

Chapter 2.1 Notes:

The **solution set** for an equation is the set of all numbers that, when used in place of the variable, make the equation true.

Addition Property of Equality: if $A=B$, then $A+C=B+C$

Multiplication Property of Equality: if $A=B$, then $AC=BC$

Identities and Equations with No Solution:

False Statements:

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

$$6x - 8 = 3 + 6x \text{ or } -8 = 3$$

* any number you substitute for x will lead to a false statement

True Statements:

$$-15 + 3x = 3(x - 5)$$

$$-15 + 3x = 3x - 15 \text{ or } -15 = -15$$

* all real numbers are solutions since it's an identity, left side will always equal right side of equation.

$$48) \frac{2}{3}(6x-1) + \frac{2}{3} = 4$$

$$\frac{2 \cdot 6}{3}x - \frac{2}{3} + \frac{2}{3} = 4$$

$$4x = 4$$

$$x = 1$$

$$44) -\frac{1}{6}x + \frac{2}{3} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$12\left(-\frac{x}{6} + \frac{2}{3}\right) = \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)12$$

$$-\frac{12x}{6} + \frac{24}{3} = \frac{12}{4}$$

$$-2x + 8 = 3$$
$$-2x = -5 \quad x = \frac{5}{2}$$

True Statements: $7x - 14 = 7x - 14$

↳ solution leads to $\# = \#$

ex. $0 = 0$

↳ solution = all real numbers

False Statement:

↳ solution leads to $3 = -8$ or #'s not matching