



NCERT solution Linear equation Exercise 3

Question 1 Solve and check result: 3x = 2x + 18

Answer

3x = 2x + 18Transposing 2x to L.H.S, we obtain 3x - 2x = 18Let us evaluate both the LHS and RHS for validate the answer L.H.S = $3x = 3 \times 18 = 54$ R.H.S = $2x + 18 = 2 \times 18 + 18 = 36 + 18 = 54$ L.H.S. = R.H.S.

It proves that result is correct

Question 2

Solve and check result: 5t - 3 = 3t - 5

Answer

5t-3 = 3t-5Transposing 3t to L.H.S and -3 to R.H.S, we obtain 5t-3t = -5 - (-3)2t = -2Dividing both sides by 2 t = -1Let us evaluate both the LHS and RHS for validate the answer

L.H.S = $5t - 3 = 5 \times (-1) - 3 = -8$ R.H.S = $3t - 5 = 3 \times (-1) - 5 = -3 - 5 = -8$ L.H.S. = R.H.S. It proves that result is correct



Question 3 Solve and check result 5x + 9 = 5 + 3x

Answer

5x + 9 = 5 + 3xTransposing 3x to L.H.S and 9 to R.H.S, we obtain 5x - 3x = 5 - 92x = -4Dividing both sides by 2, we obtain x = -2Let us evaluate both the LHS and RHS for validate the answer

L.H.S = $5x + 9 = 5 \times (-2) + 9 = -1$ R.H.S = $5 + 3x = 5 + 3 \times (-2) = -1$ L.H.S. = R.H.S. It proves that result is correct

Question 4

Solve and check result: 4z + 3 = 6 + 2z

Answer

4z + 3 = 6 + 2zTransposing 2*z* to L.H.S and 3 to R.H.S, we obtain 4z - 2z = 6 - 32z = 3Dividing both sides by 2, we obtain z=3/2Let us evaluate both the LHS and RHS for validate the answer L.H.S = $4z + 3 = 4 \times (3/2) + 3 = 6 + 3 = 9$ R.H.S = $6 + 2z = 6 + 2 \times (3/2) = 6 + 3 = 9$ L.H.S. = R.H.S. It proves that result is correct

Question 5 Solve and check result: 2x - 1 = 14 - x





Answer 2x - 1 = 14 - xTransposing x to L.H.S and 1 to R.H.S, we obtain 2x + x = 14 + 1 3x = 15Dividing both sides by 3, we obtain x = 5Let us evaluate both the LHS and RHS for validate the answer

L.H.S = $2x - 1 = 2 \times (5) - 1 = 10 - 1 = 9$ R.H.S = 14 - x = 14 - 5 = 9L.H.S. = R.H.S. It proves that result is correct

Question 6

Solve and check result: 8x + 4 = 3(x - 1) + 7

Answer

8x + 4 = 3(x - 1) + 7 8x + 4 = 3x - 3 + 7Transposing 3x to L.H.S and 4 to R.H.S, we obtain 8x - 3x = -3 + 7 - 4 5x = -7 + 7 5x=0x=0
Let us evaluate both the LHS and RHS for validate the answer
L.H.S = $8x + 4 = 8 \times (0) + 4 = 4$ R.H.S = 3(x - 1) + 7 = 3(0 - 1) + 7 = -3 + 7 = 4L.H.S. = R.H.S.
It proves that result is correct

Question 7-Solve and check result:

$$x = \frac{4}{5}(x+10)$$



Answer

$$x = \frac{4}{5}(x+10)$$

Multiplying both sides by 5, we obtain 5x = 4(x + 10) 5x = 4x + 40Transposing 4x to L.H.S, we obtain 5x - 4x = 40 x = 40Let us evaluate both the LHS and RHS for validate the answer

L.H.S = x = 40R.H.S = $\frac{4}{5}(x + 10) = 40$ L.H.S. = R.H.S. It proves that result is correct

Question 8

Solve and check result:

$$\frac{2x}{3} + 1 = \frac{7x}{15} + 3$$

Answer -

 $\frac{2x}{3} + 1 = \frac{7x}{15} + 3$

Transposing 7x/15 on LHS and 1 on RHS $\frac{2x}{3} - \frac{7x}{15} = 3 - 1$

 $\frac{10x-7x}{15} = 2$ Multiplying by 15 on both sides

10x-7x=303x=30Dividing by 3 on both the sides x=10





Let us evaluate both the LHS and RHS for validate the answer

L.H.S = $\frac{2x}{3}$ + 1=23/3 R.H.S= $\frac{7x}{15}$ + 3=23/3 L.H.S. = R.H.S. It proves that result is correct

Question 9

Solve and check result

$$2y + \frac{5}{3} = \frac{26}{3} - y$$

Answer

 $2y + \frac{5}{3} = \frac{26}{3} - y$

Transposing y to L.H.S and 5/3 to R.H.S, we obtain $2y + y = \frac{26}{3} - \frac{5}{3}$ 3y=21/3 3y=7Dividing both sides by 3, we obtain y=7/3Let us evaluate both the LHS and RHS for validate the answer L.H.S = $2y + \frac{5}{3} = 19/3$ R.H.S = $\frac{26}{3} - y = 19/3$ L.H.S. = R.H.S. It proves that result is correct **Question 10** Solve and check result:

$$3m = 5m - \frac{8}{5}$$

Answer

$$3m = 5m - \frac{8}{5}$$

Transposing 3m to R.H.S and 8/5 to L.H.S



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8/5=2mDividing both sides by 2 m=4/5

Let us evaluate both the LHS and RHS for validate the answer L.H.S = 3m=12/5R.H.S = 5m - (8/5)=12/5L.H.S. = R.H.S. It proves that result is correct