


Practice B
Solving Absolute-Value Equations and Inequalities

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2. $|-7x| = 28$

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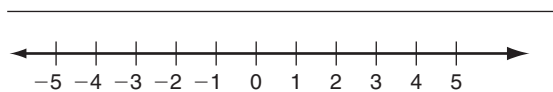
4. $|2x - 5| = 5$

5. $2|x + 1| = 14$

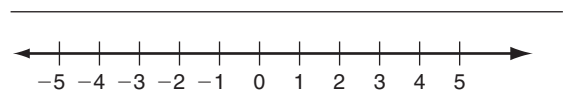
6. $|4 - x| + 2 = 9$

Solve each inequality or compound inequality. Then graph the solution.

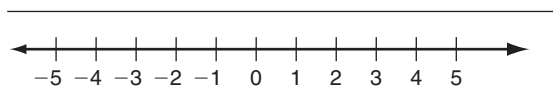
7. $-4x + 2 > -10$ and $5x - 12 < 8$



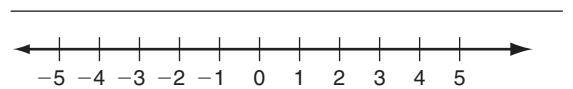
8. $3x - 4 \geq 8$ or $-x + 12 > 16$



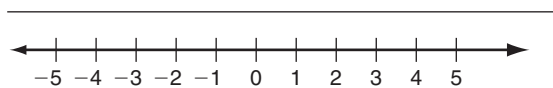
9. $|9x| \geq 18$



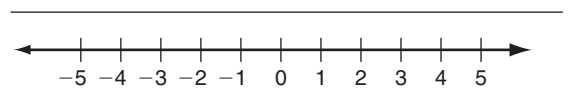
10. $|3x - 7| > 8$



11. $|0.3x| > 1$



12. $|7x| - 12 \leq 9$



Solve.

13. Any measurement is accurate within ± 0.5 of the measurement unit. For example, if you measure your pencil to the nearest inch, your measurement could be 0.5 inch too long or 0.5 inch too short. Write an absolute-value inequality that shows the maximum and minimum actual measure of a nail measured to be 4.4 centimeters to the nearest 0.1 centimeter.


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$x = \pm 4$

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$x = \pm 1$

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$x = 6 \text{ or } x = -8$

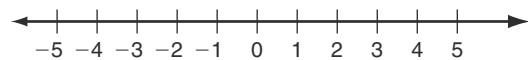
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$x = -3 \text{ or } x = 11$

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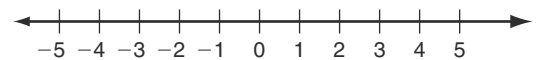
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$x < 4$



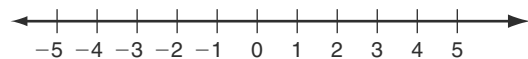
8. $3x - 4 \geq 8$ or $-x + 12 > 16$

$x \geq 4 \text{ or } x < -4$



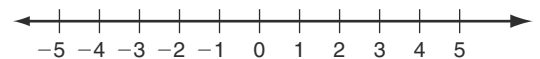
9. $|9x| \geq 18$

$x \leq -2 \text{ or } x \geq 2$



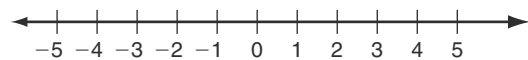
10. $|3x - 7| > 8$

$x < -\frac{1}{3} \text{ or } x > 5$



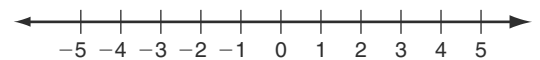
11. $|0.3x| > 1$

$x < -\frac{10}{3} \text{ or } x > \frac{10}{3}$



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$$|m - 4.4| \leq 0.05$$