

## Multiplying and Dividing Integers

**Objective:** To find products and quotients of integers.

### Terms to Know

**Multiplying two integers** Finding the product of two integers using the following rule:

The product of two integers with the same sign is positive.

The product of two integers with different signs is negative.

**Dividing two integers** Finding the quotient of two integers using the following rule:

The quotient of two integers with the same sign is positive.

The quotient of two integers with different signs is negative.

**Example 1** Find each answer.

a.  $3(-2)$

b.  $(-4)(5)$

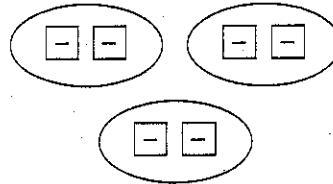
**Solution** You can use integer chips to multiply the integers.

a.  $3(-2)$

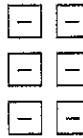
b.  $(-4)(5)$

$$(-4)(5) = 5(-4)$$

3 groups of  $-2$

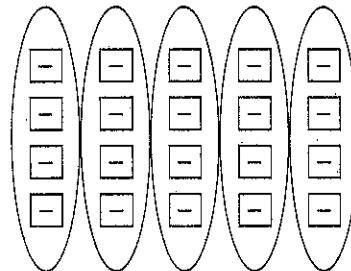


1 group of  $-6$

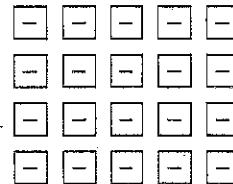


$$3(-2) = -6$$

5 groups of  $-4$



1 group of  $-20$



$$(-4)(5) = 5(-4) = -20$$

Find each product.

1.  $(-7)(9)$

2.  $6(-7)$

3.  $(-13)(9)$

4.  $5(8)$

5.  $(-10)(4)$

6.  $9(6)$

7.  $16(-3)$

8.  $(-5)(9)$

9.  $14(-2)$

10.  $3(-12)$

11.  $4(11)$

12.  $(-15)(5)$

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**Multiplying and Dividing Integers (continued)****Example 2** Find each product:**Solution**

a.  $(-3)(-4)$

b.  $(-3)(6)(-4)$

a.  $(-3)(-4) = 12$

b. Do the multiplications in order from left to right.

$\underline{(-3)(6)(-4)}$  First multiply  $-3$  by  $6$ .

$\underline{(-18)(-4)}$  Then multiply the result by  $-4$ .

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$(-3)(6)(-4) = 72$

**Find each answer.**

13.  $(-6)(-8)$

14.  $(-12)(-5)$

15.  $(-8)(-4)$

16.  $(-7)(-3)$

17.  $(-2)(-9)$

18.  $(-10)(-13)$

19.  $(2)(-8)(3)$

20.  $(-5)(11)(-6)$

21.  $(-12)(2)(8)$

22.  $(6)(-7)(-4)$

23.  $(3)(9)(-1)$

24.  $(-4)(-21)(-7)$

**Example 3** Find each answer.

a.  $\frac{28}{4}$

b.  $20 \div (-2)$

c.  $\frac{-18}{6}$

d.  $(-32) \div (-8)$

**Solution**

Use the rule for dividing integers.

a.  $\frac{28}{4} = 7$

b.  $20 \div (-2) = -10$

c.  $\frac{-18}{6} = -3$

d.  $(-32) \div (-8) = 4$

**Find each quotient.**

25.  $\frac{48}{16}$

26.  $(-27) \div 9$

27.  $\frac{-22}{11}$

28.  $(-72) \div (-8)$

29.  $\frac{-30}{-6}$

30.  $42 \div (-7)$

31.  $\frac{43}{-43}$

32.  $\frac{-18}{2}$

33.  $(-100) \div 20$

34.  $(-56) \div (-14)$

35.  $15 \div (-15)$

36.  $\frac{96}{-3}$

37.  $\frac{-24}{6}$

38.  $38 \div 2$

39.  $\frac{60}{5}$

40.  $(-53) \div 53$

41.  $\frac{-14}{-7}$

42.  $111 \div (-3)$

**Spiral Review**

43. Add:  $3\frac{1}{4} + 5\frac{1}{8}$   
(Toolbox Skill 18)

44. Find the quotient:  $42 \div (-6)$   
(Lesson 3-5)