

## **EXERCISE 5.1**

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- 1. Write the opposite of each of the following:
- (i) Increase in population
- (ii) Depositing money in a bank
- (iii) Earning money
- (iv) Going North
- (v) Gaining a weight of 4kg
- (vi) A loss of Rs 1000
- (vii) 25

(viii) - 15

**Solution:** 

- (i) The opposite of Increase in population is Decrease in population.
- (ii) The opposite of Depositing money in a bank is Withdrawing money from a bank.
- (iii) The opposite of earning money is Spending money.
- (iv) The opposite of Going North is Going South.
- (v) The opposite of gaining a weight of 4kg is losing a weight of 4kg.
- (vi) The opposite of a loss of Rs 1000 is a gain of Rs 1000.
- (vii) The opposite of 25 is -25.
- (viii) The opposite of -15 is 15.
- 2. Indicate the following by using integers:
- (i) 25° above zero
- (ii) 5° below zero
- (iii) A profit of Rs 800
- (iv) A deposit of Rs 2500
- (v) 3km above sea level
- (vi) 2km below level

- (i)  $25^{\circ}$  above zero is  $+25^{\circ}$ .
- (ii) 5° below zero is 5°.
- (iii) A profit of Rs 800 is + 800.
- (iv) A deposit of Rs 2500 is +2500.
- (v) 3km above sea level is +3.
- (vi) 2km below level is -2.



3. Mark the following integers on a number line:

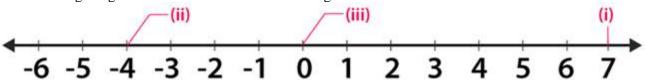
(i) 7

(ii) -4

(iii) **0** 

**Solution:** 

The following integers are marked on a number line as given below:



4. Which number in each of the following pairs is smaller?

(i) 0, -4

(ii) -3, 12

(iii) 8, 13

(iv) - 15, -27

**Solution:** 

(i) 0 is greater than the negative integers

So we get -4 < 0

Therefore, - 4 is smaller.

(ii) 12 is greater than -3 on a number line

So we get

-3 < 12

Therefore, - 3 is smaller.

(iii) 13 is greater than 8 on a number line

So we get 8 < 13

Therefore, 8 is smaller.

(iv) - 15 is greater than -27 on a number line

So we get -27 < -15

Therefore, - 27 is smaller.

5. Which number in each of the following pairs is larger?

(i) 3, -4

(ii) - 12, -8

(iii) 0, 7

(iv) 12, - 18

**Solution:** 

(i) We know that 3 is larger than -4 on a number line

So we get 3 > -4

Therefore, 3 is larger.

(ii) We know that -8 is larger than -12 on a number line

So we get -8 > -12



Therefore, - 8 is larger.

(iii) We know that 7 is larger than 0 on a number line So we get 7 > 0

Therefore, 7 is larger.

(iv) We know that 12 is larger than -18 on a number line So we get 12 > -18Therefore, 12 is larger.

## 6. Write all integers between:

- (i) 7 and 3
- (ii) 2 and 2
- (iii) 4 and 0
- (iv) 0 and 3

**Solution:** 

- (i) The integers between -7 and 3 are -6, -5, -4, -3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2
- (ii) The integers between -2 and 2 are -1, 0, 1.
- (iii) The integers between -4 and 0 are -3, -2, -1
- (iv) The integers between 0 and 3 are 1, 2.

## 7. How many integers are between?

- (i) 4 and 3
- (ii) 5 and 12
- (iii) 9 and -2
- (iv) 0 and 5

**Solution:** 

(i) The integers between – 4 and 3 are –3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2

Therefore, number of integers between -4 and 3 are 6.

(ii) The integers between 5 and 12 are

6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11

Therefore, number of integers between 5 and 12 are 6.

(iii) The integers between -9 and -2 are

-8, -7, -6, -5, -4, -3

Therefore, number of integers between -9 and -2 are 6.

(iv) The integers between 0 and 5 are

1, 2, 3, 4



Therefore, number of integers between 0 and 5 are 4.

## 8. Replace \* in each of the following by < or > so that the statement is true:

- (i) 2\*5
- (ii) 0 \* 3
- (iii) 0 \* 7
- (iv) 18 \* 15
- (v) 235 \* 532
- (vi) 20 \* 20

### **Solution:**

- (i) 2 < 5
- (ii) 0 < 3
- (iii) 0 > -7
- (iv) 18 < 15
- (v) 235 > -532
- (vi) 20 < 20

## 9. Write the following integers in increasing order:

- (i) 8, 5, 0, -12, 1, -9, 15
- (ii) 106, 107, -320, -7, 185

### **Solution:**

- (i) -8, 5, 0, -12, 1, -9, 15 can be written in increasing order as -12, -9, -8, 0, 1, 5, 15
- (ii) -106, 107, -320, -7, 185 can be written in increasing order as -320, -106, -7, 107, 185.

### 10. Write the following integers in decreasing order:

- (i) 15, 0, -2, -9, 7, 6, -5, 8
- (ii) -154, 123, -205, -89, -74

### **Solution:**

- (i) -15, 0, -2, -9, 7, 6, -5, 8 can be written in decreasing order as 8, 7, 6, 0, -2, -5, -9, -15
- (ii) -154, 123, -205, -89, -74 can be written in decreasing order as 123, -74, -89, -154, -205

### 11. Using the number line, write the integer which is:

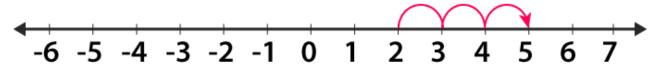
- (i) 2 more than 3
- (ii) 5 less than 3
- (iii) 4 more than -9



(i) 2 more than 3

In order to get the integer 2 more than 3

We draw a number line from 2 and proceed 3 units to the right to obtain 5



Therefore, 2 more than 3 is 5.

(ii) 5 less than 3

In order to get the integer 5 less than 3

We draw a number line from 3 and proceed 5 units to the left to obtain -2

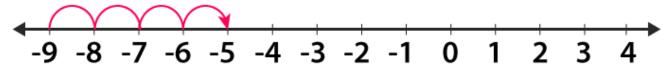


Therefore, 5 less than 3 is -2.

(iii) 4 more than – 9

In order to get the integer 4 more than -9

We draw a number line from – 9 and proceed 4 units to the right to obtain -5



Therefore, 4 more than -9 is -5.

## 12. Write the absolute value of each of the following:

- (i) 14
- (ii) 25
- (iii) **0**
- (iv) 125
- (v) 248
- (vi) a 7, if a is greater than 7
- (vii) a 7, if a 2 is less than 7
- (viii) a + 4, if a is greater than -4
- (ix) a + 4 if a is less than -4
- (x) |-3|
- (xi) |-5|
- (xii) |12 5|

**Solution:** 

(i) The absolute value of 14 is

|14| = 14



(ii) The absolute value of 
$$-25$$
 is  $|-25| = 25$ 

|0| = 0

(iv) The absolute value of 
$$-125$$
 is  $|-125| = 125$ 

(v) The absolute value of 
$$-248$$
 is  $|-248| = 248$ 

(vi) The absolute value of 
$$a - 7$$
, if a is greater than 7 is  $|a - 7| = a - 7$  where  $a > 7$ 

(vii) The absolute value of 
$$a - 7$$
, if  $a - 2$  is less than 7 is  $|a - 7| = -(a - 7)$  where  $a - 2 < 7$ 

(viii) The absolute value of 
$$a + 4$$
, if a is greater than -4 is  $|a + 4| = a + 4$  where  $a > -4$ 

(ix) The absolute value of 
$$a + 4$$
 if a is less than  $-4$  is  $|a + 4| = -(a + 4)$  where  $a < -4$ 

(x) The absolute value of 
$$|-3|$$
 is  $|-3| = 3$ 

(xi) The absolute value of 
$$-|-5|$$
 is  $-|-5| = 5$ 

(xii) The absolute value of 
$$|12 - 5|$$
 is  $|12 - 5| = 7$ 

## 13. (i) Write 4 negative integers less than -10.

## (ii) Write 6 negative integers just greater than -12. Solution:

(i) The 4 negative integers less than 
$$-10$$
 are  $-11$ ,  $-12$ ,  $-13$ ,  $-14$ 

### 14. Which of the following statements are true?

- (i) The smallest integer is zero.
- (ii) The opposite of zero is zero.
- (iii) Zero is not an integer.
- (iv) 0 is larger than every negative integer.
- (v) The absolute value of an integer is greater than the integer.



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- (vi) A positive integer is greater than its opposite.
- (vii) Every negative integer is less than every natural number.
- (viii) 0 is the smallest positive integer.

- (i) False. The smallest integer is 1.
- (ii) True. 0 is neither positive nor negative so the opposite is 0.
- (iii) False. Zero is an integer which is neither positive nor negative.
- (iv) True. 0 is larger than -1.
- (v) False. The absolute value of an integer is the numerical value.
- (vi) True. 3 is greater than -3.
- (vii) True. -3 is less than 1.
- (viii) False. 1 is the smallest positive integer.



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1. Draw a number line and represent each of the following on it:

(i) 5 + (-2)

(ii)(-9)+4

(iii) (-3) + (-5)

(iv) 6 + (-6)

(v)(-1)+(-2)+2

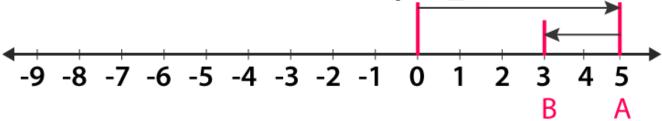
(vi)(-2)+7+(-9)

**Solution:** 

(i) 5 + (-2)

From 0 move towards right of first five units to obtain + 5

So the second number is -2 so move 2 units towards left of +5 we get +3

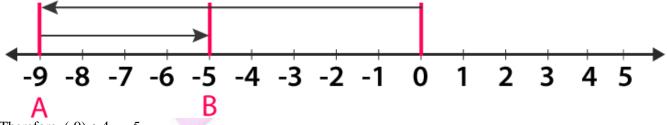


Therefore, 5 + (-2) = 3.

(ii)(-9)+4

From 0 move towards left of nine units to obtain -9

So the second number is 4 so move 4 units towards right of -9 we get -5

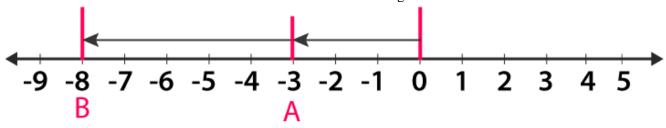


Therefore, (-9) + 4 = -5.

(iii) (-3) + (-5)

From 0 move towards left of three units to obtain -3

So the second number is -5 so move 5 units towards left of -3 we get -8

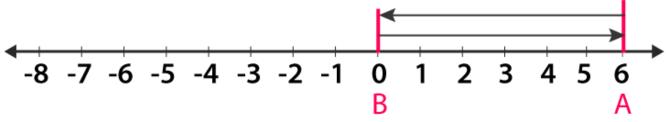


Therefore, (-3) + (-5) = -8.



(iv) 6 + (-6)

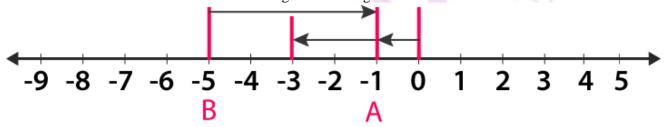
From zero move towards right of six units to obtain 6 So the second number is -6 so move 6 units towards left of 6 we get 0



Therefore, 6 + (-6) = 0.

$$(v)(-1)+(-2)+2$$

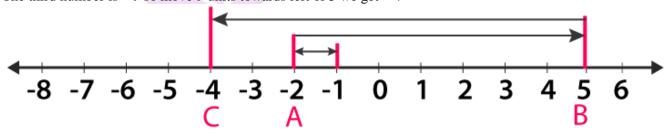
From zero move towards left of one unit to obtain -1So the second number is -2 so move 2 units towards left of -1 we get -3The third number is 2 so move 2 units towards right of -3 we get -1



Therefore, (-1) + (-2) + 2 = -1.

$$(vi)(-2) + 7 + (-9)$$

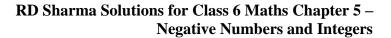
From zero move towards left of two units to obtain -2So the second number is 7 so move 7 units towards right of -2 we get 5 The third number is -9 so move 9 units towards left of 5 we get -4



Therefore, (-2) + 7 + (-9) = -4.

### 2. Find the sum of

- (i) -557 and 488
- (ii) -522 and -160
- (iii) 2567 and 325
- (iv) -10025 and 139
- (v) 2547 and -2548
- (vi) 2884 and -2884





### **Solution:**

(i) -557 and 488 We get -557 + 488 It can be written as |-557| - |488| = 557 - 488 = 69.

(ii) -522 and -160 We get -522 + (-160) It can be written as -522 - 160 = -682

(iii) 2567 and -325 We get 2567 + (-325) It can be written as 2567 - 325 = 2242

(iv) -10025 and 139 We get -10025 + 139 It can be written as -10025 + 139 = -9886

(v) 2547 and -2548 We get 2547 + (-2548) It can be written as 2547 - 2548 = -1

(vi) 2884 and -2884 We get 2884 + (-2884) It can be written as 2884 - 2884 = 0



## **EXERCISE 5.3**

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### 1. Find the additive inverse of each of the following integers:

- (i) 52
- (ii) 176
- (iii) **0**
- (iv) 1

## **Solution:**

- (i) The additive inverse of 52 is -52.
- (ii) The additive inverse of -176 is 176.
- (iii) The additive inverse of 0 is 0.
- (iv) The additive inverse of 1 is -1.

## 2. Find the successor of each of the following integers:

- (i) 42
- (ii) -1
- (iii) **0**
- (iv) 200
- (v) -99

#### **Solution:**

- (i) The successor of -42 is
- -42 + 1 = -41
- (ii) The successor of -1 is
- -1 + 1 = 0
- (iii) The successor of 0 is
- 0 + 1 = 1
- (iv) The successor of -200 is
- -200 + 1 = -199
- (v) The successor of -99 is
- -99 + 1 = -98

### 3. Find the predecessor of each of the following integers:

- (i) 0
- (ii) 1
- (iii) 1
- (iv) 125
- (v) 1000

- (i) The predecessor of 0 is
- 0 1 = -1



(ii) The predecessor of 1 is 
$$1-1=0$$

(iii) The predecessor of -1 is 
$$-1 - 1 = -2$$

(iv) The predecessor of 
$$-125$$
 is  $-125 - 1 = -126$ 

(v) The predecessor of 1000 is 
$$1000 - 1 = 999$$

- 4. Which of the following statements are true?
- (i) The sum of a number and its opposite is zero.
- (ii) The sum of two negative integers is a positive integer.
- (iii) The sum of a negative integer and a positive integer is always a negative integer.
- (iv) The successor of -1 is 1.
- (v) The sum of three different integers can never be zero. Solution:

(i) True. 
$$1 - 1 = 0$$

(ii) False. 
$$-1 - 1 = -2$$

(iii) False. 
$$-2 + 3 = 1$$

(iv) False. The successor of -1 is 0.

(v) False. 
$$1 + 2 - 3 = 0$$

## 5. Write all integers whose absolute values are less than 5. Solution:

The integers whose absolute values are less than 5 are -4, -3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4

## 6. Which of the following is false:

(i) 
$$|4+2| = |4| + |2|$$

(ii) 
$$|2-4|=|2|+|4|$$

(iii) 
$$|4-2| = |4| - |2|$$

$$(iv) |(-2) + (-4)| = |-2| + |-4|$$

- (i) True.
- (ii) False.
- (iii) True.
- (iv) True.



## 7. Complete the following table:

+	-6	-4	-2	0	2	4	6
6						10	
4							
2							8
0	-6						
-2							
-4						0	
-6				-6			

From the above table:

(i) Write all the pairs of integers whose sum is 0.

(ii) Is 
$$(-4) + (-2) = (-2) + (-4)$$
?

(iii) Is 
$$0 + (-6) = -6$$
?

**Solution:** 

+	-6	-4	-2	0	2	4	6
6	0	2	4	6	8	10	12
4	-2	0	2	4	6	8	10
2	-4	-2	0	2	4	6	8
0	-6	-4	-2	0	2	4	6
-2	-8	-6	-4	-2	0	2	4
-4	-10	-8	-6	-4	-2	0	2
-6	-12	-10	-8	-6	-4	-2	0

(i) The pairs of integers whose sum is 0 are

$$(6, -6), (4, -4), (2, -2), (0, 0)$$

(ii) Yes. By using commutativity of addition (-4) + (-2) = (-2) + (-4)

(iii) Yes. By using additive identity 0 + (-6) = -6.

## 8. Find an integer x such that

(i) 
$$x + 1 = 0$$

(ii) 
$$x + 5 = 0$$

$$(iii) - 3 + x = 0$$

$$(iv) x + (-8) = 0$$

(v) 
$$7 + x = 0$$

$$(vi) x + 0 = 0$$

(i) 
$$x + 1 = 0$$

Subtracting 1 on both sides

$$x + 1 - 1 = 0 - 1$$



We get x = -1

(ii) 
$$x + 5 = 0$$

By subtracting 5 on both sides

$$x + 5 - 5 = 0 - 5$$

So we get

$$x = -5$$

(iii) - 3 + x = 0

By adding 3 on both sides

$$-3 + x + 3 = 0 + 3$$

So we get

$$x = 3$$

(iv) x + (-8) = 0

By adding 8 on both sides

$$x - 8 + 8 = 0 + 8$$

So we get

$$x = 8$$

(v) 7 + x = 0

By subtracting 7 on both sides

$$7 + x - 7 = 0 - 7$$

So we get

$$x = -7$$

(vi) 
$$x + 0 = 0$$

So we get

$$x = 0$$



## **EXERCISE 5.4**

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## 1. Subtract the first integer from the second in each of the following:

- (i) 12, -5
- (ii) 12, 8
- (iii) 225, -135
- (iv) 1001, 101
- (v) 812, 3126
- (vi) 7560, -8
- (vii) 3978, -4109
- (viii) 0, 1005

#### **Solution:**

(i) 12, -5

So by subtracting the first integer from the second -5 - 12 = -17

(ii) - 12, 8

So by subtracting the first integer from the second 8 - (-12) = 8 + 12 = 20

(iii) - 225, -135

So by subtracting the first integer from the second -135 - (-225) = 225 - 135 = 90

(iv) 1001, 101

So by subtracting the first integer from the second 101 - 1001 = -900

(v) - 812, 3126

So by subtracting the first integer from the second 3126 - (-812) = 3126 + 812 = 3938

(vi) 7560, -8

So by subtracting the first integer from the second -8 - 7560 = -7568

(vii) - 3978, -4109

So by subtracting the first integer from the second -4109 - (-3978) = -4109 + 3978 = -131

(viii) 0, - 1005

So by subtracting the first integer from the second -1005 - 0 = -1005

## 2. Find the value of:

- (i) 27 (-23)
- (ii) 17 18 (-35)
- (iii) 12 (-5) (-125) + 270
- (iv) 373 + (-245) + (-373) + 145 + 3000



(v) 
$$1 + (-475) + (-475) + (-475) + (-475) + 1900$$
  
(vi)  $(-1) + (-304) + 304 + 304 + (-304) + 1$   
Solution:

(i) 
$$-27 - (-23)$$
  
So we get  
 $= -27 + 23$   
On further calculation  
 $-23 - 27$ 

= 23 - 27

We get = - 4

=0

(ii) - 17 - 18 - (-35)So we get = -35 + 35On further calculation

(iii) - 12 - (-5) - (-125) + 270So we get = -12 + 5 + 125 + 270On further calculation =400-12

We get = 388

(iv) 373 + (-245) + (-373) + 145 + 3000So we get = 373 - 245 - 373 + 145 + 3000On further calculation = 3145 + 373 - 373 - 245

We get = 3145 - 245By subtraction = 2900

(v) 1 + (-475) + (-475) + (-475) + (-475) + 1900So we get = 1 - 950 - 950 + 1900On further calculation = 1900 + 1 - 1900We get = 1

(vi) (-1) + (-304) + 304 + 304 + (-304) + 1So we get = -1 + 1 - 304 + 304 - 304 + 304On further calculation =0



= 1991

## 3. Subtract the sum of -5020 and 2320 from -709. Solution:

We know that the sum of -5020 and 2320 is -5020 + 2320 It can be written as = 2320 - 5020 So we get = -2700 Subtracting from = 709 we get = -709 - (-2700) We get = -709 + 2700 By subtraction

## 4. Subtract the sum of -1250 and 1138 from the sum of 1136 and -1272. Solution:

We know that the sum of -1250 and 1138 is -1250 + 1138It can be written as = 1138 - 1250So we get = -112

We know that the sum of 1136 and -1272 is 1136 - 1272 = -136So we get -136 - (-112) = -136 + 112 = -24

## 5. From the sum of 233 and -147, subtract -284. Solution:

We know that the sum of 233 and -147 is 233 - 147 = 86Subtracting -284 we get 86 - (-284) = 86 + 284 = 370

## 6. The sum of two integers is 238. If one of the integers is -122, determine the other. Solution:

It is given that Sum of two integers = 238One of the integers = -122So the other integer = -(-122) + 238On further calculation Other integer = 238 + 122 = 360

## 7. The sum of two integers is -223. If one of the integers is 172, find the other.



#### **Solution:**

It is given that

Sum of two integers = -223

One of the integers = 172

So the other integer = -223 - 172 = -395

## 8. Evaluate the following:

$$(i) - 8 - 24 + 31 - 26 - 28 + 7 + 19 - 18 - 8 + 33$$

$$(ii) - 26 - 20 + 33 - (-33) + 21 + 24 - (-25) - 26 - 14 - 34$$

### **Solution:**

$$(i) - 8 - 24 + 31 - 26 - 28 + 7 + 19 - 18 - 8 + 33$$

We get

$$= -8 - 24 - 26 - 28 - 18 - 8 + 31 + 7 + 19 + 33$$

On further calculation

$$= -32 - 26 - 28 - 26 + 38 + 19 + 33$$

It can be written as

$$=38-32-26-28+33-26+19$$

So we get

$$=6-26-28+7+19$$

By calculation

$$=6-28-26+26$$

$$= 6 - 28$$

By subtraction

= - 22

$$(ii) - 26 - 20 + 33 - (-33) + 21 + 24 - (-25) - 26 - 14 - 34$$

We get

$$= -46 + 33 + 33 + 21 + 24 + 25 - 26 - 14 - 34$$

On further calculation

$$= -46 + 66 + 21 + 24 + 25 + (-74)$$

It can be written as

$$= -46 + 66 + 70 - 74$$

So we get

$$= -46 - 4 + 66$$

By calculation

$$= -50 + 66$$

$$= 66 - 50$$

By subtraction

= 16

#### 9. Calculate

$$1-2+3-4+5-6+\ldots + 15-16$$

**Solution:** 

It can be written as

$$1-2+3-4+5-6+7-8+9-10+11-12+13-14+15-16$$

We get

$$= -1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1$$



By calculation

= -8

### 10. Calculate the sum:

$$5 + (-5) + 5 + (-5) + \dots$$

- (i) if the number of terms is 10.
- (ii) if the number of terms is 11.

**Solution:** 

(i) if the number of terms is 10

We get

$$5 + (-5) + 5 + (-5) + 5 + (-5) + 5 + (-5) + 5 + (-5)$$

On further calculation

$$=5-5+5-5+5-5+5-5+5-5=0$$

(ii) if the number of terms is 11

We get

$$5 + (-5) + 5 + (-5) + 5 + (-5) + 5 + (-5) + 5 + (-5) + 5$$

On further calculation

$$=5-5+5-5+5-5+5-5+5-5+5=5$$

- 11. Replace \* by < or > in each of the following to make the statement true:
- (i) (-6) + (-9) \* (-6) (-9)
- (ii) (-12) (-12) \* (-12) + (-12)
- (iii) (-20) (-20) \* 20 (65)
- (iv) 28 (-10) \* (-16) (-76)

**Solution:** 

$$(i) (-6) + (-9) < (-6) - (-9)$$

$$(ii) (-12) - (-12) > (-12) + (-12)$$

(iii) 
$$(-20) - (-20) > 20 - (65)$$

(iv) 
$$28 - (-10) < (-16) - (-76)$$

- 12. If  $\triangle$  is an operation on integers such that a  $\triangle$  b = a + b (-2) for all integers a, b. Find the value of
- (i)  $4 \triangle 3$
- (ii)  $(-2) \triangle (-3)$
- (iii) 6  $\triangle$  (-5)
- (iv) (-5)  $\triangle$  6

**Solution:** 

- (i)  $4 \triangle 3$
- By substituting values in a  $\triangle$  b = a + b (-2)

We get

$$4 \triangle 3 = -4 + 3 - (-2) = 1$$

(ii)  $(-2) \triangle (-3)$ 

By substituting values in a  $\triangle$  b = - a + b - (-2)

We get

$$(-2) \Delta (-3) = -(-2) + (-3) - (-2) = 1$$

(iii) 6 Δ (-5)

By substituting values in a  $\triangle$  b = - a + b - (-2)

We get

$$6 \Delta (-5) = -6 + (-5) - (-2) = -9$$

(iv)  $(-5) \triangle 6$ 

By substituting values in a  $\triangle$  b = - a + b - (-2)

We get

$$(-5) \triangle 6 = -(-5) + 6 - (-2) = 13$$

## 13. If a and b are two integers such that a is the predecessor of b. Find the value of a-b. Solution:

It is given that a is the predecessor of b

We can write it as

a + 1 = b

So we get

a - b = -1

## 14. If a and b are two integers such that a is the successor of b. Find the value of $\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b}$ . Solution:

It is given that a is the successor of b

We can write it as

a-1=b

So we get

a - b = 1

### 15. Which of the following statements are true:

$$(i) - 13 > -8 - (-2)$$

$$(ii) - 4 + (-2) < 2$$

- (iii) The negative of a negative integer is positive.
- (iv) If a and b are two integers such that a > b, then a b is always a positive integer.
- (v) The difference of two integers is an integer.
- (vi) Additive inverse of a negative integer is negative.
- (vii) Additive inverse of a positive integer is negative.
- (viii) Additive inverse of a negative integer is positive.

- (i) False.
- (ii) True.
- (iii) True.
- (iv) True.
- (v) True.

- (vi) False.
- (vii) True.
- (viii) True.

### 16. Fill in the blanks:

- $(i) 7 + \dots = 0$
- (ii)  $29 + \dots = 0$
- (iii)  $132 + (-132) = \dots$
- $(iv) 14 + \dots = 22$
- $(v) 1256 + \dots = -742$
- (vi) ..... -1234 = -4539

$$(i) - 7 + 7 = 0$$

(ii) 
$$29 + (-29) = 0$$

(iii) 
$$132 + (-132) = 0$$

$$(iv) - 14 + 36 = 22$$

$$(v) - 1256 + 514 = -742$$

(vi) 
$$-3305 - 1234 = -4539$$



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Mark the correct alternative in each of the following:

## 1. Which of the following statement is true?

$$(a) - 7 > -5$$

(b) 
$$-7 < -5$$

(c) 
$$(-7) + (-5) > 0$$

(d) 
$$(-7) - (-5) > 0$$

**Solution:** 

The option (b) is correct answer.

In option (a)

We know that -7 is to the left of -5

Hence, -7 < -5.

In option (c)

We know that (-7) + (-5) = -(7+5) = -12.

So -12 is to the left of 0

Hence (-7) + (-5) < 0.

In option (d)

$$(-7)$$
 -  $(-5)$  =  $(-7)$  + (additive inverse of  $-5$ ) =  $(-7)$  +  $(5)$  =  $-(7-5)$  =  $-2$ 

We know that -2 is to the left of 0, so (-7) - (-5) < 0.

#### 2. 5 less than -2 is

(a) 3

$$(b) - 3$$

$$(c) - 7$$

**Solution:** 

The option (c) is correct answer.

We know that, 5 less than -2 = (-2) - (5) = -2 - 5 = -7

#### 3. 6 more than -7 is

(a) 1

$$(b) - 1$$

$$(d) - 13$$

**Solution:** 

The option (b) is correct answer.

We know that, 6 more than -7 = (-7) + 6 = -(7 - 6) = -1

### 4. If x is a positive integer, then

(a) 
$$x + /x/ = 0$$

(b) 
$$x - |x| = 0$$

(c) 
$$x + /x/ = -2x$$

(d) 
$$x = -|x|$$

**Solution:** 

The option (b) is correct answer.

We know that if x is positive integer, then |x| = x

Hence, x + |x| = x + x = 2x and x - |x| = x - x = 0

### 5. If x is a negative integer, then

(a) 
$$x + /x/ = 0$$

**Solution:** 

(b) 
$$x - |x| = 0$$

(c) 
$$x + /x/ = 2x$$

(d) 
$$x - |x| = -2x$$

The option (a) is correct answer.

We know that x is negative integer, then |x| = -x

It can be written as

$$x + |x| = x - x = 0$$
 and  $x - |x| = x - (-x) = x + x = 2x$ 

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6. If x is greater than 2, then |2 - x| =

(a) 
$$2 - x$$

(b) 
$$x - 2$$

(c) 
$$2 + x$$

$$(d) - x - 2$$

**Solution:** 

The option (b) is correct answer.

We know that if a is negative integer, then |a| = -a

It is given that x is greater than 2 where 2 - x is negative

Hence, |2 - x| = -(2 - x) = -2 + x = x - 2.

7. 9 + |-4| is equal to

$$(b) - 5$$

$$(d) -13$$

**Solution:** 

The option (c) is correct answer.

We know that, |-4| = 4

Hence 9 + |-4| = 9 + 4 = 13

8. (-35) + (-32) is equal to

(a) 67

$$(b) - 67$$

$$(c) - 3$$

**Solution:** 

The option (b) is correct answer.

It can be written as (-35) + (-32) = -(35 + 32) = -67

9. (-29) + 5 is equal to

(a) 24

$$(c) - 34$$

$$(d) - 24$$

**Solution:** 

The option (d) is correct answer.

It can be written as (-29) + 5 = -(29 - 5) = -24

10. |-|-7|-3| is equal to

$$(a) - 7$$

$$(d) - 10$$

**Solution:** 

The option (c) is correct answer.

It can be written as |-|-7|-3| = |-7-3| = |-10| = 10

11. The successor of -22 is

$$(a) - 23$$

$$(b) - 21$$

**Solution:** 

The option (b) is correct answer.

We know that if 'a' is an integer a + 1 is its successor.

So the successor of -22 = -22 + 1 = -(22 - 1) = -21

12. The predecessor of -14 is

(a) - 15

$$(d) - 13$$



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The option (a) is correct answer.

The predecessor of -14 is -15.

## 13. If the sum of two integers is -26 and one of them is 14, then the other integer is

(a) - 12

(b) 12

(c) - 40

(d) 40

**Solution:** 

The option (c) is correct answer.

It is given that the sum of two integers = -26

One of them = 14

So the other integer = -26 - 14 = -(26 + 14) = -40

## 14. Which of the following pairs of integers have 5 as a difference?

(a) 10, 5

(b) - 10, -5

(c) 15, -20

(d) both (a) and (b)

**Solution:** 

The option (d) is correct answer.

Consider option (a) 10 - 5 = 5

Consider option (b) (-5) - (-10) = -5 + 10 = 5

Consider option (c) 15 - (-20) = 15 + 20 = 35

## 15. If the product of two integers is 72 and one of them is -9, then the other integers is

(a) - 8

(b) 8

(c) 81

(d) 63

**Solution:** 

The option (a) is correct answer.

It is given that the product of two integers = 72

One of them = -9

Hence, the other integers =  $72 \div (-9) = -8$ 

### 16. On subtracting – 7 from – 14, we get

(a) - 12

(b) - 7

(c) -14

(d) 21

**Solution:** 

The option (b) is correct answer.

It can be written as

Required number = -14 - (-7) = -14 + 7 = -(14 - 7) = -7

## 17. The largest number that divides 64 and 72 and leave the remainders 12 and 7 respectively, is

(a) 17

(b) 13

(c) 14

(d) 18

**Solution:** 

The option (b) is correct answer.

By subtracting 12 and 7 from 64 and 72

We get

64 - 12 = 52 and 72 - 7 = 65

So the required number is the HCF of 52 and 65.

It can be written as

 $52 = 4 \times 13$  and  $65 = 5 \times 13$ 

HCF of 52 and 65 = 13

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Hence, the largest number that divides 64 and 72 and leave the remainders 12 and 7 respectively, is 13.

## 18. The sum of two integers is -23. If one of them is 18, then the other is

(a) -14

$$(d) -41$$

**Solution:** 

The option (d) is correct answer.

It is given that the sum of two integers = -23

One of them = 18

So the other number = (-23) - (18) = -23 - 18 = -(23 + 18) = -41

Hence, the other number is -41.

## 19. The sum of two integers is -35. If one of them is 40, then the other is

(a) 5

$$(b) - 75$$

$$(d) - 5$$

**Solution:** 

The option (b) is correct answer.

It is given that the sum of two integers = -35

One of them = 40

So the other number = (-35) - (40) = -35 - 40 = -(35 + 40) = -75

Hence, the other number is -75.

### 20. On subtracting – 5 from 0, we get

(a) - 5

(b) 5

(c) 50

(d) 0

**Solution:** 

The option (b) is correct answer.

We know that, 0 - (-5) = 0 + 5 = 5

Hence by subtracting -5 from 0, we obtain 5.

21. 
$$(-16) + 14 - (-13)$$
 is equal to

(a) - 11

(b) 12

(c) 11

(d) - 15

**Solution:** 

The option (c) is correct answer.

It can be written as (-16) + 14 - (-13) = (-16) + 14 + 13 = (-16) + 27 = 27 - 16 = 11

### 22. $(-2) \times (-3) \times 6 \times (-1)$ is equal to

(a) 36

$$(b) - 36$$

(c) 6

(d) - 6

**Solution:** 

The option (b) is correct answer.

It can be written as  $(-2) \times (-3) \times 6 \times (-1) = (2 \times 3) \times 6 \times (-1) = 6 \times 6 \times (-1) = 36 \times (-1)$ 

So we get  $(-2) \times (-3) \times 6 \times (-1) = -(36 \times 1) = -36$ 

23. 
$$86 + (-28) + 12 + (-34)$$
 is equal to

(a) 36

$$(b) - 36$$

(c) 6

(d) - 6

**Solution:** 

The option (a) is correct answer.



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It can be written as 86 + (-28) + 12 + (-34) = 86 + (-28) - (34 - 12) = 86 + (-28) - 22On further calculation

$$86 + (-28) + 12 + (-34) = (86 - 28) - (34 - 12) = (86 - 28) - 22 = 58 - 22 = 36$$

24.  $(-12) \times (-9) - 6 \times (-8)$  is equal to

(a) 156

(b) 60

(c) -156

(d) - 60

**Solution:** 

The option (a) is correct answer.

It can be written as  $(-12) \times (-9) - 6 \times (-8) = (12 \times 9) - 6 \times (-8) = 108 - 6 \times (-8)$ 

On further calculation

$$(-12) \times (-9) - 6 \times (-8) = 108 + 6 \times 8 = 108 + 48 = 156$$