

Solve the following absolute value equation.

$$|4x-9| = |3x+10|$$

$$\text{Since } |w| = \begin{cases} w & \text{if } w \geq 0 \\ -w & \text{if } w \leq 0 \end{cases}, \quad 4x-9 = \pm(3x+10)$$

1. If $4x-9=3x+10$, then $x-9=10$ and $x=19$.

2. If $4x-9=-(3x+10)$, then $4x-9=-3x-10$, $7x=-1$, and $x=-\frac{1}{7}$