

JANUARY 7, 2015 ^{1ST} _{2ND}

STARTER

Scrat gathered a total of 100 acorns in 5 days. Each day he gathered 6 more acorns than the day before. How many did he gather on the first day?



© 2015 Pearson Education, Inc. All rights reserved.

1/7 - Solving One-Step Multiply/Divide Inequalities

Sometimes the inequality needs to switch...

$$5 < n \text{ becomes } n > 5$$

There are 2 other times...

$$2 < 3 \quad \textit{right?}$$

$$-1 \cdot 2 < 3 \cdot -1 \quad \textit{times both sides by } -1$$

$$-2 < -3 \quad \textit{WRONG!}$$

$$-2 > -3 \quad \textit{Switch the inequality sign}$$

When you **multiply** both sides by a negative number,
switch the inequality sign!

Examples of the first kind:

Because 2 is negative

$$-2 \cdot \frac{n}{-2} < 4 \cdot -2$$
$$n > -8$$

Do NOT flip since 4 is positive

$$4 \cdot \frac{d}{4} \leq -10 \cdot 4$$
$$d \leq -40$$

Change the inequality

$$-5 \cdot \frac{c}{-5} \geq -8 \cdot -5$$
$$c \leq 40$$

Change the inequality

$$-3 \cdot 6 > \frac{x}{-3} \cdot -3$$

$$-18 < x$$

$$x > -18$$

Flip it again since x should go first.

Here is the second time:

When you **divide** both sides by a negative number,
switch the inequality sign!

$$4 < 6 \quad \textit{right?}$$

$$\frac{4}{-2} < \frac{6}{-2} \quad \textit{divide both sides by } -2$$

$$-2 < -3 \quad \textit{WRONG!}$$

$$-2 > -3 \quad \textit{Switch the inequality sign}$$

More examples:

$$\frac{-2n}{-2} > \frac{6}{-2}$$

Switch since you \div by a negative

$$n < -3$$

$$\frac{6x}{6} \geq \frac{-24}{6}$$

Leave the sign since the 6 is positive


$$x \geq -4$$


$$\frac{18}{-3} \leq \frac{-3c}{-3}$$
$$-6 \geq c$$
$$c \leq -6$$

$$\frac{-20}{4} < \frac{4d}{4}$$
$$-5 < d$$
$$d > -5$$

Change the inequality sign when:

1. you exchange sides $3 < x \rightarrow x > 3$
2. you multiply both sides by a negative number
3. you divide both sides by a negative number


$$\begin{aligned} -2 \cdot \frac{x}{-2} &< 4 \cdot -2 \\ x &> -8 \end{aligned}$$


$$\begin{aligned} \frac{-3x}{-3} &\geq \frac{15}{-3} \\ x &\leq -5 \end{aligned}$$

HOMEWORK

Green WS3

DUE Thursday