

Exercise 18 (A)

1. Express each of the following statements in algebraic form:

- (i) The sum of 8 and x is equal to y .
- (ii) x decreased by 5 is equal to y .
- (iii) The sum of 2 and x is greater than y .
- (iv) The sum of x and y is less than 24.
- (v) 15 multiplied by m gives $3n$.
- (vi) Product of 8 and y is equal to $3x$.
- (vii) 30 divided by b is equal to p .
- (viii) 2 decreased by $3x$ is equal to y .
- (ix) 12 times of x is equal to $5z$.
- (x) 12 times of x is greater than $5z$.
- (xi) 12 times of x is less than $5z$.
- (xii) $3z$ subtracted from 45 gives equal to y .
- (xiii) $8x$ divided by y is equal to $2z$.
- (xiv) $7y$ subtracted from $5x$ gives $8z$.
- (xv) $7y$ decreased by $5x$ gives $8z$.

Solution:

i- The sum of 8 and x is equal to y in algebraic form is written as,

$$x + 8 = y$$

ii- x decreased 5 is equal to y in algebraic form is written as,

$$x - 5 = y$$

iii- The sum of 2 and x is greater than y in algebraic form is written as,

$$2 + x > y$$

iv- The sum of x and y is less than 24 in algebraic form is written as,
 $x + y < 24$

v- 15 multiplied by m gives $3n$ in algebraic form is written as,
 $15 \times m = 3n$

vi- Product of 8 and y is equal to $3x$ in algebraic form is written as,
 $8 \times y = 3x$

vii- 30 divided by b is equal to p in algebraic form is written as,
 $30 \div b = p$

viii- 2 decreased by $3x$ is equal to y in algebraic form is written as,
 $2 - 3x = y$

ix- 12 times of x is greater than $5z$ in algebraic form is written as,
 $12 \times x = 5z$

x- 12 times of x is greater than $5z$ in algebraic form is written as
 $12 \times x > 5z$

xi- 12 times of x is less than $5z$ in algebraic form is written as,
 $12 \times x < 5z$

xii- 3z subtracted from 45 is equal to y algebraic form is written as,
 $45 - 3z = y$

xiii- 8x divided by y is equal to 2y in algebraic form is written as,
 $8x \div y = 2y$

xiv- 7y subtracted from 5x gives 8z in algebraic form is written as,
 $5x - 7y = 8z$

xv- 7y decreased by 5x gives 8z in algebraic form is written as,

2. For each of the following algebraic expressions, write a suitable statement in words:

(i) $3x + 8 = 15$

(ii) $7 - y \geq x$

(iii) $2y - x < 12$

(iv) $5 \div z = 5$

(v) $a + 2b > 18$

(vi) $2x - 3y = 16$

(vii) $3a - 4b > 14$

(viii) $b + 7a < 21$

(ix) $(16 + 2a) - x > 25$

(x) $(3x + 12) - y < 3a$

Solution:

i- The algebraic expression $3x + 8 = 15$ in words is expressed as,
3x plus 8 is equal to 15.

- ii- The algebraic expressions $7 - y > x$ in words is expressed as, 7 decreased by y is greater than x .
- iii- The algebraic expressions $2y - x < 12$ in words is expressed as, $2y$ decreased, x is less than 12.
- iv- The algebraic expressions $5 \div 2 = 5$ in words is expressed as, as a ~~increased~~ ^{5 divided} by 2 is equal to 5.
- v- The algebraic expressions $a + 2b > 18$ in words is expressed as, a increased by $2b$ is greater than 18.
- vi- The algebraic expressions $2x - 3y = 16$ in words, is written as, $2x$ decreased by $3y$ is equal to 16.
- vii- The algebraic expressions $3a - 4b > 14$ in words is written as, $3a$ decreased by $4b$ is greater than 14.
- viii- The algebraic expressions $b + 7a < 21$ in words is written as, b increased by $7a$ is less than 21.
- ix- The algebraic expressions $\{16 + 2a\} - x > 25$ in words is written as, The sum of 16 and $2a$ decreased by x is greater than 25.

x- The algebraic expression $(3x-12)-y < 3a$ in words is written as, The sum of $3x$ and 12 decreased by y is less than $3a$.