For each problem, define two variables. Then, use a system of equations and elimination to solve the problem.

- 1. The sum of two numbers is 45. Their difference is 7. Find the numbers.
- 2. A room is 12 feet longer than it is wide. Half the perimeter of the rectangular floor is 72 feet. Find the length and the width.
- 3. The difference between twice one number and the lesser number is 21. The sum of the lesser number and twice the greater number is 27. Find the numbers.
- 4. Mr. Fleming's farm is 32 acres smaller than Mr. Laycock's farm. The two farms together contain 276 acres. How large is each farm?
- 5. A father is three times the age of his son. In six years, the father will be  $2\frac{1}{2}$  times the age of his son. Find their present ages.
- 6. The greater of two numbers is twice the lesser. If the greater is increased by 18, the result is 4 less than 4 times the lesser. Find the numbers.
- 7. The sum of two numbers is 48. Their difference is 24. Find the numbers.
- 8. The sum of two numbers is 64. Their difference is 42. Find the numbers.
- 9. The sum of two numbers is 101. Their difference is 25. Find the numbers.
- 10. Half the perimeter of a rectangular garden is 100m. The garden is 10 m longer than it is wide. Find its length and width.
- 11. The difference between twice one number and a lesser number is 32. The sum of the lesser number and twice the greater number is 60. Find the numbers.
- 12. The sum of two numbers is 25 and twice their difference is 14. Find the numbers.
- 13. Half the sum of two numbers is 26. Four times one of the numbers is the same as one-third of the other number. Find the numbers.
- 14. The sum of two numbers is 22. Five times one of the numbers equals six times the other number. Find the numbers.
- 15. The difference between two numbers is four. Twice the larger equals three times the sum of the smaller number and two. Find the numbers.

- 16. A 140-meter rope is cut into two pieces. One piece is four times as long as the other. How long is each piece?
- 17. The difference between the length and the width of a rectangle is 7cm. The perimeter of the rectangle is 50cm. Find the length and the width.
- 18. Maddie is three times as old as Sarah. In 10 years, Maddie will be twice as old as Sarah. Find their present ages.
- 19. A rectangle has a perimeter of 40cm. The length of the rectangle is 1cm less than twice the width. Find the length and the width of the rectangle.
- 20. The greater of two numbers is 1 less than 4 times the lesser number. Three times the lesser number is 4 less than the greater. Find the numbers.
- 21. The perimeter of a rectangle is 86cm. Twice the width exceeds the length by 2cm. Find the dimensions of the rectangle.
- 22. The sum of Ashley's age and Arianna's age is 52. Arianna is 20 years older than Ashley. How old is each?