

**Axiom 1.1-1.5:** Axioms regarding the integers: arithmetic, additive and multiplicative identities, additive inverses, and multiplicative cancellation.

**Proposition 1.6:** If  $m$ ,  $n$ , and  $p$  are integers, then  $(m + n) \cdot p = m \cdot p + n \cdot p$ .

**Proposition 1.7:** If  $m$  is an integer, then  $0 + m = m$  and  $1 \cdot m = m$ .

**Proposition 1.8:** If  $m$  is an integer, then  $(-m) + m = 0$ .

**Proposition 1.9:** Let  $m$ ,  $n$ , and  $p$  be integers. If  $m + n = n + p$  then  $n = p$ .

**Proposition 1.10:** Let  $m$ ,  $x_1$ ,  $x_2 \in \mathbb{Z}$ . If  $m + x_1 = 0$  and  $m + x_2 = 0$  then  $x_1 = x_2$ .

**Proposition 1.11:** If  $m$ ,  $n$ ,  $p$ , and  $q$  are integers then

(i)  $(m + n)(p + q) = (mp + np) + (mq + nq)$

(ii)  $(m + n) + (p + q) = m + (n + (p + q)) = ((m + n) + p) + q$

(iii)  $m + (n + p) = (p + m) + n$

(iv)  $m(np) = p(mn)$

(v)  $m(n + (p + q)) = (mn + mp) + mq$

(vi)  $(m(n + p))q = (mn)q + m(pq)$

**Proposition 1.12:** Let  $x \in \mathbb{Z}$ . If  $x$  has the property that for each integer  $m$ ,  $m + x = m$ , then  $x = 0$ .

**Proposition 1.13:** Let  $x \in \mathbb{Z}$ . If  $x$  has the property that there exists an integer  $m$  such that  $m + x = m$ , then  $x = 0$ .

**Proposition 1.14:** For all  $m \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $m \cdot 0 = 0 \cdot m = 0$ .

**Proposition 1.16:** If  $m$  and  $n$  are even integers, then so are  $m + n$  and  $m \cdot n$ .

**Proposition 1.17:**

(i) 0 is divisible by every integer.

(ii) If  $m$  is an integer not equal to 0, then  $m$  is not divisible by 0.

**Proposition 1.18:** Let  $x \in \mathbb{Z}$ . If  $x$  has the property that for each integer  $m$ ,  $m \cdot x = m$ , then  $x = 1$ .

**Proposition 1.19:** Let  $x \in \mathbb{Z}$ . If  $x$  has the property that there exists a non-zero integer  $m$  such that  $m \cdot x = m$ , then  $x = 1$ .

**Proposition 1.20:** For all  $m, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $(-m) \cdot (-n) = m \cdot n$ .

**Corollary 1.21:**  $(-1) \cdot (-1) = 1$ .

**Proposition 1.22:**

(i) For all  $m \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $-(-m) = m$ .

(ii)  $-0 = 0$ .

**Proposition 1.23:** Given  $m, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ , there exists one and only one  $x \in \mathbb{Z}$  such that  $m + x = n$

**Proposition 1.24:** Let  $x \in \mathbb{Z}$ . If  $x \cdot x = 0$  then  $x = 0$  or  $x = 1$ .

**Proposition 1.25:** For all  $m, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ .

(i)  $-(m + n) = (-m) + (-n)$

(ii)  $-m = (-1) \cdot m$

(iii)  $(-m)n = m(-n) = -(mn)$

**Proposition 1.26:** Let  $m, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ . If  $mn = 0$  then  $m = 0$  or  $n = 0$ .

**Proposition 1.27:** For all  $m, n, p, q \in \mathbb{Z}$ :

(i)  $(m - n) + (p - q) = (m + p) - (n + q)$

(ii)  $(m - n) - (p - q) = (m + q) - (n + p)$

(iii)  $(m - n)(p - q) = (mp + nq) - (mq + np)$

(iv)  $m - n = p - q$  if and only if  $m + q = n + p$

(v)  $(m - n)p = mp - np$