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## **Skills Practice**

## Elimination Using Addition and Subtraction

Use elimination to solve each system of equations.

1. 
$$x - y = 1$$
  
 $x + y = 3$ 

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**2.** 
$$-x + y = 1$$
  $x + y = 11$ 

$$3. x + 4y = 11 x - 6y = 11$$

$$4. -x + 3y = 6$$
$$x + 3y = 18$$

**5.** 
$$3x + 4y = 19$$
  
 $3x + 6y = 33$ 

**6.** 
$$x + 4y = -8$$
  
 $x - 4y = -8$ 

**7.** 
$$3a + 4b = 2$$
  
 $4a - 4b = 12$ 

**8.** 
$$3c - d = -1$$
  
 $-3c - d = 5$ 

$$9. 2x - 3y = 9$$
$$-5x - 3y = 30$$

10. 
$$x - y = 4$$
  
  $2x + y = -4$ 

11. 
$$3m - n = 26$$
  
 $-2m - n = -24$ 

12. 
$$5x - y = -6$$
  
 $-x + y = 2$ 

$$13. 6x - 2y = 32$$
$$4x - 2y = 18$$

15. 
$$7m + 4n = 2$$
  
 $7m + 2n = 8$ 

$$16. \ 2x - 5y = -28$$
$$4x + 5y = 4$$

- 17. The sum of two numbers is 28 and their difference is 4. What are the numbers?
- **18.** Find the two numbers whose sum is 29 and whose difference is 15.
- 19. The sum of two numbers is 24 and their difference is 2. What are the numbers?
- 20. Find the two numbers whose sum is 54 and whose difference is 4.
- **21.** Two times a number added to another number is 25. Three times the first number minus the other number is 20. Find the numbers.