

8th LINEAR EQUATIONS CBSE TEST PAPER Solved 2012-13

CBSE TEST PAPER-3

1. Three times a number increased by ten is equal to twenty less than six times the number. Find the number.

Solution

Let the number be x .

$$\text{A/Q, } 3x + 10 = 6x - 20 \Rightarrow 3x - 6x = -20 - 10 \Rightarrow -3x = -30 \Rightarrow x = 10$$

2. If twice the difference of a number and 3 is added to 4, the result is 22 more than four times the number. Find the number.

Solution

Let the number be x .

$$\text{A/Q: } 2(x - 3) + 4 = 4x + 22 \Rightarrow 2x - 6 + 4 = 4x + 22 \Rightarrow 2x - 4x = 22 - 4 + 6 \Rightarrow x = -12$$

3. The sum of two numbers is 64. The difference of the two numbers is 18. What are the numbers?

Solution

Let x be the smaller of the two numbers. then the larger number is $x + 18$

$$\text{A/Q: } x + (x + 18) = 64 \Rightarrow 2x + 18 = 64 \Rightarrow 2x = 64 - 18 \Rightarrow x = 23,$$

The smallest of the two numbers is 21 and

$$\text{the largest of the two numbers} = x + 18 = 23 + 18 = 41$$

4. The length of a rectangle is 10 meters more than twice its width. What is the length and width of the rectangle if its perimeter is 62 meters.

Solution

Let x be the width of the rectangle. Then: length = $2x + 10$

The perimeter of the rectangle = $2(\text{length} + \text{width})$

$$62 = 2(2x + 10 + x) \Rightarrow 62 = 6x + 20 \Rightarrow 62 - 20 = 6x \Rightarrow x = 7$$

length and width are 24 and 7 meters

5. The average of 35, 45 and x is equal to five more than twice x . Find x .

Solution The average (of 35, 45 and x) = $(35 + 45 + x) / 3$

$$= 2x + 5 \Rightarrow 35 + 45 + x = 6x + 15$$

$$\Rightarrow 65 = 5x \Rightarrow x = 13$$

6. The difference in the measures of two supplementary angles is 102° . Find the two angles.

Solution : Let smaller angle = x so, larger angle = $x + 102^\circ$

$$x + x + 102^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$2x = 180 - 102 = 78^\circ$$

$$x = 78 / 2 = 39^\circ \quad \text{larger angle} = x + 102 = 141^\circ$$

7. Two complementary angles are such that one is 14° more than three times the second angle. What is the measure of the larger angle.

Solution : in two angles let a larger one and a smaller one = x . The larger one = $3x + 14^\circ$

$$\text{The sum of two angles is } 90^\circ. \Rightarrow 3x + 14^\circ + x = 90^\circ \Rightarrow 4x = 90 - 14 \Rightarrow x = 76 / 4 = 19^\circ$$

$$\text{larger} = 3x + 14^\circ = 3 \times 19 + 14 = 71^\circ$$

8. The sum of a positive even integer number and the next third even integer is equal to 150. Find the number.

Solution Let x be the positive even integer. The next third even integer is $x + 6$

$$\text{A/Q, } x + x + 6 = 150. \text{ Hence}$$

$$2x = 150 - 6$$

$$x = 144 / 2 = 72$$

8. Two numbers are such that one number is 42 more than the second number and their average is equal to 40. What are the two numbers?

Solution

If x is the smallest number, then largest = $x + 42$

The average of x and $x + 42$ is equal to 40.

$$\text{Hence Sum of number} = 40 \times 2 = 80$$

$$x + x + 42 = 80 \Rightarrow 2x = 80 - 42 \Rightarrow x = 19$$

The two numbers are $x = 19$ and $x + 42 = 61$