

2.4.28 The Multiplication Principle of Equality 3

**MULTIPLE CHOICE.** Choose the one alternative that best completes the statement or answers the question.

Solve.

1)  $8a = -48$       1) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) -6      B) 56      C) 1      D) -56

2)  $\frac{4}{5}x = 8$       2) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A)  $\frac{36}{5}$       B) 10      C)  $\frac{32}{5}$       D)  $\frac{44}{5}$

3)  $\frac{2}{3}x = -\frac{7}{8}$       3) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A)  $\frac{21}{16}$       B)  $-\frac{21}{8}$       C)  $-\frac{21}{16}$       D)  $-\frac{16}{21}$

4)  $10r + 5 = 65$       4) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) 50      B) 54      C) 6      D) 1

5)  $5(3x - 1) = 20$       5) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A)  $\frac{19}{15}$       B)  $\frac{7}{5}$       C)  $\frac{5}{3}$       D) 1

6)  $5x + 6(x + 1) = 11(x + 1) - 5$       6) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) no solution      B) 0  
 C) all real numbers      D) 1

Use the multiplication principle of equality to eliminate the fractions or decimals; then solve.

7)  $\frac{7}{10}x + \frac{8}{5} = \frac{3}{5}x$       7) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) -22      B) 22      C) 16      D) -16

8)  $\frac{1}{5}x + \frac{6}{5} = \frac{1}{7}x + \frac{8}{7}$       8) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) -2      B) 2      C) -1      D) 1

9)  $\frac{1}{4}(y + 5) = \frac{3}{4} - y$       9) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) -1      B)  $\frac{2}{3}$       C) 1      D)  $-\frac{2}{5}$

10)  $1.2x + 4.7 = 0.8x + 2.94$       10) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) -4.4      B) -3.96      C) 0.227      D) -4.3

**Solve.**

11)  $10 - 10x = 5x - 8x - 39$

A)  $\frac{29}{13}$

B)  $\frac{39}{7}$

C) 7

D) 3

11) \_\_\_\_\_

**Use the multiplication principle of equality to eliminate the fractions or decimals; then solve.**

12)  $0.4 - 8.9y - 2.6y = 1 - 11.5y - 0.6$

A) 0.4

C) all real numbers

B) -11.5

D) no solution

12) \_\_\_\_\_

**Solve.**

13)  $7x - 7 - 2(x + 1) = 6x + 7$

A)  $\frac{11}{8}$

B)  $\frac{1}{5}$

C) -16

D) 6

13) \_\_\_\_\_

14)  $-4(x + 3) + 93 = 3x - 7(x - 9)$

A) all real numbers

C) 30

B) no solution

D) 156

14) \_\_\_\_\_

**Use the multiplication principle of equality to eliminate the fractions or decimals; then solve.**

15)  $1.5x + 2.9 = 0.8x - 1.51$

A) -6.2

B) 0.159

C) -6.3

D) -5.67

15) \_\_\_\_\_

**Solve the problem.**

16) The perimeter of a rectangular garden is to be 44 ft. Find the length if the width is 6 ft. (Use  $P = 2l + 2w$ )

A) 16 ft.

B) 14 ft.

C) 13 ft.

D) 15 ft.

16) \_\_\_\_\_

17) The area of a rectangular garden is to be 170 ft.<sup>2</sup>. Find the length if the width must be 10 ft. (Use  $A = lw$ )

A) 19 ft.

B) 160 ft.

C) 16 ft.

D) 17 ft.

17) \_\_\_\_\_

## Answer Key

Testname: UNTITLED1

- 1) A
- 2) B
- 3) C
- 4) C
- 5) C
- 6) C
- 7) D
- 8) C
- 9) D
- 10) A
- 11) C
- 12) C
- 13) C
- 14) B
- 15) C
- 16) A
- 17) D