Quiz 1.9: Solving Systems of Linear Equations

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- D. Solve one equation for one variable in terms of the other variable.
- 2. What is the last step in solving systems of linear equations using the elimination method?
- A. Add the resulting equations.
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- 5. To solve the system $\begin{cases} x+y = 7 \\ x-y = 1 \end{cases}$ using the elimination method, which variable should be eliminated first?
 - **A**. x

 $\mathbf{B}. y$

- C. 7 and 1
- D. both x and y
- 6. To solve the system $\begin{cases} 4x-y &= 8 \\ 3x+2y &= 6 \end{cases}$ using the elimination method, which constant must be multiplied to the first equation?
 - A. -2

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- D. 3
- 7. Solve the system $\begin{cases} x + 4y &= 8 \\ x 2y &= 2 \end{cases}$ using the elimination method.
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- **B.** {(1, 5)}
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