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	Topic/Objective: Solve linear systems by substitution	Class/Period:
How do you solve systems of linear equations by substitution?		
Questions/Main Ideas:	Notes:	
Solving a linear system by substitution.	<p>Step 1: Solve one equation for one of the variables.</p> <p>Step 2: Substitute the expression from step 1 into the other equation and solve the variable.</p> <p>Step 3: Substitute the value from step 2 into the revised equation from step 1 and solve.</p>	
Solve the system using the substitution method. Example 1&2:	$y = 3x + 2 \quad (1)$ $x + 2y = 11 \quad (2)$ $x + 2(3x + 2) = 11$ $x + 6x + 4 = 11$ $\underline{7x + 4 = 11}$ $\quad -4 \quad -4$ $\frac{7x}{7} = \frac{7}{7}$ $\boxed{x = 1} \Rightarrow y = 3x + 2$ $y = 3(1) + 2$ $y = 3 + 2$ $\boxed{y = 5}$ $(1, 5)$	$x - 2y = -6 \quad (1)$ $4x + 6y = 4 \quad (2)$ $(1) \quad \begin{array}{r} x - 2y = -6 \\ + 2y \quad + 2y \\ \hline x = 2y - 6 \quad (3) \end{array}$ $(2) \quad 4x + 6y = 4$ $4(2y - 6) + 6y = 4$ $8y - 24 + 6y = 4$ $14y - 24 = 4$ $\quad + 24 \quad + 24$ $\frac{14y}{14} = \frac{28}{14}$ $\boxed{y = 2} \Rightarrow x = 2y - 6$ $x = 2(2) - 6$ $x = 4 - 6$ $\boxed{x = -2}$

Guided practice

$$y = 2x + 5 \quad (1)$$

$$3x + y = 10 \quad (2)$$

$$3x + 2x + 5 = 10$$

$$5x + 5 = 10$$

$$\underline{-5 \quad -5}$$

$$\frac{5x}{5} = \frac{5}{5}$$

$$\boxed{x=1} \Rightarrow y = 2x + 5$$

$$y = 2(1) + 5$$

$$y = 2 + 5$$

$$y = 7$$

$$\boxed{1, 7}$$

$$x - y = 3 \quad (1)$$

$$x + 2y = -6 \quad (2)$$

$$(1) \quad \begin{array}{r} x - y = 3 \\ +y \quad +y \\ \hline x = y + 3 \quad (3) \end{array}$$

$$(2) \quad y + 3 + 2y = -6$$

$$3y + 3 = -6$$

$$\underline{-3 \quad -3}$$

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

$$y = -3 \Rightarrow x = y + 3$$

$$x = -3 + 3$$

$$(0, -3) \quad x = 0$$

$$3x + y = -7 \quad (1)$$

$$-2x + 4y = 0 \quad (2)$$

$$(1) \quad \begin{array}{r} 3x + y = -7 \\ -3x \quad -3x \\ \hline y = -3x - 7 \quad (3) \end{array}$$

$$(2) \quad -2x + 4(-3x - 7) = 0$$

$$-2x - 12x - 28 = 0$$

$$-14x - 28 = 0$$

$$\underline{+28 \quad +28}$$

$$-14x = 28$$

$$\underline{-14 \quad -14}$$

$$\boxed{x=-2} \Rightarrow (3) \quad y = -3x - 7$$

$$y = -3(-2) - 7$$

$$\boxed{y=-1}$$

$$* \quad y = x + 9$$

$$3x + 8y = -5$$

$$3x + 8(x + 9) = -5$$

$$3x + 8x + 72 = -5$$

$$\underline{11x + 72 = -5}$$

$$\underline{-72 \quad -72}$$

$$\frac{11x}{11} = \frac{-77}{11}$$

$$\boxed{x=-7} \Rightarrow y = x + 9$$

$$y = -7 + 9$$

$$(-7, 2) \quad \boxed{y=2}$$

let $x = \text{DVDs}$

let $y = \text{books}$

Example 3:

David bought 3 DVDs and 4 books for \$40 at a yard sale. Anna bought 1 DVD and 6 books for \$18. How much did each DVD and book cost?

David $3x + 4y = 40$ (1)

Anna $x + 6y = 18$ (2)

(2) $x + 6y = 18$
 $\quad -6y \quad -6y$

 $x = -6y + 18$ (3)

(1) $3(-6y + 18) + 4y = 40$
 $-18y + 54 + 4y = 40$
 $-14y + 54 = 40$
 $\quad -54 \quad -54$

$\quad -14y = -14$
 $\quad -14 \quad -14$

 $y = 1$

(3) $x = -6y + 18$
 $x = -6(1) + 18$
 $x = -6 + 18$

 $x = 12$

In Example 3, suppose David had spent \$38 and Anna had spent \$22. What would the cost of a DVD and the cost of a book have been then?

$3x + 4y = 38$ (1)

$x + 6y = 22$ (2)

(2) $x + 6y = 22$
 $\quad -6y \quad -6y$

 $x = -6y + 22$ (3)

$3x + 4y = 38$
 $3(-6y + 22) + 4y = 38$
 $-18y + 66 + 4y = 38$
 $-14y + 66 = 38$
 $\quad -66 \quad -66$

 $-14y = -28$
 $\quad -14 \quad -14$

 $y = 2 \Rightarrow$ (3)

$x = -6y + 22$
 $x = -6(2) + 22$

 $x = 10$

Summary:

