

64  $\rightarrow \frac{1}{5}(2y-1) - 2 = \frac{1}{2}(3y-5) + 3$

$LCD = 10$        $a(bc+d) = abc+ad$

$\frac{2}{10}(\frac{1}{5})(2y-1) - 10(2) = \frac{5}{10}(\frac{1}{2})(3y-5) + 10(3)$

$\rightarrow 2(2y-1) - 20 = 5(3y-5) + 30$

$\rightarrow 4y - 2 - 20 = 15y - 25 + 30$

$4y - 22 = 15y + 5$

$-15y + 22 = -15y + 27$

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$-11y = 27$

$y = -\frac{27}{11}$

64  $\frac{1}{5}(2y-1) - 2 = \frac{1}{2}(3y-5) + 3$

$\frac{1}{5}(2(-\frac{27}{11})-1) - 2 = \frac{1}{2}(3(-\frac{27}{11})-5) + 3$

$\frac{1}{5}(-\frac{54}{11} - 1 \cdot \frac{11}{11}) - 2 = \frac{1}{2}(\frac{-81}{11} - 5 \cdot \frac{11}{11}) + 3$

$\frac{1}{5}(\frac{-54-11}{11}) - 2 = \frac{1}{2}(\frac{-81-55}{11}) + 3$

$\frac{1}{5}(\frac{-65}{11}) - 2 = \frac{1}{2}(\frac{-136}{11}) + 3$

$\frac{1}{5}(\frac{-13}{11}) - 2 = \frac{1}{2}(\frac{-68}{11}) + 3$

$-\frac{13}{11} - 2 \cdot \frac{11}{11} = \frac{-68}{11} + 3 \cdot \frac{11}{11}$

$-\frac{13-22}{11} \stackrel{?}{=} \frac{-68+33}{11}$

$-\frac{35}{11} = \frac{-35}{11}$

## § 2.2 An Introduction to Problem Solving

### General Strategy for Problem Solving

- 1) UNDERSTAND the problem. During this step, become comfortable with the problem. Some way of doing this are:
  - Read and reread the problem
  - Propose a solution and check.
  - Construct a drawing.
  - Choose a variable to represent the unknown
- 2) TRANSLATE the problem into an equation.
- 3) SOLVE the equation.
- 4) INTERPRET the result. *Check* the proposed solution in stated problem and *state* your conclusion.

S 2.2 #5 24, 29, 42, 49, 67 HAND IN Due Fri.

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+ as many as you need / have time to do.

HINT on # 67

$$30\% \text{ of } x \text{ is } .3x = \frac{30}{100}$$

$$110\% \text{ -- .. .. } 1.1x = \frac{110}{100}$$

S 2.3 #5 20, 27, 42, 54 HAND IN

Bonus Assignment - Figure out what the heck the "1<sup>st</sup> angle" is in S 2.2 # 49 and solve it.  
Due Fri.

The product of twice a number and three is the same as the difference of five times the number and  $\frac{3}{4}$ . Find the number.

Let  $x =$  the number

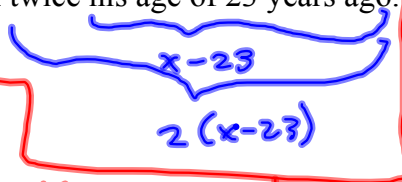
$$(2x)(3) = 5x - \frac{3}{4}$$

five times the difference of the number and  $\frac{3}{4}$

$$5(x - \frac{3}{4})$$

**Age Problem** Today Henry is 7 years older than twice his age of 23 years ago. Find Henry's age today.

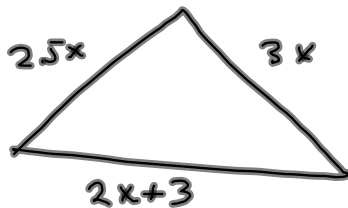
$x =$  His current age



$$x = 2(x - 23) + 7$$

A triangle has sides measuring  $2.5x$  cm,  $3x$  cm, and  $(2x + 3)$  cm. Its perimeter measures 60 cm. Find the measures of the sides.

Its



$2.5x + 3x + 2x + 3 = 60$   
 $x$  is heck I dunno,  
 etc

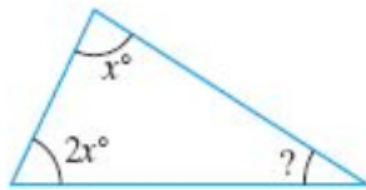
Other Examples from the book and how to write them up (from the exercises).

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The sum of 3 consecutive odd integers is 327. Find the integers.  
 $x =$  the smallest of the 3 integers

$$x + (x+2) + (x+4) = 327$$

- △ 49. Find the measures of the angles of a triangle if the measure of one angle is twice the measure of a second angle and the third angle measures 3 times the second angle decreased by 12.



$$\begin{array}{l} 1 \quad 12 \\ 2 \quad 24 \\ 3 \quad 36 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} = \\ = \\ = \end{array}$$

65. China, the United States, and Russia are the countries with the most cellular subscribers in the world. Together, the three countries have 34.8% of the world's cellular subscribers. If the percent of world subscribers in China is 3.1 less than 4 times the percent of world subscribers in Russia, and the percent of world subscribers in the United States is 4.3% more than the percent of world subscribers in Russia, find the percent of world subscribers for each country. (*Source: Computer Industry of America*)