

Math 5a, homework 15.

1. Solve the equations:

a. $2 \cdot (x - 9.5) - 3 \cdot (x + 1.8) = -4.4;$

b. $5.7 - (x - 11.3) = 2 \cdot (x + 3.7);$

c. $-4 \cdot (x - 7.6) = 8 \cdot (x - 1.8) - 3.2;$

d. $15.3 - 2 \cdot (x - 0.9) = -0.7 + 3 \cdot (x - 2.4);$

2. Simplify:

a. $\frac{3ab}{7xy} : \frac{2ab}{7by};$

b. $4am : \frac{8mx}{2x^2};$

c. $\left(\frac{3a}{5b} : \frac{4a}{7b}\right) \cdot \frac{20}{21}$

d. $\frac{2x}{3y} : \frac{7bx}{9ay};$

e. $15n : \frac{5nx}{3y};$

f. $\left(\frac{25xy}{3ab} \cdot \frac{24b^2}{35x^2y}\right) : \frac{1}{x}$

3. Parallelogram is a quadrilateral made by two pairs of parallel sides. Can you prove that

a. Opposite angles are equal.

b. Opposite sides are equal.

c. Diagonals of a parallelogram divide themselves into half.

(hint: two parallel lines crossed by the third line, congruency of two triangles).

