

Algebra 1 5.2 $<$ $>$ \leq \geq *6th grade standard

Solve linear inequalities by using multiplication*

Solve linear inequalities by using division*

multiplication property of (in)equality

division property of (in)equality

* triangle puzzles

Mult by positive #

$$5 > 3$$

$$-2 < 0$$

Is it still true?

$$5 \cdot -2 < 0 \cdot 5$$

$$-10 < 0$$

$$2 \cdot 5 > 3 \cdot 2$$

$$10 > 6$$

$$-2 \cdot 8 > 6 \cdot -2$$

$$-16 < -12$$

$$-3 \cdot 5 > 1 \cdot -3$$

$$-15 < -3$$

But....Mult by negative #

$$5 > 3$$

$$-2 < 0$$

Is it still true?

What must happen to make it work?

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These examples demonstrate the **Multiplication Property of Inequalities**.

KeyConcept Multiplication Property of Inequalities		
Words	Symbols	Examples
If both sides of an inequality that is true are multiplied by a positive number, the resulting inequality is also true.	For any real numbers a and b and any positive real number c , if $a > b$, then $ac > bc$. And, if $a < b$, then $ac < bc$.	$6 > 3.5$ $6(2) > 3.5(2)$ $12 > 7$ and $2.1 < 5$ $2.1(0.5) < 5(0.5)$ $1.05 < 2.5$
If both sides of an inequality that is true are multiplied by a negative number, the direction of the inequality sign is reversed to make the resulting inequality also true.	For any real numbers a and b and any negative real number c , if $a > b$, then $ac < bc$. And, if $a < b$, then $ac > bc$.	$7 > 4.5$ $7(-3) < 4.5(-3)$ $-21 < -13.5$ and $3.1 < 5.2$ $3.1(-4) > 5.2(-4)$ $-12.4 > -20.8$

The DIGITS get bigger as you move away from zero in either direction.

BUT:

When move to the right, the values *increase*.
Move to the left, the values *decrease*.

$$25. \frac{1}{5}m \geq -3$$

$$m \geq -15$$

$$20. \frac{3}{8}t < 5$$

$$-\frac{4}{1} \cdot -\frac{1}{4}x > 3 \cdot -\frac{4}{1}$$

$$x < -12$$

Example 2 Solve by Multiplying

Solve $-\frac{3}{7}r < 21$. Graph the solution on a number line.

$$-\frac{7}{3} \cdot -\frac{3}{7}r < \frac{21}{1} \cdot -\frac{7}{3}$$

$$\frac{21}{21} r > -49$$

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$$2A. -\frac{n}{6} \leq 8$$

$$2B. -\frac{4}{3}p > -10$$

$$\frac{6}{-2} < \frac{10}{-2}$$

$$-3 > -5$$

$$\frac{10}{2} > \frac{6}{2}$$

$$5 > 3$$

$$\frac{15}{5} > \frac{5}{5}$$

$$3 > 1$$

Divide by positive

$$6 > 2$$

$$-40 < 10$$

Is it still true?

$$\frac{-2x}{-2} > \frac{10}{-2}$$

$$x < -5$$

Divide by negative

$$12 > 6$$

$$-4 < 20$$

Is it still true?

What do we need to do for it to work?

These examples demonstrate the **Division Property of Inequalities**.

KeyConcept Division Property of Inequalities		
Words	Symbols	Examples
<p>If both sides of a true inequality are divided by a positive number, the resulting inequality is also true.</p>	<p>For any real numbers a and b and any positive real number c, if $a > b$, then $\frac{a}{c} > \frac{b}{c}$.</p> <p>And, if $a < b$, then $\frac{a}{c} < \frac{b}{c}$.</p>	<p>$4.5 > 2.1$ $1.5 < 5$</p> <p>$\frac{4.5}{3} > \frac{2.1}{3}$ and $\frac{1.5}{0.5} < \frac{5}{0.5}$</p> <p>$1.5 > 0.7$ $3 < 10$</p>
<p>If both sides of a true inequality are divided by a negative number, the direction of the inequality sign is reversed to make the resulting inequality also true.</p>	<p>For any real numbers a and b, and any negative real number c, if $a > b$, then $\frac{a}{c} < \frac{b}{c}$.</p> <p>And, if $a < b$, then $\frac{a}{c} > \frac{b}{c}$.</p>	<p>$6 > 2.4$ $-1.8 < 3.6$</p> <p>$\frac{6}{-6} < \frac{2.4}{-6}$ and $\frac{-1.8}{-9} < \frac{3.6}{-9}$</p> <p>$-1 < -0.4$ $0.2 > -0.4$</p>

Same same...

Example 3 Divide to Solve an Inequality

Solve each inequality. Graph the solution on a number line.

a. $60t > 8$

b. $-7d \leq 147$

► **Guided**Practice

3A. $8p \leq 58$

3B. $-42 \geq 6r$

3C. $-12h > 15$

3D. $-\frac{1}{2}n \leq 6$

Triangle puzzle



 **Real-World Example 1** Write and Solve an Inequality

SURVEYS Of the students surveyed at Madison High School, fewer than eighty-four said they have never purchased an item online. This is about one eighth of those surveyed. How many students were surveyed?

