

# Solve quadratic inequalities ( $a > 1$ )



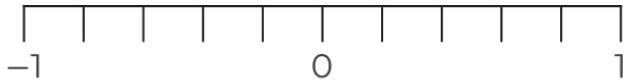
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1. a) Solve  $6x^2 + x - 2 \geq 0$

$$(\quad)(\quad) \geq 0$$

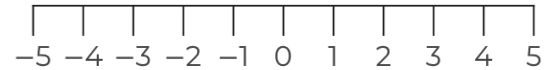
$$x < \quad \quad x > \quad$$

b) Represent the solution on a number line and using set notation.

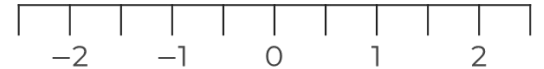


2. Show the solutions to the following inequalities on a number line and using set notation.

a)  $4x^2 + 12x + 5 < 0$



b)  $8x^2 + 6x - 9 > 0$

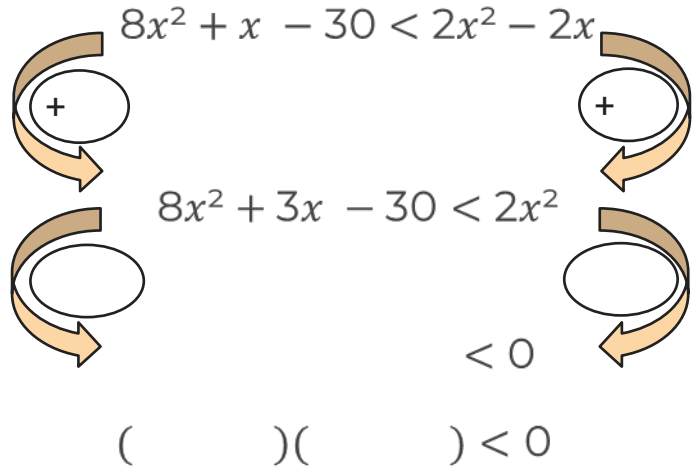


c)  $25x^2 - 4 \leq 0$



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3. Solve  $8x^2 + x - 30 < 2x^2 - 2x$

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$$8x^2 + 3x - 30 < 2x^2$$

$$< 0$$

$$(\quad)(\quad) < 0$$

Represent your answer using set notation.

4. Rearrange and solve

a)  $16x^2 + 2x \geq 2x + 9$

b)  $10x^2 + 15x \leq 4x + 6$

5. The set of values for  $x$  that satisfies a quadratic inequality is

$$\{x: x > 4 \cup x < 1\}$$

Write down a possible inequality.



# Answers



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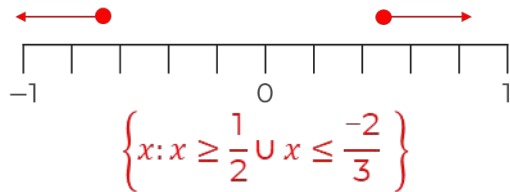
1. a) Solve  $6x^2 + x - 2 \geq 0$

$$6x^2 + 4x - 3x - 2 \geq 0$$

$$(2x - 1)(3x + 2) \geq 0$$

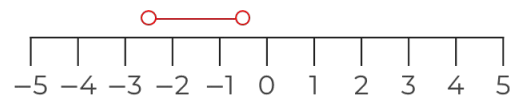
$$x \leq -\frac{2}{3} \quad x \geq \frac{1}{2}$$

b) Represent the solution on a number line and using set notation.

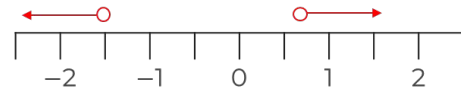


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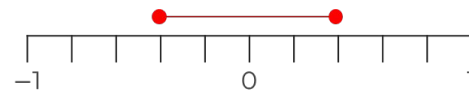
a)  $4x^2 + 12x + 5 < 0$   $\{x: -2.5 < x < -0.5\}$



b)  $8x^2 + 6x - 9 > 0$   $\{x: x > 0.75 \cup x < -1.5\}$



c)  $25x^2 - 4 \leq 0$   $\{x: -0.4 \leq x \leq 0.4\}$



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3. Solve  $8x^2 + x - 30 < 2x^2 - 2x$

$$\begin{aligned} 8x^2 + x - 30 &< 2x^2 - 2x \\ \text{Add } 2x \text{ to both sides} &\rightarrow 8x^2 + 3x - 30 < 2x^2 \\ \text{Subtract } 2x^2 \text{ from both sides} &\rightarrow 6x^2 + 3x - 30 < 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$(2x + 5)(3x - 6) < 0$$

Represent your answer using set notation.  $\{x: -2.5 < x < 0.5\}$

4. Rearrange and solve

a)  $16x^2 + 2x \geq 2x + 9$

$$16x^2 - 9 \geq 0$$

$$(4x + 3)(4x - 3) \geq 0$$

$$\{x: x \geq 0.75 \cup x \leq -0.75\}$$

b)  $10x^2 + 15x \leq 4x + 6$

$$10x^2 + 11x - 6 \leq 0$$

$$(2x + 3)(5x - 2) \leq 0$$

$$\{x: -1.5 \leq x \leq 0.4\}$$

5. The set of values for  $x$  that satisfies a quadratic inequality is

$$\{x: x > 4 \cup x < 1\} \quad x^2 - 5x + 4 > 0$$

Write down a possible inequality.

