

# Exercise. 7.3 (Solution)

## 9<sup>th</sup> Class

**1. Solve the following inequalities.**

i)  $3x + 1 < 5x - 4$

(Solution):  $3x + 1 < 5x - 4$

$$3x - 5x < -4 - 1$$

$$-2x < -5$$

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

$$x > \frac{5}{2}$$

$$\text{Solution Set} = \left\{ x > \frac{5}{2} \right\}$$

ii)  $4x - 10.3 \leq 21x - 1.8$

(Solution):  $4x - 10.3 \leq 21x - 1.8$

$$4x - 21x \leq -1.8 + 10.3$$

$$-17x \leq 8.5$$

$$\frac{-17x}{-17} \leq \frac{8.5}{-17}$$

$$x \geq -0.5$$

**Solution Set** = { $x \geq -0.5$ }

iii)  $4 - \frac{1}{2}x \geq -7 + \frac{1}{4}x$

(Solution):  $4 - \frac{1}{2}x \geq -7 + \frac{1}{4}x$

Multiply by 4 on both sides

$$4 \times 4 - 4 \times \frac{1}{2}x \geq 4 \times -7 + 4 \times \frac{1}{4}x$$

$$16 - 2x \geq -28 + x$$

$$-2x - x \geq -28 - 16$$

$$-3x \geq -44$$

$$\frac{-3x}{-3} \geq \frac{-44}{-3}$$

$$x \leq \frac{44}{3}$$

**Solution Set** =  $\left\{x \leq \frac{44}{3}\right\}$

$$\text{iv) } x - 2(5 - 2x) \geq 6x - 3\frac{1}{2}$$

$$(\text{Solution}): x - 2(5 - 2x) \geq 6x - \frac{7}{2}$$

$$x - 10 + 4x \geq 6x - \frac{7}{2}$$

*Multiply both sides by 2*

$$2x - 2 \times 10 + 2 \times 4x \geq 2 \times 6x - 2 \times \frac{7}{2}$$

$$2x - 20 + 8x \geq 12x - 7$$

$$10x - 12x \geq -7 + 20$$

$$-2x \geq 13$$

$$\frac{-2x}{-2} \geq \frac{13}{-2}$$

$$x \leq -6.5$$

**Solution Set** = { $x \leq -6.5$ }

$$\text{v) } \frac{3x+2}{9} - \frac{2x+1}{3} > -1$$

$$(\text{Solution}): \frac{3x+2}{9} - \frac{2x+1}{3} > -1$$

*Multiply both sides by 9*

$$9 \times \frac{3x + 2}{9} - 9 \times \frac{2x + 1}{3} > -1 \times 9$$

$$3x + 2 - 3(2x + 1) > -9$$

$$3x + 2 - 6x - 3 > -9$$

$$-3x - 1 > -9$$

$$-3x > -9 + 1$$

$$-3x > -8$$

$$\frac{-3x}{-3} > \frac{-8}{-3}$$

$$x < \frac{8}{3}$$

$$\textit{Solution Set} = \left\{ x < \frac{8}{3} \right\}$$

vi)  $3(2x + 1) - 2(2x + 5) < 5(3x - 2)$

(Solution):  $3(2x + 1) - 2(2x + 5) < 5(3x - 2)$

$$6x + 3 - 4x - 10 < 15x - 10$$

$$2x - 7 < 15x - 10$$

$$2x - 15x < -10 + 7$$

$$-13x < -3$$

$$\frac{-13x}{-13} < \frac{-3}{-13}$$

$$x > \frac{3}{13}$$

$$\textbf{\textit{Solution Set}} = \left\{ \frac{3}{13} \right\}$$

vii)  $3(x - 1) - (x - 2) > -2(x + 4)$

(Solution):  $3(x - 1) - (x - 2) > -2(x + 4)$

$$3x - 3 - x + 2 > -2x - 8$$

$$2x - 1 > -2x - 8$$

$$2x + 2x > -8 + 1$$

$$4x > -7$$

$$\frac{4x}{4} > \frac{-7}{4}$$

$$x > \frac{-7}{4}$$

$$\textbf{\textit{Solution Set}} = \left\{ x > \frac{-7}{4} \right\}$$

$$\text{viii}) 2\frac{2}{3}x + \frac{2}{3}(5x - 4) > -\frac{1}{3}(8x + 7)$$

$$(\text{Solution}): 2\frac{2}{3}x + \frac{2}{3}(5x - 4) > -\frac{1}{3}(8x + 7)$$

$$\frac{8}{3}x + \frac{10}{3}x - \frac{8}{3} > -\frac{1}{3}(8x + 7)$$

*Multiply both sides by 3*

$$3 \times \frac{8}{3}x + 3 \times \frac{10}{3}x - 3 \times \frac{8}{3} > -3 \times \frac{1}{3}(8x + 7)$$

$$8x + 10x - 8 > -8x - 7$$

$$18x - 8 > -8x - 7$$

$$18x + 8x > -7 + 8$$

$$26x > 1$$

$$\frac{26x}{26} > \frac{1}{26}$$

$$x > \frac{1}{26}$$

$$\textbf{\textit{Solution Set}} = \left\{ x > \frac{1}{26} \right\}$$

**2: Solve the following inequalities.**

i)  $-4 < 3x + 5 < 8$

(Solution):  $-4 < 3x + 5 < 8$

*Subtract 5 in the inequalities*

$$-4 - 5 < 3x + 5 - 5 < 8 - 5$$

$$-9 < 3x < 3$$

$$\frac{-9}{3} < \frac{3x}{3} < \frac{3}{3}$$

$$-3 < x < 1$$

**Solution Set** =  $\{-3 < x < 1\}$

ii)  $-5 \leq \frac{4-3x}{2} < 1$

(Solution):  $-5 \leq \frac{4-3x}{2} < 1$

*Multiply by 2 in the inequalities*

$$2 \times -5 \leq 2 \times \frac{4-3x}{2} < 2 \times 1$$

$$-10 \leq 4 - 3x < 2$$

*Subtract 4 both sides in the inequalities*

$$-10 - 4 \leq 4 - 3x - 4 < 2 - 4$$

$$-14 \leq -3x < -2$$

$$\frac{-14}{-3} \leq \frac{-3x}{-3} < \frac{-2}{-3}$$

$$\frac{14}{3} \geq x > \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\textbf{Solution Set} = \left\{ \frac{14}{3} \geq x > \frac{2}{3} \right\}$$

iii)  $-6 < \frac{x-2}{4} < 6$

(Solution):  $-6 < \frac{x-2}{4} < 6$

Multiply both sides by 4

$$4 \times -6 < 4 \times \frac{x-2}{4} < 6 \times 4$$

$$-24 < x - 2 < 24$$

Add 2 in the inequalities

$$-24 + 2 < x - 2 + 2 < 24 + 2$$

$$-22 < x < 26$$

$$\textbf{Solution Set} = \{-22 < x < 26\}$$

$$\text{iv)} \quad 3 \geq \frac{7-x}{2} \geq 1$$

$$(\text{Solution}): 3 \geq \frac{7-x}{2} \geq 1$$

*Multiply by 2 in the inequalities*

$$2 \times 3 \geq 2 \times \frac{7-x}{2} \geq 2 \times 1$$

$$6 \geq 7 - x \geq 2$$

*There are two possibilities to write the inequalities*

$$\begin{array}{ll} 6 \geq 7 - x & 7 - x \geq 2 \\ 6 - 7 \geq 7 - x - 7 & 7 - 7 - x \geq 2 - 7 \\ -1 \geq -x & -x \geq -5 \\ 1 \leq x & x \leq 5 \end{array}$$

**Solution Set =  $\{1 \leq x \leq 5\}$**

$$\text{v)} \quad 3x - 10 \leq 5 < x + 3$$

$$(\text{Solution}): 3x - 10 \leq 5 < x + 3$$

*Write the inequalities in two possibilities*

$$\begin{array}{ll} 3x - 10 \leq 5 & 5 < x + 3 \\ 3x - 10 + 10 \leq 5 + 10 & 5 - 3 < x + 3 - 3 \\ 3x \leq 15 & 2 < x \end{array}$$

$$x \leq 5$$

$$\text{Solution Set} = \{2 < x \leq 5\}$$

vi)  $-3 \leq \frac{x-4}{-5} < 4$

(Solution):  $-3 \leq \frac{x-4}{-5} < 4$

*Write the inequalities in two possibilities*

$$-3 \leq \frac{x-4}{-5}$$

$$\frac{x-4}{-5} < 4$$

$$(-5)(-3) \leq (-5) \frac{x-4}{-5} \quad (-5) \times \frac{x-4}{-5} < (-5) \times 4$$

$$15 \geq x - 4$$

$$x - 4 > -20$$

$$x \leq 15 + 4$$

$$x > -20 + 4$$

$$x \leq 19$$

$$x > -16$$

$$\text{Solution Set} = \{-16 < x \leq 19\}$$

vii)  $1 - 2x < 5 - x \leq 25 - 6x$

(Solution):  $1 - 2x < 5 - x \leq 25 - 6x$

*Write the inequalities in two possibilities*

$$\begin{aligned}
 1 - 2x &< 5 - x & 5 - x &\leq 25 - 6x \\
 1 - 2x + x &< 5 - x + x & \\
 1 - x &< 5 & 5 - x + x & \\
 1 - x - 1 &< 5 - 1 & \leq 25 - 6x + x & \\
 -x &< 4 & 5 &\leq 25 - 5x \\
 x > -4 & & 5 - 25 &\leq 25 - 5x - 25 \\
 & & -20 &\leq -5x \\
 & & \frac{-20}{-5} &\leq \frac{-5x}{-5} \\
 & & x &\leq 4
 \end{aligned}$$

**Solution Set** =  $\{-4 < x \leq 4\}$

viii)  $3x - 2 < 2x + 1 < 4x + 17$

(Solution):  $3x - 2 < 2x + 1 < 4x + 17$

*Write the inequalities in two possibilities*

$$\begin{aligned}
 3x - 2 &< 2x + 1 & 2x + 1 &< 4x + 17 \\
 3x - 2x &< 1 + 2 & 2x - 4x &< 17 - 1 \\
 x &< 3 & -2x &< 16 \\
 & & \frac{-2x}{-2} &< \frac{16}{-2} \\
 & & x &> -8
 \end{aligned}$$

**Solution Set** =  $\{-8 < x < 3\}$

**Do good, have good.**