Addition and Subtraction of Integers- Step-by-Step Lesson
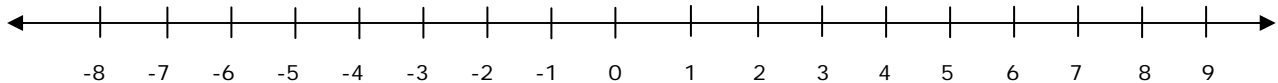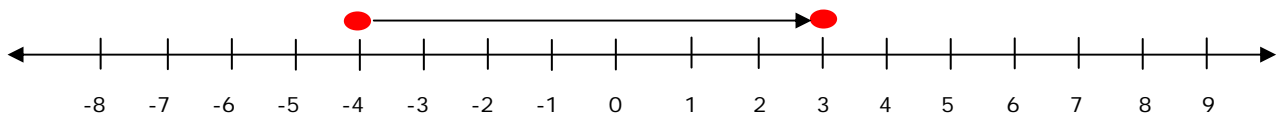
Use a number line to add -4 + 7

Explanation:

First, we draw a number line and follow the rules.

If we have to add, then we have to move right side of number line and if we have to subtract we have to move in left side of number line.

Locate -4 on the number line and we have to add 7 (as 7 has positive sign) so we will count 7 numbers to the right of -4

As we count 7 numbers from -4, we reached at 3 as seventh number.

So -4 + 7 = 3