

**Essential Questions:** How do we recognize equations that have no solution? How do we recognize equations that have infinitely many solutions? How do we recognize equations that have the same solution set?

**Do Now:** Solve each equation.

A)  $3(x + 2) = 3x + 6$

B)  $3x + 2 - 2x = \frac{1}{2}(2x + 8)$



Not every equation has one solution.

There are equations that exist that have **infinitely many solutions**.

There are equations that exist that have **no solution**.

**Example:**

$$5(2x - 4) = 3(3x - 6) + x - 2$$

$$10x - 20 = 9x - 18 + x - 2$$

$$10x - 20 = 10x - 20 \leftarrow \text{Both sides are the same}$$

$$10x = 10x$$

$0 = 0$  This equation has **infinitely many solutions**.  
 $x = \text{all real numbers}$

**Example:**

$$2(x + 4) + 3 = 2x + 6$$

$$2x + 8 + 3 = 2x + 6$$

$$2x + 11 = 2x + 6 \leftarrow \text{This doesn't make sense}$$

$$11 \neq 6$$

This equation has **no solution**.

**Decide if each equation below has one, none or infinitely many solutions.**

1.  $5x - 1 - 4x = 3 + x - 4$

2.  $\frac{1}{4}(8x - 16) = 5x - 11$

3.  $9(x - 1) = 3x + 5 + 6x$

4. Consider the equation:  $4y + 5 - y = 3y - 8 + 12$

A) Determine if the equation has one, none or infinite solutions.

B) How can the equation be changed so that it has an infinite number of solutions?

### Equivalent Equations

Equations that have the **same solution set** are **equivalent**.

$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} 2x + 5 = 11 \text{ and } 10x + 25 = 55 \text{ are equivalent equations} \\ \begin{array}{cc} \xrightarrow{-5} & \xrightarrow{-5} \\ \frac{2x}{2} = \frac{6}{2} & \frac{10x}{10} = \frac{30}{10} \\ x = 3 & x = 3 \end{array} \end{array} \right. \leftarrow \text{same solution set}$$

*Do you notice anything about the equations  $2x + 5 = 11$  and  $10x + 25 = 55$ ?*

How can we determine if two or more equations are equivalent and share the same solution set?

A)  $2x + 3 = 13 - 5x$

B)  $6 + 4x = -10x + 26$

Using the properties of real numbers, determine which of the following equations have the same solution set. Solve the equations to check your response.

A.  $15(2x + 3) + 97 = 110 - 5x$

B.  $x - 5 = 3x + 7$

C.  $9x + 21 = 3x - 15$

D.  $15(2x + 3) = -5x + 13$



#### TODAY'S TAKE AWAY...

Some equations have \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ many solutions.

Equivalent equations have the same \_\_\_\_\_.

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Determine if each equation below has one, none or infinite solutions.

1.  $3x + 7 = 7$

2.  $7 + 3x = 3x - 7$

3.  $3x + 15 = 1.5(2x + 10)$

4.  $\frac{x-5}{2} = \frac{x-7}{3}$

5.  $2x + 1 + x = 3(x - 2) + 7$

6. Consider the equation  $2(5x - 4) = ax + b$ .A. Find a value for **a** and **b** so that the equation has no solution.B. Find a value for **a** and **b** so that the equation has infinite solutions.7. Which equations below have the same solution set as  $9 - 2x = 3x + 3$ ?

A.  $2 = 1\frac{2}{3}x$

B.  $5(9 - 2x) = 15x + 15$

C.  $3 - 2x = x + 1$

D.  $-5x = -6$