

5/11/12 12.2 Solving Addition Equations

12.3 Solving Subtraction Equations

- To solve an addition equation subtract the same # from each side so that the VARIABLE is by itself on one side of the = sign.
- To solve a subtraction equation add the same # to both sides so that the VARIABLE is by itself on one side of the = sign.

Addition:

$$* \quad x + 5 = 15$$

$$\quad \quad -5 \quad -5$$

$$* \quad x = 10$$

Subtraction:

$$* \quad y - 3 = 9$$

$$\quad \quad +3 = +3$$

$$* \quad y = 12$$

* Whatever
you do

to one

side of

the equation

you have

to do to the

Other.

$$y - 3 = 9$$

$y = 9 + 3$

$$y + 2 = 8$$

$y = 8 - 2$

$$\begin{array}{r} 15 = 3 + y \\ -3 \quad -3 \\ \hline 12 = y \end{array}$$

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$$y + 25 = 140$$

$$-25 = -25$$

$$y = 115$$

$$u + 1.85 = \overset{4}{9} \overset{9}{9} \overset{6}{6}$$

$$-1.85 = -1.85$$

$$u = 48.15$$

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#s 5-10

⑤ $p = 64$

⑧ $S = 8.2$

⑥ $q = 90$

⑨ $t = 2.2$

⑦ $r = 37$

⑩ $u = 48.15$

$$\begin{array}{r} 10.55 \\ - 8.35 \\ \hline 2.20 \end{array}$$

⑨ $8.35 + t = 10.55$
 $t = 10.55 - 8.35$

P. 593 #s 1-3

$$\begin{array}{r} \textcircled{1} \quad q - 7 = 2 \\ \quad +7 \quad +7 \\ \hline \quad \quad q = 9 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \textcircled{2} \quad 25 = s - 17 \\ \quad +17 \quad \quad +17 \\ \hline \quad \quad 42 = s \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \textcircled{3} \quad r = 5.3 \\ \quad 3.2 = r - 2.1 \\ \quad +2.1 \quad \quad +2.1 \\ \hline \quad \quad 5.3 = r \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 25 = s - 17 \\ \quad +17 \quad \quad +17 \\ \hline \quad \quad 42 = s \end{array}$$

Check your answers!

$$\begin{array}{l} 25 = 42 - 17 \\ \checkmark 25 = 25 \end{array}$$

In Class:

p. 590 #s 9-26

p. 594 #s 9-25

HW: WS 12.2