

FUNDAMENTAL CONCEPTS



Constant : A symbol having a fixed numerical value is called a Constant.

Eg. 7, 19

Variable: A symbol which takes various numerical values is called a variable

Eg. x, y, z

18 (A)

1. (i) $x + 8 = y$

(ii) $x - 5 = y$

(iii) $2 + x > y$

(iv) $x + y < 24$

(v) $15x + m = 3n$

(vi) $8xy = 3x$

(vii) $30 \div b = p$

(viii) $z - 3x = y$

(ix) $12yz = 5z$

(x) $12xz > 5z$

(xi) $12xz < 5z$

(xii) $45 - 3z = y$

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

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

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

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2. (i) The sum of $3x$ and 8 is equal to 15
- (ii) 7 decreased by y is greater than x
- (iii) $2x$ subtracted from $2x$ is less than 12
- (iv) 5 ^{divided} by z is equal to 5
- (v) The sum of a and $2b$ is greater than 18
- (vi) $3x$ subtracted from $2x$ is equal to 16
- (vii) $3a$ decreased by $4b$ is greater than 14
- (viii) The sum of b and $7a$ is less than 21
- (ix) The sum of 16 and $2a$ decreased by x is greater than 25
- (x) ~~The sum of $3x$ and 12 is subtracted from y is less than $3a$~~
- (x) The sum of $3x$ and 12 is decreased by y is less than $3a$