

ALGEBRAIC INEQUALITIES

(e) Solve $5x - 6 < 30$.

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$$5x < 30 + 6$$

$$5x < 36$$

$$x < \frac{36}{5}$$

$$x < 7\frac{1}{5}$$

(b) Solve the inequality $15t < 4t + 7$.

$$15t - 4t < 7$$

$$11t < 7$$

$$t < \frac{7}{11}$$

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(b) Solve $6x < 2x + 24$.

$$6x - 2x < 24$$

$$4x < 24$$

$$x < \frac{24}{4} \quad x < 6$$

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(c) Solve $3 - 2n > 4n - 9$.

$$-2n - 4n > -9 - 3$$

$$-6n > -12$$

$$n < \frac{-12}{-6}$$

Dividing by negative number, inequality sign reverses

$$n < 2$$

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(b) Solve the inequality $5(t-2) > 3t + 14$.

$$5t - 10 > 3t + 14$$

$$5t - 3t > 14 + 10$$

$$2t > 24$$

$$t > \frac{24}{2}$$

$$t > 12$$

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(d) Solve the inequality $9x + 5 < 77$.

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$$9x < 77 - 5$$

$$9x < 72$$

$$x < \frac{72}{9}$$

$$x < 8$$

(e) Write down the smallest whole number that satisfies the inequality $4x > 45$.

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$$4x > 45$$

$$x > \frac{45}{4}$$

$$x > 11\frac{1}{4}$$

Smallest whole number is 12

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12. (a) Solve the inequality

$$7x - 3 < 14 + 4x$$

$$7x - 4x < 14 + 3$$

$$3x < 17$$

$$x < \frac{17}{3}$$

$$x < 5\frac{2}{3}$$

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(b) Write down the largest whole number that satisfies this inequality.

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(c) Solve the inequality $45 + y < 7y - 3$.

Write your answer in the form $y > a$ where a is a whole number.

$$y - 7y < -3 - 45$$

$$-6y < -48$$

$$y > \frac{-48}{-6}$$

÷ by negative number, reverses inequality

$$y > 8$$

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15. (a) Solve the inequality

$$13 - 3x \geq 22 - 7x.$$

$$-3x + 7x \geq 22 - 13$$

$$4x \geq 9$$

$$x \geq \frac{9}{4} \quad x \geq 2\frac{1}{4}$$

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(b) Write down the smallest whole number that satisfies this inequality.

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11. (a) Solve the inequality

$$5x + 3 > 24 - 2x.$$

$$5x + 2x > 24 - 3$$

$$7x > 21$$

$$x > \frac{21}{7}$$

$$x > 3$$

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(b) Write down the smallest whole number that satisfies this inequality.

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10. (a) Rearrange the inequality $3 - 3n < 9 - 5n$ into the form $n < \text{some number}$.

$$-3n + 5n < 9 - 3$$

$$2n < 6$$

$$n < \frac{6}{2}$$

$$n < 3$$

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(b) Given that n also satisfies the inequality $3n > -6$, write down all the integer values of n that satisfy both inequalities.

$$3n > -6$$

$$n > \frac{-6}{3}$$

$$n > -2$$

$$n > -2$$

-1, 0, 1, 2

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