

Linear Equation Problem:

Cramer's Rule:

Problem: 1.

$$\begin{aligned} 2x + 3y &= 60 \\ -6x + 7y &= 40 \end{aligned}$$

Solution:

Here,

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -6 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 60 \\ 40 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -6 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \text{Determinant of } [A] = |A| = 14 + 18 = 32$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 60 & 3 \\ 40 & 7 \end{vmatrix}}{|A|} = \frac{420 - 120}{32} = 9.375$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 60 \\ -6 & 40 \end{vmatrix}}{|A|} = \frac{80 + 360}{32} = 13.75$$

$$\therefore \begin{aligned} x &= 9.375 \\ y &= 13.75 \end{aligned} \quad \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} x &= 9.375 \\ y &= 13.75 \end{aligned}} \right\} \text{Ans}$$