

Lesson 5

The Distributive Property and Combining Like Terms

Answers

$$1) \quad 4x + 12 + 2x = 6x + 12$$

$$2) \quad 10y - 5 + 3y = 13y - 5$$

$$3) \quad 6a + 8 - a - 5 = 5a + 3$$

$$4) \quad -3x + 18 + 2x = -x + 18$$

$$5) \quad 2x + 6 = 16, \quad 2x = 10, \quad x = 5$$

$$6) \quad 8n - 4 + 3 = 19, \quad 8n - 1 = 19, \quad 8n = 20, \quad n = 5/2 = 2.5$$

$$7) \quad 3y + 15 - 2y = 20, \quad y + 15 = 20, \quad y = 5$$