## LINEAR EQUATIONS IN ONE VARIABLE

## **TEXT BOOK EXERCISE 2.1**

Q. Solve the following equations and verify the result:

$$(1) 2x - 3 = x + 2$$

$$(2) 5x - 6 = 2x + 9$$

$$(3)$$
 5a - 3 = 3a - 5

$$(4) 5x + 9 = 5 + 3x$$

$$(5) 4y + 3 = 6 + 2y$$

$$(6)$$
 3x - 1 = 15 - x

$$\sqrt{7}$$
 4x + 3 = 2 (x - 1) + 5

$$(8)$$
 31 - 5 = 4 (1 + 2) - 6

(9) 
$$6x = 5(x + 10) - 2$$
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**Solution.** (1) We have : 2x - 3 = x + 2

Transposing -3 to R.H.S. and x to L.H.S., we get:

$$2x - x = 2 + 3 \Rightarrow x = 5$$
 Ans.

Verification: Put x = 5 in the given equation, we get:

L.H.S. = 
$$2x - 3$$
  
=  $2(5) - 3$   
=  $10 - 3 = 7$  | R.H.S. =  $x + 2$   
=  $5 + 2$   
=  $7$ 

 $\therefore$  L.H.S. = R.H.S.

Both sides are equal

Hence, the solution is verified.

(2) We have, 5x - 6 = 2x + 9

Transposing -6 to R.H.S. and 2x to L.H.S. we get:

$$5x - 2x = 9 + 6 \Rightarrow 3x = 15$$

$$\Rightarrow \qquad x = \frac{15}{3} = 5 \text{ Ans.}$$

**Verification :** Put x = 5 in the given equation.

L.H.S. = 
$$5x - 6$$
  
=  $5(5) - 6$   
=  $25 - 6$   
=  $19$   
L.H.S. =  $2x + 9$   
=  $2(5) + 9$   
=  $10 + 9$   
=  $19$ 

 $\therefore$  L.H.S. = R.H.S.

Both sides are equal.

Hence, the solution is verified.

(3) We have : 5a - 3 = 3a - 5

Transposing -3 to R.H.S and 3a to L.H.S. we get

$$5a - 3a = -5 + 3$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a = -2$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{-2}{2} = -1 \text{ Ans.}$$

**Verification:** Put a = -1 in the given equation, we get

L.H.S. = 
$$5a - 3$$
  
=  $5(-1) - 3$   
=  $-5 - 3$   
=  $-8$   
R.H.S. =  $3a - 5$   
=  $3(-1) - 5$   
=  $-3 - 5$   
=  $-8$ 

 $\therefore$  L.H.S. = R.H.S.

Both sides are equal

Hence, the solution is verified.

(4) We have : 5x + 9 = 5 + 3x

Transposing 9 to R.H.S. and 5 to L.H.S., we get

$$5x - 3x = 5 - 9$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = -4$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{-4}{2} = -2 \text{ Ans.}$$

**Verification:** Put x = -2 in the given equation,

we get

t  
L.H.S. = 
$$5x + 9$$
  
=  $5(-2) + 9$   
=  $-10 + 9$   
=  $-1$   
R.H.S. =  $5 + 3x$   
=  $5 + 3(-2)$   
=  $5 - 6$   
=  $-1$ 

 $\therefore$  L.H.S. = R.H.S.

Hence, the solution is verified.

(5) We have : 4y + 3 = 6 + 2y

Transposing 3 to R.H.S. and 2y to L.H.S. we get:

$$4y - 2y = 6 - 3$$

$$\Rightarrow 2y = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{3}{2} \text{ Ans.}$$

**Verification :** Put  $y = \frac{3}{2}$ , in the given equation, we get :

L.H.S. = 
$$4y + 3$$
 | R.H.S. =  $6 + 2y$   
=  $4\left(\frac{3}{2}\right) + 3$  | =  $6 + 2\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)$   
=  $6 + 3 = 9$  | =  $6 + 3 = 9$ 

: L.H.S. = R.H.S. Hence, the solution is verified.

(6) We have : 3x - 1 = 15 - x

Transposing -1 to R.H.S. and -x to L.H.S. we get:

$$3x + x = 15 + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x = 16$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{16}{4} = 4 \text{ Ans.}$$

**Verification :** Put x = 4 in the given equation, we get :

L.H.S. = 
$$3x - 1$$
  
=  $3(4) - 1$   
=  $12 - 1 = 11$   
 $\therefore$  L.H.S. = R.H.S.

Hence, the solution is verified.

(7) We have : 
$$4x + 3 = 2(x - 1) + 5$$
  
 $\Rightarrow 4x + 3 = 2x - 2 + 5$   
 $\Rightarrow 4x + 3 = 2x + 3$ 

Transposing 3 to R.H.S. and 2x to L.H.S. to

$$4x - 2x = 3 - 3$$

$$2x = 0 \Rightarrow x = \frac{0}{2} = 0 \text{ Ans.}$$

**Verification:** Put x = 0, in the given equation, we get:

L.H.S. = 
$$4x + 3$$
  
=  $4(0) + 3$   
=  $0 + 3$   
=  $3$   
R.H.S. =  $2(x - 1) + 5$   
=  $2(0 - 1) + 5$   
=  $-2 + 5$   
=  $3$ 

Hence, the solution is verified.

(8) We have : 
$$3l - 5 = 4(l + 2) - 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 3l - 5 = 4l + 8 - 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 3l - 5 = 4l + 2$$

Transposing – 5 to R.H.S. and 4*l* to L.H.S. we get:

$$3l - 4l = 2 + 5$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $-l = 7 \Rightarrow l = -7$  Ans.

**Verification:** Put l = -7 in the given equation, we get:

get:  
L.H.S. = 
$$3l - 5$$
  
=  $3(-7) - 5$   
=  $-21 - 5$   
=  $-26$   
| R.H.S. =  $4(l + 2) - 6$   
=  $4(-7 + 2) - 6$   
=  $4(-5) - 6$   
=  $-20 - 6 = -26$ 

 $\therefore$  L.H.S. = R.H.S.

Hence, the solution is verified.

(9) We have : 
$$6x = 5(x + 10) - 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x = 5x + 50 - 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x = 5x + 48$$

Transposing 5 to R.H.S. we get

$$6x - 5x = 48$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $x = 48$  Ans.

**Verification:** Put x = 48 in the given equation, we get:

L.H.S. = 
$$6x$$
  
=  $6 (48)$   
=  $288$   
| R.H.S. =  $5 (x + 10) - 2$   
=  $5 (48 + 10) - 2$   
=  $5 (58) - 2$   
=  $290 - 2 = 288$ 

Hence, solution is verified.

TEXT ROOK EXERCISE 2.2