

1. Draw the following intervals on the number line.
 - (a) $[-1, 4)$
 - (b) $(2, 6)$
 - (c) $(3, \infty)$
 - (d) $(-\infty, 5]$
2. Write as an interval: $\{x : x \in \mathbb{R}\}$; i.e., “The set of all x , where x is a real number.” Draw this interval on the number line.
3. Plot on the number line: $[-2, 3) \cap \mathbb{Z}$; i.e., “The intersection of $[-2, 3)$ with the set of integers.”
4. Arrange from least to greatest: $|\pi|$, $|-3|$, 3 , $-|-4|$, -4 .
Use the symbols “ $<$ ” and “ \leq ”.
5. Simplify to an integer: $|2(|-1-3| \cdot |6-8|) - 5|$
6. Rewrite $|x+2| - |1-x|$ without using the absolute value sign, where:
 - (a) $x < -2$
 - (b) $x \geq 4$
 - (c) $x = 0$
7. Write using the absolute value sign the expression representing the distance on the number line between 3 and -1 .
8. Write using the absolute value sign: “The distance between x and -2 is greater than or equal to 3.”
9. Consider the intervals $[-4, 3]$ and $[1, 8)$.
 - (a) Draw these intervals on the number line and mark the interval representing their intersection.
 - (b) Express the intersection in interval notation.
 - (c) Express the intersection in set notation without using the absolute value sign.
 - (d) Express the intersection using the absolute value sign.
10. Write as a union of two intervals: $\{x : |x-3| > 4\}$.
11. Plot on the number line: $\{x : |x+2| \leq 5\}$
12. Plot on the number line: $\{x : |4-x| \geq 1\}$
13. Solve and write the answer in set notation: $-2 < x-3 < 4$.
14. Solve and write the answer in interval notation: $|x+4| \leq 5$ and $x > -3$.
15. Solve and write the answer using absolute value: $-7 < 1-x < -5$.