

Class - VII Mathematics
Ch: 04, 'Simple Equations.'

Points:

Constant: A quantity which takes a fixed numerical value is called a constant.
ex - 4, 7, $-\frac{1}{2}$ etc.

Variable: The word variable means something that can vary. The value of a variable is not fixed. It is denoted by letters of alphabet such as x, y, z, l, m etc.

Equation: Equation is a kind of condition on a variable.

Ex - $5x + 3 = 33$. It has two parts LHS and RHS.

Ex :- 4.1

Q.1. Sol.

<u>Equation</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>yes/No.</u>
(i) $x + 3 = 0$	$x = 3$	No

Reason: For, $x = 3$ Result

$$x + 3 = 3 + 3 = 6 \quad "LHS \neq RHS"$$

$= LHS,$

$$(ii) x - 7 = 1 \quad x = 8 \quad \text{yes.}$$

Reason: $\begin{aligned} LHS &= x - 7 \\ &= 8 - 7 = 1 = RHS. \end{aligned}$

Result: $LHS = RHS$

$$(iii) \frac{m}{3} = 2 \quad m = 0 \quad \text{No.}$$

Reason: $\begin{aligned} LHS &= \frac{m}{3} = 2 \\ &= \frac{0}{3} = 0 = LHS. \end{aligned}$

Result: $LHS \neq RHS$.

Q. 2. Sol.

(a) Equation Value

$$n + 5 = 19 \quad n = 1$$

Put up the value of n in equation.

$$\begin{array}{r} \underline{n + 5 = 19} \\ \Rightarrow 1 + 5 = 19 \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{6 \neq 19}, \text{ Here, } \underline{LHS \neq RHS}.$$

Result: ($n = 1$) is not solution of given equation.

$$(b) 7n + 5 = 19 \quad (n = 2).$$

put up the value of n in given equation.

$$\underline{7n + 5 = 19}$$

$$\Rightarrow 7 \times (2) + 5 = 19$$

$$\Rightarrow 14 + 5 = 19$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{19 = 19}, \text{ Here, LHS} = \text{RHS}$$

Result: $(n=2)$ is the solution of given equation.

(c) $4p - 3 = 13 \quad (p=0)$.

put up the value of p in given equation.

$$\underline{4p - 3 = 13}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 \times 0 - 3 = 13$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 - 3 = 13$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{-3 \neq 13} \quad \text{Here, LHS} \neq \text{RHS.}$$

Result: $(p=0)$ is not the solution of given equation.

Q.3. Sol. Solution by trial and error method.

(i)

$5p + 2 = 17$, To solve the equation by this method, we let $p = 1, 2, 3 \dots$

Let $p = 1$. Then, let $p = 2$. Then

<u>$5p + 2 = 17$</u>	<u>$5p + 2 = 17$</u>
$\Rightarrow 5 \times 1 + 2 = 17$	$\Rightarrow 5 \times 2 + 2 = 17$
$\Rightarrow 5 + 2 = 17$	$\Rightarrow 10 + 2 = 17$
$\Rightarrow \underline{7 \neq 17}$	$\Rightarrow \underline{12 \neq 17}$

Now, let $p = 3$

<u>$5p + 2 = 17$</u>	
$\Rightarrow 5 \times 3 + 2 = 17$	
$\Rightarrow 15 + 2 = 17$	
$\Rightarrow \underline{17 = 17}$	<u>Here, LHS = RHS.</u>

Hence, $p = 3$ is the solution of given equation.

B.4. Sol.

(i) The sum of number x and 4 is 9
 Sum of x and 4 is $x + 4$.
 The sum is 9.

Hence, required equation

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{x + 4 = 9} \quad \checkmark$$

(ii) 2 subtracted from y is 8.
 Difference of y and 2 is $y - 2$.

The difference is 8

Hence, required equation

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{y - 2 = 8} \checkmark$$

(iii) The number b divided by 5 gives 6.

The number b divided by 5 is $b/5$
It is 6

Hence, Required equation

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{b}{5} = 6} \checkmark$$

(iv) One fourth of a number minus 4
gives 4.

Let a number be x .

One-fourth of x is $\frac{x}{4}$

now, Subtract 4 from it

$$\Rightarrow \underline{\underline{\frac{x}{4} - 4}}$$

Result is 4

Hence, Required equation

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{x}{4} - 4 = 4} \checkmark$$