

Algebraic Language: Constants



What is a constant?

- A constant is a number.
- It always stays the same.
- It is fixed.



Key Word

Constant:
a fixed number

Example

Key Step: The constant is a number.

Expression: $2 + x$

Constant: 2

Why? It is a number. It is fixed and it always stays the same.



Let's Practice

Write the constants for each expression.

	Expressions	Constants
(1)	$x + 5$	
(2)	$3y + 2$	
(3)	$4 - n$	
(4)	$d + 7$	
(5)	$4 + b + 2$	



Tip

A constant is always a number.