

Definition: Expressions are made up of constants (numbers), variables (letters) and at least one operation (+, -, x, ÷).

Examples of Expressions

Phrase	Expression
the sum of nine and eight	$9 + 8$
the sum of nine and a number x	$9 + x$

Phrase	Expression
nine increased by a number x	$9 + x$
fourteen decreased by a number p	$14 - p$
seven less than a number t	$t - 7$
the product of 9 and a number n	$9 \cdot n$ or $9n$
thirty-two divided by a number y	$32 \div y$ or $\frac{32}{y}$
Phrase	Expression
five more than twice a number	$2n + 5$
the product of a number and 6	$6n$
seven divided by twice a number	$7 \div 2n$ or $\frac{7}{2n}$
three times a number decreased by 11	$3n - 11$

****Don't Forget about the TURNAROUND WORDS!!!!!!**

*FROM,
*FEWER
*THAN

(greater than or less than)