

## Notes 2-4

## Int 1

## Add/Subtract Fractions

## Unit 2

Add and Subtraction LIKE Fractions:

$$\frac{\text{Numerator}}{\text{Denominator}}$$

- Like → Have the same Denominator
- Add or Subtract the Numerator
- Keep the Denominator the same.

$$\text{Ex. 1: } \frac{5}{9} + \frac{2}{9} = \frac{7}{9}$$

$$\text{Ex. 5: } -\frac{2}{5} + \left(-\frac{2}{5}\right) = -\frac{4}{5}$$

$$\text{Ex. 2: } -\frac{3}{5} + \left(-\frac{1}{5}\right) = -\frac{4}{5}$$

$$\text{Ex. 6: } -\frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{0}{4} = 0$$

$$\text{Ex. 3: } \frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{3} = \frac{3}{3} = 1$$

$$\text{Ex. 7: } -\frac{5}{8} + \frac{3}{8} = -\frac{2}{8} = -\frac{1}{4}$$

$$\text{Ex. 4: } -\frac{3}{7} + \frac{1}{7} = -\frac{2}{7}$$

$$\text{Ex. 8: } \frac{5}{8} + \frac{7}{8} = \frac{12}{8} = \frac{3}{2} = 1\frac{1}{2}$$



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Add and Subtraction UNLIKE Fractions:

• Unlike → Start with Different Denoms.

• Make them have the same denominator.

① Multiply  
1 Fraction.

② Multiply by  
opposite Denominators

③  $\frac{7 \cdot 3}{12 \cdot 3}$   $\frac{5 \cdot 2}{18 \cdot 2}$   
 $\frac{21}{36}$   $\frac{10}{36}$

Ex. 9:  $\frac{2 \cdot 1}{2 \cdot 2} + \frac{1}{4}$

$\frac{2}{4} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{3}{4}$

Ex. 13:  $\frac{4 \cdot 1}{4 \cdot 3} + \left(-\frac{1}{4} \cdot 3\right)$

$-\frac{4}{12} + \left(-\frac{3}{12}\right) = \frac{-7}{12}$

Ex. 10:  $\frac{1}{6} + \frac{2}{3} = \frac{5}{6}$

Ex. 14:  $-\frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{-7}{6} = -1\frac{1}{6}$

Ex. 11:  $\frac{9}{10} + \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{4}{5}$

Ex. 15:  $\frac{5}{8} - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{3}{8}$

Ex. 12:  $\frac{1}{4} + \frac{3}{8} = \frac{5}{8}$

Ex. 16:  $\frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{3} = \frac{5}{12}$



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$$\text{Ex. 17: } \frac{1}{2} - \left(-\frac{2}{5}\right) = \frac{9}{10}$$

$$\text{Ex. 18: } \left(-\frac{3}{4} + \frac{5}{2}\right) + \frac{7}{3}$$

$$\left(\frac{-3}{4} + \frac{10}{4}\right)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3 \cdot 7 + 7 \cdot 4 \\ 3 \cdot 4 + 3 \cdot 4 \end{array} = 4 \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{21}{12} + \frac{28}{12} = \frac{49}{12}$$

Ex. 19: Sofia ate  $\frac{1}{4}$  of a cheese pizza. Jack ate  $\frac{2}{4}$  of a cheese pizza.

Spencer ate  $\frac{3}{4}$  of a pepperoni pizza. How much pizza did the three friends eat altogether?

$1 \frac{1}{2}$  pizzas

Ex. 20: Cassie cuts  $\frac{5}{16}$  inch off the top of a photo and  $\frac{3}{8}$  inch off the bottom. How much shorter is the total height of the photo now?

$\frac{11}{16}$  of an inch