Systems of Equations: A set of two or more equations using the same variables.

## Solving Systems by Graphing (two variables only)

You can solve a system of equations with two variables ( $x$ and $y$ ) by graphing the equations set equal to $\qquad$ .

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## Solving a System of Equations by Graphing

a) What is the solution of the system? Use a
graph. $y=x+2$
$y=3 x-2$

b) What is the solution of the system? Use a graph. $y=2 x+4$ $y=x+2$


Systems with Infinitely Many Solutions or No Solutions
a) What is the solution of the system? Use a

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2 y-x=2
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graph.

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y=\frac{1}{2} x+1
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b) What is the solution of the system? Use a graph. $y=2 x+2$

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y=2 x-1
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## Break Even Word Problems

One satellite radio service charges $\$ 10$ per month plus an activation fee of $\$ 20$. A second service charges $\$ 11$ per month plus an activation fee of $\$ 15$. For what number of months is the cost of either service the same?

At Comerica ballpark, the Detroit Tigers charge $\$ 5$ dollars for each ticket and expects to make $\$ 1400$ in concessions. The team must pay its players $\$ 2000$ and pay all other workers $\$ 1600$. Each fan gets a free bat that costs the team $\$ 3$ per bat. How many tickets must be sold to break even?

Mr. McDowell invested $\$ 14,000$ in equipment to print yearbooks for Ardrey Kell High School. Each yearbook costs $\$ 7$ to print and sells for $\$ 35$. How many yearbooks must he sell before he breaks even?

Lesson Check: Solve by graphing.

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\text { 1. } \begin{gathered}
y=x+7 \\
y=2 x+1
\end{gathered}
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2. $y=-x-4$
$4 x-y=-1$

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

4. Suppose you invest $\$ 10,410$ in equipment to manufacture a new video game. Each game costs $\$ 2.65$ to manufacture and sells for $\$ 20$. How many games must you make and sell before your business breaks even?
5. The class of 2015 decides to start a T-shirt company. After initial expenses of $\$ 280$, the purchase each Tshirt for $\$ 3.99$. They sell each $T$-shirt for $\$ 10.99$. How many must they sell to break even?

