

Order of Operations

1. Parentheses

Do what is inside parentheses first.

2. Exponents and square roots

Evaluate powers and roots next.

3. Multiplication and division

Move left to right.

4. Addition and subtraction

Move left to right.

Parentheses First

$$(2 + 5)^2 - (3)(4) =$$

$$(8 - 3)^2 + (6)(4) =$$

$$\frac{(2 + 3)^2 - (-1 + 11)^2}{5} =$$

$$(10 - 4)^2 - (5)(3) =$$

Exponents and Square Roots

$$4^2 + \sqrt{81} - 6 =$$

$$(5^2 - 3^2) + \sqrt{64} =$$

$$(3^2 + 4^2) - \sqrt{100} =$$

$$2^3 + (6 - 1)^2 - \sqrt{49} =$$

Fraction Bars Mean Divide

Everything above the bar is grouped together. Everything below the bar is grouped together.

$$\frac{(2+5)^2 - (3)(4)}{2} =$$

$$\frac{(-2+8)^2 + 4(5)}{7} =$$

$$\frac{(10-4)^2 - \sqrt{36}}{6} =$$

$$\frac{7 - 2^2 + 15}{5} =$$

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$$(4 + 3)^2 - (2)(6) =$$

$$\frac{(2 + 3)^2 - (-1 + 11)^2}{5} =$$

$$8 + (3)(5) - 2^2 =$$

$$(6 - 2)^3 - (5)(9) =$$

$$(-3 + 9)^2 - (4)(5) =$$

$$(10 - 4)^2 - \sqrt{81} =$$

$$\sqrt{144} + 3^2 - (2)(7) =$$

$$2^5 - (3)(7) + (-4) =$$