

## Exercise 1.8 (A)

### Question 1

①  $8 + x = y$

②  $x - 5 = y$

③  $2 + x > y$

④  $x + y < 24$

⑤  $15 \times m = 3m$

(v)  $8xy = 3x$

(vi)  $30 \div b = p$

(vii)  $2z - 3x = y$

(ix)  $12x = 5z$

(x)  $12x > 5z$

(xi)  $12x < 5z$

(xii)  $45 - 3z = y$

(xiii)  $8x \div y = 2z$

(xiv)  $5x - 7y = 8z$

(xv)  $7y - 5x = 8z$

Question no. 2

(i)  $3x$  plus 8 is equal to 15.

(ii)  $z$  decreased by  $y$  is greater than  $x$

(iii)  $2y$  decreased by  $x$  is smaller than 12

(iv) 5 divided by  $z$  is equal to 5.

(v)  $a$  increased by 35 is greater than 18.

- (vi)  $2x$  decreased by  $3y$  is equal to 16.
- (vii)  $3a$  decreased by  $4b$  is greater than 14.
- (viii)  $b$  plus increased by  $7a$  less than 21.
- (ix) The sum of 16 and  $2a$  decreased by  $x$  is greater than 25.
- (x) The sum of  $3x$  and 12 decreased decreased by  $y$  is less than  $3a$ .