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Warm-Up:

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Solve the following systems by

$$-3x + 3y = 4$$

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$$\textcircled{1} \quad y = x + 3$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad -3x + 3(x + 3) = 4$$

$$\underline{-3x + 3x + 9 = 4}$$

$$9 = 4 \quad \text{No!}$$

No Solution

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Elimination Method

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$$\begin{array}{r} 1) \quad 2x - 4y = 10 \\ + \quad 5x + 4y = -3 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \begin{array}{r} 7x = 7 \\ x = 1 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \textcircled{3} \quad 2(1) - 4y = 10 \\ 2 - 4y = 10 \\ -4y = 8 \\ \frac{-4y}{-4} = \frac{8}{-4} \\ y = -2 \end{array}$$

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$$\text{Sol. } (1, -2)$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Check: } 5(1) + 4(-2) \stackrel{?}{=} -3 \\ 5 + (-8) = -3 \\ -3 = -3 \checkmark \end{array}$$

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$$\begin{array}{r} 2) \quad \cancel{4x + 2y = 6} \\ 6x + 10y = -12 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 4(3) + 2y = 6 \\ 12 + 2y = 6 \\ -12 \quad -12 \\ \hline 2y = -6 \\ \frac{2y}{2} = \frac{-6}{2} \\ y = -3 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \rightarrow -20x - 10y = -30 \\ + 6x + 10y = -12 \\ \hline -14x = -42 \\ \frac{-14x}{-14} = \frac{-42}{-14} \\ x = 3 \end{array}$$

$$\text{Sol. } (3, -3)$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Check: } \\ 6(3) + 10(-3) \stackrel{?}{=} -12 \\ 18 + (-30) = -12 \\ -12 = -12 \checkmark \end{array}$$

Turn & Talk**p. 30**

Talk with a partner - What are the 3 methods of solving a system of equations?

Write your answer on page 30.

Assignment p. 146 # 31, 33, 35, 38, 39

Solve each system by elimination.

 See Problems 4 and 5.

$$31. \begin{cases} 4x - 6y = -26 \\ -2x + 3y = 13 \end{cases}$$

$$32. \begin{cases} 9a - 3d = 3 \\ -3a + d = -1 \end{cases}$$

$$33. \begin{cases} 2a + 3b = 12 \\ 5a - b = 13 \end{cases}$$

$$34. \begin{cases} 2x - 3y = 6 \\ 6x - 9y = 9 \end{cases}$$

$$35. \begin{cases} 20x + 5y = 120 \\ 10x + 7.5y = 80 \end{cases}$$

$$36. \begin{cases} 6x - 2y = 11 \\ -9x + 3y = 16 \end{cases}$$

$$37. \begin{cases} 2x - 3y = -1 \\ 3x + 4y = 8 \end{cases}$$

$$38. \begin{cases} 5x - 2y = -19 \\ 2x + 3y = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$39. \begin{cases} r + 3s = 7 \\ 2r - s = 7 \end{cases}$$