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Translating Variable Expressions

Part I Write a statement for each of the following algebraic expressions:

1.) $\frac{t}{8}$

5.) $\frac{8}{2x + 6}$

2.) $11y - 12$

6.) $-10y^2$

3.) $3x + 3$

7.) $3x + (y - 2)$

4.) $9 + \frac{m}{2}$

8.) $-5x \div 15$

Part II Write an algebraic expression for each of the following statements:

9.) The quotient of a number squared and sixteen.

13.) Two times a number more than one third of the same number.

10.) Sixty more than five times a number.

14.) The quotient of three times a number and the sum of a different number and one

11.) The sum of negative eleven and sixteen times a number squared.

15.) The product of twenty-one and a number squared

12.) The difference of fourteen and half of seven times a number

16.) The sum of a third of a number and the product of a different number and seventeen

ANSWER KEY

1.) The quotient of a number and eight

5.) The quotient of eight and the sum of twice a number and six

2.) The difference of eleven times a number and twelve

6.) Negative ten times a number squared

3.) The sum of three times a number and three

7.) The sum of three times a number and the difference of a different number and two

4.) Nine plus half of a number

8.) The quotient of negative five times a number and fifteen.

9.) $x^2 \div 16$

13.) $\frac{x}{3} + 2x$

10.) $5x + 60$

14.) $3x \div (y + 1)$

11.) $-11 + 16y^2$

15.) $21m^2$

12.) $14 - \frac{7x}{2}$

16.) $\frac{x}{3} + 17y$