

1. (a) Solve $a + 9 = 17$

(b) Solve $b - 9 = 17$

2. (a) Solve $3a = 36$

(b) Solve $\frac{b}{3} = 9$

3. (a) Solve $3a + 5 = 17$

(b) Solve $3(b - 5) = 21$

4. (a) Solve $a + a + a = 54$

(b) Solve $7b - 2b = 35$

5. Solve $4g + 7 = 6g + 1$