

Write and solve a system of equations for each situation. Define your variables. Mix your methods...

① Matt and Ming are selling fruit for a school fundraiser. Customers can buy small boxes of oranges and large boxes of oranges. Matt sold 3 small boxes of oranges and 14 large boxes of oranges for a total of \$203. Ming sold 11 small boxes of oranges and 11 large boxes of oranges for a total of \$220. Find the cost each of one small box of oranges and one large box of oranges.

② Ted and Tom are saving money. Tom has saved \$1,477 and saves 64 more dollars each pay day. Ted has saved \$948 and saves 87 more dollars each pay day. How many days until they have saved the same amount? How much would they have saved?

③ Each month the Midwest cell phone company has an operating fee of \$28.55 and charges \$0.48 per minute of calls. Each month, the Drop-Yo-Call Corporation has an operating fee of \$59 and charges \$0.19 per minute of calls. After how many minutes would the charges be the same? How much would they both charge?

④ Two countries are keeping track of the cost of a barrel of oil in their country. In country A, a barrel of oil costs of \$40.05 and the price increases \$0.08 each day. In country B, a barrel of oil costs \$48.74 and the price decreases \$0.03 each day. After how many days would the price be equal? What would that price be?

⑤ A bookstore took in \$167 on the sale of 5 copies of a new cookbook and 3 copies of a new novel. The next day it took in \$89 on the sale of 3 copies of the cookbook and 1 copy of the novel. What was the price of each book?