

## Bell Work: Solve the system.

1.)  $3x + y = 5$

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

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# ALGEBRA 3

Day 26



Objective:

To apply knowledge of solving systems of equations to solving systems of inequalities  
(3.3)

To solve a system using a matrix

# Review: 3.3 Solving Systems of Inequalities

- The process remains the same as yesterday with a small twist.
- Just like graphing single inequalities, we must shade on either side of the line.
- We are no longer looking for simply where the single point is that overlaps, but rather the entire shaded regions that overlap!
- Bonus: Our calculators can do it for us again!

# Graph to Solve the Inequality:

$$\begin{aligned} 1.) \quad & y - 4x \leq 1 \\ & -2y > 6x - 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2.) \quad & 2y - 4x > 2 \\ & -2y + 4x < -2 \end{aligned}$$

## 3.6 Solving Systems Using Matrices

- **Matrix:** a rectangular array of numbers
- **Matrix Element (entry):** the numbers that make up the rows and columns of a matrix
- **Dimensions:** rows by columns

# Example 1 of Identifying a Matrix Element:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 10 & 0 \\ 9 & 0.25 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Matrix A has 2 rows and 3 columns and is read as a 2x3 matrix (“two by three”)

written as:  $A_{2 \times 3}$

If I asked you to identify  $a_{12}$  I am asking for the element in row 1 and column 2.  $a_{12}$  is the element 10.

What is the element:  $a_{23}$ ?       $a_{11}$ ?       $a_{21}$ ?



# Using Matrices to Represent Systems of Equations

1.)  $2x - y = 4$

$$x + 3y = 11$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 4 \\ 1 & 3 & 11 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$2x + y + 3z = 7$$

$$-x - 2y = 10$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \\ -1 & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 7 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Solving a System Using a Matrix

You use similar steps to solve using a matrix that you use for elimination.

We call each step a **row operation**.

Goal when using of Row Operations is to get the matrix into the form:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & a \\ 0 & 1 & b \end{bmatrix} \quad or \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & a \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & b \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & c \end{bmatrix}$$

These types of matrices are known as **Identity Matrices**, 1 on the diagonal and 0 everywhere else. They are known as identity matrices because they identify the variable.

$$\begin{aligned} x &= a \\ y &= b \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x &= a \\ y &= b \\ z &= c \end{aligned}$$

## KEY CONCEPT: Row Operation

**Switch any two rows**  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$  becomes  $\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

**Multiply any row by a constant**

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \text{ becomes } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 * 3 & 5 * 3 & 6 * 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 12 & 15 & 18 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Add one row to another**

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \text{ becomes } \begin{bmatrix} 1 + 4 & 2 + 5 & 3 + 6 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 7 & 9 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Combine any of these Steps**

**What is the solution of the following system?**

$$x + 4y = -1$$

$$2x + 5y = 4$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & -1 \\ 2 & 5 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{array}{r} -2(1 \ 4 \ -1) \\ + \quad 2 \ 5 \ 4 \\ \hline 0 \ -3 \ 6 \end{array}$$

Multiply Row 1 by -2.

Add answer to Row 2.

Replace Row 2 with sum.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & -1 \\ 0 & -3 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow -\frac{1}{3} (0 \ -3 \ 6)$$

Multiply Row 2 by  $-\frac{1}{3}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{array}{r} 1 \ 4 \ -1 \\ -4 (0 \ 1 \ -2) \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Multiply Row 2 by -4.

Add answer to Row 1.

Replace Row 1 with sum.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 7 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \text{We created the Identity Matrix, so } x=7 \text{ and } y=-2$$

**The Solution is (7, -2).**

**Note:** Reduced Row Echelon Form is the name we give the matrix when it represents the solution. You'll see this as rref on your calculators.

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