

**SchoolNova, Math 5c**  
**Homework 9**  
**Algebraic Equations with Absolute Values and Inequalities**  
**November 17, 2019**

Please provide sufficient details about how you solved the problem. More difficult problems are marked with a \*. If unable to solve a problem, please present your thoughts and any partial solution.

1. Evaluate the following expressions, with absolute values:

- (a)  $|27|$
- (b)  $|-11|$
- (c)  $|10 - 25|$
- (d)  $|14| - |-3|$
- (e)  $|13| - |7|$
- (f)  $|36 + (-6)|$
- (g)  $|21| + |-4|$
- (h)  $|49 - (-3)|$
- (i)  $-|-5|$

2. Solve the following inequalities, and plot on a number line:

- (a)  $x \leq 4$
- (b)  $x \geq 7$
- (c)  $x + 3 \leq 5$
- (d)  $2x < 10$
- (e)  $x^2 \leq 9$

3. Solve the following equations containing absolute values, and plot on a number line:

- (a)  $|x| = 3.$
- (b)  $|x + 2| = 7.$
- (c)  $|2x| = 10.$
- (d)  $|3x - 12| = 0.$

4. Show that each of the following numbers are solutions to the given equations or inequalities:
- (a)  $x = 3$  in  $x^2 - 9 = 0$ .
  - (b)  $x = -5$  in  $x^2 \geq 16$ .
  - (c)  $x = -1$  in  $2x - 3 \leq -2$ .
  - (d)  $x = 1$  in  $2(x - 5) \leq 4x$ .
  - (e)  $x = 5$  in  $|4 - x| \leq 2$ .
5. The sum of two consecutive even integers is 26. What are the two numbers?
6. The area of a rectangle is  $24 \text{ cm}^2$ . The width is 2 cm less than the length. What are the length and the width?
7. The number 100 is multiplied either by 2 or by 3, then the result is increased either by 1 or by 2, and then the new result is divided either by 3 or by 4. If the final result is a natural number, what is the final result?
8. Carla wants to fold a cube from a paper net. By mistake, she drew 7 squares on her sheet instead of 6 squares. Which square(s) can she remove so that the figure remains connected, and Carla can fold a cube from it?

