

Basic Operations: Addition and Subtraction

Operation	Symbol	Meaning	Example
Addition	+		
Subtraction	-		

Order of Operations

BEDMAS	<i>Example:</i> $3(4+5)-4^2\div2+1$
B- Brackets	$=3(4+5)-4^2\div2+1$
E- Exponents	$=3(9)-4^2\div2+1$
D- Division	$=27-16\div2+1$
M- Multiplication	$=3(9)-16\div2+1$
A- Addition	$=19+1$
S- Subtraction	$=27-8+1$

Multiplication/Division and Addition/Subtraction should be done in the order of WHICHEVER COMES FIRST

Example:

$=3(9)-16\div2+1$ (multiplication)

$=27-16\div2+1$ (division)

$=27-8+1$ (subtraction)

$=19+1$ (addition)



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