HW 2

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I've completely randomized the following problems so you won't be able to cheat. Recall how to graph on the real number line. If x is taken to be your variable, you will shade in the regions for which the statement is true. For example, if you're trying to plot x < 10, you will shade in everything to the left of x = 10 (because everything to the left of x = 10 is where x < 10) and leave unshaded everything to the right of x = 10 because that's where x > 10.

Since the problems are randomized, you may have a contradiction such as x < 10 and x > 11. If that's the case, don't plot anything and write ϕ down.

Also there's a challenge problem at the end. This one is worth 2 homework passes.

Problem 0. On the real number line, plot $x \le -2$ or $x \ge 9$ and describe the geometric object.

Problem 1. On the real number line, plot $x \le 0$ or $x \ge -4$ and describe the geometric object.

Problem 2. On the real number line, plot $|x| \ge 1$ and describe the geometric object.

Problem 3. On the real number line, plot $|x| \le -9$ and describe the geometric object.

Problem 4. On the real number line, plot $x \leq 9$ and describe the geometric object.

Problem 5. On the real number line, plot $x \leq 10$ or $x \geq 9$ and describe the geometric object.

Problem 6. On the real number line, plot $|x| \le 2$ and describe the geometric object.

Problem 7. On the real number line, plot $|x| \ge -6$ and describe the geometric object.

Problem 8. On the real number line, plot $x \le 1$ and $x \ge -4$ and describe the geometric object.

Problem 9. On the real number line, plot $x \le 10$ or $x \ge -10$ and describe the geometric object.

Problem 10. On the real number line, plot $x \geq 7$ and describe the geometric object.

Problem 11. On the real number line, plot $x \le 2$ and $x \ge 6$ and describe the geometric object.

Problem Challenge. Recall that a *postulate* is a statement that we *define* as being true. It cannot be logically deduced from other postulates like a *theorem* can. The Segment Addition Postulate and Ruler Postulate seem redundant. Are they redundant? Why or why not?