

Learning Target:

Question/Main Ideas:	Notes:
Key Idea to Solving by Elimination	eliminate one variable
Example 1: Solving a System by Adding	<p>Solve the system using the Elimination Method.</p> $\begin{array}{r} 2x + 5y = 17 \\ 6x - 5y = -9 \\ \hline 8x = 8 \\ x = 1 \end{array}$ $\begin{array}{r} 2(1) + 5y = 17 \\ 2 + 5y = 17 \\ 5y = 15 \\ y = 3 \end{array}$ <p>$(1, 3)$</p>
Now It's Your Turn	<p>Solve the system using the Elimination Method.</p> $\begin{array}{r} 5x - 6y = -32 \\ 3x + 6y = 48 \\ \hline 8x = 16 \\ x = 2 \end{array}$ $\begin{array}{r} 3(2) + 6y = 48 \\ 6 + 6y = 48 \\ 6y = 42 \\ y = 7 \end{array}$
What if the Variables Don't Eliminate Just by Adding?	multiply by a constant
Example 2: Solving a System by Multiplying One Equation	<p>Solve the system using the Elimination Method.</p> $\begin{array}{r} -2x + 15y = -32 \\ 21x - 15y = 51 \\ \hline 19x = 19 \\ x = 1 \end{array}$ <p>$(1, -2)$</p> $\begin{array}{r} 7(1) - 5y = 17 \\ -5y = 10 \\ y = -2 \end{array}$

Now It's Your Turn

Solve the system using the Elimination Method.

$$\left(\frac{8}{7}, \frac{17}{7}\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} 6x + 5y &= 19 \\ 3(-2x + 3y) &= 5 \end{aligned} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} 6x + 5y &= 19 \\ -6x + 9y &= 15 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{14y}{14} = \frac{34}{14}$$

$$y = \frac{17}{7}$$

$$-\frac{16}{7} \cdot \frac{1}{-2} = \frac{8}{7} = x$$

$$\begin{aligned} -2x + \frac{3}{1}\left(\frac{17}{7}\right) &= 5 \\ -2x + \frac{51}{7} &= 5 \\ -2x &= \frac{35}{7} - \frac{51}{7} \\ -2x &= \frac{-16}{7} \\ \frac{-2x}{-2} &= \frac{-16}{-2} \end{aligned}$$

Example 3: Solving a Linear System by Multiplying Both Equations

Solve the system using the Elimination Method.

$$\begin{aligned} 2(4x + 3y) &= -19 \\ 3(3x - 2y) &= -10 \end{aligned} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} 8x + 6y &= -38 \\ 9x - 6y &= -30 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{17x}{17} = \frac{-68}{17}$$

$$x = -4$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3(-4) - 2y &= -10 \\ -12 - 2y &= -10 \\ -2y &= 2 \\ y &= -1 \end{aligned}$$

$$(-4, -1)$$

Now it's your turn!

Solve the system using the Elimination Method.

$$\begin{aligned} 3x - 2y &= 2 \\ 5x - 5y &= 10 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 15x - 10y &= 10 \\ 15x - 15y &= 30 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{5y}{5} = \frac{-20}{5}$$

$$y = -4$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3x + 8y &= 2 \\ 3x &= -6 \\ x &= -2 \end{aligned}$$

$$(-2, -4)$$