

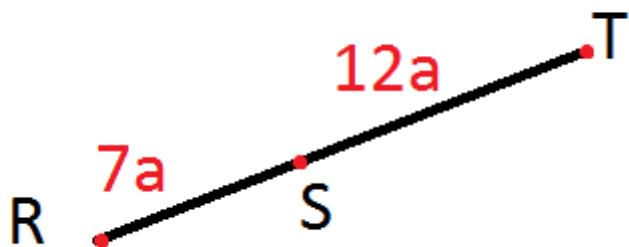
Answer on Question #45258 – Math - Geometry

Problem:

Find the value of the variable and ST if S is between R and T
 $RS = 7a$, $ST = 12a$, $RT = 76$

Solution:

Let's look at Figure



As we know

$$RT = RS + ST = 7a + 12a = 19a$$

$$\text{And } RT = 76$$

$$\text{That's why } RT = 19a = 76 \Rightarrow a = 76/19 = 4$$

$$ST = 12a = 12 \cdot 4 = 48$$

Answer:

$$a = 4$$

$$ST = 48$$