

Algebra 1: 6.1 Homework
Transformations and Substitution

Name _____ Period _____

Transform both equations in each system of equations so that every coefficient is an integer.

- Multiply decimals by a multiple of 10.
- Multiply fractions by the least common denominator.

Do NOT solve!

1.
$$\begin{cases} \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{3}{2}y = 4 \\ \frac{2}{3}x - \frac{1}{3}y = 7 \end{cases} \quad \times 2$$

$$1x + 3y = 8$$

$$2x - 1y = 21$$

2.
$$\begin{cases} 0.5x + 1.2y = 2 \\ 3.3x - 0.7y = 3 \end{cases} \quad \times 10$$

$$5x + 12y = 20$$

$$33x - 7y = 30$$

3.
$$\begin{cases} \frac{5}{4}x - 3 = \frac{1}{6}y \\ \frac{2}{5}x + \frac{1}{5}y = \frac{9}{5} \end{cases} \quad \times 12 \text{ (LCD)}$$

$$15x - 36 = 2y$$

$$2x + 1y = 9$$

4.
$$\begin{cases} 0.3y = 2 - 0.8x \\ 1.1x = 3y - 0.4 \end{cases} \quad \times 10$$

$$3y = 20 - 8x$$

$$11x = 30y - 4$$

5.
$$\begin{cases} \frac{1}{3}x + \frac{1}{2}y = 5 \\ \frac{3}{4}x - \frac{1}{4}y = 10 \end{cases} \quad \times 6 \text{ (LCD)}$$

$$2x + 3y = 30$$

$$3x - 1y = 40$$

Solve each system of equations by substitution.

6. $\begin{cases} y = 2x - 3 \\ x = 4 \end{cases}$

$$y = 2(4) - 3$$

$$y = 8 - 3$$

$$y = 5$$

We know that $x = 4$

$$(4, 5)$$

7. $\begin{cases} y = 3x - 2 \\ y - 3x = 4 \end{cases}$

$$\cancel{3x - 2} - 3x = 4$$

$$-2 \neq 4$$

No solution

8. $\begin{cases} \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{3}{2}y = -7 \quad \times 2 \\ \frac{1}{3}y = 2x - 10 \quad \times 3 \end{cases}$

$$1x + 3y = -14$$

$$1y = \cancel{6x - 30}$$

$$x + 3(6x - 30) = -14$$

$$x + 18x - 90 = -14$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 19x - 90 = -14 \\ + 90 \quad + 90 \\ \hline 19x = 76 \end{array}$$

$$\frac{19}{19} \quad \frac{76}{19}$$

$$x = 4$$

$$y = 6(4) - 30$$

$$y = 24 - 30$$

$$y = -6$$

$$(4, -6)$$

9. $\begin{cases} 0.8x - 0.2y = 1.5 \quad \times 10 \\ 0.1x + 1.2y = 0.8 \quad \times 10 \end{cases}$

$$8x - 2y = 15$$

$$1x + 12y = 8$$

$$\hookrightarrow x = -12y + 8$$

$$8(-12y + 8) - 2y = 15$$

$$-96y + 64 - 2y = 15$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -98y + 64 = 15 \\ -64 \quad -64 \\ \hline -98y = -49 \end{array}$$

$$\frac{-98y}{-98} = \frac{-49}{-98}$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$x = -12\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + 8$$

$$x = -6 + 8$$

$$x = 2$$

$$(2, \frac{1}{2})$$