



Test Linear Equations in Two

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Chapter Details

Mathematics Linear Equations in Two Variables

Part - I :

Q.1(A) Choose the correct alternative.

(4)

i **If $x + y = 10$ and $x - y = 12$, then**

☐ (A) $x = 11, y = 1$

☒ (B) $x = 11, y = -1$

☐ (C) $x = -11, y = 1$

☐ (D) $x = -11, y = -1$

Ans: $x + y = 10$... (i)

$x - y = 12$... (ii)

Adding (i) and (ii), we get

$$\begin{array}{r} x + y = 10 \\ + x - y = 12 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$2x = 22$$

$$\therefore x = 11$$

$$\therefore (i) \Rightarrow y = -1$$

ii **For simultaneous equations in variables x and y , $D_x = 49$, $D_y = -63$, $D = 7$ then what is x ?**

☒ (A) 7

☐ (B) -7

☐ (C) $\frac{1}{7}$

☐ (D) $\frac{-1}{7}$

Ans: As $x = \frac{D_x}{D}$, we get

$$x = \frac{49}{7} = 7$$

iii **The value of m for which the value of the determinant $\begin{vmatrix} -3 & m \\ -5 & -4 \end{vmatrix}$ is -18 is**

☐ (A) 3

☐ (B) -3

☐ (C) 6

☒ (D) -6

Ans: Given $\begin{vmatrix} -3 & m \\ -5 & -4 \end{vmatrix} = -18$

$$\therefore 12 + 5m = -18$$

$$\therefore 5m = -30$$

Ans: Let the greater number be x and the smaller number be y .

According to the first condition, we get

$$\therefore x - y = 3 \quad \dots(i)$$

According to the second condition, we get

$$\therefore 3x + 2y = 19 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Solving equations (i) and (ii), we get

$$x = 5 \text{ and } y = 2$$

\therefore The smaller number is 2.

iii Solve the following equations by Cramer's method.

$$7x + 3y = 15; 12y - 5x = 39$$

The given simultaneous equations are

$$7x + 3y = 15 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$12y - 5x = 39$$

$$\text{i.e. } -5x + 12y = 39 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Equations (i) and (ii) are in $ax + by = c$ form.

Comparing the given equations with $a_1x + b_1y = c_1$ and $a_2x + b_2y = c_2$, we get

$$a_1 = 7, b_1 = 3, c_1 = 15 \text{ and}$$

$$a_2 = -5, b_2 = 12, c_2 = 39$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore D &= \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 7 & 3 \\ -5 & 12 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (7 \times 12) - (3 \times -5) \\ &= 84 - (-15) \\ &= 84 + 15 = 99 \neq 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} D_x &= \begin{vmatrix} c_1 & b_1 \\ c_2 & b_2 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 15 & 3 \\ 39 & 12 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (15 \times 12) - (3 \times 39) \\ &= 180 - 117 = 63 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} D_y &= \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & c_1 \\ a_2 & c_2 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 7 & 15 \\ -5 & 39 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (7 \times 39) - (15 \times -5) \\ &= 273 - (-75) \\ &= 273 + 75 = 348 \end{aligned}$$

\therefore By Cramer's rule, we get

$$x = \frac{D_x}{D} \quad \text{and} \quad y = \frac{D_y}{D}$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{63}{99} \quad \text{and} \quad y = \frac{348}{99}$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{7}{11} \quad \text{and} \quad y = \frac{116}{33}$$

$\therefore (x, y) = \left(\frac{7}{11}, \frac{116}{33} \right)$ is the solution of the given simultaneous equations.

Q.3 Complete the following activity.

(3)

- i The ages of Durga and Hari are in the ratio 5:7. After eight years, the ratio of their ages will be 3:4. Find their present ages.

Let the present ages of Durga and Hari be x years and y years respectively.

\therefore According to the first condition, the ages of Durga and Hari are in the ratio 5 : 7.

$$\therefore \boxed{} = \frac{5}{7}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{} \dots(i)$$

After eight years,

Age of Durga = $(x + 8)$ years

Age of Hari = $(y + 8)$ years

According to the second condition, after 8 years, the ratio of their ages will be 3 : 4.

$$\therefore \frac{x + 8}{y + 8} = \boxed{}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{} \dots(ii)$$

Multiplying equation (i) by 3 and equation (ii) by 5, we get

$$21x - 15y = 0 \quad \dots(iii)$$

$$20x - 15y = -40 \quad \dots(iv)$$

Subtracting equation (iv) from equation (iii) Present age of Durga is $\boxed{}$ years and that of Hari is $\boxed{}$ years.

Let the present ages of Durga and Hari be x years and y years respectively.

\therefore According to the first condition, the ages of Durga and Hari are in the ratio 5 : 7.

$$\therefore \frac{x}{y} = \frac{5}{7}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{7x - 5y = 0} \quad \dots(i)$$

After eight years,

Age of Durga = $(x + 8)$ years

Age of Hari = $(y + 8)$ years

According to the second condition, after 8 years, the ratio of their ages will be 3 : 4.

$$\therefore \frac{x + 8}{y + 8} = \boxed{\frac{3}{4}}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{4x - 3y = -8} \quad \dots(ii)$$

Multiplying equation (i) by 3 and equation (ii) by 5, we get

$$21x - 15y = 0 \quad \dots(iii)$$

$$20x - 15y = -40 \quad \dots(iv)$$

Subtracting equation (iv) from equation (iii) Present age of Durga is $\boxed{40}$ years and that of Hari is $\boxed{56}$ years.

Q.4 Solve the following questions.(Any one) (3)

- i Sum of the present ages of Manish and Savita is 31. Manish's age 3 years ago was 4 times the age of Savita. Find their present ages.

Let the present ages of Manish and Savita be x years and y years respectively.

According to the first condition, sum of the present ages of Manish and Savita is 31.

$$\therefore x + y = 31 \quad \dots(i)$$

3 years ago,

Manish's age = $(x - 3)$ years

Savita's age = $(y - 3)$ years

According to the second condition, 3 years ago Manish's age was 4 times the age of Savita.

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

$$\therefore x - 3 = 4y - 12$$

$$\therefore x - 4y = -12 + 3$$

$$\therefore x - 4y = -9 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Subtracting equation (ii) from (i), we get

$$\begin{array}{r}
 x + y = 31 \\
 x - 4y = -9 \\
 \hline
 - \quad + \quad + \\
 \hline
 5y = 40 \\
 \hline
 \therefore y = \frac{40}{5} = 8
 \end{array}$$

Substituting $y = 8$ in equation (i), we get

$$x + y = 31$$

$$x + 8 = 31$$

$$\therefore x = 31 - 8$$

$$\therefore x = 23$$

\therefore The present ages of Manish and Savita are 23 years and 8 years respectively.

ii **Solve the following simultaneous equations.**

$$99x + 101y = 499; 101x + 99y = 501$$

$$99x + 101y = 499 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$101x + 99y = 501 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Adding equations (i) and (ii), we get

$$99x + 101y = 499$$

$$+ 101x + 99y = 501$$

$$\hline 200x + 200y = 1000$$

$$\therefore x + y = \frac{1000}{200} \quad \dots[\text{Dividing both sides by 200}]$$

$$\therefore x + y = 5 \quad \dots(iii)$$

Subtracting equation (ii) from (i), we get

$$99x + 101y = 499$$

$$101x + 99y = 501$$

$$\hline -2x + 2y = -2$$

$$\therefore x - y = \frac{-2}{-2} \quad \dots[\text{Dividing both sides by } -2]$$

$$\therefore x - y = 1 \quad \dots(iv)$$

Adding equations (iii) and (iv), we get

$$x + y = 5$$

$$+ x - y = 1$$

$$\hline 2x = 6$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{6}{2} = 3$$

Substituting $x = 3$ in equation (iii), we get

$$x + y = 5$$

$$3 + y = 5$$

$$\therefore y = 5 - 3 = 2$$

$\therefore (x, y) = (3, 2)$ is the solution of the given simultaneous equations.

Q.5 Solve the following questions.(Any one)

(4)

- i Kantabai bought $1\frac{1}{2}$ kg tea and 5 kg sugar from a shop. She paid ₹ 50 as return fare for rickshaw. Total expense was ₹ 700. Then she realised that by ordering online the goods can be bought with free home delivery at the same price. So,

next month she placed the order online for 2 kg tea and 7 kg sugar. She paid ₹ 880 for that. Find the rate of sugar and tea per kg.

Let the rate of tea be ₹ x per kg and that of sugar be ₹ y per kg.

According to the first condition, cost of

$1\frac{1}{2}$ kg tea + cost of 5 kg sugar + fare for rickshaw = total expense

$$\therefore 1\frac{1}{2}x + 5y + 50 = 700$$

$$\therefore \frac{3}{2}x + 5y = 700 - 50$$

$$\therefore \frac{3}{2}x + 5y = 650$$

$$\therefore 3x + 10y = 1300 \quad \dots(i) \text{ [Multiplying both sides by 2]}$$

According to the second condition, cost of 2 kg tea and 7 kg sugar is 880.

$$2x + 7y = 880 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Multiplying equation (i) by 2, we get

$$6x + 20y = 2600 \quad \dots(iii)$$

Multiplying equation (ii) by 3, we get

$$6x + 21y = 2640 \quad \dots(iv)$$

Subtracting equation (iii) from (iv), we get

$$6x + 21y = 2640$$

$$6x + 20y = 2600$$

$$\begin{array}{r} - \quad - \quad - \\ \hline y = 40 \end{array}$$

Substituting $y = 40$ in equation (i), we get

$$3x + 10y = 1300$$

$$3x + 10(40) = 1300$$

$$\therefore 3x + 400 = 1300$$

$$\therefore 3x = 1300 - 400$$

$$\therefore 3x = 900$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{900}{3} = 300$$

∴ The rate of tea is ₹300 per kg and that of sugar is ₹40 per kg.

ii **Convert the following equations into simultaneous equations and solve:**

$$\sqrt{\frac{x}{y}} = 4, \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{y} = \frac{1}{xy}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{x}{y}} = 4$$

Squaring on both sides, we get

$$\frac{x}{y} = 16$$

$$\therefore x = 16y \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{y} = \frac{1}{xy}$$

Multiplying both sides by xy , we get

$$y + x = 1$$

$$\text{i.e., } x + y = 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

Substituting $x = 16y$ in equation (ii), we get

$$16y + y = 1$$

$$\therefore 17y = 1$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{1}{17}$$

Substituting $y = \frac{1}{17}$ in equation (i), we get

$$x = \frac{16}{17}$$

$\therefore (x, y) = \left(\frac{16}{17}, \frac{1}{17} \right)$ is the solution of the given equations.

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