200$$

$$\Rightarrow -2x - 3x = -200 - 400$$

$$\Rightarrow -5x = -600$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -600 \times \left(-\frac{1}{5}\right)$$

$$\therefore x = 120$$

Hence, B's share is ₹ 120.

Question. 113 Madhulika thought of a number, doubled it and added 20 to it. On dividing the resulting number by 25, she gets 4. What is the number?

Solution.

Let the number be x .

According to the question,

$$\frac{2x + 20}{25} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + 20 = 25 \times 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x + 20 = 100$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 100 - 20$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 80$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{80}{2}$$

$$\therefore x = 40$$

Hence, the required number is 40.