

→ **Introduction to System of Linear Equation**

➤ **Linear Equation:-**

An equation of the type $ax = b$ expressing the variable 'b' in terms of the variable 'x' and the constant 'a' is called a linear equation. In linear equation $a \neq 0$.

OR

A linear equation in one unknown is an equation of the form $ax = b$, where 'a' and 'b' are constants and 'x' is an unknown that we wish to solve for.

• **Examples:-**

1. $3x = 2$

It is linear equation because it is in the form of $ax = b$ here $a = 3, b = 2$

2. $5x = 10$

It is linear equation because it is in the form of $ax = b$ here $a = 5, b = 10$

3. $-2x = -70$

It is linear equation because it is in the form of $ax = b$ here $a = -2, b = -70$

➤ **Linear Equation of One Variable:-**

A linear equation in one variable is an equation that can be written in the form of $ax = b$. where 'a' and 'b' are real numbers, $a \neq 0$. The answer of the linear equation of variable will be one.

• **Examples:-**

$2x + 7 = 19$

Sol: -

Subtract 7 from both sides

$2x = 19 - 7$

$2x = 12$

Divide both sides by 2

$x = 6$. Ans

➤ **Linear Equation of two Variables:-**

If a, b and r are real numbers and ($a \neq 0, b \neq 0$) then $ax + by = r$ is called a linear equation in two variables. The two variables are 'x' and 'y'. The numbers a and b are called the coefficients of the equation $ax + by = r$. The number r is called constant of the equation $ax + by = r$. Linear equation of two variables can also be written in the form of $a_1x_1 + a_2x_2 = b$.

• **Examples:-**

$10x - 3y = 5$ And $-2x - 4y = 7$ are linear equations in two variables.

➤ **Linear Equation of three Variables:-**

The equation $ax + by + cz = k$ are linear equation in three variables. In order to solve equations in three variables, are known as three-by-three systems. The equation of linear in three variables can also be written in the form of $a_1x_1 + a_2x_2 + a_3x_3 = b$.

Similarly the equation

$a_1x_1 + a_2x_2 + a_3x_3 + \dots + a_nx_n = b$. Expressing 'b' in terms of the variables $x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_n$ and the known constants $a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n$ is called linear equation.

• **Examples:-**

Solution of n^{th} equation

$$2x + 5y = 10$$

$$x = 5, \quad y = 0$$

$$x = 0, \quad y = 2$$

$$x = 10, \quad y = -2$$

$$x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 10$$

$$1 + 2 + 3 + 4$$

$$2 + 1 + 3 + 4$$

$$3 + 1 + 2 + 4$$

$$10 + 0 + 0 + 0$$

$$5 + 5 + 0 + 0$$

These all are many Infinite solutions.

➤ **Systems of linear equations:-**

$$a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + a_{13}x_3 + \dots + a_{1n}x_n = b_1$$

$$a_{21}x_1 + a_{22}x_2 + a_{23}x_3 + \dots + a_{2n}x_n = b_2$$

$$a_{31}x_1 + a_{32}x_2 + a_{33}x_3 + \dots + a_{3n}x_n = b_3$$

⋮

$$a_{n1}x_1 + a_{n2}x_2 + a_{n3}x_3 + \dots + a_{nn}x_n = b_n$$

• **Questions:-**

Solve the system of linear equation by using method of elimination.

1. $x + 2y = 8$

$$3x - 4y = 4$$

Sol: -

$$x + 2y = 8 \quad \longrightarrow \quad \text{(i)}$$

$$3x - 4y = 4 \quad \longrightarrow \quad \text{(ii)}$$

Multiplying \longrightarrow (i) by 3

$$3x + 6y = 24 \quad \longrightarrow \quad \text{(iii)}$$

Subtract \longrightarrow (ii) from \longrightarrow (iii)

$$\cancel{3x} + 6y = 24$$

$$\pm \cancel{3x} \mp 4y = \pm 4$$

$$0 + 10y = 20$$

$$10y = 20$$

$$y = \frac{20}{10}$$

2. $x_1 - 2x_2 = -1$

$$-x_1 + 3x_2 = 3$$

Sol: -

$$x_1 - 2x_2 = -1 \quad \longrightarrow \quad \text{(i)}$$

$$-x_1 + 3x_2 = 3 \quad \longrightarrow \quad \text{(ii)}$$

Adding \longrightarrow (i) and (ii)

$$\cancel{x_1} - 2x_2 = -1$$

$$\cancel{-x_1} + 3x_2 = 3$$

$$0 + x_2 = 2$$

$$\boxed{x_2 = 2}$$

Put $x_2 = 2$ in \longrightarrow (i) or (ii)

$$y = 2$$

Put $y = 2$ in \rightarrow (i) or (ii)

$$x + 2y = 8$$

$$x + 2(2) = 8$$

$$x + 4 = 8$$

$$x = 8 - 4$$

$$x = 4$$

solution set = $\{4, 2\}$

3. $2x - 3y + 4z = -12$

$$x - 2y + z = -5$$

$$3x + y + 2z = 1$$

Sol: -

$$2x - 3y + 4z = -12 \rightarrow \text{(i)}$$

$$x - 2y + z = -5 \rightarrow \text{(ii)}$$

$$3x + y + 2z = 1 \rightarrow \text{(iii)}$$

Multiplying \rightarrow (ii) by 2

$$2x - 4y + 2z = -10 \rightarrow \text{(iv)}$$

Multiplying \rightarrow (ii) by 3

$$3x - 6y + 3z = -15 \rightarrow \text{(v)}$$

Subtract \rightarrow (i) from \rightarrow (iv)

$$\cancel{2x} - 4y + 2z = -10$$

$$\pm \cancel{2x} \mp 3y \pm 4z = \mp 12$$

$$0 - y - 2z = 2$$

$$-y - 2z = 2$$

$$y + 2z = -2 \rightarrow \text{(vi)}$$

Subtract \rightarrow (iii) from \rightarrow (v)

$$\cancel{3x} - 6y + 3z = -15$$

$$\pm \cancel{3x} \pm y \pm 2z = \pm 1$$

$$0 - 7y + z = -16$$

$$x_1 - 2x_2 = -1$$

$$x_1 - 2(2) = -1$$

$$x_1 - 4 = -1$$

$$x_1 = -1 + 4$$

$$x_1 = 3$$

$$x_1 = 3$$

$$S.S = \{3, 2\}$$

4. $3x + 2y + z = 2$

$$4x + 2y + 2z = 8$$

$$x - y + z = 4$$

Sol: -

$$3x + 2y + z = 2 \rightarrow \text{(i)}$$

$$4x + 2y + 2z = 8 \rightarrow \text{(ii)}$$

$$x - y + z = 4 \rightarrow \text{(iii)}$$

Multiplying \rightarrow (iii) by 4

$$4x - 4y + 4z = 16 \rightarrow \text{(iv)}$$

Multiplying \rightarrow (iii) by 3

$$3x - 3y + 3z = 12 \rightarrow \text{(v)}$$

Subtract \rightarrow (iv) from \rightarrow (ii)

$$\cancel{4x} - 4y + 4z = 16$$

$$\pm \cancel{4x} \pm 2y \pm 2z = \pm 8$$

$$0 - 6y + 2z = 8$$

$$-6y + 2z = 8 \rightarrow \text{(vi)}$$

Subtract \rightarrow (i) from \rightarrow (v)

$$\cancel{3x} - 3y + 3z = 12$$

$$\pm \cancel{3x} \pm 2y \pm z = \pm 2$$

$$0 - 5y + 2z = 10$$

$$-7y + z = -16 \longrightarrow (vii)$$

$$y + 2z = -2 \longrightarrow (vi)$$

Multiplying $\longrightarrow (vi)$ by 7

$$7y + 14z = -14 \longrightarrow (viii)$$

Add $\longrightarrow (vii)$ & $\longrightarrow (viii)$

$$\cancel{7}y + 14z = -14$$

$$\underline{\cancel{-7}y + 1z = -16}$$

$$0 + 15z = -30$$

$$15z = -30$$

$$z = \frac{\cancel{-30}^2}{15^1}$$

$$\boxed{z = -2}$$

Put $z = -2$ in $\longrightarrow (vi)$

$$y + 2z = -2$$

$$y + 2(-2) = -2$$

$$y - 4z = -2$$

$$y = -2 + 4$$

$$\boxed{y = 2}$$

Put $y = 2, z = -2 \longrightarrow (ii)$

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

$$x - 4 - 2 = -5$$

$$x - 6 = -5$$

$$x = -5 + 6$$

$$x = 1$$

$$\boxed{x = 1}$$

$$S.S = \{1, 2, -2\}$$

$$-5y + 2z = 10 \longrightarrow (vii)$$

Subtract $\longrightarrow (vii)$ from $\longrightarrow (vi)$

$$-5y + \cancel{2}z = 10$$

$$\underline{\cancel{+6}y + \cancel{2}z = \pm 8}$$

$$y + 0 = 2$$

$$\boxed{y = 2}$$

put $y = 2$ in $\longrightarrow (vi)$

$$-6y + 2z = 8$$

$$-6(2) + 2z = 8$$

$$-12 + 2z = 8$$

$$2z = 8 + 12$$

$$2z = 20$$

$$z = \frac{20^{10}}{2^1}$$

$$\boxed{z = 10}$$

Put $y = 2, z = 10 \longrightarrow (i)$

$$3x + 2y + z = 2$$

$$3x + 2(2) + 10 = 2$$

$$3x + 4 + 10 = 2$$

$$3x = 2 - 14$$

$$3x = -12$$

$$x = \frac{-12^4}{3^1}$$

$$\boxed{x = -4}$$

$$S.S = \{-4, 2, 10\}$$