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In these problems, you need not supply verification of your answers.

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3. (2) Find specific numbers ( $not\ all\ \theta$ !) for which this system has a solution, and display one specific solution.

If 
$$\begin{cases} a = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} \\ b = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} \\ c = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} \\ d = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} \end{cases}$$
 then one solution is  $\begin{cases} x_1 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} \\ x_2 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} \\ x_3 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} \\ x_4 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} \end{cases}$ .

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