Section 9.1 Extra Practice

1. Solve the following systems of linear equations by substitution. Verify your answers.

a)
$$2x - 3y + 17 = 0$$

 $y = -5x$

b)
$$4x + y = 1$$

 $x = 2y - 20$

c)
$$y = -5x - 8$$

 $y = 4x + 1$

2. Solve the following systems of linear equations by substitution by first isolating x.

a)
$$x + y = 9$$

-10 $x + 6y = 6$

b)
$$x - 3y = 4$$

 $5x - 7y = 4$

c)
$$2x + 3y = 20$$

 $6x - y = 20$

3. Solve the following systems of linear equations by substitution by first isolating y.

a)
$$x - y = -2$$

 $-2x + y = 7$

b)
$$-3x + y = -3$$

 $5x - 2y = 10$

c)
$$2x + 3y = 20$$

 $6x - y = 20$

- **4.** Compare your work for #2c) and 3c). Which method did you prefer for solving? Why?
- **5.** Solve the following systems of linear equations by substitution.

a)
$$0.4x + y = 6$$

$$1.2x - 5y = 18$$

b)
$$x + 0.03y = 10$$

 $10.4x + 0.75y = 980$

c)
$$5x - 0.5y = 31$$

 $2.5x + 3y = 9$

6. Solve the following systems of linear equations by substitution.

a)
$$8x + y - 2 = 0$$

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$$3x + \frac{1}{4}y = 0$$

b)
$$\frac{x}{2} + \frac{y}{3} = 6$$

$$3x - 2y = 12$$

c)
$$\frac{x}{6} + \frac{y}{2} = 2$$

$$\frac{-x}{5} - \frac{y}{3} = 0$$

7. Use the following system of linear equations to complete parts a) to c):

$$2x - y = -7$$

$$3x + 2y = 5$$

- a) Solve the system by drawing a graph.
- **b)** Solve the system by substitution.
- c) Compare your answers to parts a) and b). What is the advantage of the algebraic approach?
- **8.** Maria has a total of 20 nickels and quarters. She has four times as many nickels as quarters. How much money does Maria have?
- **9.** The perimeter of a rectangle is 48 cm. The width is one third the length. Determine the dimensions of the rectangle.
- **10.** A number is 12 less than one third of another number. Their sum is 56. What are the numbers?