

## 1.12 Translating Algebraic Expression 1

MULTIPLE CHOICE. Choose the one alternative that best completes the statement or answers the question.

Write the phrase as a variable expression. Use  $x$  to represent "a number."

- 1) Seven times a number, decreased by 9

A)  $7(x - 9)$

B)  $7x - 9$

C)  $7x + 9$

D)  $7(x + 9)$

1)

2)

- 2) The sum of 19 and a number

A)  $19 - x$

B)  $19 + x$

C)  $-19 + x$

D)  $19x$

3)

- 3) A number subtracted from 5

A)  $5x$

B)  $5 + x$

C)  $x - (5)$

D)  $5 - x$

4)

- 4) The quotient of 17 times a number and -3

A)  $17x + 3$

B)  $17x - 3$

C)  $\frac{17x}{-3}$

D)  $\frac{1}{-51x}$

5)

- 5) the difference of Four and a number

A)  $4x$

B)  $4 - x$

C)  $x - 4$

D)  $\frac{4}{x}$

6)

- 6) Thirteen subtracted from a number

A)  $13 - x$

B)  $13x - 13$

C)  $\frac{x}{13}$

D)  $x - 13$

7)

- 7) Negative thirteen decreased by 8 times a number

A)  $13 - 8x$

B)  $-13 - 8x$

C)  $-13 + 8x$

D)  $13 + 8x$

8)

- 8) A number divided by 17

A)  $\frac{17}{x}$

B)  $17x$

C)  $\frac{x}{17}$

D)  $x - (17)$

9)

- 9) Six times the sum of a number and -46

A)  $6 + x + (-46)$

B)  $6x - (-46)$

C)  $6x + (-46)$

D)  $6[x + (-46)]$

10)

- 10) The quotient of 31 and the product of a number and -8

A)  $\frac{31}{x} - 8$

B)  $-248x$

C)  $\frac{31}{-8x}$

D)  $\frac{-8x}{31}$

**Answer Key**

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- 1) B
- 2) B
- 3) D
- 4) C
- 5) B
- 6) D
- 7) B
- 8) C
- 9) D
- 10) C