Exercise 71

In the following exercises, simplify each expression.

(a) $-7 + (-4)$

(b) $-7 + 4$

(c) $7 + (-4)$.

Solution

(a) $-7 + (-4) = -7 - 4 = -11$

(b) $-7 + 4 = -3$

(c) $7 + (-4) = 7 - 4 = 3$