

1-8 Solving Addition and Subtraction Equations

Solve - find the value of the variable to make the equation true.

Solutions - the value that makes the variable true in the equation.

$$\begin{array}{r} x + 4 = 6 \\ \underline{-4 \quad -4} \\ x = 2 \end{array}$$

Subtraction Property of Equality
subtract the same # from both sides
of the equal sign!

$$x + \cancel{5} = 3$$
$$\quad \quad \quad \cancel{-5} \quad -5$$

$$x = -2$$

$$-2 + 5 = 3$$

$$\checkmark 3 = 3$$

balances

Do	Undo
+5	-5

$$a + 6 = 2$$

~~+6~~ -6

$$a = -4$$

<u>Do</u>	<u>Undo</u>
+6	-6

$$\begin{array}{r} y + 3 = -8 \\ -3 \quad -3 \\ \hline y = -11 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r|l} D & U \\ \hline +3 & -3 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 5 = n + 4 \\ -4 \quad \quad \quad \cancel{-4} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} \cancel{D} / \cancel{u} \\ +4 \mid -4 \end{array}$$

$1 = \textcircled{n}$ isolate the variable

Inverse Operations

opposites

Undo

example: $+4$ $+2$ -3 $\times 6$
 -4 -2 $+3$ $\div 6$

Addition Prop of Equality
add the same # to both sides

$$\begin{array}{r} -6 = y - 7 \\ +7 \quad +7 \end{array}$$

$1 = y$

D	u
-7	+7

$$\begin{array}{r} x - 8 = -3 \\ + 8 \quad + 8 \\ \hline x = 5 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} D / u \\ - 8 \quad + 8 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} b - 4 = -10 \\ +4 \quad +4 \\ \hline b = -6 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} D | U \\ -4 | +4 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 7 = P - 12 \\ +12 \\ \hline 19 = P \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} \text{do/undo} \\ -12 \quad / \quad +12 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -18 = n + 25 \\ \underline{-25} \\ -43 = n \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r|l} D & U \\ \hline +25 & -25 \end{array}$$

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even #s

Show the do | undo chart.

Show your work.

$$22.) \quad r - (-8) = 14$$

simplify
the problem
first!

$$r + \cancel{8} = 14$$

$$\quad \quad \quad \cancel{-8} \quad -8$$

$$r = 6$$

$$\begin{array}{r|l} D & U \\ +8 & -8 \end{array}$$