

Operations with Integers

To Add Integers:

- 1) If the signs are both positive then you add as you normally would and make your answer positive.
- 2) If the signs are both negative then you add as you normally would and make your answer negative.
- 3) If the signs are different then you will subtract the smaller numerical value from the larger and keep the sign of the big guy.

To Subtract Integers:

"Add the Opposite"

- 1) Change the subtraction to addition.
- 2) Change the sign of the second number.
- 3) Refer to rules for adding integers.

To Multiply or Divide Integers:

- 1) If the signs are both positive then you will multiply/divide as you normally would and your answer is positive.
- 2) If the signs are both negative then you will multiply/divide as you normally would and your answer is positive.
- 3) If the signs are different then you will multiply/divide as you normally would and your answer is negative.