

## 3.4) Linear inequalities

## Worked example

Solve:

$$3x < 12$$

$$4x - 1 > 15$$

$$11 \leq 2x - 5$$

## Your turn

Solve:

$$15 \geq 3x - 6$$

$$x \leq 7$$

## Worked example

Solve:

$$5x + 2 < 3x - 4$$

$$3x + 2 \leq 5x - 4$$

$$3x + 2 > 4 - 5x$$

## Your turn

Solve:

$$4x - 3 \geq 2 - x$$

$$x \geq 1$$

## Worked example

Solve:

$$-x < 2$$

$$-x \geq -3$$

## Your turn

Solve:

$$-x \leq -4$$

$$x \geq 4$$

## Worked example

Solve:

$$-x < 12$$

$$12 < -2x$$

$$16 \geq -3x + 4$$

## Your turn

Solve:

$$-4x + 5 \leq 17$$

$$x \geq -3$$

## Worked example

If  $x < 3$  and  $2 \leq x < 4$ , what is the combined solution set?

## Your turn

If  $x < 3$  and  $2 \leq x < 4$ , what is the combined solution set?

$$2 \leq x < 3$$

## Worked example

Use set notation to describe the set of values for which:

$$10(9x + 8) < 7 \text{ or } 6(5x - 4) \geq \frac{3-2x}{4}$$

## Your turn

Use set notation to describe the set of values for which:

$$2(3x + 4) < 5 \text{ or } 6(7x - 8) \geq \frac{9-10x}{2}$$

$$\left\{x: x < -\frac{1}{2}\right\} \cup \left\{x: x \geq \frac{105}{94}\right\}$$