

Solving Systems with Fractions or Decimals

$$\text{ex. 1) } 6 \left(\frac{1}{2}x + \frac{2}{3}y = 1 \right) = \frac{6}{2}x + \frac{12}{3}y = 6$$

$$12 \left(\frac{1}{4}x - \frac{1}{3}y = \frac{5}{2} \right) \Rightarrow \boxed{3x + 4y = 6}$$

$$\frac{12}{4}x - \frac{12}{3}y = \frac{60}{2} \Rightarrow$$

$$\boxed{3x - 4y = 30}$$

Solve by Elimination;

$$\begin{array}{r} 3x + 4y = 6 \\ + \quad 3x - 4y = 30 \\ \hline 6x = 36 \\ \boxed{x = 6} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3x + 4y = 6 \\ 3(6) + 4y = 6 \\ 4y = 6 - 18 \\ 4y = -12 \\ \boxed{y = -3} \end{array}$$