

2.3 Revision of Negative Numbers

1. *Without a calculator*, answer the following questions.

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| (a) $5 - 2$ | (b) $-5 + 6$ | (c) $-7 + 4$ |
| (d) $12 - 14$ | (e) $-10 + (-5)$ | (f) $-10 - (-5)$ |
| (g) $-15 - 5$ | (h) $16 - (-8)$ | (i) $4 \times (-2)$ |
| (j) $(-4) \times (-2)$ | (k) $(-8) \times 3$ | (l) $(-10) \times (-5)$ |
| (m) $14 + (-7)$ | (n) $(-10) + 2$ | (o) $(-10) \div (-2)$ |
| (p) $20 \div (-5)$ | (q) $(-15) \div (-3)$ | (r) $(-16) \div 4$ |

2. Evaluate, *without using a calculator*:

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| (a) $(-2)^2$ | (b) $(-1) \times 1$ | (c) $(-1) \times (-1)$ |
| (d) $(-4)^2$ | (e) $3^2 + (-4)^2$ | (f) $(-6)^2 + (-8)^2$ |
| (g) $(-1)^2 + (-2)^2$ | (h) $(-2)^2 \times (-3)^2$ | |
| (i) $4 \times (-5) + ((-100) \div (-4))$ | (j) $(-20) \div (-5) + (-2)^2$ | |
| (k) $\sqrt{(-3)^2 + (-4)^2}$ | (l) $[(-3) \times (-4)] \div (-2)$ | |
| (m) $(-2)^3$ | (n) $(-1)^2 \times (-1)$ | (o) $(-5)^3$ |

3. The outside temperature was monitored every 4 hours for one day. Here is the recorded information.

| Time | Temperature °C |
|-------|----------------|
| 00.00 | -11 |
| 04.00 | -7 |
| 08.00 | -1 |
| 12.00 | 5 |
| 16.00 | 6 |
| 20.00 | 0 |
| 24.00 | -5 |

- (a) What is the difference between the lowest and highest temperatures?
- (b) What is the difference between the temperature at
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| (i) 04.00 and 08.00 | (ii) 04.00 and 12.00 |
| (iii) 16.00 and 24.00 | (iv) 08.00 and 20.00 |
| (v) 00.00 and 24.00 | (vi) 20.00 and 24.00? |