Get Ready for the Chapter

Diagnose Readiness You have two options for checking prerequisite skills.



Textbook Option Take the Quick Check below. Refer to the Quick Review for help.

QuickCheck

Evaluate $3a^2 - 2ab + c$ for the values given.

1.
$$a = 2, b = 1, c = 5$$

2.
$$a = -3$$
, $b = -2$, $c = 3$

3.
$$a = -1$$
. $b = 0$. $c = 11$

4.
$$a = 5$$
, $b = -3$, $c = -9$

5. CAR RENTAL The cost of renting a car is given by 49x + 0.3v. Let x represent the number of days rented. and let y represent the number of miles driven. Find the cost for a five-day rental over 125 miles.

QuickReview

Example 1

Evaluate $2(m-n)^2 + 3p$ for m = 5, n = 2, and p = -3.

$$2(m-n)^2+3p$$

Original expression

$$= 2(5-2)^2 + 3(-3)$$

Substitute.

$$= 2(3)^2 + 3(-3)$$

Subtract.

$$= 2(9) + 3(-3)$$

Evaluate power.

$$= 18 + (-9)$$

Multiply.

$$=9$$

Add.

Solve each equation for the given variable.

6.
$$x + y = 5$$
 for y

7.
$$2x - 4y = 6$$
 for x

8.
$$y-2 = x+3$$
 for y

9.
$$4x - 3y = 12$$
 for x

10. GEOMETRY The formula for the perimeter of a rectangle is $P = 2w + 2\ell$, where w represents width and ℓ represents length. Solve for w.

Example 2

Solve
$$5x + 15y = 9$$
 for x.

$$5x + 15y = 9$$

Original equation

$$5x + 15y - 15y = 9 - 15y$$

Subtract 15y from each side.

$$5x = 9 - 15y$$

Simplify.

$$\frac{5x}{5} = \frac{9 - 15y}{5}$$
$$x = \frac{9}{5} - 3y$$

Divide each side by 5.

$$x = \frac{9}{5} - 3y$$

Simplify.

Write the ordered pair for each point.

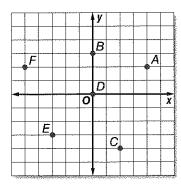
12. B

13. C

14. D

15. E

16. F



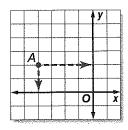
Example 3

Write the ordered pair for A.

Siep i Begin at point A.

Sico 2 Follow along a vertical line to the x-axis. The x-coordinate is -4.

Sign 3 Follow along a horizontal line to the y-axis. The y-coordinate is 2.



The ordered pair for point A is (-4, 2).