

Solving Absolute Value Equations:

Step 2: Create two equations from $| \text{yellow circle } X + \text{blue square} | = (\text{Expression})$

Equation #1 $\text{yellow circle } X + \text{blue square} = (\underline{\hspace{2cm}})$

Equation #2 $- (\text{yellow circle } X + \text{blue square}) = (\underline{\hspace{2cm}})$

$-\text{yellow circle } X - \text{blue square} = (\underline{\hspace{2cm}})$

Solve both linear equations for the values of X. For further assistance, see scaffolds for “Solving A Linear Equation”.