# **Multiply and Divide Positive and Negative Numbers**

## **Multiplying and Dividing Rules**

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Same Signs = Positive Different Signs = Negative

1. (4)(5) = 20

$$\frac{1}{4} \div 2 = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{8}$$

2. 
$$(-4)(-5) = 20$$

$$(-36) \div (-4) = 9$$

3. 
$$(4)(-5) = -20$$

$$36 \div (-4) = -9$$

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

$$(-36) \div 4 = -9$$

Fractions- when dividing don't ask why, <u>flip</u> the 2<sup>nd</sup> and <u>multiply</u>.

Decimal- divisor needs to be a whole number (1<sup>st</sup> number is the dividend, 2<sup>nd</sup> the

divisor)

1.4 ÷ .7 
$$\frac{2}{7}$$

move decimal to make the divisor a whole number

DO NOT USE A CALCULATOR TO COMPLETE THIS REMEDIATION.

#### **Try These**

1. 
$$(-2)(-7) =$$

3. 
$$(12)(-7) =$$

5. 
$$(-25)(-12) =$$

7. 
$$(-12)(5) =$$

9. 
$$(-11)(-1) =$$

11. 
$$(3.8)(-0.1) =$$

13. 
$$(-6) \div (-2) =$$

15. 
$$(12) \div (-3) =$$

17. 
$$(-75) \div \left(-\frac{3}{5}\right) =$$

2. 
$$(8)(-11) =$$

4. 
$$(-3)(-13) =$$

6. 
$$(-5)(50) =$$

8. 
$$(-9)(0) =$$

10. 
$$(-1.2)(-2.5) =$$

12. 
$$(-1.2)(12) =$$

14. 
$$(15) \div (-3) =$$

16. 
$$(-48) \div (-4) =$$

18. 
$$(-150) \div (50) =$$

19. 
$$(-12.8) \div (-0.4) =$$

20. 
$$(0) \div (-8) =$$

21. 
$$(-1.8) \div (-12) =$$

22. 
$$(-18) \div \left(-\frac{2}{3}\right) =$$

$$23. \quad \left(\frac{7}{8}\right) \div \left(-\frac{7}{16}\right) =$$

24. 
$$\left(-\frac{2}{3}\right) \div \left(\frac{3}{4}\right) =$$

### Find each product.

1. 
$$3(-7)$$

$$2. -2(8)$$

$$4. -7(-7)$$

5. 
$$-9(3)$$

6. 
$$8(-6)$$

8. 
$$-5(-7)$$

9. 
$$2(-8)$$

10. 
$$-10(-2)$$

11. 
$$9(-8)$$

13. 
$$-4(-4)(2)$$

14. 
$$7(-9)(-1)$$

15. 
$$-3(5)(2)$$

16. 
$$3(-4)(-2)(2)$$

17. 
$$6(-1)(2)(1)$$

18. 
$$-5(-3)(-2)(-1)$$

### Find each quotient.

$$1.28 \div 7$$

$$2. -33 \div 3$$

3. 
$$42 \div (-6)$$

4. 
$$-81 \div (-9)$$
 5.  $12 \div 4$ 

6. 
$$72 \div (-9)$$

$$7.15 \div 15$$

$$8. -30 \div 5$$

9. 
$$-40 \div (-8)$$

10. 
$$56 \div (-7)$$

11. 
$$-21 \div (-3)$$

12. 
$$-64 \div 8$$

$$13. -8 \div 8$$

14. 
$$-22 \div (-2)$$

15. 
$$32 \div (-8)$$

**16.** 
$$-54 \div (-9)$$
 **17.**  $60 \div (-6)$  **18.**  $63 \div 9$ 

17. 
$$60 \div (-6)$$

18. 
$$63 \div 9$$

$$19. -45 \div (-9)$$

20. 
$$-60 \div 5$$

19. 
$$-45 \div (-9)$$
 20.  $-60 \div 5$  21.  $24 \div (-3)$ 

22. 
$$\frac{-12}{6}$$

23. 
$$\frac{40}{-10}$$

24. 
$$\frac{-45}{-9}$$