

1. Solve the inequalities $8 < 1 + |7 - 2x|$
express your solution sets using interval notation.

$(0, 7)$

$[0, 7]$

$(-\infty, 0) \cup (7, +\infty)$

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Solution

Intervals

Solve:

$$8 < |7 - 2x| + 1$$

$$7 < |7 - 2x|$$

$$7 < 7 - 2x \text{ or } 7 - 2x < -7$$

$$7 - (7) < -2x \text{ or } -2x < -7 - (7)$$

$$0 < -2x \text{ or } -2x < -14$$

Divide each side by -2 and flip the inequalities

$$8 < |7 - 2x| + 1$$



$$x < 0 \text{ or } x > 7$$