



Linear equations in one variable Ex 8.1 Q1

Answer :

(i) $x = 4$ is the root of $3x - 5 = 7$.

Now, substituting $x = 4$ in place of 'x' in the given equation $3x - 5 = 7$,

$$3(4) - 5 = 7$$

$$12 - 5 = 7$$

$$7 = 7$$

LHS = RHS

Hence, $x = 4$ is the root of $3x - 5 = 7$.

(ii) $x = 3$ is the root of $5 + 3x = 14$.

Now, substituting $x = 3$ in place of 'x' in the given equation $5 + 3x = 14$,

$$5 + 3(3) = 14$$

$$5 + 9 = 14$$

$$14 = 14$$

LHS = RHS

Hence, $x = 3$ is the root of $5 + 3x = 14$.

(iii) $x = 2$ is the root of $3x - 2 = 8x - 12$.

Now, substituting $x = 2$ in place of 'x' in the given equation $3x - 2 = 8x - 12$,

$$3(2) - 2 = 8(2) - 12$$

$$6 - 2 = 16 - 12$$

$$4 = 4$$

LHS = RHS

Hence, $x = 2$ is the root of $3x - 2 = 8x - 12$.

(iv) $x = 4$ is the root of $\frac{3x}{2} = 6$.

Now, substituting $x = 4$ in place of 'x' in the given equation $\frac{3x}{2} = 6$,

$$\frac{3 \times 4}{2} = 6$$

$$\frac{12}{2} = 6$$

$$6 = 6$$

LHS = RHS

Hence, $x = 4$ is the root of $\frac{3x}{2} = 6$.

(v) $y = 2$ is the root of $y - 3 = 2y - 5$.

Now, substituting $y = 2$ in place of 'y' in the given equation $y - 3 = 2y - 5$,

$$2 - 3 = 2(2) - 5$$

$$-1 = 4 - 5$$

$$-1 = -1$$

LHS = RHS

Hence, $y = 2$ is the root of $y - 3 = 2y - 5$.

(vi) $x = 8$ is the root of $\frac{1}{2}x + 7 = 11$

Now, substituting $x = 8$ in place of 'x' in the given equation $\frac{1}{2}x + 7 = 11$,

$$\frac{1}{2} \times 8 + 7 = 11$$

$$4 + 7 = 11$$

$$11 = 11$$

LHS = RHS

Hence, $x = 8$ is the root of $\frac{1}{2}x + 7 = 11$

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