Module 3 Integers

Lesson 1 Integers and Absolute Value

Notes 3.1

Lesson Objectives

- Define negative integers.
- Find the absolute value of a number.
- Graph integers on a number line.
- Compare and order integers.

Subtopic 1 Negative Numbers

Negative numbers are numbers that are less than zero.



Which number can represent a loss of eight yards? -8

Which number can represent a mountain with an elevation of 1,705 feet? +1,705

Subtopic 2 Opposite and Absolute Value

- Opposite numbers are numbers that are the <u>same distance</u> from zero on a number line but in **opposite** directions.
- The absolute value of a number is the <u>distance</u> the number is from <u>zero</u>. The absolute value of negative five is written in symbols as |-5|.
- Integers are the whole numbers and their opposites.

What is the opposite of each number?

-3 3 9 -9

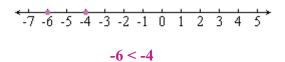
What is |-23| and |64|? 23 and 64

Subtopic 3 Compare Integers

On a number line, the number to the **left** is less than the number to the **right**.

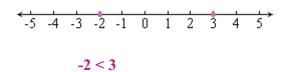


Compare -6 and -4. Write > or <.





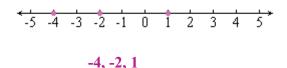
Compare -2 and 3. Write > or <.



Subtopic 4 Order Integers



Order -2, -4, and 1 from least to greatest.





Order -1, 0, 2, -3, and -5 from least to greatest.

